

# **NSEA Championships Festival**

incorporating



Equine America

## NSEA Eventers' Challenge Championships

Mini, Novice, Intermediate & Open Championships Classes

&



## Jump 4 Joy

# Arena Eventing (JwS) Championships Festival

70-1.10 JwS Classes

At

## All England Jumping Course, Hickstead

West Sussex RH17

### Saturday 29<sup>th</sup>- Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2021

plus SJ Qualifiers for NSEA Championships in October

NSEA Coronavirus protocols will be in place

Flu Jabs must be up to date, within the last jab withing 6 months,

(not within 7 days of the competition)

**Outdoor catering on site** 



Official Photographer- Mark Hawksworth mhphotos – event photography 07760 356541

www.mhphotos.co.uk

Organiser : NSEA Show Secretary- Mrs F Whittington, Tel/ 01892 750002 / 07904 308458. Email <u>fw.nsea@gmail.com</u> Team Managers ONLY to contact secretary please DO NOT PHONE THE HICKSTEAD OFFICE FOR ENQUIRIES

### ENTER ONLINE ONLINE PAYMENTS ONLY FOR ENTRIES

#### STABLING- in booked separately to entries

The link for the stabling is <u>https://entry.equilive.uk/events/nsea-eventers-champs-stabling-only-2</u> Stabling bookings close on the Monday 24<sup>th</sup> May at 10am

### Entries

**Eventers Challenge-** due to lockdown restrictions, we will take the top 4 teams & 6 individuals from Eventers Challenge Qualifiers after 1<sup>st</sup> June 2020.

Eventers Challenge Entries for Championships Classes Close: 16th May

**JwS Championships Festival Classes**- If you qualified for the JwS Championships at Addington 2020 and have not competed at the SW JwS Championships at Moreton last year, you are eligible to enter- entries close –  $12^{th}$  May *If space allows, we will open up for other team entries (including SW) providing you have competed in JwS classes and would normally expect to qualify for the Championships. Entries will re-open after the initial closure date.* 

#### **Entries Qualification Declaration Form.**

Please fill out the attached form stating where your teams / individuals qualified for both EC & JwS classes by  $16^{th}$  May.

ALL individuals competitors must be the same horse / rider combination who qualified.

Teams- we will allow a minimum of 1 horse rider combination to be the same as at the time of qualifying for this event.

#### Show Jumping Qualifiers- open to all

Entries for Non- Championships classes close May 12<sup>th</sup>, or earlier if classes are full All entry forms & Information sheets to be emailed to the show secretary with a copy of your online payment, before entries can be accepted. See Entry Form for details.

Passports- The last vaccination MUST be within 6 months of the 29<sup>th</sup> May and all other vaccinations must be within normal annual parameters. Random checks will occur at the competition.

EHV- currently, all competitors are required to undertake EHV health checks 24hrs prior to competing- please fill in the form and email to the show secretary <u>fw.nsea@gmail.com</u>

Rules- See NSEA Rules 2020/21 www.nsea.org.uk

Start Times will be available on the NSEA website 2 days before the competition www.nsea.org.uk

#### Important information – please read and help us to protect our sport

Whilst we want competitors to have fun, it is crucial that we maintain protocols. Social distancing at 2m will be encouraged at all times.

To reduce numbers on site, please bring the MINIMUM number of family members to the competition. Ideally, 1 parent per horse)

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

Please ask **parents** of every rider to undergo the following brief health check <u>prior</u> 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. Please bring a face mask per person, as per government guidelines

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 and where possible LEAVE, in order to minimise numbers on site at any time. All results will be available online.

Please ensure that you do not muck out your horsebox onto the Car Park. Horses must not be left tied to vehicles unattended. 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 give up their time for your sport.

Refunds- only with a vet cert / doctors note less £5 per entry admin fee.

The NSEA will not be held responsible for any financial loss incurred by any entrant, their associates or attendees as a result of a re-arrangement to the schedule, postponement or cancellation of a competition.

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

#### Classes

In order to reduce numbers on site at any time, we are aiming to run the 80 & 90 EC classes over 2 days. This will hopefully enable competitors who are competing at two heights, to compete in both classes on the same day.

Competitors will be given times for their competition rounds and their warm ups. Horses will be expected to be taken back to boxes after each round. All classes and jumping warm ups are on sand surfaces.

