



**Hickstead Elite Team Championships  
National Show Jumping Qualifiers  
Grass Roots Show Jumping Championships Festival  
All England Jumping Course, Hickstead  
24<sup>th</sup> August 2022**

Entries to be made online

**Send declarations to Mrs Whittington**

**Final changes to be made by 19<sup>th</sup> August 2022**

Mrs F Whittington, Tel/ 01892 750002 / 07904 308458 email [fw.nsea@gmail.com](mailto:fw.nsea@gmail.com)

Team Managers ONLY to contact secretary please

**August Championships Festival Entries Close – Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> August 2022 or earlier if full**

**All Stabling bookings online only via the Hickstead link below:**

<https://secretary.equilive.uk/events/nsea-show-jumping-championships-festival-2022-at-hickstead>

T&Cs are up including that stables are non-refundable after the 17<sup>th</sup> August !!

For offsite stabling, please message NSEA via the Facebook page

**IN ADDITION TO THE NSEA GENERAL RULES, ALL HORSES MUST HAVE BEEN VACCINATED WITHIN 6 MONTHS TO COMPETE AT THIS EVENT AS HORSES ARE TRAVELLING FROM ALL COUNTIES AND HAVE 7 CLEAR DAYS FROM THE LAST VACCINATION.**

**Spot checks will be made on the day!**

**All entry fees to include medical cover**

**Start Times will be available on the NSEA website by 21<sup>st</sup> August**

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

## **Rules**

**NSEA General & Competition Rules 2021-22**



**Official Photographer- Mark Hawksworth**

*mhphotos - event photography* 07760 356541 [www.mhphotos.co.uk](http://www.mhphotos.co.uk)

**It is the responsibility of Team Managers AND parents to read the NSEA General Rules 2021-22 thoroughly. Whilst we dislike doing so we will eliminate anyone who is brought to our attention that has exceeded the qualification rules.**

### **Flu Vaccinations- IMPORTANT**

#### **D13) Vaccinations.**

All horses/ ponies competing in NSEA events must be vaccinated against equine influenza as follows

- a) Two injections for the primary vaccination not less than 21 days or more than 92 days apart. Both are required before a horse/ pony may compete.
- b) A booster injection given 150 – 215 days after the second injection of the primary vaccination
- c) Subsequent booster injections must be given each year, within and not exceeding the one year period, commencing after the first booster injection.

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Team Managers- please ask your squad to health check their horses before leaving home.



## **Ring 3 Sand Arena**

**All Entry Fees to include medical cover**

Class 1SJQ 70/75cm Team & Individual SJ Qualifier Entry Fee £24 per horse /rider \*

Class 2SJQ 80/85cm Team & Individual SJ Qualifier Entry Fee £24 per horse /rider\*

**Class 3 HICKSTEAD ELITE 1m TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP Entry Fee £25 per horse /rider (pre qualified teams only may enter this class)**

Class 4SJQ 90/95cm Team & Individual SJ Qualifier Entry Fee £24 per horse /rider\*

Class 5SJQ 1m/1.05 Team & Individual SJ Qualifier Entry Fee £24 per horse /rider \*

Class 6a SJQ 1.10 Individual SJ Qualifier for horses Entry Fee £24 per horse /rider\*

Class 6b SJQ 1.10 Individual SJ Qualifier for ponies Entry Fee £24 per horse /rider\*

*\*Qualifiers for the NSEA National Championships at Keysoe 20-24<sup>th</sup> October 2022*

## **Ring 4 – Polo Arena**

### **Grass Roots Show Jumping Championships Festival 2022**

***Open to team & Individuals who have qualified in top 6 teams & individuals for one of the Grass Roots Regional Finals 2021-22. NSEA Grass Roots Rules apply to classes 11-15***

***The aim of the Grass Roots Festival Classes is to give riders a championships feel in a wonderful setting***

Class 11G 40cm Team & Individual (may be led/assisted) Entry Fee £24 per horse rider incl medical cover

Class 12G 50cm Team & Individual (may be assisted) Entry Fee £24 per horse rider incl medical cover

Class 13G 60cm Team & Individual (may not be assisted) Entry Fee £24 per horse rider incl medical cover

Class 14G 70cm Team & Individual (may not be assisted) Entry Fee £24 per horse rider incl medical cover

Class 15G Mixed height Grass Roots Team Class

One rider to jump each of the 4 heights- 40cm, 50cm, 60cm, 70cm £24 per rider



## Online payments only

Entries **CANNOT** be changed on the online system- please contact show secretary on the declaration date

Any wild card riders who are substituted into a team must have completed a competition at the relevant height. **NO INDIVIDUALLY QUALIFIED HORSE OR RIDER MAY BE SUBSTITUTED**

**SJ Team riders who have also qualified as an individual at the same height only pay once and will jump once (but their score will count for both) Please complete this information on the Declaration Form.**

Stabling & Electrical Hook Ups– book via the Hickstead online system

Catering – Catering is available on site

### Important Information for Team Managers.

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#### **RANDOM CHECKS WILL BE MADE ON PASSPORTS THROUGHOUT THE COMPETITION**

Please read **thoroughly**. Team Managers are required to know this information.

