

# WILMSLOW RIDING CLUB

## CROSS COUNTRY COMPETITION Sponsored by Equine Lane

To be held at Castle Hill Farm, Mill Lane, Ashley, Cheshire WA15 0RB

**SUNDAY 20<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2020, 10am start**

**Open to Members and BRC Members only**

ALL Classes will qualify for the [ElandLodge.com](http://ElandLodge.com) Hunter Trials Championships 2021

### **Class 1A Junior Intermediate**

Riders not to have attained 18th birthday on 1st January in the current year. Combination not to have represented and completed a Riding Club or Pony Club at Cross Country/Horse Trials (One Day Event) or have completed a BE Horse Trials at a level greater than BE90.

**Approximately 90cm - 1m in height.**

***Qualifier for ElandLodge.com National Hunter Trials - 90cm***

### **Class 1B Senior Intermediate**

Riders 18 and over on 1st January in the current year. Combination and heights as for Class 1A. ***Qualifier for ElandLodge.com National Hunter Trials - 90cm***

### **Class 2A Junior OPEN Intermediate**

Riders not to have attained 18th birthday on 1st January in the current year. This Class is aimed at Riders not eligible for Class 1A but still wishing to compete at that level. ***Qualifier for ElandLodge.com National Hunter Trials - 90cm***

### **Class 2B Senior OPEN Intermediate**

Riders 18 and over on 1st January in the current year. This Class is aimed at Riders not eligible for Class 1B but still wishing to compete at that level.

***Qualifier for ElandLodge.com National Hunter Trials - 90cm***

### **Class 3A Junior Novice**

Riders not to have attained 18th birthday on 1st January in the current year. Combination not to have been placed in any Cross Country/Horse Trials (One Day Event) other than Novice or Starters and not to have won a Novice competition. Combination not to have represented and completed a Riding Club or Pony Club at Cross Country/Horse Trials (One Day Event) or have completed a BE Horse Trials at a level greater than BE80.

**Approximately 75cm - 85cm in height.**

***Qualifier for ElandLodge.com National Hunter Trials - 80cm***

### **Class 3B Senior Novice**

Riders 18 and over on 1st January in the current year. Combination and heights as for Class 3A. ***Qualifier for ElandLodge.com National Hunter Trials - 80cm***

### **Class 4A Junior OPEN Novice**

Riders not to have attained 18th birthday on 1st January in the current year. This Class is aimed at Riders not eligible for Class 3A but still wishing to compete at that level. ***Qualifier for ElandLodge.com National Hunter Trials - 80cm***

### **Class 4B Senior OPEN Novice**

Riders 18 and over on 1st January in the current year. This Class is aimed at Riders not eligible for Class 3B but still wishing to compete at that level.

***Qualifier for ElandLodge.com National Hunter Trials - 80cm***

### **Class 5A Junior Starters.**

Riders not to have attained their 18th birthday on 1st January in the current year. Combination not to have been placed in any Cross Country/ Horse Trials (One Day Event) competition. Combination not to have represented a Riding Club or Pony Club at Cross Country/Horse Trials(One Day Event) and not to have competed at BE in any class. **Approximately 60cm - 70cm in height. Qualifier for ElandLodge.com National Hunter Trials - 50cm**

### **Class 5B Senior Starters.**

Riders 18 and over on the 1st of January in the current year. Combination and heights as for Class 5A. **Qualifier for ElandLodge.com National Hunter Trials - 50cm**

### **Class 6A Junior OPEN Starters.**

Riders not to have attained their 18th birthday on 1st January in the current year. This class is aimed at Riders not eligible for Class 5A, but still wish to compete at that level. **Qualifier for ElandLodge.com National Hunter Trials - 50cm**

### **Class 6B Senior OPEN Starters.**

Riders 18 or over on the 1st January in the current year. This class is aimed at Riders not eligible for Class 5B, but still wish to compete at that level.

