



LONGFORD & DISTRICT RIDING CLUB
SHOW SCHEDULE 2018

Entry Fees:

Members - £5 per class + first aid

Non-Members - £7 per class + first aid

**Membership form's available from secretary caravan
or via the Website.**

ROSETTES TO 6TH PLACE

SASHES FOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

Website: www.longfordridingclub.com

Facebook: Longford & District Riding Club

**Show Ground: Cutler Park Show Ground, Mercaston,
Nr Brailsford, Derbyshire. DE6 3BL**

LDRC Dates for 2018

Sunday 13th May – Clear Round Cross Country

Sunday 20th May – Open Show

Sunday 3rd June – One Day Event

Sunday 10th June – Open Show

Sunday 17th June – Clear Round Cross Country

Sunday 1st July – Driving Fun Day

Sunday 8th July – Open Show

Sunday 22nd July – Clear Round Cross Country

Sunday 29th July – Arena Eventing

Sunday 12th August – Clear Round Cross Country

Sunday 26th August – Willberry Wonder Pony
Ride

Sunday 9th September – Hunter Trials

Sunday 23rd September – Clear Round Cross
Country

Sunday 7th October – Team Chase and Hunter
Trials

Please report to the secretary on arrival.

Ring 1 – Ridden Showing – 9.30am Prompt

1. Best Turned out – Lead Rein – *Rider 10yrs & under*
2. Best Turned out
3. Beginners Showing – *walk & trot only* – lead reins allowed
4. First Ridden - *Not exceeding 13hh*
5. Mountain & Moorland – Lead Rein – *Not exceeding 13hh*
6. Mountain and Moorland – Small & Large Breeds – *in natural state*
7. Show Hunter Type Pony – *Not Exceeding 14.2hh*
8. Ridden Coloured
9. Ridden Cob – *may be split into Trimmed & Natural state*
Class 10 not before 1pm
10. Style & Appearance – *any type*
11. Family Horse and pony
12. Ridden Hunter
13. Heavy Horse
14. Ridden Veteran (15yrs and Over)

Please note class 14 at the 10th June Show will be a Veteran Horse Society Area qualifier. Please see page 5 of the schedule for class details.

Ring 2 – In Hand Showing – 9.30am prompt

15. Open Young Stock – 3 years and under
16. Open 4yrs and over
17. Mountain & Moorland – Small & Large Breeds – *in natural state*
18. Hunter Type
19. Veteran (15yrs and Over)

Class 20 not before 1pm

20. Coloured – *Any height*
21. Cob
22. Young Handler – 12yrs & under
23. Best Groomed

Please note class 19 at the 10th June Show will be a Veteran Horse Society Area qualifier. Please see page 5 of the schedule for class details.

Veteran Horse Society – AREA QUALIFIER 2018.

***First round qualifier for the Veteran Horse Society Supreme Final:
VETERAN HORSE OF THE YEAR 2018
Kindly Sponsored by Allen & Page.***

Open to members and non-members. All competitors and grooms must adhere to VHS Rules in all circumstances. Failure to do so may result in immediate disqualification.

VHS Regional Final qualification. All competitors placed 1st to 4th in each age category will qualify for the corresponding class at VHS Regional Finals. Members must carry their cards in the ring and have their showing card signed by the judge in the ring as proof of qualification. Non-members will receive a red qualification card which can be exchanged for signed showing card when applying for VHS membership. It is the competitor's responsibility to present their Showing card to the judge.

Regional Finals are open to members only.

All competitors are eligible to enter open classes at the National Veteran Championships, September 2018. No qualification or membership necessary. See VHS website for schedule.

For further information please visit the VHS website www.veteran-horse-society.co.uk or telephone the VHS Show Office on 01239 881300 or 07789 514004.

Class 13 – 10th June Show **ONLY:**

VETERAN IN-HAND, COMBINED AGE CLASS (15 years and over).

To be run as one class but judged as separate age categories:

Diamond Veteran (25 years and over), Veteran (20–24 years) & Pre-Veteran (15–19 years). Open to horses and ponies of any breed and height.

Class 18 – 10th June Show **ONLY:**

VETERAN RIDDEN, COMBINED AGE CLASS (15 years and over).

To be run as one class but judged as separate age categories:

Diamond Veteran (25 years and over), Veteran (20–24 years) & Pre-Veteran (15–19 years). Open to horses and ponies of any breed and height.

Ring 3 – Show Jumping -10am

Classes will be split between juniors and seniors for results

24. Intro – Cross Poles – Lead Rein allowed

25. Pre-Novice – fences max 1'9"/55cm

26. Novice – fences max 2'/60cm

Class 27 not before 1pm

Time permitting during the lunch break in ring 3 there may be a Horse and Hound class held. Entry fee £3. Please speak to the secretary caravan for more details.

27. Pre-Intermediate – fences max 2'6"/75cm

28. Intermediate – fences max 2'9"/85cm

Ring 4 – Working Hunter – 11.30am

Classes will be split between juniors and seniors for results

- 29. Working Hunter Intro – Cross Poles – Lead Rein allowed
- 30. Working Hunter Pre-Novice – Fences not exceeding 1'9"/55cm
- 31. Working Hunter Novice - Fences not exceeding 2'/60cm

Class 32 not before 1.30pm

- 32. Working Hunter Pre-Intermediate – Fences not exceeding 2'6"/75cm
- 33. Working Hunter Intermediate – Fences not exceeding 2'9"/85cm

Ring 5 – Dressage – 11am-2pm

Date	Class 34	Class 35	Class 36	Class 37
20th May	Lead Rein Test	Intro A	Prelim 14	Novice 34
10th June	Lead Rein Test	Intro B	Prelim 18	Novice 22
8th July	Lead Rein Test	Intro A	Prelim 12	Novice 24

Lead rein test will be available on the website prior to show day, copies also available from the secretary caravan.

Juniors (up to 16 years of age) – any bit

Adults – snaffle only

Ring 6 –11am

Fun Showing

38. Most handsome gelding

39. Prettiest mare

40. Most appealing

41. Rideability – class may be split into age categories

Class 42 not before 1.30pm

Handy Pony

42. 10yrs and under (inc Lead Rein)

43. 11-15yrs

44. 16yrs and over (seniors can compete)

THE RULES

Disclaimer: All persons attend at their own risk, the club and landowners do not hold themselves responsible for any loss, damage or injury to persons, animals or property, however caused. Sufficient 3rd party insurance is required by all competitors.

General:

1. The judge's decision is final. Any complaint must be put in writing to the club secretary with a fee of £30.
2. Classes may be combined or cancelled if there are insufficient entries.
3. Dogs must be kept on a lead at all times.
4. Age restrictions that apply to certain classes are taken from the 01.01.2018. Lead rein 10yrs and under. All riders to be 3yrs and over.
5. All ridden classes are confined to horses/ponies 4 years old and over.
6. All competitors must ride IN WALK across the showground in all areas unless in a designated warm up area.
7. Abuse towards any committee member, judge, steward, other competitors or animals will result in disqualification and dismissal from the showground.
8. Encouragement is expected but excessive assistance will result in disqualification.
9. Competitors must display the correct ribbons in tails of horses and ponies that kick (red) is young or inexperienced (green) or a stallion (white). Any animal considered dangerous will be asked to leave the ring or showground.
10. No Horse or Pony can compete in more than 4 jumping classes, maximum of 2 Show Jumping and 2 Working Hunter classes.
11. Consent of photography by all is expected with photography taking place at the event.
12. Any competitor seen misusing the whip or deliberately using the action of the bit as a means of punishment likely to cause pain or discomfort to horse/pony will be asked to leave the show ground immediately

13. All lead rein classes- rein must be attached to the noseband and NOT the bit.
14. It is the responsibility of the competitor to ensure that they are entered in the correct class.
15. It is the competitor's responsibility to ensure jumping courses are walked.
16. Entry to classes is subject to the secretary's and committee's decision. The judge reserves the right to disqualify, without refund any competitor who is late for their class. It is the competitor's responsibility to ensure they are present for their class. If a competitor is not present for a class within 2minutes of being called into the ring they may be eliminated.
17. Hard hats must be worn fastened at all times when mounted and comply with British Safety standards. Body protectors and Medical Armbands are compulsory for Hunter Trials/Team Chase/Clear Round Cross Country Day's. They are advisable for open show days. Safety headwear/footwear advisable for grooms/handlers.
18. It is the competitor's responsibility to ensure correctly fitting tack is used, fit for purpose and safe.
19. Boots are not permitted in showing classes, and not permitted in showing stage of working hunter classes.
20. Jewellery is not permitted.
21. Class 3, 24 and 29 are for true beginners and lead reins only.

Additional rules may apply – HAVE FUN!!

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