



# Cheltenham & District Riding Club & Frampton Family Riding Club Mercian One Day Event

## Monday 28th August 2017

ACE Cross Country  
Abbots Court Farm  
Twynning  
Gloucestershire

By kind permission of Tony & Mike Williams & Lynsey Kitchener

<b>Class 1</b>	<b>Mercian Novice Teams of 4 riders Highest 3 scores to count</b>	<b>Approx. 2'3" (70cm) 2 riders to ride Intro C, 2 riders to ride P7</b>	<b>£160 per team</b>
<b>Class 2</b>	<b>Mercian Intermediate Teams of 4 riders Highest 3 scores to count</b>	<b>Approx. 2'6" (80cm) 2 riders to ride P7, 2 riders to ride P14</b>	<b>£160 per team</b>
<b>In line with the Mercian ethos this event is aimed at true grass roots riders. The SJ and XC courses will be inviting and FUN. Any XC fence we feel could be a challenge will have an alternative. Our aim is that NOBODY gets eliminated (and will be allowed to complete all three phases unless they are considered a danger to themselves, their horse/pony or others!) and everyone leaves with a smile on their face! The XC will not be timed.</b>			

Scoring:- Team members will be awarded place points as follows 1<sup>st</sup> = 1, 2<sup>nd</sup> = 2 etc, The winning team will be that with the lowest aggregate score for their best 3 riders. In the event of equality the score of the 4<sup>th</sup> team member will be taken into account. If equality still exists then the dressage "collective" marks will be considered

For queries please contact the Event Secretary: Noel Ennett on [noel.ennett@me.com](mailto:noel.ennett@me.com) 07590 108545

Rosettes

Team rosettes to 6th place

Individual rosettes to 6th place in each section

Highest dressage score in each section

**Course to be walked from 2.00pm 27<sup>th</sup> August 2016** but will not be deemed complete until 8am on Monday 28th August. Any alterations will be posted outside the secretary's box on the day of the competition.

**Times will be available on [www.cheltenhamridingclub.net](http://www.cheltenhamridingclub.net) on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> August.**

**\*\* IMPORTANT \*\*** Times will ONLY be given for the Dressage phase. The SJ and XC phases will have a start and finish time and competitors may present anytime during that period and put their number down

Please note a £10 returnable deposit is needed for number bibs (please bring correct money)

### **This event will be run under current British Riding Club Rules**

1. **Entries will be limited, please enter all classes as early as possible to avoid disappointment.** The committee reserves the right to alter or vary the schedule or to decline any entry.
2. **All Mercian teams must provide at least one helper to assist all day at the event. Failure to do so will result in elimination of the team**
3. Hard hats to the current standard BRC (new 2016 rule BSEN1384 is not acceptable on its own) standard must be worn whenever mounted, with the chin strap done up. Fixed peak caps (XC phase) and head cams are NOT allowed.
4. Back Protectors and Medical Arm Bands are compulsory for cross country phase. Colours may be worn, hunting stocks are recommended.
5. CDRC and FFRC will not tolerate any verbal or physical abuse of its members, competitors, spectators or animals and reserves the right to ask any person deemed to be behaving inappropriately to leave the showground.
6. Any animal behaving in a manner which may pose a danger to other attendees may be asked to leave the show ground and no refund of entry fees will be made.
7. Horses or ponies must be at least 4 years of age. Horses may not compete more than once in a class or in more than one class..
8. A child protection trained member of the CDRC committee is available all day – contact the secretary
9. Horses must not be left unattended tied to the outside of vehicles.
10. All dogs must be kept on a lead at all times.
11. Directions of any steward or representative of CDRC/FFRC must be followed, failure to do so may result in elimination and/or being asked to leave a class/show ground. No refund of entry fees will be made. The judges (including jump judges) decision is final. Objections must be handed to the secretary IN WRITING within 15 minutes of the end of the class together with a £20 deposit. Objections will be dealt with at the end of the day. Any objection not in writing will be dismissed.
12. CDRC, FFRC, the BHS, BRC and the land owners, accept no responsibility for accident, injury, loss or damage to any horse, vehicles, property, riders, grooms, spectators etc while in attendance at this event
13. Refunds will only be issued on production of a vet/doctors certificate.

<b>EVENT SECRETARY</b>	<b>ENTRIES SECRETARY</b>
Noel Ennett noel.ennett@me.com 07590 108545	Noel Ennett 29 Holmer Crescent, Up Hatherley Cheltenham GL51 3LR

**ENTRY FORM**

Team Name (if applicable)	Class Number	Rider Name	Horse Name	Dressage test	Fee
Continue on separate sheet if necessary				Add £2.50/rider first aid	
				Total	

Contact details (including email address):.....  
.....  
.....

Name and email of nominated helper (see rule 2).....  
.....

Entries close: Friday 18th August 2017, or before if classes are already full.

Cheques made payable to CDRC or BACS to account 81386220 sort 40-17-10 (use team name as ref)

Send to: Noel Ennett, 29 Holmer Crescent, Up Hatherley, Cheltenham, Glos, GL51 3LR

For queries please contact the Event Secretary: Noel Ennett on 07590 108545 or  
[noel.ennett@me.com](mailto:noel.ennett@me.com)