1. All **entries** and **enquiries** regarding this championships to **NSEA only**. Email [fw.nsea@gmail.com](mailto:fw.nsea@gmail.com)  
**HICKSTEAD ARE not dealing with any show enquiries other than stabling**
2. **All stabling to be booked only through the Hickstead** online system, if you require onsite stabling
3. Only teams and individuals qualified for the championships are eligible to compete.
4. Please read rules carefully for eligibility for all disciplines at the show.  
All Rules for the Championship classes and qualification rules for teams can be found on the NSEA website.
5. The **Team Manager** is responsible for the conduct and welfare of their school's horses, riders and other connected parties.(parents, supporters etc) at **all times** on the show ground.
6. **No dogs** IN THE JUMPING ARENAS OR WARM UP . Please bring Poo bags!
7. Gas BBQ's ONLY. No ground BBQs or chimneas in lorry park.
8. Hook ups to be arranged with Hickstead
9. All jumping courses may be raised up to 5cm from the qualifiers, at the Championships.
10. In the event of cancellation, entry fees shall be refunded, less £5 per competitor per class to help cover admin costs.
11. No refunds except with a Doctor's note / Vet cert. Withdrawals must be made to the show secretary prior to the event in order to qualify for a refund, less £5 per competitor per class to help cover admin costs.
12. **After 10p.m, the stable area should be quiet.** Please be aware that horses need to rest and therefore noise, lighting and intrusion should be kept to an absolute minimum.
13. A contact number must be left on a piece of tape on the stable door of every horse in case of an emergency.
14. Camping in tents is permitted, but an adult must stay on site with riders.

15. Horses should not arrive after 10pm and before 6am. Hickstead and the NSEA reserve the right to refuse entry to, and remove, any individual without giving a reason.

16. The end of the show will be deemed to be half an hour after the last horse competes.

17. 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 this competition. The Team Manager is responsible for the conduct and welfare of their school's horses, riders and other connected parties.(parents, supporters etc) at **all times** on the show ground.

## Stabling – please book through Hickstead

See Hickstead booking & refund policy re stabling

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### Conditions of Entry 2022

**Team Managers- please ensure that all horses / riders are correctly qualified for the classes they are entered for. All competitors, parents and representatives from every school must ensure that they act courteously to stewards and officials at all times. Rudeness and unsportsmanlike behaviour are not acceptable and could result in elimination.**

**Please help us to ensure that this Championship is run in the true spirit of competition and fair play.**

In order to compete in events listed on the NSEA website, all competing schools must now be members of the NSEA, and show their membership number on entry forms. For full details of how to join go to [www.nsea.org.uk](http://www.nsea.org.uk)

Entries must be made in advance, late entries to be accepted at the discretion of the organisers.

The organisers reserve the right to refuse any entry, for any reason.

Competitors must wear correct clothing and tack in accordance with NSEA & BD/ BS rules.

Lungeing is not permitted in any working area. No adults to warm up horses on the show ground.

The decision of the judges is final.

Children under 16 must be supervised at all times.

All riders **MUST** wear hard hats, correctly fitting and to the latest BSI specifications according to the rules with the chin strap done up whilst mounted. All dressage hats must have a fitted chin strap.

Whilst not compulsory, we recommend that riders wear a body protector whilst jumping.

**Any objections must be made, by the Team Manager, to the organiser within 5 minutes of the completion of the event, in writing on an official adjudication form, accompanied by a deposit of £30 which may be forfeited if the objection is overruled.**

The organisers shall not be liable for any claims in respect of damage or accident to any person, whether competitor, servant or spectator, horse, vehicle or property, howsoever caused in conjunction with or arising out of the show.

### Disclaimer

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

- *all participants undertake activities at NSEA Championships 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 Championships;*
- *you are strongly advised to obtain appropriate insurance protection before undertaking any activity at NSEA Championships; 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 Championships or for any loss or damage suffered by you as a result of taking part in any activity at NSEA Championships.*

*All warranties, conditions and other terms implied by statute or common law in relation to any activity at NSEA Championships 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 Championships 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 NSEA 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 Championships

## **Child Protection & Safeguarding**

We have a designated Child Protection Officer at the Championships. Please enquire at the secretary if you wish to speak to them or 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

Children (competitors & siblings) are the responsibility of their parents and the Team Manager at all times,

**TV & PHOTOGRAPHY** Please note that press and professional photographers may be present 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 from 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.*

**Course walks- extra course walks will be timetabled into bigger classes, if required**

**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!

**Dodson & Horrell will be bringing their weighbridge to the event- weigh your pony for no charge!**

