

**Cotswold Hunt Branch of the Pony Club**

**Area 9 Horse & Pony Care Competition**

**Saturday 12th April 2025**

**At the Cotswold Hunt Kennels, Andoversford, Nr Cheltenham, GL54 4LQ By kind permission of The Masters of The Cotswold Hunt.**

**Refreshments available to purchase from Stanley & May Catering**

**Organiser: Mrs Nicola Bates**

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**(Please DO NOT ring after 3.30pm)**

**Enter online at www.horse-events.co.uk**

**Entry fee £45 per team**

**All entries are subject to a non-refundable booking fee**

***Closing date for entries: Saturday 5th April 2025***

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| **Senior Competition –** **Start 9.30am** | **Junior Competition****Start 2pm** | **Mini Competition****Start 9.30am** |
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| **Bits. Bitting & Saddlery** | **Bits & Bitting** | **Colours & Markings** |
| **Pasture** | **Colours & Markings** | **Saddlery** |
| **Equine Health** | **Equine Health** | **Needs of a pony at grass** |
| **Feeding** | **Feeding** | **Feeding**  |
| **Equine Learning Theory** | **Foot & Shoeing** | **Grooming** |
| **Foot and Shoeing** | **Fitness & Grooming** | **Leading & Handling** |
| **Systems of the Horse** | **Travelling** | **Equine Learning Theory** |
| **Fitness & Grooming** | **Pasture** | **Yard Safety** |
| **Travelling** | **Saddlery** | **Pony Health** |
| **Conformation** | **Equine Learning Theory** |  |

\*\*\*If you would like to edit your team details before the closing date of the event please login to your Horse Events account and edit your booking under the ‘MY BOOKING’ Tab

If you would like to change anything else please email info@horse-events.co.uk

For **ALL** team changes after the closing date there is a £5 charge please fill out the following form online at: https://www.horse-events.co.uk/rider-horse-substitutions-form/

**Rules**

• Branches must be from Area 9 and may enter senior, junior and mini teams. If the event is over subscribed, entries will be accepted in order of receipt.

• Senior Teams of 3 members must be under 25yrs of age with at least one member being 16yrs or under. One member may be aged between 21 and 25yrs old.

• Junior Teams of 3 members must be 14yrs or under with at least one member being 11yrs or under.

• Mini Teams of 3 members must be 10yrs or under with at least one member being 8yrs or under. • RIDERS AGE MUST BE AS AT 1st JANUARY 2025

• Entries close Saturday 5th April 2025

**General Conditions**

• Bad language or behaviour by competitors or their supporters will not be tolerated and will result in the person(s) being asked to leave the site.

• NO DOGS ALLOWED

• The decision of the judge is final and any objection must be made to the Secretary with a deposit of £20, refundable if the objection is upheld.

**Legal Liability Disclaimer**

Save for death or personal injury caused by the negligence of the organisers or anyone for whom they are in law responsible, neither the organisers of this event nor The Pony Club nor any agent, employee or representative of these bodies, nor the landlord or his tenant, accepts any liability for any accident, loss, damage, injury or illness to horses, owners, riders, spectators, land, cars, their contents and accessories, or any other personal property whatsoever, whether caused by their negligence breach of contract or in any other way whatsoever. Entries are only accepted on this basis.

**Health and Safety** The organiser of this Event has taken reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present at this event. For these measures to be effective, everyone must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents occurring and must obey the instructions of the organiser and all officials and stewards.

**Cancellation Policy**

In the unlikely event that the show must be cancelled by the organisers, full refunds will be issued, minus the booking fee and 40p bank transfer charge.