



WINDSOR PARK EQUESTRIAN CLUB

CARRIAGE DRIVING RULES AND SCHEDULES 2021

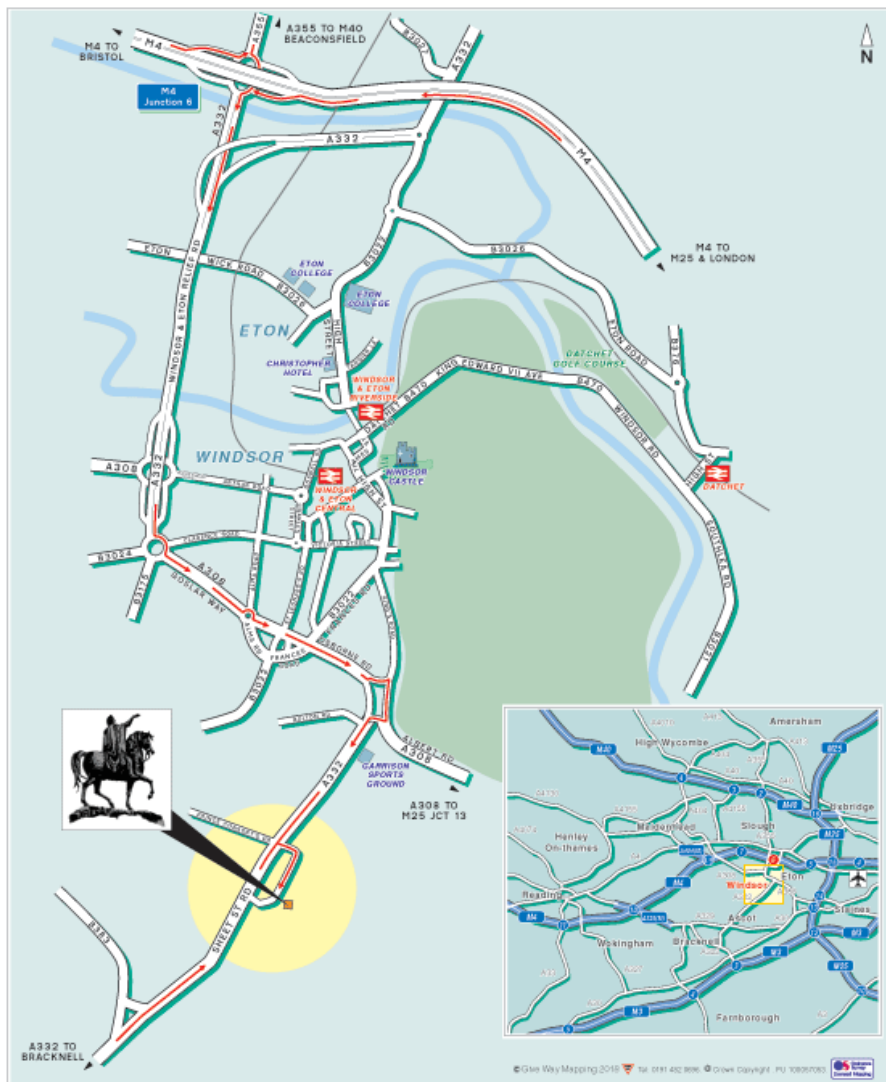
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1. WELCOME

The committee of Windsor Park Equestrian Club (“WPEC”) and the event organisers put a great deal of effort into taking reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present on competition days. This can only be effective if everyone plays their own part in helping to avoid and prevent accidents. Please obey any instructions given by the organisers, event officials or stewards.

In 2019 the Club moved to our new location within The Deer Park. Entry to the show ground is from Sheet Street Road (A332), Windsor, SL4 2BD, via the Windsor Great Park Open Air Car Park driveway. A map of access routes is shown below, on our website and on Facebook. No vehicle will be allowed to enter the Great Park without the correct pass in full view through the windscreen. No unauthorised vehicles are allowed on the competition ground. You must use the signed route to access the competition grounds from the lorry park.



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2. POLICY STATEMENT

Windsor Park Equestrian Club recognises the responsibilities placed upon it under the Health and Safety at Work etc. Act and all subsequent legislation derived from it. Windsor Park Equestrian Club is committed to the health, safety and welfare of its officials, volunteers, members, visitors, members of the general public and those affected by its operations. It will do all that is reasonably practicable to minimise the risk of injury, accident and illness and protect the environment.

This will be achieved by:

1. Carrying out suitable and sufficient assessments of health and safety risks and putting in place appropriate control measures.
2. Providing and maintaining safe systems of work and safe handling, storage, maintenance and transport of articles and substances.
3. Ensuring sufficient information, instruction, training and supervision is provided throughout the Club to enable people to fulfil their duties without unnecessary risk to their own, their colleagues or other people's health, safety and welfare.
4. Providing a safe working environment with adequate welfare facilities.
5. Providing and maintaining safe plant and equipment.
6. Ensuring all accommodation and materials used by the Club are safe and provided with safe access and egress.
7. Co-operation with the relevant authorities such as The Crown Estate Office.
8. Compliance with the Club Health and Safety Policy and liaison with The Crown Estate via its Health and Safety management structure.
9. Requiring contractors to comply with safety standards, to provide information and not expose others to risks to their health and safety.
10. Requiring members to take reasonable care of their own health and safety and that of others.

3. DRIVING HEALTH & SAFETY

No matter how experienced you consider yourself to be **PLEASE READ** and remember the following safety rules. You may be held responsible for any accident, injury or damage to property if you are found to have breached any safety rules or guidelines.

Always remember that although a loose horse in a crowded box park may be something of a hazard, one loose with a carriage attached is considerably more dangerous.

Due to the nature of Carriage Driving there is always scope for accidents to happen. Everyone must follow the more important rules listed below, anyone found in breach of these rules may be disqualified from the competition:

- 3.1. Never put yourself or anyone with you in harms way.
- 3.2. Check your harness and vehicle is in sound condition and unlikely to break before every phase of every event.
- 3.3. Ensure your harness and carriage are both properly adjusted and fit your animal before attending an event. Avoid making adjustments while at an event due to the unfamiliar surroundings you and your horse will be in.
- 3.4. Never leave a horse harnessed to a vehicle without a competent person in control.
- 3.5. Never remove the reins or any part of the bridle whilst the horse/pony is still put to a carriage.
- 3.6. Never tie a horse/pony to anything whilst put to a carriage.
- 3.7. Always follow the correct harnessing up and unharnessing procedure, ie. connect the traces to the carriage before the breeching straps etc.
- 3.8. The driver (whip) must be correctly seated on the vehicle and in full control of the animal/s BEFORE anyone else mounts the vehicle and must be the last to dismount.
- 3.9. Always move off at walk, especially in the lorry park and any crowded area, such as in a collecting area.
- 3.10. Never school a horse / pony at an event as the atmosphere can excite the animal and cause a runaway.
- 3.11. Remember that an inexperienced animal coming to an event is likely to react in a different way from a more familiar place, such as at home.
- 3.12. Never strap anyone into the vehicle. Strap/seat belt is allowed as long as they have a free end that is held by the groom so it can be released easily.
- 3.13. Please also refer to the **Driving Rules and Regulations** and **Lorry Park Rules** elsewhere within this document.

4. LORRY PARK RULES

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE LORRY PARK IS NOT OPEN UNTIL 2.30pm ON THE FRIDAY OF A COMPETITION WEEKEND.

- 4.1. Be aware the lorry park is situated next to a main road Sheet Street Road(A332), which is used heavily.
- 4.2. The Lorry park is within the Deer Park with wild deer running free. The entrance gate **MUST** be kept closed at all times.
- 4.3. All Lorries and Caravans are required to carry at least a fully working 1kg fire extinguisher.
- 4.4. Competitors must park in an orderly manner upon arrival. Please ensure wherever possible that a three (3) metre space is left between each encampment.
- 4.5. When parking please consider the space allowance for side ramps and rear ramps.
- 4.6. Any accompanying cars should be parked in the public carpark outside of the showground and not brought onto the showground
- 4.7. Horses must not be left unattended tied to boxes/trailers, if rugged surcingles must be used.
- 4.8. No exercising or lunging may take place in the horsebox park, only walking in hand, under saddle or in harness is permitted. Designated exercise areas are available for use.
- 4.9. Please do not leave rubbish, hay or muck out in the horsebox area. This is dangerous for the wild deer that live in the park. A muck trailer is provided, positioned in the lorry park. Please take home your household rubbish.
- 4.10. Do NOT empty portapotties into the portaloos that are provided.
- 4.11. Please be aware of others when lowering ramps, starting engines or similar.
- 4.12. The horsebox park is considered part of the showground and anyone endangering others or ill treating a horse, in any way, will be subject to disciplinary procedures.
- 4.13. Any damage to persons, animals or vehicles is the sole responsibility of the individual owner, no responsibility is accepted by WPEC or its agents.
- 4.14. Electric fencing is allowed if you are staying overnight but it must conform to current BC regulations and must be switched off during the day. Please report to the event secretary/lorry park steward and establish where to park as a special area may be allocated.
- 4.15. Grass protection mats must be laid in temporary stabling if used, the Park will not allow the grass to be poached as it will be seen by visiting public.
- 4.16. Barbeques are strictly prohibited in any area of the show ground. This is in accordance to The Crown Estate rules.
- 4.17. All dogs **must** be kept on a lead and under control at all times. Failure to do so will result in the competitor's disqualification from that Meet.

5. DUTY OF CARE AND ACCIDENT PREVENTION

Accidents do happen but many may be avoided by following the guidelines below.

- 5.1. Do not put yourself or anyone else in harms way
- 5.2. All harness should be in a sound condition and adjusted to fit the horse or pony.
- 5.3. The carriage should be in a sound condition and the type suitable for the terrain to be driven.
- 5.4. A head collar/halter and rope plus a spares kit should be carried during each phase of the event. The minimum requirement is: 1 spare trace, breaching strap (pole strap for a pair), rein or rein splice, a hame strap if applicable, Hoof pick and a sharp knife. A human and horse first aid kit is strongly recommended.
- 5.5. NEVER put a horse/pony into a situation which you believe could become dangerous.
- 5.6. Before attending an event, ensure that your horse/pony is happy driving in company.
- 5.7. A competent groom must be carried in the carriage at all times.
 - 5.7.1. Athletes under the age of 18 years must be accompanied by a groom(s) of 18 years or older.
 - 5.7.2. Athletes of 18 years and above must be accompanied by a groom(s) of 14 years or older.
 - 5.7.3. Para Driving Athletes the groom must be over 18 years old.
- 5.8. Never move off adjacent to another horse/pony (whether in a carriage or not) without checking that the other person is happy for you to do so.
- 5.9. When driving in company, leave sufficient distance from the turnout in front to permit change of pace or direction. Do not race each other. If you want to overtake another turnout, ensure you obtain the other driver's permission and do so only where it is safe.
- 5.10. Look well ahead and anticipate your horse's reaction to what it sees to prevent any problems. Be aware of wild animals and birds.
- 5.11. Always approach a ridden horse with extreme care as some are terrified of carriages and consider the position of your whip. Be prepared to stop to allow the horse to pass or move away.
- 5.12. Pass other park users with due care and consideration. Be prepared to stop if the situation necessitates.
- 5.13. Always have a competent person at the horse's head when the driver dismounts. The driver must be the last to dismount from the carriage.
- 5.14. Always stop in a space large enough to allow the driver, the groom and any passengers to exit the carriage easily, this is especially applicable to groups and the Lorry Park.
- 5.15. Never tie a horse/pony to anything whilst it is still put to the carriage.
- 5.16. Never remove the bridle until the horse is free from the vehicle

6. DRIVING RULES AND REGULATIONS 2021

6.1. GENERAL

- 6.1.1. Windsor Park Equestrian Club Driving section run their events to the British Carriagedriving (BC) National Rules (which are based on the FEI rules) with some minor changes to help the smooth running of the events or to help club level competitors and newcomers.
- 6.1.2. It is highly recommended to read the current BC rules on either the BC website www.britishcarriagedriving.co.uk or by buying a copy from the BC office.
- 6.1.3. Please read the **Health and Safety notes, Lorry Park Rules and Duty of Care & Accident Prevention** notes on the previous pages. Most of them are common sense. Ensure that your grooms and helpers have also read and understood these.
- 6.1.4. **The Duty of Care and Accident Prevention notes** are posted on the driving caravan at each event and must be read and understood before participating in any competition. This is for everyone's safety including our event participants and other Royal Park users.
- 6.1.5. The Club organises several meets during the year where we offer dressage, cones and a marathon, these are either one day events (ODE), on which we hold all three disciplines in a single day, or two day events where dressage and cones are on the first day and the marathon on the second day. These events are held over a Saturday and Sunday. There are special training days available and a Charity Drive which has its own entry forms. Please refer to the schedule for details.
- 6.1.6. You may enter the dressage, cones and the marathon phases separately or as a combined event. The costs this year are as follows:
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| Dressage | £18.00 |
| Cones | £18.00 |
| Marathon | £30.00 |
- A £5 surcharge for non members is payable for each phase of each class.
- 6.1.7. Overnight lorry parking is available. For two-day events the Friday night is also available for competitors who travel more than 20 miles. The fee for this is £10.00 per competitor. This is to cover the cost of manure removal and the toilet facilities. *Please also read the **Lorry Park Rules** regarding staying overnight.*
- 6.1.8. To aid the running of Competition C (Cones), the track width of the vehicles should comply with British Carriagedriving Rules unless stated otherwise in the schedule. If competing in Pre-Novice, the width of the carriage wheels is 125cm
- 6.1.9. The Organisers and The Crown Estate accept no liability for damage, injury or illness to any person, horse/pony, vehicle or property however caused.

6.2. Vaccinations

- 6.2.1.1. Vaccinations for equine influenza must be given in accordance with the following provisions:-
- 6.2.1.2. All proprietary Equine Influenza vaccines are accepted, provided the route of administration complies with the manufacturer's instructions (i.e. intramuscular injection or intranasal).
- 6.2.1.3. An initial Primary Course of two vaccinations must be given; the second vaccination must be administered within 21-92 days of the first vaccination.
- 6.2.1.4. The first booster must be administered within 7 calendar months following the date of administration of the second vaccination of the Primary Course.

- 6.2.1.5. Booster vaccinations must be administered at a maximum of 12 month intervals, the same day in each year being acceptable for these purposes, however Horses competing in Events must have received a booster within 6 months +21 days (and not within 7 days) before arrival at the Event.
- 6.2.1.6. Horses may compete 7 days after receiving the second vaccination of the primary course.
- 6.2.1.7. Horses that have received the Primary Course prior to 1 January 2005 are not required to fulfil the requirement for the first booster, providing there has not been an interval of more than 12 months between each of their subsequent annual booster vaccinations.)

6.3. Membership

- 6.3.1. 2021 Club Membership fees are £50 for a driving competitor.
- 6.3.2. £20 for a supporting member.
- 6.3.3. Other than those regarding event entries, all enquiries should be sent to the Driving Organiser, Sarah Louise Oxborrow - Email wpecdriving@outlook.com Tel 07783 349 167

6.4. NEW DRIVERS

- 6.4.1. New driving members must produce evidence of having passed BDS Level 1 (1998 test) or the BC Safety/Competence Assessment before being allowed to compete in any competition.
- 6.4.2. If you require a competence assessment, please state this on your entry form so that the event organisers can ensure the availability of a competent person to complete your assessment. You will be notified before the event of the time of your assessment.
- 6.4.3. New members must have completed three marathons without retirement or elimination as a single competitor (horse or pony) before being allowed to compete as a multiple (horse or pony). This will not apply to new members who have competed in a national competition in the class (horse or pony) in which they wish to compete.
- 6.4.4. Any Driver who wishes their BC Competence Forms to be completed by their Judge, Club Secretary and Technical Delegate MUST hand them in to the event secretary when they collect their numbers prior to their dressage otherwise they will not be completed. Competence Forms will not be completed in retrospect following the event.

6.5. PRE-NOVICE CLASS

- 6.5.1. This class is open to newcomers to the sport of combined driving trials who drive single pony or horse.
- 6.5.2. The rules are relaxed enabling competitors to use any harness and any carriage, track width of 125 cm and may have pneumatic tyres, as long as it is suitable, safe and must be clean and tidy.
- 6.5.3. Cones widths have a 25cm allowance and the marathon speeds are slower than club novice.
- 6.5.4. Drivers may progress to Club Novice between their third and tenth successfully completed event, at the discretion of the Driving Organiser.
- 6.5.5. Once progressed to Club Novice the driver must use a carriage with a minimum width of 140cm for dressage and cones.

6.6. NOVICE NATIONAL QUALIFIER -REGIONAL EVENT

- 6.6.1. To check your eligibility for this class please see www.britishcarriagedriving.co.uk

6.7. PLEASURE DRIVE CLASS - CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- 6.7.1. The Drive is open to Windsor Park Equestrian Club members. Non members a surcharge of £5 per entry is payable
- 6.7.2. The organising committee reserves the right to refuse entry to the pleasure drive.
- 6.7.3. All horses/ponies must be 4 years old or older and be fit enough for the length of the drive. They must be driven to a suitable vehicle, as the going may be rough and muddy. Pneumatic tyres are allowed.
- 6.7.4. The drive will be through Windsor Great Park, which is open to the public.
- 6.7.5. All drivers and grooms/passengers must be reasonably smart, it is strongly recommended that **hard hats and back/body protectors** are worn by all on the carriage. The driver must also carry an effective whip.
- 6.7.6. The drive will follow the route of the day's marathon, which is marked with directional arrows and Kilometre (Km) markers. Be aware that you will drive through the deer park and woods with loose deer and game birds. You are not allowed to deviate from the marked track. The route is split into three sections.
- Section A. Which will be 5 to 10 Km,
Transfer section which is 800 to 1000 metres and has a halt with water available, Section B. which will be 7 to 9 Km. You may complete A, Trans.& B or just B. Please indicate your preference on the entry form. **You WILL NOT be able to drive any of the obstacles.**
- 6.7.7. Entrants will start at approximately four minutes intervals.
- 6.7.8. The Organisers reserve the right to refuse entry or stop any turnout they deem unsuitable or unsafe.
- 6.7.9. No child under the age of 8 permitted on the carriage either as a driver or passenger.

6.8. SHORT FORMAT CLASS - **NEW 2021**

- 6.8.1. Unless otherwise stated all WPEC rules apply
- 6.8.2. The competition will be run on one day (Sunday) of each meet, except the Regional Event and the Evolution Qualifier.
- 6.8.3. Dressage test for 2020 will be Pre Novice 2008. There will be a maximum of 10 sets of cones and 2 obstacles to be driven twice (or 4 obstacles driven once). There will be no full marathon route.
- 6.8.4. Vehicle Widths will be 125cm, marathon dress is permitted for the whole competition. Boots and bandages are permitted for the whole competition.
- 6.8.5. Dressage and Cones will be run in the morning and obstacles will be driven in the afternoon
- 6.8.6. Entry fee will be £30 for members and £35 for non-members.



- 6.8.7. The classes will be split at the discretion of the OC. This may be horse / pony or novice and open, dependent on the number of entrants that will give a fair competition to all competitors.
- 6.8.8. Small ponies (under 10.2hh) are welcomed.
- 6.8.9. Time allowed in the cones will be based on a speed on 220m/minute.

6.9. ENTRY FORM COMPLETION

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FORM NEATLY SO IT CAN BE READ.

- 6.9.1. Depending on the event schedule a driver can compete in more than one class and in addition can act as groom. Groom(s) may participate several times in all competitions. An athlete can compete twice and in addition can also act as groom. The OC will try wherever possible to separate the entries of the same athlete or where athletes are sharing grooms or equipment, however on occasions this may not be possible. It is the responsibility of the Athlete to arrange alternative options if the OC are unable to add in a sufficient gap.
- 6.9.2. A horse/pony may not compete more than once in a marathon.
- 6.9.3. Competitors must state on the entry form whether it is for horses or ponies and number of the class which they wish to enter. Please refer to the relevant schedule.
- 6.9.4. Entries must arrive by noon on the date given for entries to close in the Schedule. If you feel that your entry will not arrive in time via the post, please either ring or e-mail the entries secretary. Late entries may not be accepted. The Club reserves the right to charge a late entry charge of £10.00.
- 6.9.5. The disclaimer within the Driving entry forms must be signed by both owner(s) and driver. Entries will not be accepted unless properly signed.
- 6.9.6. Rosettes will be awarded for each phase down to 6th place. (There are different conditions concerning qualifying classes for the Regional Event / National Novice Qualifier, refer to the Schedule.)
- 6.9.7. All entries must be made on the WPEC Driving Official Entry Form(s), which can be downloaded from our website or obtained from our Facebook site and should be sent to:
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Durfold Hatch Cottage,
Fisher Lane,
Chiddingfold,
Godalming, GU8 4TF
Tel: 01428 288 301 or 07768 140 717
- 6.9.8. All entry enquiries should be directed to helen.m.pritchard@gmail.com
- 6.9.9. Email entries will only be accepted, if they are received prior to the entry close date and provided they have a fully completed entry form attached.
- 6.9.10. BACS payments for entry will be accepted, however the completed entry form must be sent to the Entries Secretary in accordance to our rules. When making a BACS payment, please state your membership number as well as your surname in the reference field.#
- 6.9.11. Online entries will be accepted to the close date. Please see wpec.org.uk for links to our online entry portal.

6.10. EVENT DAY RULES AND GUIDELINES

- 6.10.1. **PLEASE DO NOT ARRIVE BEFORE 2.30 pm ON THE AFTERNOON BEFORE THE START OF THE COMPETITION - NO OFFICIALS, WATER OR TOILETS ARE LIKELY TO BE AVAILABLE BEFORE THEN.**
- 6.10.2. The gates on the road and into the showground are locked at 9pm or dusk (whichever is earlier) and not reopened until 7am. Entry or exit to and from the showground during these times will not be possible, unless explicitly arranged prior to the event.
- 6.10.3. The Emergency Telephone number for competition days only, is 07783 349 167.
- 6.10.4. **IMPORTANT:** Entry to the Park is ONLY via Sheet Street and into the Windsor Great Park Open Air Car Park. A map of access routes is shown on our web site. No vehicle will be allowed to enter the Great Park without the correct pass in full view through the windscreen. No unauthorised vehicles are to access the competition ground. Also you must use the signed route to access the competition grounds from the lorry park for the horse driving and on foot.
- 6.10.5. Driving Competitors should refer to General Conditions shown in the general section on the club's website.
- 6.10.6. Competitors are reminded that their track widths should be in accordance with BC rules, unless stated in the event's schedule and for the Pre-Novice classes.
- 6.10.7. All Competitions will be run in Classes.

6.11. ORDER OF STARTING AND WITHDRAWALS

- 6.11.1. From the THURSDAY prior to the Meet, all times can also be obtained from the Club website Driving page at www.wpec.org.uk. Times are also available from the Thursday on the Clubs Facebook Page www.facebook.com/groups/wpecdriving or competitors may telephone 01428 288 301 for their starting time. Have paper and a pencil ready - you may hear a recorded message.
- 6.11.2. In the event of a cancelled driving meet, entry fees may be carried forward to a subsequent meet at the discretion of an owner or driver, but nonetheless a fully completed fresh entry form must still be sent for that subsequent meet in accordance with rule 6.9 above.
- 6.11.3. You may withdraw anytime up to the closing date of entry for a full refund of the entry fee, or a roll over to another Meet.
- 6.11.4. If you withdraw following the closing date of entries, you may forfeit your entry fee.
- 6.11.5. Please ensure you notify the Entries Secretary as soon as possible if you need to withdraw from the Meet.

6.12. MARATHON NOTES

- 6.12.1. Marathon Dress, see article 928 para. 2.2 British Carriage Driving Rules. Article 928.2.2 states that all persons riding on a carriage on the marathon must wear a correctly fitted hard hat properly fastened and a suitable back/body protector.
- 6.12.2. **ALL COMPETITORS AND GROOMS HAVE TO WEAR BODY/BACK PROTECTOR WHILE ON COMPETITION B (MARATHON). THE ONLY EXCEPTION ARE PARTICIPANTS OF THE PLEASURE DRIVE WHO MUST WEAR A SECURELY FASTENED HARD HAT.**



- 6.12.3. Competitors must ensure that they are present and ready at the start of Section A at least five minutes before their published time to allow the harness and turnout to be checked.
- 6.12.4. Late arrivals to the start of Section A or Section B will be started at the earliest available time which does not impede other competitors. At the discretion of the TD the athlete may incur time penalties for every second of the time elapsed between the scheduled start time and their actual start time. The competitor will not be permitted to start less than two minutes before the next competitor starting time or less than two minutes after the previous competitor. For the avoidance of doubt, athletes will not be penalised where the start of Section A or Section B is delayed for organisational reasons.
- 6.12.5. Any competitor who starts but does not complete the course or drive MUST report their return to the Timekeeper at the end of Section B.
- 6.12.6. No motorised vehicles of any description are allowed at any time on the marathon course. Approved routes will be provided for competitors and guests to inspect marathon obstacles on foot or by bicycle. These will be open until the first competitor has started section B. However inspection may continue on foot until told to clear the area by the Obstacle Stewards or the Technical Delegate.
- 6.12.7. **PLEASE NOTE:** Cars are not permitted to drive within the Deer Park. The use of Quad bikes will be allowed on condition the ground is dry. There will be a notice at the Secretary's caravan stating whether Quads can be used. The only exception to this is for competitors with disabilities. Please carry your British Carriagedriving Competitors with Disabilities Pass at all times.
- 6.12.8. The use of bicycles are only permitted by members to travel to and from the obstacles. Anyone using a bicycle MUST have their competitor number or a competitor pass (provided by the event secretary on request) clearly visible on their person. We recommend using your marathon bib so that The Crown Estate wardens are able to identify you as a WPEC competitor. Cycling anywhere else within the Deer Park is strictly prohibited and can lead to a members disqualification from that Meet.
- 6.12.9. Any competitor who drives on mown grass, including road verges, except where required to do so as part of a course, will be disqualified from that Meet.
- 6.12.10. Anyone strapped into the carriage during the marathon phase of the competition will be eliminated unless they have presented their Driver with Disabilities Special Adjustment Card to the event secretary prior to the start of the Meet.

6.13. OBJECTIONS

- 6.13.1. At Driving Meets, objections to the course, the results or the interpretation of the Rules, should in the first case be made to the Technical Delegate or if not then to the event secretary not later than 30 minutes after the results for that class have been posted. If not resolved then the objection may be pursued in accordance with conditions 6.11.2 - 6.11.6.
- 6.13.2. Only the owner, his authorised agent, or the rider or driver of a horse taking part in the competition is entitled to lodge an objection.
- 6.13.3. Objections must be made in writing to the Driving Secretary, accompanied by a deposit of £20, within 30 minutes after the Technical Delegate has dismissed the objection.
- 6.13.4. Objections will be heard by the members of the General Committee present on the ground.
- 6.13.5. The deposit may be forfeited unless the objection is upheld or the Committee decides that there were reasonable grounds for the objection.
- 6.13.6. The Driving Competitions will be held under the British Carriagedriving (BC) Rules subject to these General Conditions. These and also the Dressage test sheets may be purchased from the Executive



7. 2020 INVITED DRIVING JUDGES

Ms E Burge
Miss S L Oxborrow
Mrs E Rawlinson
Mrs C Woollacott

Mrs D Hayes
Ms C Douglas
Mrs J Lamb
Mr J Rooney

Mrs H Turner
Mrs S Petitpierre
Mr D Mayes

8. COMPETITION DATES 2021

For individual event schedules please see the schedule on the following pages depending if they are training, one day, two day or inside out events.

2nd Meet - 25th April - Training Dat event
Entries Close - 16th April

3rd Meet - 8th & 9th May - Two day event
Entries Close - 30th April

4th Meet - 29th & 30th June -Two day event.
Entries Close - 20th May

5th Meet - 10th & 11th July - **Regional Event, Evolution** and Club Two day event.
If you are entering the Regional Event, please read the schedule in the BC Year Book and use the BC entry form.
Entries Close - 20th June

6th Meet - 21st - 22nd August - Two Day Event
Entries Close - 13th August

7th Meet - 4th & 5th September
Entries Close - 27th August

3rd Meet - 8th & 9th May

Entries Close - 30th April

FIRST DAY - SATURDAY

Please refer to the Rules for Driving Competitions on the previous pages, especially 6.1 for General Competition Notes and 5.12 for Times and Withdrawals.

Driving Caravan opens at 8.00 am for collection of numbers, issue of maps and view times etc. Course is open for inspection by competitors.

COMPETITION A - DRESSAGE - Entry fee: £18 Prizes: Rosettes to 6th place

Class 1	Pre Novice	BC Pre Novice 2008
Class 2	Novice Single	BC Novice 2021
Class 3	Intermediate Single	BC Test No.2 2021
Class 4	Open Single	BC Open Singles 2021
Class 5	Advanced Single Pony	FEI Test 3*B HP1
Class 5b	Advanced Single Horse**	FEI Test 2* HP1 or FEI 3* HP1
Class 6	Open Pairs	BC Test No.2 2021
Class 7	Advanced Pairs	FEI Test 3*B HP2
Class 8	Tandem	BC Test No.2 2021
Class 9	Team	FEI Test 3*B HP4

Class 10 Pleasure Drive - To take place on Sunday - Entry fee: £20

*If there are sufficient entries, the OC reserves the right to split the classes into Horse and Pony

+ Advanced Single Horse - If no test specified Test FEI 3* HP1 will be used.

++ If sufficient entries, class will be split to 2* and 3*

COMPETITION C - OBSTACLE DRIVING FAULT COMPETITION

For Classes 1-9 Entry fee: £18 Prizes: Rosettes to 6th place

Maps of the course and obstacles will be available for collection once the Technical Delegate has opened the Marathon Course. Members are reminded that they may not drive on any part of the marathon course and must inspect the marathon obstacles by the approved routes.

SECOND DAY - SUNDAY

COMPETITION B - MARATHON Entry fee: £30.00

There is a £2.00 discount if you enter for 1 Dressage, 1 Cones & 1 Marathon totaling £64.00.

Prizes: Rosettes to 6th place

****NEW 2021** COMPETITION D - SUNDAY Entry fee: £30.00**

This is a new class for 2021. Based on an indoor out this competition will consist of a dressage test, cones (maximum 15) and 2 obstacles driven twice.

Dressage test will be Pre Novice Test 2008.

Dressage and Cones will be driven in the morning. Following a break the obstacles will be driven in the afternoon.

TIMETABLE

8.00 am Driving Caravan opens for collection of numbers, issue of maps, view times etc. Course is open for inspection by competitors.

9.00 am The first competitor will start Section A.

Pleasure drivers follow marathon competitors

Competition D obstacles will be driven after Competition B competitors have completed the course

8.1. 4th Meet - 19th - 20th June

Entries Close - 5th June

FIRST DAY - SATURDAY

Please refer to the Rules for Driving Competitions on the previous pages, especially 6.1 for General Competition Notes and 5.12 for Times and Withdrawals.

Driving Caravan opens at 8.00 am for collection of numbers, issue of maps and view times etc. Course is open for inspection by competitors.

COMPETITION A - DRESSAGE - Entry fee: £18 Prizes: Rosettes to 6th place

Class 1	Pre Novice	BC Pre Novice 2008
Class 2	Novice Single	BC Novice 2021
Class 3	Intermediate Single	BC Test No.2 2021
Class 4	Open Single	BC Open Singles 2021
Class 5	Advanced Single Pony	FEI Test 3*B HP1
Class 5b	Advanced Single Horse**	FEI Test 2* HP1 or FEI 3* HP1
Class 6	Open Pairs	BC Test No.2 2021
Class 7	Advanced Pairs	FEI Test 3*B HP2
Class 8	Tandem	BC Test No.2 2021
Class 9	Team	FEI Test 3*B HP4

Class 10 Pleasure Drive - To take place on Sunday - Entry fee: £20

*If there are sufficient entries, the OC reserves the right to split the classes into Horse and Pony

+ Advanced Single Horse - If no test specified Test FEI 3* HP1 will be used.

++ If sufficient entries, class will be split to 2* and 3*

COMPETITION C - OBSTACLE DRIVING FAULT COMPETITION

For Classes 1-9 Entry fee: £18 Prizes: Rosettes to 6th place

Maps of the course and obstacles will be available for collection once the Technical Delegate has opened the Marathon Course. Members are reminded that they may not drive on any part of the marathon course and must inspect the marathon obstacles by the approved routes.

SECOND DAY - SUNDAY

COMPETITION B - MARATHON Entry fee: £30.00

There is a £2.00 discount if you enter for 1 Dressage, 1 Cones & 1 Marathon totaling £64.00.

Prizes: Rosettes to 6th place

****NEW 2021** COMPETITION D - SUNDAY Entry fee: £30.00**

This is a new class for 2021. Based on an indoor out this competition will consist of a dressage test, cones (maximum 15) and 2 obstacles driven twice.

Dressage test will be Pre Novice Test 2008.

Dressage and Cones will be driven in the morning. Following a break the obstacles will be driven in the afternoon.

TIMETABLE

8.00 am Driving Caravan opens for collection of numbers, issue of maps, view times etc. Course is open for inspection by competitors.

9.00 am The first competitor will start Section A.

Pleasure drivers follow marathon competitors

Competition D obstacles will be driven after Competition B competitors have completed the course

8.2. 5th Meet -10th & 11th July - Regional Event & Club Entries Close - 25th June

If you want to enter the National Qualifier please enter using the B.C. Entry Form

FIRST DAY - SATURDAY

Notes and 5.12 for Times and Withdrawals.

Driving Caravan opens at 8.00 am for collection of numbers, issue of maps and view times etc. Course is open for inspection by competitors.

COMPETITION A - DRESSAGE - Entry fee: £18 Prizes: Rosettes to 6th place

Class 1	Pre Novice	BC Pre Novice 2008
Class 2	Novice Single	BC Novice 2021
Class 3	Intermediate Single	BC Test No.2 2021
Class 4	Open Single	BC Open Singles 2021
Class 5	Advanced Single Pony	FEI Test 3*B HP1
Class 5b	Advanced Single Horse**	FEI Test 2* HP1 or FEI 3* HP1
Class 6	Open Pairs	BC Test No.2 2021
Class 7	Advanced Pairs	FEI Test 3*B HP2
Class 8	Tandem	BC Test No.2 2021
Class 9	Team	FEI Test 3*B HP4

Class 10 Pleasure Drive - To take place on Sunday - Entry fee: £20

*If there are sufficient entries, the OC reserves the right to split the classes into Horse and Pony

+ Advanced Single Horse - If no test specified Test FEI 3* HP1 will be used.

++ If sufficient entries, class will be split to 2* and 3*

COMPETITION C - OBSTACLE DRIVING FAULT COMPETITION

For Classes 1-9 Entry fee: £18 Prizes: Rosettes to 6th place

Maps of the course and obstacles will be available for collection once the Technical Delegate has opened the Marathon Course. Members are reminded that they may not drive on any part of the marathon course and must inspect the marathon obstacles by the approved routes.

SECOND DAY - SUNDAY

COMPETITION B - MARATHON Entry fee: £30.00

There is a £2.00 discount if you enter for 1 Dressage, 1 Cones & 1 Marathon totaling £64.00.

Prizes: Rosettes to 6th place

****NEW 2021** COMPETITION D - SUNDAY Entry fee: £30.00**

This is a new class for 2021. Based on an indoor out this competition will consist of a dressage test, cones (maximum 15) and 2 obstacles driven twice.

Dressage test will be Pre Novice Test 2008.

Dressage and Cones will be driven in the morning. Following a break the obstacles will be driven in the afternoon.

TIMETABLE

8.00 am Driving Caravan opens for collection of numbers, issue of maps, view times etc. Course is open for inspection by competitors.

9.00 am The first competitor will start Section A.

Pleasure drivers follow marathon competitors

Competition D obstacles will be driven after Competition B competitors have completed the course

8.3. 6th Meet -21st - 22nd August

Entries Close - 13th August

Please refer to the Rules for Driving Competitions on the previous pages, especially 6.1 for General Competition Notes and 5.12 for Times and Withdrawals.

Driving Caravan opens at 8.00 am for collection of numbers, issue of maps and view times etc. Course is open for inspection by competitors.

COMPETITION A - DRESSAGE - Entry fee: £18 Prizes: Rosettes to 6th place

Class 1	Pre Novice	BC Pre Novice 2008
Class 2	Novice Single	BC Novice 2021
Class 3	Intermediate Single	BC Test No.2 2021
Class 4	Open Single	BC Open Singles 2021
Class 5	Advanced Single Pony	FEI Test 3*B HP1
Class 5b	Advanced Single Horse**	FEI Test 2* HP1 or FEI 3* HP1
Class 6	Open Pairs	BC Test No.2 2021
Class 7	Advanced Pairs	FEI Test 3*B HP2
Class 8	Tandem	BC Test No.2 2021
Class 9	Team	FEI Test 3*B HP4

Class 10 Pleasure Drive - To take place on Sunday - Entry fee: £20

*If there are sufficient entries, the OC reserves the right to split the classes into Horse and Pony

+ Advanced Single Horse - If no test specified Test FEI 3* HP1 will be used.

++ If sufficient entries, class will be split to 2* and 3*

COMPETITION C - OBSTACLE DRIVING FAULT COMPETITION

For Classes 1-9 Entry fee: £18 Prizes: Rosettes to 6th place

Maps of the course and obstacles will be available for collection once the Technical Delegate has opened the Marathon Course. Members are reminded that they may not drive on any part of the marathon course and must inspect the marathon obstacles by the approved routes.

SECOND DAY - SUNDAY

COMPETITION B - MARATHON Entry fee: £30.00

There is a £2.00 discount if you enter for 1 Dressage, 1 Cones & 1 Marathon totaling £64.00.

Prizes: Rosettes to 6th place

****NEW 2021** COMPETITION D - SUNDAY Entry fee: £30.00**

This is a new class for 2021. Based on an indoor out this competition will consist of a dressage test, cones (maximum 15) and 2 obstacles driven twice.

Dressage test will be Pre Novice Test 2008.

Dressage and Cones will be driven in the morning. Following a break the obstacles will be driven in the afternoon.

TIMETABLE

8.00 am Driving Caravan opens for collection of numbers, issue of maps, view times etc. Course is open for inspection by competitors.

9.00 am The first competitor will start Section A.

Pleasure drivers follow marathon competitors

Competition D obstacles will be driven after Competition B competitors have completed the course

8.8. 7th Meet - 4th & 5th September

Entries Close - 27th August

FIRST DAY - SATURDAY

Please refer to the Rules for Driving Competitions on the previous pages, especially 6.1 for General Competition Notes and 5.12 for Times and Withdrawals.

Driving Caravan opens at 8.00 am for collection of numbers, issue of maps and view times etc. Course is open for inspection by competitors.

COMPETITION A - DRESSAGE - Entry fee: £18 Prizes: Rosettes to 6th place

Class 1	Pre Novice	BC Pre Novice 2008
Class 2	Novice Single	BC Novice 2021
Class 3	Intermediate Single	BC Test No.2 2021
Class 4	Open Single	BC Open Singles 2021
Class 5	Advanced Single Pony	FEI Test 3*B HP1
Class 5b	Advanced Single Horse**	FEI Test 2* HP1 or FEI 3* HP1
Class 6	Open Pairs	BC Test No.2 2021
Class 7	Advanced Pairs	FEI Test 3*B HP2
Class 8	Tandem	BC Test No.2 2021
Class 9	Team	FEI Test 3*B HP4

Class 10 Pleasure Drive - To take place on Sunday - Entry fee: £20

*If there are sufficient entries, the OC reserves the right to split the classes into Horse and Pony

+ Advanced Single Horse - If no test specified Test FEI 3* HP1 will be used.

++ If sufficient entries, class will be split to 2* and 3*

COMPETITION C - OBSTACLE DRIVING FAULT COMPETITION

For Classes 1-9 Entry fee: £18 Prizes: Rosettes to 6th place

Maps of the course and obstacles will be available for collection once the Technical Delegate has opened the Marathon Course. Members are reminded that they may not drive on any part of the marathon course and must inspect the marathon obstacles by the approved routes.

SECOND DAY - SUNDAY

COMPETITION B - MARATHON Entry fee: £30.00

There is a £2.00 discount if you enter for 1 Dressage, 1 Cones & 1 Marathon totaling £64.00.

Prizes: Rosettes to 6th place

****NEW 2021** COMPETITION D - SUNDAY Entry fee: £30.00**

This is a new class for 2021. Based on an indoor out this competition will consist of a dressage test, cones (maximum 15) and 2 obstacles driven twice.

Dressage test will be Pre Novice Test 2008.

Dressage and Cones will be driven in the morning. Following a break the obstacles will be driven in the afternoon.

TIMETABLE

8.00 am Driving Caravan opens for collection of numbers, issue of maps, view times etc. Course is open for inspection by competitors.

9.00 am The first competitor will start Section A.

Pleasure drivers follow marathon competitors

Competition D obstacles will be driven after Competition B competitors have completed the course