

TILFORD & RUSHMOOR RIDING CLUB

Rules & Regulations

- 1 All events will be run in accordance with the current BHS Riding Club Rule Book, and specific class rules as stated in the schedule, where appropriate.
- 2 A copy of the BRC Rule Book will be available at the Secretary's office at all Club events.
- 3 The Judge's decision shall be final.
- 4 All objections shall be lodged in writing within 15 minutes of the alleged incident. A deposit of £10, which will be refunded if the objection is sustained, shall accompany them.
- 5 Neither the organisers nor the Deadman Estate (or venue owner) accept liability for any claims in respect of injury or damage to any person, animal or property, however caused.
- 6 The organisers reserve the right to change Judges or appoint substitutes and to amend the schedule as necessary.
- 7 The organisers reserve the right to reject or cancel any entry made by any person or to cancel or combine any class they see fit (refunding any fees paid less £2 per competitor to cover administrative expenses).
- 8 All entry fees must accompany entry forms. No entries will be refunded without a Vet or Doctor's Certificate.
- 9 Dogs must be kept on leads and under control at all times whilst in the Club Field.
- 10 Everyone mounted, whether a competitor or not, (at the Club Field or alternative venue) must wear a hard hat at least to BSEN 1384 or preferably PAS 015. Either type of headgear must have a chin strap which has a non-detachable retaining harness secured to the shell at more than two points. Such headgear must be worn with harness properly adjusted and fastened. Failure to do so will incur elimination. Hat checks may be made
- 11 All competitors must wear the correct riding clothes whilst competing and exercising at competitions. Back protectors shall be worn when XC jumps are included.
- 12 Misuse of whips or spurs will incur elimination. Blatant use of bad language or aggressive behaviour from a competitor or spectator will result in them being asked to leave immediately. They may also be banned from future TRRC events.
- 13 Stewards' instructions must be followed.
- 14 Entry fees (less £2 per competitor to cover administration costs) will be refunded if the event is cancelled.

- 15 All horses and ponies must be at least four years old.
- 16 Horses must be kept to a walk unless in the warm-up or competition arenas.
- 17 The organisers reserve the right to eliminate any competitor who, in their opinion, places him/herself or others in any danger or who fails to observe the rules.
- 18 Access to the club field is via the main track, nobody whether riding, walking or in a vehicle is allowed to cut across the bottom field or deviate from the track unless otherwise indicated.
- 19 The Club Field may be hired out by Members only but only after booking via the Secretary (leaving a message on her answer phone or via email is fine, she will get back to you if there is a problem), cost of hire for an hour £1 for flatwork, £2 for use of jumps. Please don't just turn up and use the Club Field as we need to know who is in there and at what times, for insurance purposes. There must be a minimum of two Senior members with a mobile phone, in case of emergencies. If members are Juniors, they must be accompanied by at least one adult (over 18 years) for the full duration they are in the Club Field.

Members must report any breakages of equipment or accidents whilst in the Club Field to the Club Secretary.

All equipment must be put away after use, if taken out specifically for the training session.