#### **Programme of Events**

#### Class Saturday 29th May

1	Equine America Mini Eventers' Challenge Championships	Eventing Arena, Ring 4
2	Equine America Novice Eventers' Challenge Championships (part A)	Eventing Arena, Ring 4
3	Mini 70-75cm Show Jumping Team & Individual Qualifier	Ring 3
4	Novice 80-85cm Show Jumping Team & Individual Qualifier	Ring 3
5	Jump 4 Joy 70-75cm JwS Team & Individual Championships Festival	Ring 3
	Sunday 30th May	
2	Equine America Novice Eventers' Challenge Championships (part B)	Eventing Arena, Ring 4
6	Equine America Intermediate Eventers' Challenge Championships (part A)	Eventing Arena, Ring 4
7	Jump 4 Joy 80-85cm JwS Championships Festival	Ring 3
8	Jump 4 Joy 1m-1.05 JwS Championships Festival	Ring 3
9AB	Jump 4 Joy 1.10 JwS Championships Festival	Ring 3
15	NSEA Points League 2020 Championships	Ring 3
	Monday 31st May	
6	Equine America Intermediate Eventers' Challenge Championships (part B)	Eventing Arena, Ring 4
10	Equine America 1M Open Eventers' Challenge Championships	Eventing Arena, Ring 4
11	Jump 4 Joy 90-95cm JwS Championships Festival	Ring 3
12	90-95cm Show Jumping Team & Individual Qualifier	Ring 3
13	1m-1.05 Show Jumping Team & Individual Qualifier	Ring 3
14AB	1.10 Show Jumping Qualifier	Ring 3

#### Equine America Eventing Arena, Ring 4

Classes 1, 2, 6 & 10 for pre-qualified teams & individuals only.

Riders must have competed over fixed XC fences at the height they are competing in the Championships. Courses will be made up of fixed XC portables, steps, water etc

Class 1 Equine America Mini 70-75cm Team & Individual Eventers' Challenge Championships

Class 2 Equine America Novice 80-85cm Team & Individual Eventers' Challenge Championships

Class 6 Equine America Intermediate 90-95cm Team & Individual Eventers' Challenge Championships

Class 10 Equine America Open 1m-1.05 Team & Individual Eventers' Challenge Championships

Entry Fee for Eventers' Challenge Championships Classes £37 per horse/rider per round

#### Jump 4 Joy Jumping with Style Championships Festival Classes, Ring 3

Classes 5,7,8,11 are for those who have qualified for a NSEA JwS Championships Festival in the since January 2020 from the South East, East of England, Midlands & West. Those placed lower at qualifiers may be eligible if spaces are available- please enquire with the show secretary.

Riders to compete over a course of show jumps, continuing to the XC phase made up of Jump 4 Joy fences

Class 5 Jump for Joy Mini 70/75cm Team & Individual Championships

Class 7 Jump for Joy Novice 80/85cm Team & Individual Championships

Class 8 Jump for Joy Intermediate 90/95cm Team & Individual Championships

Class 9a/b Jump for Joy 1.10 Individual Championships a) horses b) ponies

Class 11 Jump for Joy Open 1m-1.05cm Team & Individual Championships

Entry Fee for Jump 4 Joy JwS Championships Festival Classes £32 per horse/rider per round

#### Show Jumping Arena, Ring 3

Show Jumping Qualifiers, Ring 3 all Show Jumping classes are single phase Qualifiers- open to all NSEA Members Class 3 Mini Show Jumping 70-75cm Team & Individual Qualifier All team riders automatically count as individuals. U14 on 1<sup>st</sup> Jan 2021 Class 4 Novice Show Jumping 80-85cm Team & Individual Qualifier All team riders automatically count as individuals. Class 12 Intermediate Show Jumping 90/95 Team & Individual Qualifier All team riders automatically count as individuals. Class 13 1m-1.05 Open Show Jumping, Team & Individual Qualifier including Hickstead Elite Team Championships Class 14a/b 1.10m Advanced Open Show Jumping Individual Qualifier, incorporating the Hickstead Elite Championships Please put HE on your entry if you have qualified for Hickstead Elite This class will be split into 14a) Horses, 14b) Ponies Entry Fees classes for Show Jumping Classes £27 per horse / rider per round

#### NSEA RPL Points League Mixed Height Show Jumping Championships 2020, Ring 3

Class 15 Squad of 8 riders per school qualified. 2 riders per round at 70-75cm, 80-85cm, 90-95cm & 1-1.05m. Please declare riders for each height to show secretary by May 12<sup>th</sup>. Best 5 scores to count Entry Fee £20 per rider. Single phase

#### All entry fees include Paramedic Cover Online payments for entries via the NSEA website

#### Stabling

There may be limited stabling available and camping on site for competitors travelling from afar. There will be a field allocated for overnight competitors (who need to remain in their family bubble)

Parents must be in attendance. No-one under the age of 18 may be left on site without a parent. Horse boxes / tents need to be for family groups from the same residence.

Day competitors will be parking in a separate area.

