



## **Spooners & West Dartmoor Branch of the Pony Club Christmas**

### **Team & Individual**

### **Show Jumping Extravaganza!**

**Open to Allcomers**

**The Grange EC, Okehampton EX20 3DA**

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> December 2023**

**Open Individual & Team Jumping 40cm – 90cm**

**(includes qualifiers for PC Mini Champs at Bicton)**

**Individual Rosettes to 10<sup>th</sup> place and Team Rosettes to 4<sup>th</sup> place**

**Entries close Weds 20<sup>th</sup> December 2023 (or when class is full, whichever is earlier)**

**(From experience we anticipate a large entry so please book early to avoid disappointment)**

**Advance entries ONLY [www.horse-events.co.uk](http://www.horse-events.co.uk)**

**£15.00 per class (£12.00 for S&WD PC Members) First Aid Levy is included in entry fees.**

**Please note all entries are subject to a non-refundable booking fee of £1.45**

#### **S&WDPC WISHES TO THANK THE FOLLOWING SPONSORS**

**Bond Timber**

**Charlotte Palfrey Equine Therapies**

**Devon Equine Trailer Hire**

**Fallon Bromley Hair & HD Brow Design**

**Hightown Holiday Barns**

**Horse Events**

**King Welsh Chartered Surveyors**

**RB Roofing**

**Tanja Davis Photography**

**Vanstone Fencing Services**

**Ward Williams**

**Waterfront Fishing And Shooting Ltd Bude**

**Westcountry Land**

**Event Secretary**

**Mrs Mary Harper**

**Secretary Tel: 01822 854603 Mobile on the day: 07802 363770 Email: [mary00harper@btopenworld.com](mailto:mary00harper@btopenworld.com)**

**Refreshments by Farmhouse Fare First Aid provided by Karben Medical Services**



**CLASSES START AT 9am PROMPTLY**  
and are **SINGLE PHASE**, with the second half of the course timed.

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**All classes are open for Teams – 3 or 4 riders competing as individuals, best 3 scores to count.**  
***Team managers to email team declarations to the Secretary no later than 12 noon Sat 23 Dec***

- Class 1**      **40cm led - rider 10 yrs & under** sponsored by **Ward Williams**
- Class 2**      **40cm assisted - rider 12 yrs & under** sponsored by **Tanja Davis Photography**
- Class 3**      **40cm unassisted – rider 14 yrs & under** sponsored by **Devon Equine Trailer Hire**  
**40cm Team rosettes** sponsored by **Vanstone Fencing Services**

**Please note for THIS EVENT ONLY 40cm Branch Teams** can be made up from members competing in **Classes 1, 2 or 3**, but please be aware that to qualify for Mini Champs team members must all have competed in the same class – led, assisted or unassisted..

- Class 4**      **50cm Individual** sponsored by **Waterfront Fishing & Shooting Ltd, Bude**  
**50cm Team rosettes** sponsored by **Highertown Holiday Barns**
- Class 5**      **60cm Individual** sponsored by **Charlotte Palfrey Equine Therapies**  
**Individual winner receives a free equine massage voucher!**  
**60cm Team rosettes** sponsored by **Westcountry Land**

***Classes 1 – 5 are all qualifiers for the 2024 Pony Club Mini Champs, but open to all.***

- Class 6**      **70cm Individual** sponsored by **Bond Timber**  
**70cm Team rosettes** sponsored by **Fallon Bromley Hair & HD Brow Design**
- Class 7**      **80cm Individual** sponsored by **Bond Timber**  
**80cm Team rosettes** sponsored by **RB Roofing**
- Class 8**      **90cm Individual** sponsored by **King Welsh Chartered Surveyors**  
**90cm Team rosettes** sponsored by **Horse Events**

***Classes 6,7, & 8 are friendly competitions run to prepare for Area Competitions for the Barrier Animal Health Spring Festival 2024 and Regional Champs as there are no preliminary rounds in 2024.***

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

ALL ENTRIES TO BE MADE online at [www.horse-events.co.uk](http://www.horse-events.co.uk)

ENTRIES CLOSE WEDNESDAY 20 DECEMBER and absolutely no late entries will be accepted.

For Team entries please enter all individuals online then Team Managers to email team declarations to the Secretary [mary00harper@btopenworld.com](mailto:mary00harper@btopenworld.com) no later than **12 noon on Saturday 23rd December**.

*Times will be given for each competitor and must be strictly adhered to.* These will be posted on the Spooners & W Dartmoor Pony Club website <https://branches.pcuk.org/spoonerswestdartmoor/> and Facebook page by 6pm on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> December. Times will also be emailed to Team Managers.

