

RULES & CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- It shall be deemed a condition of entry that Mortimer Riding Club, persons acting on their behalf, or their agents, or the landowners shall not be held responsible for any loss, injury, accident, damage or illness to horses, owners, riders, spectator's or any other person whatsoever whether caused by their negligence, breach of contract or in any way whatsoever. The Committee recommend that all riders have adequate Personal, Third Party Liability and Horse Insurance
- Everyone mounted - whether a competitor or not - MUST wear protective headgear that includes a permanently fitted, non-detachable retaining harness secured to the shell at more than two points. Such headgear must be worn with the harness properly adjusted and fastened at all times. A riding hat complying with BS6473 or a skull cap BS4472 is the compulsory minimum required with BSI kite mark, however British Riding Clubs recommend that the PAS015 standard or equivalent be worn.
- The Organisers reserve the right to alter or cancel the event or any of the published information
- In the event of an objection the Secretary's decision is final
- No refund of entry fees will be made except on receipt of a Doctor's or Veterinary Surgeon's Certificate
- No horse or pony under 4yo may be ridden at the event
- No stallions or dogs
- No cantering, lunging or long reining on the Fairground
- Please observe care in the parking area and always follow any instructions given.
- No Skipping out. Leave the area tidy when you leave and clear of horse droppings
- First Aid is 999/112 call only, so people attend at their own risk
- The Secretary may require to see Horse Passports, so please have them available on the day
- All Children – mounted or not – are the responsibility of their Parent/Guardian at all times
- Handlers must be 8yo or over and to be accompanied in the ring by a parent/guardian (18yo or over)
- You are responsible for your horse and its actions and must have your veterinary details with you
- Competition clothes must be worn with appropriate footwear. No jeans
- Photographs may be taken and used in MRC Show newsletter and Facebook.
Please advise if you do not wish your photograph to be used

NO VEHICLES TO BE LEFT UNATTENDED IF YOU LEAVE THE FAIRGROUND
FOR ANY REASON – GATES WILL BE LOCKED WHEN EVENT HAS FINISHED



SUNDAY 10th SEPTEMBER 2023

at

**Mortimer Fairground, Hammonds Heath Rd,
Mortimer, Berkshire, RG7 3RG**

Entries close Thursday 7th September 2023 at 9pm

**(late entries may be taken on the day if numbers allow but will be subject to an
additional £5 fee - cash only please)**

STRICTLY NO TELEPHONE ENTRIES

Start time 10am (Rosettes to 6th place)

**Fee per Class: £6 MRC/TDRC Members (£10 for 2 classes & £5 each additional class)
£10 non-Members (£16 for 2 classes & £8 each additional class)**

Contact No. on the day 07761 209044

See MRC website for GDPR Statement

IN-HAND

All handlers to be 8 years or over as of 1st September 2023 or accompanied by an adult.

CLASS 1 Condition and Turn Out

Open to all horses and ponies, judged on 50% horse 50% handler.
Please state on entry form if horse is stabled or 24hr grass kept all year round

CLASS 2 British Native Small Breeds

Open to all registered & unregistered British breeds (Shetland, Dartmoor, Exmoor, Welsh Section A&B)

CLASS 3 British Native Large Breeds

Sponsored by Mrs Candy Clarkson

Open to all registered & unregistered British Breeds (Welsh Section C&D, New Forest, Dales, Fell, Highland, Shire, TB Suffolk Punch)

CLASS 4 Coloured

Open to all Skewbald, Piebald & Tri Coloured

CLASS 5 Odd Coloured

Open to all Dun, Palomino, Roan, Spotted, Buckskin

CLASS 6 Solid Colour

Open to all Chestnut, Black, Grey, Bay

CLASS 7 Veteran

Sponsored by Mr & Mrs Richard Porter

Open to all horses & ponies 16yo and over (passports may be checked)

Class 8 RIDING CLUB HORSE/PONY

Open to all horses & ponies 14hh and over.

CLASS 9 Child's Pony

Open to ponies 14.2hh and under and be suitable for child aged 3-10 years old. Pony must be led by an adult (18 yrs & over) and any other handler must have had their 3rd birthday by the show date. Snaffle bridles only and lead reins to be attached to nosebands or chains. Not to be judged on conformation but on manners and suitability as a genuine child's pony.

FUN CLASSES

In-hand. Medals and prizes awarded

CLASS 10 Handsomest Gelding

CLASS 11 Prettiest Mare

CLASS 12 Best Mane & Tail

RIDDEN CLASSES

CLASS 13 Child's Pony

Open to ponies 14.2hh and under and be suitable for child aged 5-12 years old.

To do a small show – Walk and Trot only required on both reins. To finish with a nice square halt and salute the judge. To understand and be able to handle pony.

Pony may be led by an adult (18 yrs & over). Snaffle bridles only and lead reins to be attached to nosebands or chains. Not to be judged on conformation but on manners and suitability as a genuine child's pony.

CLASS 14 Ridden Cobs

Open to all Cob types – hairy legs, flowing manes and tails, to be shown true to type

To do a small show - Walk, Trot and Canter required on both reins.

To finish with a nice square halt and salute the judge.

CLASS 15 Ridden British Native

Open to all registered & unregistered British Native breeds small & large

CLASS 16 Ridden Veteran

Sponsored by Richard & Tracy Porter

Open to all horses & ponies 16yo and over (passport may be checked)

CLASS 17 Riding Club horse/pony

To be judged on manners and versatility for all Riding Club activities. Required to give a short Show - Walk, Trot and Canter required on both reins with a small jump at some point during the show. To finish a nice square halt and salute the judge.

Following new rules being introduced by BHS/BD, no trimmed muzzle whiskers or sensory hairs



CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES

IN-HAND CHAMPIONSHIP

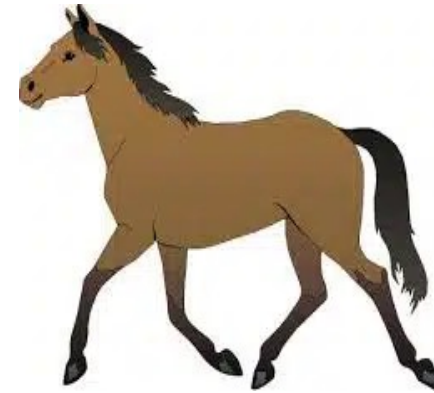
This class will take place after Class 9

1st place competitors from Classes 1-9 are invited to enter the
In Hand Championship Class

RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

This class will take place after Class 17

1st place competitors from Classes 13-17 are invited to enter
The Ridden Championship Class





EVENT ENTRY FORM

EVENT DATE 2023.....

Class	Rider Name	Horse/Pony Name	Horse Age	Entry Fee
		Rosette Postage if required		£1.50
		Total Entry Fee		

Name:.....

Address:

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Contact Telephone Number:

MRC/Tadley Member

Rider age if under 18

I enclose a cheque for £..... made payable to *Mortimer Riding Club* **OR** I have made a Bank Transfer to Nat West Bank, Sort Code 60-17-21 Account No 04245733. Please send completed form and cheque to:

Show Secretary, Holmgarth, Betchworth Ave, Earley, Reading, RG6 7RJ OR on line to admin@mortimer-rc.info

I agree to abide by the rules and conditions of entry:
(Parent/Guardian signature if under 16)

Signed:..... Date:.....