Stabling- BOOKED ONLINE ONLY. DO NOT PHONE THE HICKSTEAD OFFICE

https://entry.equilive.uk/events/nsea-eventers-champs-stabling-only-2

WH Security on site Competitors must have permission from their school to compete

#### NSEA COVID information will be updated nearer the date of the competition. Please see NSEA website for details.

#### Warm Up areas

A limited number of horses will be allocated to the various warm up areas at any time. These will be stewarded. A marked hacking area will also be available. Horses may not be grazed or exercised in any other area. 1 adult in the warm up area at a time to put up jumps. Please ensure that they are available for everyone - do not hog them! Use the hand sanitiser before entering the warm up area.

#### Numbers

<mark>Eventers Challenge classes. Please make your own number and display in your own eventing bib.</mark> <mark>SJ classes may print numbers or bring a bridle number for each horse</mark>. No paper numbers will be given out this year.

#### Prize givings

Currently, there will be no official prize givings. Team Managers are encouraged to collect prizes and present in school assembly next term. Winning teams & individuals will be asked for a socially distanced photo with their prizes.

#### Horse walks

Single file at all times and no loitering!

#### **Course walks**

Limited numbers per course walk. Fences may be looked at, but not touched.

#### Facemasks

Please bring a face mask per person, as per government guidelines. Face masks may be needed for course walks and areas of close proximity, in accordance with government restrictions nearer the time.

Vet on Call : Sussex Equine Hospital on call tel 01903 883050

**Emergency Farrier** will be on call, subject to availability, at your own cost. **Do not bring a horse to this competition in need of shoeing or with a shoe missing!** 

Volunteers- if you have any parents who are free to volunteer for a few hours, we would love to hear from you!

#### Track & Trace

Following government guidelines, you will be asked for your contact details on the gate. These details will be kept for 21 days.

#### Disclaimer

Except as otherwise stated below [or in our terms and conditions]:

- 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
- we 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 .

All warranties, conditions and other terms implied by statute or common law in relation to any activity at NSEA events are, to the fullest extent permitted by law, excluded. This does not exclude or limit our liability to you for death or personal injury caused by our negligence or any matter for which it would be illegal for us to exclude or attempt to exclude our liability or for fraud or fraudulent misrepresentation.

Notwithstanding the above, NSEA's total liability (including any liability for the acts or omissions of its employees, agents, consultants and subcontractors) in contract, tort (including negligence or breach of statutory duty), misrepresentation, restitution or otherwise arising in connection with your attendance or participation in any activity at NSEA events shall be limited to £5,000,000.

#### 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

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

If you have any concerns, please contact the NSEA on tel 07552 836032 / <u>competition@nsea.co.uk</u> 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.

#### **Live Scoring**

For social distancing purposes, there will be no scoreboards on site. NSEA live scoring will be used at this event, which you will be able to access form your phone. If you do not wish to be included, we recommend that you enter under a pseudonym. Live results will be posted on the NSEA website.

Team / Individual Declaration Form for Championships Classes

Team Managers, please fill in the details and email to Mrs Whittington fw.nsea@gmail.com

### Team Manager Entries Declaration Form -by 12<sup>th</sup> May NSEA Hickstead MAY



Name.....

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no..... email.....

School .....

Class	Team riders (list below)	Individuals (list below)	Venue Qualified & date	Position in class

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#### **EHV Declaration Form**

Currently, a EHV Form is required for every horse and must be sent to Mrs Whittington prior to travelling to the competition. <u>fw.nsea@gmail.com</u>

#### EHV declaration form for NSEA competitions, as per governing body guidelines

This form must be emailed to the show secretary 24hours before you travel to the competition in order for a rider to compete NO FORM / NO ENTRY

DATE	School		
Horse name reg with NSEA		Horse name on passport	
Passport number:		Microchip number:	
Rider name:		Rider Number	
Owner name:			
NSEA Show/venue attending:	HICKSTEAD	Date of show/activity:	
Please confirm your horse currently shows none of the clinical signs listed:	<ul> <li>recent cough of unknown cause</li> <li>recent nasal discharge of unknown cause</li> <li>enlarged lymph notes</li> <li>fever (&gt;38.5°C)</li> <li>recent onset of neurological signs of unknown cause</li> <li>diarrhoea</li> </ul>		
Please confirm the following statements:	<ul> <li>The abovementioned horse:</li> <li>is not under current investigation for EHV infection.</li> <li>has not been in contact with and is not kept on the same premises as a horse known to have or be under investigation for EHV.</li> <li>has been resident in the UK for the last 28 days.</li> </ul>		
Please agree to the following statement:The horse named above will have its temperature taken prior to travel a travel should the temperature reading be >38.5°C.			
Declaration:		e, I confirm and agree to all the statements outlined nfirm that I am over 18 years of age.	
	Signed:		
	Print name:		
	Role: (rider/owner/administrator)		
	Date:		