

Rules for Hykeham Riding Club Events.

It is a condition of entry that the competitors agree to be bound by the rules hereunder.

1. The organising committee will accept no responsibility whatsoever for any injury, loss or damage to any person or their property, whilst on the equestrian centre premises, car park or approaches.
2. We advise that all entrants and their horse/pony are fully insured with Third Party Insurance.
3. Correct dress must be worn at all times.
4. A hard hat to British Standard EN1384 or PAS015 with correctly fitted chinstrap MUST be worn by all competitors and riders whilst mounted.
5. Excessive use of whips or spurs, foul language or cruelty will not be tolerated and may result in the offender being eliminated and asked to leave the event.
6. The organisers reserve the right to amalgamate or split classes and alter or amend the running order.
7. Entry fee will not be refunded.
8. The judges decision is final. Anyone deemed to be found verbally abusive, abusing or heckling the judges, stewards, competitors or spectators may result in disqualification and asked to leave the event.
9. Prize money will be withheld if insufficient entries.
10. All dogs must be on a short lead, and clean up after them.
11. Please do not move out horseboxes/trailers onto the show ground.
12. Take all litter home.
13. Please be responsible for young children, don't allow them to run wild.
14. For **open shows** you cannot ride the same horse in the beginners arena as the open arena.
15. If you are a lead rein rider you stay on the lead rein for the season and only do lead rein classes.
16. For **hunter trials** 3 wins in any class you must then move classes or ride the same class as HC competitor.
17. For **open show** classes 1,2,3,4,5,6 are all non trophyed for this year. You will still receive normal points.
18. **Open show** main ring for classes 20,21,&22 anyone entering these classes cannot enter the int or open classes.
19. **Open show** main ring for classes 23,23 &25 anyone entering these classes cannot enter the open class.
20. **Open show** beginners ring classes 7,8,9 & 10 anyone entering these classes cannot enter the pre-novice or int classes.