



# NSEA Eventers Challenge

**Moreton Equestrian Centre,  
Moreton, Dorset, DT2 8RG**

On

**Thursday 8th April 2021**

Including

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



**NSEA Eventers Challenge Final @ Hickstead  
May 2021**

**Top 2 teams & 4 individuals to qualify**

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

Entries to : Mrs EC Frampton Hobbs, Moreton EC – as above

Entries Close : Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2021 or earlier if full.

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.

**Class 1 Mini 70-75cm Team & Individual** (Hickstead qualifier)  
Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals.

**Class 2 Novice 80-85cm Team & Individual** (Hickstead qualifier)  
Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals.

**Class 3 Intermediate 90-95cm Team & Individual** (Hickstead qualifier)  
Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals

**Class 4 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 1 -4 = **£23** per rider per round. Late entries £3 extra if space permits.  
Fee includes First Aid cover.

**Cheques made payable to Moreton Equestrian Ltd or email [enquiries@moretondorset.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@moretondorset.co.uk) for bacs details.**

**Prizes:** Individual rosettes 1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> place in each class.  
Team rosettes 1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> in each class.

*The Wagon at Moreton Refreshments, Whitehorse Leadership First Aid/Ambulance, and Mike Weeks Photography (DorsetPhotoEvent.co.uk) in attendance.*

### **NSEA Eventers Challenge Rules for Scoring 2021**

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

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| 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 |

In the event of a tie, the competitor closest to the optimum time will be the winner. If teams are tied, the times of the 3 best scores closest to the optimum time will be the winner.

**Disclaimer** The Organiser of this event has taken reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present. For these measures to be effective, everyone must themselves take all reasonable precautions to prevent accidents and must comply with any instructions of the Organiser[s], Officials and Stewards.

#### **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.

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#### **TV & Photography**

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#### **Child Protection & Safeguarding**

If you have any concerns, please contact the NSEA on tel 07552 836032 / [competition@nsea.co.uk](mailto: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, you 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 2020-21**

Note- NSEA Rules- hair up please.

Please visit [www.moretondorset.co.uk](http://www.moretondorset.co.uk) for our **Conditions of Entry** in addition to the rules above.

**Start Times** will be available on the NSEA website [www.nsea.org.uk](http://www.nsea.org.uk) and Moreton website [www.moretondorset.co.uk](http://www.moretondorset.co.uk) 2 days before the competition.

### **Team Managers- Coronavirus Protocols**

**For the most up to date information, please see the NSEA website news page**

Please ask **parents** of every rider to undergo the following brief health check prior to leaving home in order to help us to minimise the spread of Coronavirus. Help us to protect the sport we love.

1. Make sure that all competitors and their families are not breaching lockdown quarantine measures. If anyone within the household of a rider who is competing shows any symptoms of coronavirus, please stay home.
- 2 The attending **parent needs to undertake a brief health check** on the morning of the competition.
  - Take the temperature of everyone planning to attend the competition
  - Has anyone suffered from a persistent cough, loss of taste or smell or have a fever / temperature?
  - If anyone has a temperature over 37.8, the household should seek advice and must not attend the competition.
- 3 Make sure that you have allocated an **adult in charge of your squad social distancing, who familiarises themselves with** one way systems & protocols at the venue. They will need to keep reminding everyone as it is easy to forget both on and off the horse. It is important that we **keep everyone in small groups or 'bubbles'** and **KEEP YOUR DISTANCE**, so please follow show centre instructions.
- 4 Don't forget your hand sanitiser (use it on arrival at the venue) & PPE. Venues are providing hand sanitiser, but if there are shortages, they could run out. Teams need to be prepared, if this happens. There will also be hot water, soap & hand towels available in bathrooms.
- 5 If anyone becomes unwell at the event, isolate them & the party they travelled with away from the rest of the riders and seek medical help. Paramedics are in attendance at NSEA events.
- 6 Limit numbers of personnel. No spectators at events. One parent per competitor where possible.
- 7 Please do not stay longer than necessary at the competition. **ARRIVE, COMPETE, LEAVE**, in order to minimise numbers on site at any time. All results will be available online.
- 8 Social Media. Some parts of the press have questioned the relevance of equestrian sport during this time of coronavirus. Be careful what your squad- parents and riders, post on social media in order to help us to protect our sport.

