



National Schools  
NSEA Dressage Qualifiers

Northallerton EC Ltd  
24<sup>th</sup> July 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

Entries Close: 7 days before the competition (or earlier if classes are full)

DRESSAGE

**Tests at Championship Qualifiers 2020 (Team & Individual) all in 20x40m arenas as follows..**

**Class 1 Prelim = P 13 (2006) Team & Individual Qualifier**

**Class 2 Novice = N 28 (2008) Team & Individual Qualifier**

**Class 3 Elementary = E 50 (2007) Individual Qualifier Only**

Entry Fee £18 per test

## 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**



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

Please note that Dressage tests at the Championships will be:

**Championship Individual Tests 2020** all ridden in **20x60m** arenas  
Prelim 17A (2017), Novice 37A (2017) (Elementary 55 (2019), Medium 73 (2007)

**Championship Team Tests 2020** all ridden in **20x40m** arenas  
Team Tests = Prelim 14 (2006) revised collectives 2016 (up to two riders), Novice 34 (2009) (up to two riders)

**Entry Fee £18**

**Medical cover £3**

**Start Times** will be available on the NSEA website 2 days before the competition

[www.nsea.org.uk](http://www.nsea.org.uk)

## Team Managers- Coronavirus Protocols

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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**Disclaimer...** see Northallerton website

### **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*

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

### **Child Protection & Safeguarding**

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

### **TV & Photography**

*Please note that professional photographers will be present at the Qualifiers and 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.*