

Duntisbourne Abbots, Nr Cirencester GL7 7JW (¼ mile from A417)

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# UNAFFILIATED EVENTERS' CHALLENGE

## Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2021

1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Prizes in Kind Kindly Sponsored by Mole Valley Farmers



ENTRIES close Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March @ 4pm Enter online via www.rectoryfarm.com

#### Rules of Entry

#### Jumping penalties are awarded as follows....

Knockdown (to include SJ and a few xc fences)	4 penalties
1st Refusal	4 penalties
2nd Refusal	8 penalties
3rd Refusal	Elimination
1st Rider Fall	Elimination
Horse Fall	Compulsory Retirement
Starting before the bell /Retaking an obstacle already jumped/ Error of course	Elimination
Every commenced second over or under the optimum time	1 penalty
Exceeding time limit (3 times the time allowed)	Elimination
Speed 325-375 metres / minute. No stopwatches allowed.	

- 1. Body protectors are compulsory. Hair must be above collar length, long hair to be kept in place in a hair net. Crash hats, no fixed peak SJ hats. In the event of a tie, the competitor closest to the optimum time will be the winner.
- 2. The organisers & landowners do not accept any liability for damage, accident, injury or illness to horses, riders, spectators or personal property.
- 3. Hard hats to current BSI Standards must be worn at all times when mounted.
- 4. The Organisers reserve the right to alter, add to or cancel any class, and to refuse any entry without stating a reason.
- 5. In the event of cancellation, £2 of the entry will be retained to defray costs.
- 6. No misuse of the whip, equipment or practice fences will be allowed.
- 8. Horses/ponies must be 4yrs old and over.
- 9. Horses must not be left unattended whilst tied up to your lorry/trailer.
- 10. The Judge's decision is final.
- 11. Objections must be made within 15 minutes of the offence and must be accompanied by £15, which will be refunded if the objection is sustained.
- 12. Please remove all droppings/hay from the lorry park.
- 13. An adult must supervise children at all times.
- 14. No dogs allowed on site.

#### COVID-19 Rules

- Anyone feeling unwell or displaying COVID-19 symptoms must not attend
- All venue signs and rules must be obeyed. Non-compliance will result in you being asked to leave.
- Parking slots will be marked out in accordance with social distancing regulations. You must park in front of a white post.
- Competitors may be accompanied by one other person and one additional person for every horse entered. All entries will be checked in upon arrival. No admittance to anyone not on start list. No exceptions.
- Masks must be worn when walking the course and in busy areas.
- Warm-up time is limited to 12 minutes. An additional gras arena will be provided for exercise. Maximum 4 horses at a time.
- No spectators or grooms are allowed to access the warm-up arena. A steward will be available to adjust the jumps.

#### Location

#### Rectory Farm's postcode is GL7 7JW.

The arena is located ¼ mile from the A417 dual carriageway. Please exit at Duntisbourne Abbots (services) ONLY.

#### Food & Drink

We have an on-site snack wagon serving food and drinks all day. We will be accepting contactless payments only.

Please observe social distancing during use.

### Eventers' Challenge 2021

The course is made up of SJ & simulated XC fences with an optimum time & no style marks.

Riders will jump a series of show jumps and then proceed immediately into the XC phase which is run on an optimum time of 325- 375m/m. Jumping penalties have priority over time faults – so unlike Arena Eventing (JwS) ideally, you need to go clear to win!

Class 1	70-75cm
Class 2	80-85cm
Class 3	90-95cm
Class 4 A/B	1m05cm

Competition will be held in Rectory Farm's large 80m x 50m arena and all classes will be run as single phase with rosettes 1st to 6th pro rata

#### **Entry Details**

Classes may be restricted.

Pre-entries: £22.00 + Booking Fee

No entries on the day.

Entries Online via www.rectoryfarm.com Entries close Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March @ 4pm, or earlier if classes are full.

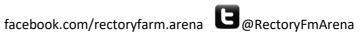
Limited entries due to day light hours

#### We will be taking ONLINE ENTRIES and giving start times with the Rectory Farm online booking system. Entries close at 4pm on Monday 16th March.

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For more information in email: arena@rectoryfarm.com or call 01285 821715 Contact on the day: 07545 985966





#### **ARENA HIRE**

Rectory Farm Arena is available to hire throughout the year with a full set of BS show jumps for only £22 for half an hour or £38 for an hour. You can jump up to four horses within that time, then each additional horse is £5.

It is also available to pony clubs and riding clubs or individuals who wish to organise their own training clinics or events.

You can now book the arena online go to www.rectoryfarm.com