



### The Pony Club Mini-Major Qualifier Kindly sponsored by Webbs Builders Merchants

### Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> August

Held at Rectory Farm Arena

# During the The Pony Club Regional Championships 2023

ONLINE ENTRY VIA THE HORSE EVENTS WEBSITE www.horse-events.co.uk

**Entries Close**: Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> August

#### **Event Secretary**

Tel: 01285 821715 Email: arena@rectoryfarm.com

#### **Entry Details**

Mini-Major warm-up class - £15 entry + booking fee Mini-Major qualifying class - £25 + booking fee Rosettes 1st - 10th and sash for the winner. The competition will be held in Rectory Farm's big 50m x 80m arena.

#### **Rules of Entry**

## Rules and Conditions of Entry Your entry is deemed to include acceptance of these rules

- 1. The competition will be run in accordance with the relevant Pony Club Sport Rules 2023
- 2. Each District Commissioner is required to certify the eligibility of each horse and rider
- 3. The Judge's decision is final.
- 4. Protests and Objections please see Rule 43 in Pony Club Show Jumping Rule book 2023
- 5. Horses/ponies competing may only be ridden by their competitor.
- 6. No horse or pony may be ridden more than once in each class.
- 7. No horse/pony under the age of 5 may compete in the Show Jumping.

#### **Entries**

- 1. In the event of cancellation, £5 of the entry fee will be retained to defray costs.
- 2. After the relevant closing date no substitution may be made of horses or riders except in the case of illness, lameness or other unavoidable circumstances which must be certified in writing by the relevant District Commissioner to the secretary. No substitutions can be made after the competition has started.
- 3. A booking fee of £1-£1.50 will be added to each entry, per person/per class.

#### **Event Liability**

- 1. Save for the 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 or 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.
- 2. The organisers of this event have taken all 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. They must obey the instructions of the organisers and all officials and stewards.



#### **Mini Major**

The Olympia London International Horse Show has once again invited eight lucky Members of The Pony Club to take part in the Mini Major Show Jumping class at the show which is held at Christmas time. Each Pony Club Member will be paired with one of the senior International riders competing at the show and the competition is a pair relay with the time of the Pony Club Member deciding the winner. This is a once in a lifetime opportunity for 128cm pony riders to compete at a FEI 5 star International show.

#### Rules

Open to members of The Pony Club aged 12 and under, riding ponies 128cm and under. The top two of each competition will qualify for the final at The London International Horse Show (subject to eligibility, see below).

Mini-Major warm-up class. Single-Phase, Speed 325 mpm, Maximum height 90cm. Mini-Major qualifying class. Table A7, Speed 325 mpm, Maximum height 90cm. The winner of the class will be invited to compete at Olympia subject to eligibility. In the event that the winner has already qualified, qualification will pass down the line.

#### **Eligibility**

Any rider who has taken part in The Pony Club Mini-Major at Olympia in previous years is not eligible.

In order to be selected for the Mini Major, the rider must have paid their Pony Club Membership fee in full.

An application form will be sent by The Pony Club to each rider provisionally selected for the London International Horse Show. Before selection can be confirmed, this form must be completed and returned by a parent or guardian and signed by the DC of the member's branch. Amongst the information requested on the form will be full details and dates of the rallies attended by the member.

There are specific dress and conduct rules which the London International Horse Show set for the Mini Major and these must be complied with. Details will be sent to the selected members.

Classes may be restricted.





#### Horse Events will be taking ONLINE ENTRIES

Entries Close Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> August Times will be published on www.rectoryfarm.com from 3pm on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2023

For more information email: <u>arena@rectoryfarm.com</u> or call 01285 821715 Contact on the day: 07824 759 655







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#### 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 with plenty of space for you to sit and watch the action in our picnic area