**NUMBERS** - Competitors please print off your number and bring your own number bib which must be worn over all clothing in the collecting rings to help stewards identify you.

**In the event that the competition has to be cancelled** all entries will be refunded minus a £2 admin fee.

Any questions please don't hesitate to call Mary Harper on 01822 854603 between 10am and 8pm any day including weekends (excluding 24<sup>th</sup> - 26<sup>th</sup> December inclusive!).

## RULES

**Entries are accepted and admission granted only subject to the following conditions and it is a condition of entry that these have been accepted by each competitor.**

- All classes will be run in accordance with Pony Club Show Jumping Rules 2023. You can view the rules at [www.pcuk.org](http://www.pcuk.org).
- The organisers have taken every precaution to ensure the health and safety of everyone present. For these measures to be effective everyone must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents occurring and must obey the instructions of the organiser and all officials and stewards.
- Save for the death or personal injury caused by the negligence of the organisers, or anyone for whom they are in law responsible, neither the organisers of this event or The Pony Club nor any agent, employee or representative of these bodies, nor the Landlord or his tenant, accepts any liability for any accident, loss, damage, injury or illness to horses, owners, riders, spectators, land, cars, their contents or accessories, or any other personal property whatsoever, whether caused by their negligence, breach of contract or in any other way whatsoever. Entries are only accepted on this basis.
- The Judge's decision is final and any objections must be accompanied by £25 deposit which will be returned if upheld.
- Horse/Pony must be 4 years or over on day of show
- Each horse/pony may only compete once in a class
- **No rider/horse or pony combination can be ridden in more than 2 classes**
- Tack and Hat check at indoor warm up arena
- All dogs must be kept on a short lead.
- **All droppings to be picked up and taken home.**
- Ages as at date of the competition
- Classes will be run as SINGLE PHASE and the second half will be timed
- The Organisers reserve the right to refuse entry without stating a reason and also to eliminate any competitor who in their opinion places themselves or others in danger or fails to observe the rules.
- **Competitors** – please print your numbers & bring your own number bibs AND see note in Important Info.

## GENERAL GUIDELINES FOR THE TEAM SHOW JUMPING

- **Team Declarations** from Team Managers to be sent to the Secretary [mary00harper@btopenworld.com](mailto:mary00harper@btopenworld.com) in an email by **12 noon on Saturday 23rd December**. The show secretary will email you a list of your Branch entries after the closing date to facilitate your task!
- Teams will be of three or four riders, best three scores will count
- One competitor may ride no more than two horses/ponies in the same team

## GUIDANCE FOR THOSE HOPING TO QUALIFY FOR MINI CHAMPS

- Any combination of horse/rider may not compete at Mini Champs where the height is 30cm lower than that at which they have previously competed. Riders who have competed at Regional Show Jumping or Eventing competitions are not eligible for the Mini Championships. **Those rules do NOT apply** to competing at this event, but will exclude you from qualification for Mini Champs.
- **LEAD REIN RIDERS** - must remain on the lead rein at all times whilst in the ring including entering and leaving the ring and whilst warming up.
- **ASSISTED RIDERS** - One adult is allowed to assist in the ring whilst the competitor jumps his/her round. PLEASE NOTE - No contact to be made with rider or pony whilst in the ring including entering and leaving the ring.
- Classes 1-5: **Top 2 eligible Pony Club teams** and **top 3 eligible Pony Club Individuals** qualify for the Pony Club Mini Championships in each section.
- Results will be online at [www.ponyclubresults.co.uk](http://www.ponyclubresults.co.uk) and a list of Mini Champs qualifiers sent to DC's.

### Edit your Booking :

If you would like to edit your horse or rider details before the closing date of the event please login to your Horse Events account and edit your booking under the 'MY BOOKING' Tab.

If you would like to change the class please email [info@horse-events.co.uk](mailto:info@horse-events.co.uk) and if there is space available we will do this for you.

For ALL changes of horse and rider substitutions after the closing date there is a £5 charge please fill out the following form online at: <https://www.horse-events.co.uk/rider-horse-substitutions-form/>

### Withdrawal:

If you are unable to attend after that please notify horse events at [info@horseevents.co.uk](mailto:info@horseevents.co.uk)  
Entry fee refunded up to close of entries, thereafter only if the place is filled from any waitlist.  
All entries are subject to a non-refundable booking fee as stated online.

**Cancellation:** Full refund if we cancel the event minus a £2 admin fee