



FRI 23RD - SUN 25TH APRIL 2010

THE ONE DAY EVENT

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WITHINGTON MANOR 24-25 Apr 2010

Entries Open: 26 Mar 2010
Ballot Date: 5 Apr 2010
Late Entry Surcharge Date: 14 Apr 2010
Ballot Period: April
Balloted 2009: 44 N, 11 ON, 4 PT, 37 I, 15 OI, 2 A
Location Withington Estate, Nr Cheltenham, Gloucestershire GL54 4BG

Organisers - Mr and Mrs B Brenninkmeijer-McKenzie

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Entries Secretary - Mrs Ann Allen

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SJ Course Designer - Mr David Brockett

XC Course Designer - Mr Eric Winter

CLASSES AND FEES

Class	Days	Dressage Test	Entry Fee	Late Entry Surcharge Fee	Starting Fee
1 day N & ON & JRN	Sat	N 114	£67.80	£79.55	£15.00
1 day ON	Sat	1 Star A	£67.80	£79.55	£17.00
1 day PT	Sat	CCIP 2	£67.80	£79.55	£17.00
1 day I & OI & Olu21	Sun	I 117	£92.71	£104.46	£15.00
1 day OI	Sun	2 Star B	£92.71	£104.46	£17.00
1 day A & Au25	Sun	A 122	£125.96	£137.71	£20.00

NOVICE - One section of Dressage will take place on Friday.

OPEN NOVICE - One section is being offered with the same dressage test as Houghton Hall CCI1*. Please state your wish to be in this section on your entry form under 'Special Requests'.

PONY TRIAL - Some dressage will take place on Friday with the rest of dressage taking place on Saturday. SJ & XC will be scheduled at the end of the day on Saturday.

INTERMEDIATE - One section of Dressage will take place on Saturday.

OPEN INTERMEDIATE - One section is being offered with the same dressage test as Houghton Hall CCI2*. Please state your wish to be in this section on your entry form under 'Special Requests'.

ADVANCED - Some Dressage will take place on Saturday.

Please state on entry form if the Dressage Timings above are IMPOSSIBLE. If insufficient entries are received in any class, the organiser reserves the right to transfer some appropriate entries into those classes. The organiser also reserves the right to move classes to different days should that be required.

ENTRIES

Entry fees include VAT. VAT Reg No 691 6826 94. INTERNET entries will be accepted on www.bdwp.co.uk/aallen. Fees for internet entries must be received by ballot date. