



ORKNEY RIDING CLUB

SPRING WORKING HUNTER SHOW

incorporating Blair Castle WH and Style Jumping qualifiers
SATURDAY 4th May at Gaitnip by kind permission of the Casey family
(or at the Riding Centre if ground conditions are too wet)

Judge: Jean Gunn

CASEY CONSTRUCTION MINI WHP for Riders 12 years & under

Class 1: Poles / small X-Poles

Class 2: 40-45

Class 3: 45-55

Class 4: 55-65

to be followed by Mini WHP Championship for Casey Construction cup

NORTHVET WORKING HUNTER

Class 5: Poles/small X-Poles

Class 6: 40-50

Class 7: 50-60

Class 8Q: 60

Class 9: 60-70

Class 10Q: 70

Class 11: 70-80

Class 12Q: 80

Class 13: 80-90

Class 14Q: 90-100

Class 15Q: 95-105

to be followed by Working Hunter Championship for Northvet shield

GREAVES WEST & AYRE/BHS SCOTLAND RC SYLE JUMPING: **Class 16Q: 75-85**

- The Judges' decision is final and must be respected.
- Class 1 & 2 rider can have a leader/helper, lead reins must be attached correctly
- Classes 8, 10 & 12 are only for the BPS Training Stakes qualifiers
- Classes 14, 15 & 16 incorporate Blair Series 2024, although they are open to all and those not in to qualify can take part at the lower fee.
- ORC is not responsible for checking rider/pony eligibility for qualifier classes. Read the notes carefully and full details can be found on the respective websites.
- The same horse/rider combination can do up to 3 WH classes + Style SJ
- To run under BRC Rules. WH Scoring. Class 16 using Style Jumping scoring.
- No change of tack is permitted between jumping & showing. Boots/Bandages must be removed for the showing - no back boots permitted for WH jumping.
- The committee reserve the right to alter, divide or cancel any of the classes, and to transfer entries which in their opinion are in the wrong class.
- Children must be supervised by an adult at all times
- Horses must not be left unsupervised
- The venue in a clean & tidy state
- **Closing Date: TUESDAY 30th APRIL**

ORC Working Hunter Show Entry

CLASS	Casey Construction Mini WHP Classes 1-4 for Riders 12 years & under	FEE	TICK
1	Poles / small cross poles - Mini WHP	£8	
2	40-45cm - Mini WHP	£8	
3	45-55cm - Mini WHP	£8	
4	55-65cm - Mini WHP	£8	
	Casey Construction Mini WHP Championship		
CLASS	Northvet Open Working Hunter incorporating Blair qualifiers		
5	Poles / small cross poles	£8	
6	40-50cm	£8	
7	50-60cm	£8	
8 Q	BSPS Training Stakes Qualifier 60cm (read notes)* n/e 158cm	£10	
9	60-70cm	£8	
10 Q	BSPS Training Stakes Qualifier 70cm (read notes)* n/e 158cm	£10	
11	70-80cm	£8	
12 Q	BSPS Training Stakes Qualifier 80cm (read notes)* n/e158cm	£10	
13	80-90cm	£8	
14 Q	90-100cm incorporating Dodson & Horrell/BHS Scotland RC WH qualifier for horses 15h & over/riders 18yrs & over (read notes)*	£8 £10 Q	
15 Q	95-105cm incorporating Perth Equine Vets/BHS Scotland WH qualifier for horses 15h & over/riders 18yrs & over (read notes)*	£8 £10 Q	
	Northvet Working Hunter Championship Classes 5-15		
16Q	75-85cm Greaves West & Ayre/BHS Scotland RC STYLE JUMPING qualifier for riders 18yrs & over on 1 st Jan 2024 (read notes)*	£8 £10Q	
Rider Name:			
Horse Name:			
Contact Details:			
Total Fee Due:			

Entries to be received by:

email: orkneyridingclub@gmail.com

or post to: Helen Foulis, The Stables, Springfield Drive, Kirkwall, KW15 1XU

Orkney Riding Club: a/c no: 00242281 / sort code: 83-24-07 / REF: WH

Entry fees not paid by TUESDAY 30th APRIL 2024 will be charged double

Blair Castle BSPS Training Stakes Series – Classes 8Q, 10Q and 12Q

Ponies placed first & second in the above classes will qualify for the Championships held at the Defender Blair Castle International Horse Trials 2024. Qualification may go down to fourth place if higher placed ponies have previously qualified. The Championship is open to both plaited and heritage mountain & moorland ponies up to 158cm. The Championship is open to both members and non-members of BSPS.

Only those who have jumped a clear round can qualify.

Those that qualify at all three heights may only enter two classes at the Finals.

The max height of horse for the Training Stakes qualifier is 15.2hh (158cm). Riders of any age. All persons entering, competing, showing or otherwise taking part in the B.S.P.S. Classes, whether or not Members of the B.S.P.S. are subject to the Constitution and Rules of the B.S.P.S., including disciplinary procedures, and shall be deemed to have consented to the jurisdiction of the B.S.P.S.

