

## **BORDE HILL HORSE TRIALS August 2016**

### **70 & 80 Competitors Information**

#### **Welcome to Borde Hill Hill Horse Trials.**

We are delighted that you have entered & hope the following may answer some of your questions. **Penny Hill & Tracy Brown**, BE accredited trainers, are there to help and will be on hand to answer questions about ANYTHING so please make the best use of them – they will be identified by pink bibs! Secretaries (in the marquee) will answer, or will find out the answer, to any silly or obvious question.

If you don't know then we haven't told you, so please do ask!

***Prior to the event phone Lucy on 07881 581124***

#### **Guided Course Walk Times**

##### **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> August**

- **4pm & 6pm: XC with TRACY BROWN, meet at the cross country start box.**  
The 70 & 80 courses follow the same track Tracy will be doing both courses at the same time.  
Text XC walk & your name; and 4pm or 6pm to 07881 581124 to register
- **5.15pm approx: SJ (after XC course walk), meet Tracy in the SJ Collecting Ring.**

##### **Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> August**

- **8.45am: SJ (80cm), meet Penny in the SJ Collecting Ring.**
- **9.15am: XC (80cm).** A guided XC course walk with **PENNY HILL, meet at the cross country start box.**
- **1pm: XC (70cm).** A guided XC course walk with **TRACY BROWN, meet at the cross country start box.**
- **3pm approx: SJ (70cm), meet Tracy in the SJ Collecting Ring.**

***Please do make the most of this marvellous opportunity, it is a great way to see & understand the courses and to be organised for your XC round.***

#### **Before the Event**

**Times** will be on [www.bdwp.co.uk/bh2](http://www.bdwp.co.uk/bh2) after 1800 Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> August.

**XC course open for walking after 2pm on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> August.**

**Park Gates will close** after the 6pm course walk finishes at 7pm. Do not leave your car in the park after 7pm – park in the Borde Hill Garden Car Park.

**Directions:** see schedule [www.bordehillhorsetrials.com](http://www.bordehillhorsetrials.com)

**Cars use RH16 1XP for Borde Hill main entrance**

**Horse-box Park on competition days use RH17 5HP (off Hanlye Lane)**

#### **During the Event**

- You will need a number bib. Pick up your rider number on arrival from the secretaries marquee.
- You will need £15 in cash for the Start Fee.
- Listen for announcements on the PA. SJ/XC may run early so be prepared to go early if called!

#### **Dressage: Use Horse walk to right at bottom of horse-box park**

Horse Trials tests are **to be ridden from memory.**

Please introduce yourself to the trainer in the warm up at least 20 mins before your test is due to start. You may opt for training or not at this point but they are there to help.

Dressage tests can be sent - £1 for an envelope in the secretary's.

#### **Show Jumping: Use Horse walk to left at bottom of horse-box park. Not the exit road!**

**The collecting ring will run to the published times/order whenever possible.** This is displayed on a board in the collecting ring - Listen for announcements over the PA.

#### **Back protectors are recommended**

When competing if you want support, please report to the trainer in the show jumping warm up 20 mins before your jumping time.

#### **Cross-Country: Use Horse walk to left at bottom of horse-box park. Not the exit road!**

**The collecting ring will run to the published times/order whenever possible.**

**Back protectors are compulsory.**

**Spectators: use Wooden Bridge for Dressage and XC.**

### **Scoring**

**Scores** are posted in the marquee. We have to allow 30 mins after the finalised scores are posted for any queries. If you have a scoring enquiry do ask straightway so things can be sorted immediately.

**Timing:** 70cm class Optimum time will be based on 435 metres per min. There will be **NO** too slow penalties; too fast penalties 0.4 pens for every second in excess of 15 seconds under the optimum.  
80 cm – as BE rules.

### **Prize Giving**

**If you have come in the top ten placings then please attend the Prize Giving.**

Please attend suitably dressed as our sponsors will be presenting the rosettes i.e. "suited and booted".

**Best of luck to all competitors and remember – enjoy the day!**