SUNDAY 8ᵀᴴ MARCH 2020

At KINGS EQUESTRIAN, BROMYARD

NSEA Grass Roots Eventers Challenge 60 & 70cm Qualifiers for the Grass Roots Regional Finals (not Hickstead)

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

NSEA Eventers Challenge

70/75, 80/85, qualifying classes for the

NSEA Equine America Eventers Challenge Final @ Hickstead May 23ʳᵈ-25ᵗʰ 2020

Organiser: Mrs Gerry King

Kings Equestrian, Sturts Farm, Winslow, Bromyard, HR7 4SR

Entries Close : Monday 2ⁿᵈ March, or earlier if full

Class 1 50cm Open Class Individuals Only

Class 2 60cm Team & Individual Grass Roots EC Qualifier (may not be assisted)
Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals.

Class 3 Introductory 70cm Team & Individual Grass Roots EC Qualifier (may not be assisted)
Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals.

Class 4   Mini 70-75cm Team & Individual (Hickstead qualifier)
Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals.

Class 5   Novice 80-85cm Team & Individual (Hickstead qualifier)
Single phase. All team riders automatically count as individuals.

Classes 2 & 3 are new classes for 2020
60cm Grass Roots classes will be single phase competitions, no outside assistance. There will be an award for the best rider under 8yrs on 1st Jan 2020. Horse/ Rider <u>combinations</u> who have **completed** courses at 80cm (at ANY competition, not just NSEA competitions) may only compete h/c in 60cm classes, or they must ride a different pony.

70cm Grass Roots classes. Single phase, no outside assistance Riders jumping at this level are not eligible for 40cm Grass Roots on ANY pony.

Teams of 3 or 4, best 3 scores to count
Entry Fee for class 1 - £14 per rider per round which includes medical cover
Entry Fee for classes 2 – 5 £19 per rider per round which includes medical cover

Strictly no refund of entry fees after the closing date.

Entries by post to include full payment, or online via www.kingsequestrian.co.uk

Winter Eventers Challenge 2019-20

The Course is made up of SJ & simulated XC fences with an optimum time & no style marks. 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.

NSEA Eventers Challenge Rules for Scoring 2020

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. The optimum time for each class will be displayed at the Secretary's desk on the day of the competition.

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

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 2019-20
Note- NSEA Rules- hair up please.
Start Times will be available on the NSEA website 2 days before the competition on
www.nsea.org.uk