



***Cheshire Inter Schools Dressage Challenge
NSEA Championships Area Qualifier
NSEA Cheshire Championships***

To be held on Sunday 25th March 2012

Sponsored by Abbey Gate College

Kindly Hosted by Maelor Equestrian Centre, Hope, near Wrexham

Top 2 Teams and 2 Individuals in the Qualifying Classes go through to the NSEA Championships to be held in October 2012.

Abbey Gate College Perpetual Challenge Shield to Highest Scoring Team

Reaseheath College Trophy to Highest Overall Individual Score

Rosettes to 6th place for top Individual in each class and to top 6 Teams

NSEA Certificates to Top Team from each County

Class 1 – BD Preliminary 13 - Warm-up Class

Class 2 – BD Preliminary 14 NSEA Qualifier

Class 3 - BD Novice 24 NSEA Qualifier

Class 4 - BD Elementary 49 NSEA Qualifier

Team and individual entries accepted in all classes.

Working-in in 30m x 60m indoor arena with seating gallery,

All tests in two marked out arenas within the large out-door arena.

Judging by British Dressage Listed Judges.

Catering available all day from the Café overlooking the indoor arena.

‘Elite Equestrian’ tack shop in site.

Entries Secretary: Mrs K. Holden, Windy Ridge Cottage, Marton Green, Off Clay Lane, Winsford, Cheshire. CW7 2QG.

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Entries close at mid-day on Friday 16th March 2012

RULES:

1. Please see NSEA rules on www.nsea.co.uk for full list of rules.
2. All entries must be current members of NSEAE, and membership number must be included on all entry forms. (See www.nsea.co.uk for membership details).
3. Individual entries will be accepted in all classes and the top 2 individuals competing in Classes 2, 3 and 4 will qualify for the Championships at that level, whether part of a team or not.
4. All riders must wear a riding hat certified to PAS 015, with chin strap, AT ALL TIMES whilst mounted, and only mounted riders will be permitted into the working in arena except in emergency.
5. No horse/pony may compete twice in the same class, and no horse/pony may be ridden by any person other than the one competing that horse/pony from the time of arrival at the competition until after that horse/pony has completed it's test(s).
6. No lead rein competitors will be accepted, but commanders will be allowed for all classes.
7. Due to a lack of space, no lunging of horses/ponies will be permitted on site.
8. **Declarations** to be made by 10 minutes before the start of each class, by the Team Manager.
9. **Objections** may be made by the team manager only, within 5 minutes of the end of the class, in writing, with a £30 deposit. Video/photographic evidence is not permissible.
10. Results will be available as soon as possible after each class, and rosettes for the warm-up class will be available with the score sheets at the end of this class. Team results and presentations will be approximately 30 minutes after the end of the final test of the final rider.
11. The organisers, Hosts and Abbey Gate College and all staff and volunteers take no responsibility for any accident, injury, illness, loss, theft or damage howsoever caused to any person, animal or property whilst on the premises. All persons attend at their own risk.
12. **All entries must give ONE contact name with e-mail address and/or phone number through which all information will be given. This address will be used solely for the purpose of communicating information about this event, and will not be passed on to a third party.**
13. **Entries close at mid-day on Friday 16th March 2012.**
14. Times will be made available by mid-day on Thursday 22nd March 2012, by e-mail to the given contact person for each entry. For paper copies of times please enclose an A5 size SAE with the entry.
15. **Dogs must be kept on a lead at all times, and all dog mess is to be removed immediately.**
16. **No hay nets to be fed outside of lorries/trailers, and all droppings to be picked up and removed from the car park before departure.**
17. **Contact number on the day of the competition only is Tel:07812 400164.**