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NSEA Eventers Challenge And SJ with Hickstead Elite

Greenlands Equestrian Centre, Wreay, Carlisle, CA4 0RR
15th April 2023

70, 80, 90 & 1m qualifying classes for the

NSEA Eventers Challenge Final @ Hickstead
May 2023

Top 2 teams & 4 individuals to qualify

This competition is open to schools from all counties and will also count for RPL points

Organiser: Katharine Martin of Northern Equine Events

Entries to: <https://www.trybooking.co.uk/CFCE>

Entries Close 10th April 2023 at 6pm

The Course is made up of SJ & simulated XC fences with an optimum time & no style marks. Larger arenas may use secured XC portables. Riders will jump a series of show jumps and then proceed immediately into the XC phase which is run on an optimum time of 350- 375m/m.

Warm Up Class 60cm - clear round rosettes only, no placings. Entry fee £20

Class A Mini 70-75cm Team & Individual (Hickstead qualifier)
Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals.

Class B Novice 80-85cm Team & Individual (Hickstead qualifier)
Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals.

Class C Intermediate 90-95cm Team & Individual (Hickstead qualifier)
Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals

Class D 1m-1.05 Open Team & Individual (Hickstead qualifier)
Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals

Teams of 3 or 4, best 3 scores to count
Entry Fee for classes A-D = £30.00

Paramedic First Aid Cover £5 per rider - please pay with your entry (there is an extra 'class' for it)

National Schools NSEA Show Jumping Qualifier

1st & 2nd placed team & 1-4th placed individuals will qualify for the 25th annual
NSEA National Schools Championships 2023
October 2023

3rd -8th placed team & 5th-8th placed individuals will qualify for the
NSEA Championship Plate 2023
October 2023

Plus.....!!

NSEA Cumbria County SJ Qualifiers (same entry fee)

Note- the highest placed team & individual for the relevant county will be given the title 'County Champion' and will qualify for the NSEA County Finals at Hickstead
May 2023

This competition is open to schools from all counties and will count for RPL points

Class 1 Mini 70-75cm Team & Individual Qualifier

(Riders to be aged under 14 on 1st January 2023)

Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals.

Team & Individual County Qualifier

Team & Individual Qualifier for the County finals,

Class 2 Novice 80-85cm Team & Individual Qualifier

Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals.

Team & Individual County Qualifier

Team & Individual Qualifier for the County finals,

Class 3 Intermediate 90-95cm Team & Individual Qualifier.

Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals

Team & Individual County Qualifier

Team & Individual Qualifier for the County finals,



Class 4 1m-1.05 Open Team & Individual Qualifier
Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals
Team & Individual County Qualifier
Team & Individual Qualifier for the County finals,

Class 5a/b 1.10m Advanced Open Individual Qualifier
Single phase. This class will be split into 5a) Horses, 5b) Ponies
(2 x horses and 2 x ponies to qualify)
Individual County Qualifier

Classes will run with the Warm Up first, followed by the EC, then the SJ of each height. Finishing with the Hickstead Elite Classes. SJ Classes £20 each - one entry covers 3 qualifiers

Horses and ponies may compete in a maximum of 4 classes throughout the day.

Hickstead Elite
Show Jumping Qualifiers 2023
Hickstead Elite 1m Team Qualifier 2023
Teams of 3 or 4, best 3 scores to count. 1 round, single phase.



Hickstead Elite 1.10 Individual Qualifier 2023

Individual 1.10m qualifiers for section a) 2 x horses and section b) 2 x ponies (separate sections)
Distances will be shortened in combinations for the pony section.
1 round single phase.

NSEA Eventers Challenge Rules for Scoring 2022-23

The intention of these rules is to reward riders who have a clear round and to penalise riders who have jumping penalties or who are significantly faster than the Optimum Time. Where there are several competitors with a clear round, then the nearest to the Optimum Time will win, rewarding an appropriate judgement of pace around the course.