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# NSEA EVENTERS CHALLENGE ENTRY FORM

Date of Event : Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2021

Venue : Moreton Equestrian Centre, Moreton,  
Dorchester, Dorset, DT2 8RG

Name of School .....County.....

NSEA Membership Number.....

Name and Address of Contact  
.....

Telephone .....

email address: .....

TEAM MANAGER .....

Mobile No .....

| Class<br>Team/Ind<br>& Section<br>( if approp) | Rider | Riders<br>age +<br>DOB | Horse | Entry<br>Fee | Signature of<br>rider/parent or<br>team manager<br>if under 18 |
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### All cheques payable to “ Moreton Equestrian Ltd”

ENTRIES CLOSE Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2021 or when entries full.

START TIMES will be available on [www.nsea.org.uk](http://www.nsea.org.uk) and [www.moretondorset.co.uk](http://www.moretondorset.co.uk) two days before the competition

I declare that all of the above competitors are capable of competing in the Class/es they are entered for and are pupils attending the school named above in 2020. I have read and agree to abide by the NSEA Rules 20-21.

Signature (Head/Team Manager).....

If a competitor is aged 17 years or under, the entry form must be signed by a parent/guardian or team manager. Your signature on the entry form will be deemed to be an acceptance of the Rules and Conditions contained herein.

Special Requests .....



National Schools  
NSEA Dressage Qualifiers 2021

**Moreton Equestrian Centre,  
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On

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2021**

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> placed team & 1-4<sup>th</sup> placed individuals will qualify for the 24<sup>th</sup> annual  
**NSEA National Schools Championships 2021**  
Addington Manor, October 2021

3<sup>rd</sup> -8<sup>th</sup> placed team & 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> placed individuals will qualify for the  
**NSEA Championship Plate 2021**  
Keysoe 2021

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**Entry Fee** - £19 per class (includes First Aid). Cheques payable to “Moreton Equestrian Ltd” or email [enquiries@moretondorset.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@moretondorset.co.uk) for Bacs details.

**Tests at Championship Qualifiers 2021 (Team & Individual) all in 20x40m arenas as follows..**

**Class 11 Prelim = P 13 (2006) Team & Individual Qualifier**

**Class 12 Novice = N 28 (2008) Team & Individual Qualifier**

**Class 13 Elementary = E 50 (2007) Individual Qualifier Only**

#### **Teams**

**Teams shall be made up of 3 or 4 riders, best 3 scores to count. Up to two riders to compete in the prelim test and up to two riders in the novice test.**

**All team riders will automatically count for individual placings providing they are eligible (see NSEA 'Additional rules')**

**The top 2 teams & 4 Individuals will qualify for the Championships**

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#### **Rules – NSEA General Rules plus 'Additional Rules for Qualifiers 2020/21'**

Please note that Dressage tests at the Championships will be:

**Championship Individual Tests 2021** all ridden in **20x60m** arenas

Prelim 17A (2017), Novice 37A (2017) (Elementary 55 (2019), Medium 73 (2007)

**Championship Team Tests 2021** all ridden in **20x40m** arenas

Team Tests = Prelim 14 (2006) revised collectives 2016 (up to two riders), Novice 34 (2009) (up to two riders

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The NSEA will not be held responsible for any financial loss incurred by the attendee as a result of a cancellation.

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**Moreton EC NSEA Dressage Qualifier – Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2021**

**School, County & NSEA Number**.....

**Team Manager**.....

**Telephone**..... **Email:**.....

| <b>Class &amp; Team/Ind</b> | <b>Rider</b> | <b>D.O.B.</b> | <b>Horse</b> | <b>Entry Fee</b> | <b>Signature of rider/parent/team manager</b> |
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**Please ensure you state which Teams/Ind the riders are in.**

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