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Pony Club Grassroots Regional Championships 2024 at Kelsall Hill Equestrian Centre

Saturday 24th, Sunday 25th & Monday 26th August 2024

Address: Kelsall Hill Equestrian Centre, Organsdale Farm, Middlewich Road, Kelsall,

Tarporley, Cheshire, CW6 0SR

Date of event: Saturday 24th, Sunday 25th & Monday 26th August 2024.

Entries Open: Monday 1st July 2024

Entries Close: Friday 16th August 2024 – If the entries become full prior to the date the

entries will close earlier.

Event Contacts

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Event Secretary Name, Email & Phone Number: Meg Watson | meg@kelsallhill.co.uk | 01829 708241

Entries Secretary: Meg Watson

Classes:

Saturday 24th August

The Pony Club Grassroots Regional Team & Individual Dressage Championships

- Class 1 Warm Up Dressage (Prelim 7) (This will run depending upon entry numbers)
- Class 2 PC70 Preliminary PC70 Dressage Test 2022

- Class 3 PC70 Plus Preliminary PC70 Dressage Test 2022
- Class 4 PC80 Grassroots PC80 Dressage Championship Test 2024

Open to Teams and individuals that have qualified at their Area Grassroots Dressage competition, members can be of any age with any size of horse or pony. Rider must never previously have represented their Branch or Centre at PC90 level or above in Area Dressage or Eventing. Combination never to have competed above Prelim level with BD or in a Winter Series Championships. See main Pony Club website for full rules.

Entry Fee: £34 per competitor. The warm up class will be £16 per entry.

Rosettes to $1^{st} - 8^{th}$ place for each individual arena, individual ride off & overall teams. Sashes will be presented to the individual winner and to each rider in the winning team.

Sunday 25th August

The Pony Club Regional Team & Individual Show Jumping Championships

- > 70cm
- > 70cm Plus
- ➤ 80cm

Open to Teams and individuals that have qualified at their Area Grassroots Show Jumping Competition, members can be of any age with any size of horse or pony. Rider must never previously have represented their Branch or Centre at PC90 level or above in Show Jumping or Eventing. Combination to have no BS recorded results at 90cm or above. The competition will consist of 3 rounds jumped over a full course in two arenas, all teams to jump twice followed by a jump off against the clock if required – riders may NOT walk the 3rd round.

See main Pony Club website for full rules.

Entry Fee: £39 per competitor.

Rosettes to $1^{st} - 8^{th}$ place for the individual jump-off & Teams. Sashes will be presented to the individual winner and to each rider in the winning team.

Monday 26th August

The Pony Club Regional Team & Individual Eventing Championships:

- ➤ Class 1 PC70
 - o Dressage: Preliminary PC70 Dressage Test (2022)
 - Show Jumping: 70cm
 - Cross Country: Max 70cm Height
- ➤ Class 2 PC70 Plus
 - o Dressage: Preliminary PC70 Dressage Test (2022)
 - o Show Jumping: 70cm
 - o Cross Country: Max 70cm Height
- ➤ Class 3 PC80
 - o Dressage: Grassroots PC80 Dressage Championship Test (2024)
 - Show Jumping: 80cm
 - Cross Country: Max 80cm Height

Open to Teams and individuals that have qualified at their Area Grassroots Dressage competition, members can be of any age with any size of horse or pony. Rider must never

previously have represented their Branch or Centre at PC90 level or above in Eventing. Combination never to have competed in any British Eventing BE90 competition or above.

See main Pony Club website for full ruleseligibility.

Entry Fee: £86 per competitor

Rosettes to 1st – 8th place for the individual jump-off & Teams. Sashes will be presented to the individual winner and to each rider in the winning team.

ENTRIES:

All entries should be made online using https://entry.equipe.com/meetings/4499

For Pony Club entries you will need your membership number and Branch/Centre to enter a qualifying class.

If you need to cancel an entry or change a class before the closing date please email admin@kelsallhill.co.uk

IF YOU HAVE ANY DIFFICULTIES ENTERING ONLINE, PLEASE DO NOT HESTITATE TO CONTACT THE OFFICE ON 01829 708241.

Email: admin@kelsallhill.co.uk

All entries are subject to a non-refundable booking fee as stated on the terms and conditions on the website.

Timetable

The timetable will be confirmed 48 hours prior to the start of the competition. This will be available on the Kelsall Hill website under Times and Results.

Substitutions

After the closing date for substitutions may only be made as per Pony Club 2024 Rules

Please email your changes after the closing date to admin@kelsallhill.co.uk

Withdrawals & Refunds

WITHDRAWALS (ALL COMPETITIONS & CHAMPIONSHIPS)

If a Branch or Centre withdraws a team or individual prior to the closing date for a competition, a full refund of entry and stabling fees will be made, less an administration charge. Withdrawals after the closing date for a competition will not be refunded.