EC1) Open to Teams and Individuals

- Riders will jump a course of 5-8 show jumps and then proceed immediately into the XC phase of 8-15 simulated XC fences, depending on the size of the arena
- The speed for the XC phase will be between 320m/m to 375m/m depending on the size of the arena – smaller arena = tighter turns which slow you down. A larger arena with flowing lines will ride on a quicker time. The speed for each class will be given in the schedule or on the noticeboard at the event. Times will be recorded to one-hundredth of a second if the timing equipment allows.
- NSEA/BE Eventing Rules for tack and rider equipment for XC.
- There will be no style mark. No age restriction on the mini (70/75) class.
- Top two teams and 4 Individuals at each height to qualify for the NSEA Eventers Challenge Championship to be held at Hickstead in May.

EC2) Dress: XC colours, body protectors are compulsory. Hair must be above collar length, long hair to be kept in place in a hair net. Rider must wear BE approved skull caps, no fixed peak SJ hats.

EC3) The competitor with the fewest penalties wins. In the event of a tie, the competitor closest to the optimum time will be the winner. In the team competition, the total of the best three scores is used to place the team. The combined difference from the Optimum Time of the 3 best scores is used to break any ties.

EC4) The top 2 teams & 4 individuals at each qualifier will qualify for the NSEA Eventers Challenge Championship.

EC5) Organisers are asked to ensure that the XC phase includes elements that give a choice about the track and therefore the time taken. Organisers are asked not to display a clock showing the time taken visible to the rider to as the aim is to educate riders to ride by feel.

Penalties are awarded as follows

Knockdown (to include SJ and knockable xc fences)	4 penalties
1st Refusal	4 penalties
2nd Refusal	8 penalties
3rd Refusal	Elimination
Rider Fall	Elimination
Horse Fall	Elimination
Starting before the bell, retaking an obstacle already jumped, error of course or outside assistance	Elimination
Where the Optimum Time is 120 seconds or less, for every commenced second in excess of 10 seconds under the optimum time	1 penalty
Where the Optimum Time more than 120 seconds, for every commenced second in excess of 15 seconds under the optimum time	1 penalty
Exceeding time limit (2 times the Optimum Time)	Elimination

Disclaimer... Our Terms and Conditions can be found on your email confirmation email. If you would like to see a copy of the T's and C's before you enter, please contact Katharine on the above number.

Refunds:- Refunds and Transfers are not permissible after entries have closed. Any refund requested before close of entries will be granted minus £5 admin fee.

Your Responsibility

All persons attending the event must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents and must obey instructions given by the Organiser or by officials and stewards on its behalf.

All competitors and those associated with their school are the responsibility of the Team Manager whilst at the competition

TV & Photography

Please note that professional photographers will be present at NSEA competitions. There may also be TV cameras at the Championships. Please indicate on the entry form if you do not wish to appear in press coverage/ TV or photos taken by our official photographers

Child Protection & Safeguarding

If you have any concerns, please contact the NSEA on tel 07552 836032 / competition@nsea.co.uk to be put in contact with our designated Child Protection Officer. If you have immediate concerns, you can contact Childline tel 0800 1111 or NSPCC tel 0808 800 5000

General information

Please ensure that you do not muck out your horsebox onto the Car Park. Take all litter home with you. All dogs must be kept on leads at all times. Any dog mess must be cleared up.

Outside assistance will not be tolerated- and could result in elimination.
NSEA affiliated competitors only may warm up & compete horses on the show ground

All competitions, parents and representatives from every school must ensure that they act courteously to stewards and officials at all times. Rudeness will not be tolerated.

In the event of cancellation, your entry will be refunded on receipt of a sae, less £5 per cheque admin fee.
Have a good day!

Rules

NSEA / BE Eventing Rules for tack & rider equipment.

NSEA General & Competition Rules 2022-23

Note- NSEA Rules- hair up please.

Start Times will be available on the Northern Equine Events Facebook Page and NSEA website 2 days before the competition on www.nsea.org.uk

