



Inter-Schools Grass Roots Show Jumping South East Regional Final 2023

Felbridge Showground, East Grinstead RH19 2NU

3rd December 2023

Open to Grass Roots teams and individuals who have been placed in the top 6 at any Grass Roots Qualifier since January 2023 (providing they have not since exceeded the qualification rules)



Official Photographer- Mark Hawksworth

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Book entries online on the NSEA website

Entries close 7 days before, or earlier if classes are full.

Organiser:NSEA

**Sashes to team & individual winners, prizes to top 3 placings and rosettes to top 6 teams and individuals,
Plus lots of sweets and special prizes!**

Entries to: Online via the NSEA website

Entries Close 1 week prior to the event

Classes

Classes 1 – 4 NSEA Grass Roots Rules apply

Horse/rider combinations may compete in two consecutive height classes on the same pony

40 & 50 or 50 & 60 or 60 & 70cm

A GR rider may not jump in 70cm and 40cm or 50cm classes (except h/c)

A rider is not eligible for GR if they are jumping 90cm and may only jump 60 and 70 GR classes if they have completed 5 x 80cm classes.

Class 1 40cm Team & Individual Grass Roots (may be led/assisted) Judged on style. Not timed

a) led, unled and running in close proximity with the pony.

b) assisted- in the ring but does instructor not move with the pony

Top 6 individuals in each section to qualify. Top 6 teams to qualify, which can be made up of riders in either section

Class 2 50cm Team & Individual Grass Roots (may be assisted) Optimum time

Class 3 60cm Team & Individual Grass Roots (may not be assisted) Single phase

Class 4 70cm Team & Individual Grass Roots (may not be assisted) Single phase

*** Restricted riders can only have competed in 60 & 70cm classes, no national championships qualifiers and a maximum of 5 x 80cm class*

***Open riders may have competed in national 70 & 80cm qualifiers, but not 90cm*

Entry Fee classes 1 – 4 = £22 including Paramedic first aid cover.

NSEA Rules – For the comprehensive Grass Roots Rules go to NSEA General Rules 2023-24 on the NSEA website. See below for eligibility in the height classes:

The purpose of the Grass Roots programme is to provide very novice riders with the opportunity to experience the excitement of competition. The rules are, therefore, kept as flexible as possible but, please embrace the “spirit” of the rules. Please do not use Grass Roots competitions as an easy opportunity to “pot hunt,” as it is not in the spirit of the competition.

The top 6 teams & individuals at qualifiers will be eligible to compete at any Regional Grass Roots Championships.

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

All enquiries are to be made by the Team Manager please.

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. Most of them are volunteers and rudeness is not acceptable.

In the event of cancellation, your entry will be refunded on receipt of a cheque, less £5 per cheque admin fee.
Have a good day!

Rules

NSEA General Rules 2023-24

Note- NSEA Rules- hair up please.

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