



26th September 2010

Longford & District Riding Club

Championship Show

Schedule & Rules

This show is open only to competitors holding Qualification cards awarded at any of the 2010 LDRC Prize Shows.

Thanks to all our Class Sponsors.

Prize Fund (including 2011 Membership) for Champion and Reserve.

**All to be held at Cutler Park Showground,
Mercaston, Derbyshire (Sat Nav Post Code DE6 3BL).**

(Just off A52 in between Ashbourne & Derby - follow Mercaston signs from Brailsford then club signs to Showground - Toilets and water on site - Car and horse box parking to right hand side of drive into showground - Secretary located opposite show jumping ring)

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Show Sponsors

**The club would like to thank all sponsors for the 2010 Championship Show,
at the time of going to print these included**

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Further LDRC Events for 2010.

October 3rd

October 17th

Clear Round Cross Country.

Team Chase.

Further events will be advertised on the club website.

Championship Show Entry Fees

Strictly NO refunds unless Class/Event cancelled or presentation of vet/doctors note – we advise you to enter throughout day. All entries for a class must be made at least 10mins before that class commences.

Entry - £5 per class / All Dressage Classes - £6 per class . First Aid Cover - £2 per competitor.

Longford Contact Details - See our website first before contacting us.

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All written enquiries to be addressed to the Secretary. Answers to most questions, entry forms, and event details can be found on the club website.

Ring One

Ridden Showing – Start 9:00am prompt.

1. Best turned out lead rein – rider 10 years & under.
2. Best turned out not exceeding 14.2hh .
3. Best turned out exceeding 14.2hh .

(Classes 1 – 3 Marked only on turnout, no ridden show.)

4. First ridden – not exceeding 13hh – rider 12 years & under.
5. Riding Pony – not exceeding 14.2hh.
6. Riding Horse exceeding 14.2hh.
7. Ridden Cob – may be hogged, trimmed or natural.
8. Small ridden hunter – not exceeding 13hh.
9. Small ridden hunter – exceeding 13hh not exceeding 15hh.
10. Large ridden hunter – exceeding 15hh.
11. Mountain & Moorland – Lead rein – rider 10 years & under.
12. Mountain & Moorland – small breeds - Welsh A & B, Shetland, Exmoor, Dartmoor and of similar size and conformation – natural state only.
13. Mountain & Moorland – large breeds- Welsh C & D, Connemara, New Forest, Dales, Fell, Highland, Haflinger and of similar size and conformation – natural state only.
14. Veteran horse/pony – 16 years & over.

{Ridden Championship – all 1st & 2nd from classes 4-13 to compete}

Dress code for Ring One:

Hard hat conforming to current safety standards.
Shirt, tie or stock and jacket (body protector recommended).
Beige or cream jodhpurs.
Short (junior) or long (senior) boots.
No Chaps – leather black or brown gaiters optional.

Please note:

Snaffle bits only class 1, 4 and 11. Lead reins attached to noseband only (not attached to bit).

Ring Two

In-Hand Showing – Start 9:00am prompt:

15. Open young stock- 3 years and under.
16. Open pony – not exc. 14.2hh to include mares/foals.
17. Open horse – exc. 14.2hh to include mares/foals.
18. Broodmare with or with foal at foot.
19. Mountain & Moorlands small breeds – Welsh A & B, Shetland, Dartmoor, Exmoor, Dartmoor (shown in natural state only).
20. Mountain & Moorland large breeds – Welsh C & D, New Forest, Connemara, Fell, Dales, Highland, Haflinger (shown in natural state only).
21. Hunter type – any age/height.
22. Veteran – 16 years & over, any height.
23. Young Handler - 10yrs & under.
24. Young Handler – 11yrs & older.
25. Most appealing pony not exc. 13.2hh.

{In-Hand Championship – all 1st & 2nd from classes 15 – 22 to compete.}

Dress code for Ring Two:

- Appropriate smart dress.
- Hard hat conforming to current safety standards to be worn by handlers 12 years & under.

Ring Three

Show Jumping – Starts 9:30am prompt: (*Runs as two phase*)

30. Lead Rein show jumping not exceeding 13hh, shortened course.
(may not compete off the lead rein in any other class)
31. Beginners Pony - not exceeding 14.2hh, max 1'6" [45cm].
32. Pre-Novice Pony - not exceeding 14.2hh, max 1'9" [55cm].
33. Beginners Horse – exceeding 14.2hh, max 1'9" [55cm].
34. Pre-Novice Horse – exceeding 14.2hh. max 2' [60cm].
35. Novice Pony – not exceeding 14.2hh. max 2' [60cm].
36. Novice Horse – exceeding 14.2hh, max 2'6" [75cm].
37. Pre-Intermediate Pony – not exceeding 14.2hh, max 2'6" [75cm].
38. Intermediate Pony – not exceeding 14.2hh, max 2'9" [85cm].
39. Pre-Intermediate Horse – exceeding 14.2hh, max 3' [95cm].
40. Intermediate Horse – exceeding 14.2hh, max 3'3" [105cm].

Dress Code for Ring Three:

- Hard hat conforming to current safety standards.
- Shirt, tie & jacket (body protector recommended).
- White, beige or cream jodhpurs.
- Short (junior) or long (senior) boots.
- No Chaps – leather black/brown gaiters adults only.
- Class 30, leader advised to wear hard hat and sensible shoes.

