**NITHSDALE PONY CLUB**

OPEN SHOWJUMPING COMPETITION

Sunday 25th February

At Barstobrick

Class 1: Lead Rein (genuine lead reins only)

Class 2: Wibbly Wobbly (only verbal assistance allowed)

Class 3: 40cm Juniors (ponies only)

Class 4: 50cm Juniors

Class 5: 60cm Open

Class 6a: 70cm Pony Club Spring Festival Qualifier

Class 6b: 70cm Open

Class 7a: 80cm Pony Club Spring Festival Qualifier

Class 7b: 80cm Open

Class 8a: 90cm Pony Club Spring Festival Qualifier

Class 8b: 90cm Open

Class 9a: 1m Pony Club Spring Festival Qualifier

Class 9b: 1m Open

Class 10: 1.05m Open

£14 a class – Entry via www.horse-events.co.uk –

Entries close 18th February

Entries

Entries can be made at www.horseevents.co.uk

* The deadline for entries is Sunday 18th February.
* No entries on the day.
* No horse or rider change after the closing date.
* Lead rein and wibbly wobbly are for true beginners – please do not enter if you have won these classes more than twice.
* Combination of pony/rider competing in Class 1 are not permitted to compete in classes 3 & above.
* Combination of pony/rider in Class 2 is not to have competed at 50cm before.
* Maximum of 3 entries per pony/horse.
* Classes maybe split junior & senior depending on entries (Junior – 16 years or under)

Booking

If you would like to edit your horse or rider details before the closing date of the event or change class please email nithsdale@pcuk.org.

All queries/withdrawals please email nithsdale@pcuk.org.

Results & Rosettes

* Rosettes to 6th place
* Spring Festival Qualifiers will be run separately from our normal classes - 1st & 2nd place in these classes will qualify.
* Prize giving will take place mounted after each class back in the main arena.

Numbers & Timings

* Times will be posted on [www.ponyclubresults.co.uk](http://www.ponyclubresults.co.uk) on Thursday 22nd February.
* All times are approximate and we will do our best to run to time, please keep an eye on our social media.
* Please bring your own number – bib, bridle disc, on saddle pad.
* Course walks will only take place at the start of each class.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. The organisers reserve the right to refuse any entry.

2. The competition is being run under current Pony Club Show Jumping Rules.

3. The decision of the judges & stewards in all cases are final.

4. Any objections must be made in writing and handed to the show secretary within 15 minutes of the incident happening with a deposit of £10.00. In the event that the objection is sustained the deposit will be refunded.

5. Use of the whip must be in accordance with the rules laid down in the current Pony Club Show Jumping Rules. Use of the whip will be monitored by the judge and excessive or inappropriate use may result in elimination.

6. Neither the club nor any person acting on its behalf accept any liability for any loss, damage, accident, injury or illness to horses, riders, spectators or any property.

7. The organisers of this event have taken reasonable precautions to ensure the Heath & Safety of everyone present. For these measures to be effective, everyone must take all reasonable precautions to avoid or prevent accidents occurring and must obey the instructions of the organisers & all officials & stewards.

8. All non-Pony Club competitors are not covered by The Pony Club insurance and must have their own third party cover. Nithsdale Branch of the Pony Club and the organisers of this event are not legally responsible for non-members & their insurance will not cover you.

9. Horses & ponies must be four years or over on the day of the show.

10. Competitors must be suitably dressed in correct riding attire. Body Protectors are recommended for all jumping classes. Hats & Body Protectors must meet the Safety Standards as detailed in the rulebooks. Hat must be worn and chin straps correctly fastened at all times when mounted.

11. All dogs must be kept on a lead.

12. The Organisers have the right to alter the programme of events at their discretion & should the event be cancelled for any reason the Organisers reserve the right to retain a proportion of entry fees to cover their expenses.

13. All classes will run under Pony Club Showjumping 2024 Rule Book. Copies can be obtained from Pony Club HQ or viewed on the Pony Club Website www.pcuk.org.

14. No substitution of entries after the closing date.

15. Horses/ponies tied up to the trailer/lorries must not be left unattended.

16. Please ensure the area around your trailer/lorry is left clean & tidy. All droppings must be removed.

17. The outdoor arena is not for use as belongs to the riding school and liveries.