**Qualifier for ElandLodge.com National Hunter Trials - 50cm**

**Entry fee: £15**

**Plus £5 per rider for First Aid**

**ALL Entries must now be made online at <https://www.horsemonkey.com>**

**Entries close: Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> September 2020.**

**Times available: Friday 18<sup>th</sup> September 2020** – on Horsemonkey or call 01565 873439 between 6pm-8pm.

Alternatively log on to the website: [www.wilmslowridingclub.co.uk](http://www.wilmslowridingclub.co.uk)

Number of fences, length of course, course plan, optimum time, coursewalk times, and times for all classes will be communicated with the start times. There will be no WRC bibs available. You must provide your own paper numbers. No Stopwatches Allowed. All classes are open to Non-Members.

**XC Secretary:** Hazel West, Spinney View, Boots Green Lane, Allostock, WA16 9NQ. Tel: 01565 723976

## **Notes**

1. Protective headgear to the current standard (No fixed peak hats), body protectors to current standard must be worn on cross country course and medical armbands are strongly recommended.
2. Course will be 'open flagged' (with the exception of the Starters), i.e. if you wish to jump the larger fences, providing you are between the red and white flags, you will not incur any penalties.
3. No Stopwatches Allowed for the Cross Countries.
4. No Horse/ Pony may compete in more than one class on the same day.
5. Competitors having a fall, in any phase, may not remount or continue until they have been checked by a First Aider. A fall on the Cross Country course will incur elimination. It is recommended to be checked by a First Aider before leaving the Showground.
6. Rosettes to 6th place in all classes/sections.
7. If your times are not on the website, please contact the organiser, NOT AFTER 9.30 PM.

8. In the event of cancellation, all entries will be refunded less a small administration charge.
9. Stallions: Stallions must be led from a bit with reins or with a lead rope of a minimum length of 2.5m. A stallion disc must be displayed on each side of a stallion's bridle at all times. No person may bring a stallion to a competition without ensuring, at all times, that competitors, ponies/horses and members of the public are not put at risk. (BRC Rule G25)

Wilmslow Riding Club – Conditions for Cross Country 30<sup>th</sup> August 2020

**Important - Do not enter the show ground if you or anyone you have been in contact with is showing signs of Covid-19**

1. Remember to bring your number/bib – we cannot provide a bib or the number to go inside it on the day if you forget.
2. On arrival the gate steward will check the rider is on the list of competitors. If there are helper(s) not travelling with the rider please give their car registration to the steward.
3. Only one helper per horse, in addition to the rider. If the rider is under 12, or disabled, one extra helper is allowed. **No one else may enter the show ground.**
4. You will be told where to park, 5 metres apart, tying up on the left side. Cars (not towing) will be parked by the pavilion, not with the wagons/trailers.
5. Please stay with your wagon / trailer when not competing or using the facilities. No congregating anywhere on the show ground.
6. There is a one-way system in place for horses and pedestrians. You must use it.
7. Remember social distancing at all times, mounted or on foot. Sanitisers will be at the collecting ring and at the start, by the toilets and by the pavilion. Hand washing facilities will be by the tap (near the toilets). Please use these regularly.
8. The secretary, Hazel, may be contacted by text or phone on 07774204284. **She cannot make any alterations or take entries on the day.** Please contact her if you have a problem. You will be texted any extra information you may need on the day.
9. You may not have your helper in the collecting ring, only five riders at a time. The steward in this ring will adjust the fences for you. Because of the limit on numbers, please do not enter the collecting ring until it is your turn.
10. Course Walking – You may walk the course on the Saturday prior to the event after 2pm. You may walk the course on Sunday while the competition is running – but please be aware of horses on the course. Times for course walks will be posted along with competitors' start times.
11. As soon as you have completed your round and washed your horse/pony off please leave unless required for rosette collecting.
12. Results will be announced by tannoy and/or text and rosette winners may come to the pavilion to collect. Full results will be on Horsemonkey, FaceBook and our website, [www.wilmslowridingclub.co.uk](http://www.wilmslowridingclub.co.uk).
13. Dogs on leads are allowed.

For this show to take place and be Covid compliant, all these conditions must be strictly adhered to. Members of the Committee will be on site in high viz jackets if you need more information.

We hope you have an enjoyable and successful day. Thank you for your assistance.