ABANDONMENT (ALL COMPETITIONS & CHAMPIONSHIPS)

In the event of a competition being abandoned, for whatever reason, a refund of 50% of the entry fee will be given. In such an instance the refund process will be communicated and must be followed.

Eligibility

Please refer to The Pony Club Dressage, Show Jumping and Eventing Rulebook 2024.

All rules are available at - https://pcuk.org/officials/rulebooks/

Prizes & Prize Giving:

Prize Giving will take place on site at Kelsall Hill Equestrian Centre. Please note all competitors are required to attend prize in competition gear. Attending prize giving's are mandatory for each discipline. Prize giving's will be unmounted.

Placings will be 1st to 8th in all classes across the days of competition for both individuals and teams. Sashes will be presented to the individual winners and to each rider in the winning team in each discipline.

Prizes in kind to be confirmed.

ENTRY CONDITIONS:

- To be run in accordance with Pony Club Dressage, Show Jumping & Eventing Rules 2024.
- Please ensure your members comply with eligibility, hat tagging, body protector and medical armband rules and there is a responsible adult present.
- Please print your own paper number Bridle or Saddlecloth numbers are also permitted.
- Late entries may be accepted at the organiser's discretion. Late entry surcharge £5.
- Queries may only be raised via the Secretary by the DC/Centre Proprietor or their appointee. Protests/objections will be managed as per the Rulebook.
- Photographic Rights competitors and their parents/guardians have given
 permission for any photographic and/or film or TV footage taken of persons or
 horses/ponies taking part in Pony Club events to be used and published in any media
 whatsoever for editorial purposes, press information or advertising by or on behalf of
 the Pony Club and/or Official Sponsors of the Pony Club.
- A valid passport and vaccination record must accompany the horse/pony to this
 event and must be available for inspection if required by event officials. Vaccinations
 must be in accordance with the Pony Club Vaccination Rule 2024.
- Please ensure the sports specific rules are read and understood, as part the commitment to safety guns will be checked and flagged at the event

For Kelsall Hill Equestrian Centre rules and terms and conditions please visit the following link, https://tinyurl.com/ezjh8xht

Please note the Withdrawal and Cancellation Policy will differ as stated on our website, the correct terms for this event are stated above within the schedule.

Well behaved dogs are welcome but must be kept on a lead at all times and must be cleaned up after. Please note dogs are not allowed in the onsite stabling block or Arenas.

LEGAL 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.
- 3. Non-Pony Club competitors are not covered by The Pony Club insurance and must have their own third-party cover. The Pony Club and the organisers of this event are not legally responsible for non-Members and their insurance will not cover you.

HEALTH, SAFETY & WELFARE:

Organisers of this event have taken reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present. 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 organisers and all the officials and stewards.

Vet & Farrier Services:

The vets on call for the duration of the event will be Thomason and Harding Equine Vets. Should you require a vet please come into reception and notify a member of staff.

A farrier will be on call for the duration of the event. The farrier is to be confirmed. Should you require the farrier please come into reception and notify a member of staff.

Additional Information

STABLING

Onsite stabling will be available on a first come first serve basis. We will have Cheval temporary stabling onsite. You are welcome to bring your own rubber matting. The price is £50 per stable/night. There is no turn out available with the stables. Stables must be paid for in full in prior to the competition. Permanent stables may also be available but the price will differ from temporary stabling.

A fully refundable stable cleaning deposit will be charged at £50 per stable, as long as the stable is returned to us clean and undamaged, a bare floor to bare floor policy is in place so please clean your stable out fully. Your stable cleaning deposit will be refunded to your card once it has been inspected by a member of our team. You will need to provide your own mucking out equipment, such as a brush and wheel barrow.

Bedding is available to purchase from the office, the price is £12 per bale. You are welcome to bring your own shavings if you wish.

Electricity hook up is available at £25 per unit per night. We do have a limited amount of hook ups available onsite. You will need to collect your hook up adaptor from the office, in office hours, with a £20 fully refundable deposit, refunded once you return the cable in working order.

To improve biosecurity, we do not have drinkers in the stables. You will need to provide your own bucket. There are taps for water on the outside of the stable yard.

You are welcome to bring your own forage onsite. Small bales of haylage/hay can be purchased via Equipe and collected from the Stable Managers Office at selected times.

Access to stabling is from 3pm until 6pm, stable to be fully emptied by 12pm on the day of departure. If you want to arrive late you will need to agree this in advance with the office prior.

Camping

Tents, caravans, trailers and lorries are all welcome to the event. Please note all over night stayers must be booked in advance, so we can account for all personal onsite. We do have onsite showers and toilets available 24/7.

Catering

Our catering onsite is provided by Urchin's Kitchen. The café is located in the equestrian centre providing both hot and cold refreshments and food throughout the day. Opening times will be confirmed, so people onsite will be able to have tea and breakfast prior to the competition.