Please note:

Entries in Beginners classes are NOT eligible to compete in any other show jumping class on the same day except the novelty class.

Definition of a Beginner: Beginners combination not to have been placed in any show jumping class before the start of the current season.

Fence heights measured in inches, heights in cm are approximate guide for show jumping only.

Fillers will not be included for jumping in classes 30 to 34.

A horse/pony may only compete in a maximum of 4 jumping classes at any one show - max 2 Show Jumping + 2 Working Hunter.

Practice fence must not exceed the height of the current class.

Ring Four

Working Hunter – Start 10:00am prompt:

41. Lead rein pony – not exceeding 13hh. max 1'3" .
(May not compete off the lead rein in any other class)
42. Nursery Stakes – rider 11 yrs & under. Pony not exc. 13hh. Fences max 1'9".
43. Pre-Novice Working Hunter. Any height. Fences max 2' .
44. Mountain & Moorland Working Hunter. Any Height. Fences max 2'3" .
45. Novice Working Hunter Pony not exceeding 14hh. max 2'3" .
46. Novice Working Hunter exceeding 14hh. max 2'6" .
47. Pre-Intermediate Working Hunter Pony not exceeding 14hh. max 2'6" .
48. Pre-Intermediate Working Hunter exceeding 14hh. max 2'9.
49. Intermediate - Working Hunter. Any Height Horse or Pony. max 3' .
(Classes 44 & 49 may be split if sufficient entries allow.)

{Working Hunter Championship – all 1st & 2nd from classes 41– 49 to compete.}

Dress Code for Ring Four:

- Hard hat conforming to current safety standards.
- Shirt, tie/stock & jacket (body protector recommended).
- Beige or cream jodhpurs.
- Short (junior) or long (senior) boots.
- No Chaps – leather black/brown gaiters adults only.

Please note:

Martingales, brushing boots & over reach boots acceptable in jumping phase but must be removed for individual show.

Max heights shown in inches for fences.

A horse/pony may only compete in a maximum of 4 jumping classes at any one show - max 2 Show Jumping + 2 Working Hunter.

Practice fence must not exceed the height of the current class.

Ring Five

Dressage – 11.00am until 3:00pm

50. Open - (snaffle only – no martingales or brushing boots).

Test - P12

Dress code for Ring Five:

- Appropriate smart dress.
- Hard hat conforming to current safety standards.

Ring Six

Handy Pony – Start 12:00pm.

60. Lead Rein – Riders 9 years and under.

(may not compete off the lead rein in any other class)

61. Rider 10 years and under.

62. Rider 11 years and over.

Gymkhana Games - Start 12:30pm.

63. Lead Rein – Riders 9 years and under.

(may not compete off the lead rein in any other class)

64. Rider 10 years and under.

65. Rider 11 years and over.

Dress code for Ring Six:

- Appropriate dress.
- Hard hat conforming to current safety standards.

Longford and District Riding Club Rules

All persons attending LDRC events agree to be bound by the following rules:

- i. All persons attending events do so at their own risk. The club, its officers and landowners do not hold themselves responsible for any loss, damage or injury however caused. All competitors must have sufficient 3rd Party insurance covering themselves and their animals.
- ii. **THE DECISION OF THE JUDGE IS FINAL.** Any complaint must be made in writing to the Show Secretary within 10 minutes of class completion with a fee of £30.
- iii. The committee reserves the right to judge a combination of horse and rider as a beginner/novice combination.
- iv. Abuse in any form towards committee members, judges, stewards, other competitors or animals will not be tolerated and will result in disqualification and dismissal from the showground.
- v. The committee reserves the right to split/amalgamate/remove classes.
- vi. The age of riders is taken from 1st January 2010. Please note riders over 17 riding 14.2hh and under must compete in horse classes and any rider 17 and under riding 14.2hh and over must compete in horse class.
- vii. All ridden horses/ponies must be over 4 years of age as at 1st January 2010.
- viii. Hard hats to comply with current British Safety Standards and must be worn and fastened at ALL times when mounted. Back protectors are recommended for all riders. Safety footwear and headwear recommended for grooms/handlers. No chaps or half chaps to be worn in classes. No spurs to be worn by juniors riders under 11. Competitor numbers to be displayed.
- ix. Correct and safe tack to be used, inspections may be carried out.
- x. **All competitors must ride on the showground at a walk unless in a designated warm up area/ring.**
- xi. Dogs must be kept on a short lead at all times, nuisance dogs will be asked to leave.
- xii. A horse/pony may only compete in a maximum of 4 jumping classes at any one show - max 2 Show Jumping + 2 Working Hunter.
- xiii. Entry to classes is subject to the Secretary's discretion and judges. The committee and judges reserve the right to disqualify, **WITHOUT REFUND**, any competitor who arrives late for their class.
- xiv. Excessive outside assistance will result in disqualification as will hindrance by another party. Encouragement is expected!
- xv. A horse/pony known to kick must display a red ribbon on its tail. A green horse/pony should display a green ribbon on its tail. Stallions should display a white ribbon on its tail. Any animal considered by an official to be dangerous may be asked to leave the ring/showground.
- xvi. It is the responsibility of competitors to walk and understand any course before the class commences.
- xvii. Any heights shown in cm are an approximate guide only, heights are measured in feet and inches.
- xviii. Competitors should not jump a practice fence higher than the current class entered.