HATS:

Correctly secured Skull Caps/Riding Hats Nos. PAS015 2011, VG1, (BS) EN1384 2023, ASTM F1163 2015 and 2023, SNELL E2016 and E2021, AS/NZS 3838 2006, MUST be worn by riders at all times when mounted. Hats should have a plain cover, either Black, Navy Blue, Brown, Grey or Green. Velvet covers are encouraged. The B.S.P.S. encourages members to have their hats tagged through the B.S.P.S. scheme or via the Pony Club Scheme. Tagging indicates that the hat meets the accepted standards, no check of the fit or condition of the hat is implied. It is considered to be the responsibility of the members/guardians to ensure the hat complies with the current standards and is tagged before they compete. Members/guardians are responsible for ensuring the manufacturer's guidelines with regard to fit and replacement are followed. Hat Tagging in B.S.P.S. classes is compulsory at BSPS Winter, Summer and Heritage Championship shows, Royal International Horse Show, London International Horse Show, Burghley Gold Cup and lead rein WSP final. (We are accepting British Eventing, British Riding Club and Pony Club tags)

BODY PROTECTORS.

Body Protectors MUST be worn when jumping in any WHP and WH classes Including practice rings at B.S.P.S. affiliated shows. (Including Tiny Tots, Cradle and Nursery Stakes, WSP, LRWSP and Training Stakes). Riders must wear a body protector when working in (practice jumps) and the jumping phase in all B.S.P.S. organised and affiliated events. A British Equestrian Trade Association (BETA) approved and appropriately labelled "Level 3 body protector" 2018 (Blue and Black) shown on the label. BETA recommends body protectors are replaced at least every three to five years, after which the impact absorption properties of the foam may have started to decline. All types of Air Jackets are not allowed.

[Dodson & Horrell / BHS Scotland Riding Club Working Hunter Series 2024 – Class 14Q](#)

Mare or gelding, four years old and upwards, 15hh and over. Riders eighteen years or over. The qualified riders **MUST** be a member of a British Riding Club by the time of the final.

[Perth Equine Vets/BHS Scotland Working Hunter Series 2024 – Class 15Q](#)

The horse must be four years old and over, exceeding 148cm (14.2 approx). Riders must be eighteen years or over on the day of the championships. Qualified riders must be a member of the British Horse Society by the time of the final.

Rules for Classes 14Q and 15Q:

The first THREE qualify for the final, even if they did not jump clear. If one of the first three has already qualified the qualification can be passed down to fourth place provided they have jumped clear. The competition series is run under Sport Horse Breeding of Great Britain (SHB GB), the governing body of all hunter and sports horses classes. It is the responsibility of organisers and competitors to be familiar with these rules; they can be found at <http://www.sporhorsegb.co.uk>.

Please be aware of following rules for the Blair Final :

50 H - All ridden hunters must be shod all round. No pads or surgical shoes are allowed.

50i - No hind boots or bandages of any description are allowed in the collecting ring, warm up or in the actual class in Working Hunter and Ridden Sport Horse classes.

50 j - The Society discourages the showing of over fat horses and Judges will take this into consideration when making their awards.

[Greaves West & Aure/BHS Scotland Riding Club Style Jumping Series 2024 – Class 16Q](#)

Course max 85cm. Open to horses 4yo and over, not to have any BE points and not to have completed at BE100 or above in the current or previous calendar year. Riders 18yo on 1 Jan 2024. Run under BRC rules. To be eligible to compete at the final, riders must be a senior member of a riding club affiliated to BRC.

Objectives

1. To encourage better pace and rhythm in competitions and improved rider training in jumping competitions.
2. To demonstrate the rider's knowledge and effect of developing the canter at 325 metres per minute and its amenability for riding a course.
3. That judges can provide good constructive comments for the benefit of the competitors.

The Style Jumping Test:

The signal to start is given and the course jumped, the rider is judged on how they ride the whole course, particular attention being given to how they ride the turns and present the horse at a fence. The course is completed when the horse passes through the finish. There is no need to salute the judge. The judge will award the following marks for the round:

1. Equestrian feel and skill, ability to present the horse correctly at the fence and ride accurate lines. The ability to maintain a clear rhythm and correct pace. Confidence. Ability to influence the horse correctly (30 points).
2. Riders leg position, balance and ability to follow the horses movement over the fence. Security of the lower leg. Independence of the rein (20 points).
3. Horse's balance and rhythm. Desire to move forward, attention and confidence, harmony, lightness and ease of movement, acceptance of the bridle, calmness of the jump (30 points).

In case of equality of marks, jumping penalties will decide, then in order, the rider's equestrian feel and skill, the horse's balance and rhythm and the rider's leg position, balance and ability to follow the horse's movement over the fences.

WORKING HUNTER CLINIC with JEAN GUNN

SUNDAY 5th MAY at Gaitnip (or Riding Centre if the Show is relocated)

Over the dressed Working Hunter competition course.

Lessons are open to all levels – from Poles on the Ground upwards.

Cost = £20 for a group lesson.

Privates / Semi-Privates may be available at a higher fee but only if there is space. Make a note below if you'd be interested.

Names and Payment to be in by TUESDAY 30TH APRIL – although spaces may be filled before the closing date. After that if there are spaces these will be allocated to those asking for Privates / Semi-Privates. Time is limited as Jean goes back on the ferry on Sunday.

Bookings to be emailed to: orkneyridingclub@gmail.com
preferred payment method is via BACS to **83-24-07 / 00242281** using **WH** as reference. If you have trouble completing this form then just include all the relevant details in the body of an email – but please make sure you include all the information required below. (or post with payment to: The Stables, Springfield Drive, Kirkwall, KW15 1XU)

Horse & Rider: _____

Jumping Level: _____

Contact Details: _____

Any Other Requests / Relevant Info: _____
