



Inter-Schools County & National Dressage

Sunday 6th April 2025, Hosted by Dean Close
Foundation



At: CCR Equestrian, Brookthorpe, Gloucester, GL4 0XA **(Please do not contact CCR Equestrian about this competition)**

County Challenge Dressage Qualifiers for **GLOUCESTERSHIRE, OXFORDSHIRE, WARWICKSHIRE, and SOUTH WALES.** (Teams & Individuals)

Highest placed team and individual for each county (in each of the competitions) qualifies, for the County Championships at Hickstead, May 2025
The highest placed team & individual for the relevant county will be given the title 'County Champion'

National Dressage Qualifier and RPL for teams and individuals from any county.

Those competing in the County Qualifier will also be eligible for National Qualification.

Top two teams and top four individuals will qualify for the Nationals at Addington in October 2025

Incredible prizes on offer all day. With huge thanks to International riders Lewis Carrier, Hayley Watson-Greaves, Kathleen Kroncke, and Saskia Rioux offering 1.1 lessons to some lucky Individual winners.

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CLASS PRIZES GENEROUSLY DONATED BY WHO WILL ALSO BE PRESENT AT THE EVENT WITH THEIR WEIGHBRIDGE AND ADVICE

Entries via the NSEA WEBSITE

Entries Close: Sunday 30 March (or earlier if classes are full.)

ENTRY FEE: £23 per test including first aid.

Please contact the Show Secretary (as below) if you have any queries (NOT CCR): Fleur Cradock; fecradock@deanclose.org.uk

Team Qualifiers for County and National Qualifiers Teams of 3 or 4 with the best 3 percentage scores to count. A horse/rider combination may only compete in one team.

Individual Qualifiers will run in conjunction with the team tests. All tests may be called at qualifying events but not at the Championships. Dressage whips are allowed at qualifying events but not at the Championships.

Times will be on the NSEA website at least two days before the competition. No refunds of entries after the publication of times (and see NSEA rules for full refund policy).

Class 1: Warm Up Class

Walk & Trot Introductory 2 (2024) – (this class is not a County or National Qualifier)

Class 2:

County Prelim Teams & Individuals (this class is not a National Qualifier)

Test: Prelim 1 (2024) For prelim riders who have never ridden above BD bronze prelim level, any novice level dressage (affiliated or unaffiliated,) open Pony Club or novice BE eventing.

The winning team and individual from each respective county will represent their county at the NSEA Inter County Finals at Hickstead in May.

Class 3: Test: Prelim 2 (2024) Test: Novice 2 (2024)

County Open Teams & Individual & National Team & Individual Qualifier

Prelim section is open to horse & rider combinations that have not competed at British Dressage Elementary level or above. Novice section is open to all.

Teams are made up of 2 x prelim riders & 2 x novice riders

(Please enter the correct section on the entry system)

Class 3a: County & National Open Individuals & Team (x2 riders) Prelim 2 (2024)

Class 3b: County & National Open Individual & Team (x2 riders) Novice 2 (2024)

The winning team and individual from each respective county will represent their county at the NSEA Inter County Finals at Hickstead in May.

The top two teams will qualify for the Nationals at Addington in October 2025.

The top four horse/rider combinations in both the Prelim and the Novice will qualify for the Nationals at Addington in October 2025.

Class 4: Individual Elementary National Qualifier

Test: BD Elementary 1 (2024)

No restrictions on horse or rider (see NSEA rules for qualification criteria) Elementary level or above. Novice section is open to all.



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DISCLAIMER:

Whilst all reasonable steps have been taken to ensure the health & safety of persons present at the event, neither Dean Close Foundation or CCR Equestrian Centre accept any liability for any accident, loss or damage (save for death or personal injury) to any person, animal or property whatsoever, whether caused by their negligence, breach of contract or otherwise

- all participants undertake activities at NSEA events at their own risk. Please ensure that you seek and act upon any appropriate medical advice which you receive before undertaking any activity at NSEA events.
- you are strongly advised to acquaint yourselves with the terms of the NSEA insurance cover which is provided to all registered riders and the team manager of member schools; and the NSEA will not be liable for any acts or omissions of our employees, agents and sub-contractors in relation to any activity at NSEA events or for any loss or damage suffered by you as a result of taking part in any activity at NSEA events

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.

All enquiries are to be made by the Team Manager please.

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 competitors, parents and representatives from every school must ensure that they act courteously to stewards and officials at all times. Most of them are volunteers and rudeness is not acceptable.

In the event of cancellation, your entry will be refunded on receipt of an sae, less £5 per cheque admin fee.

Rules

NSEA General Rules 2024-25 Note- NSEA Rules- hair up please.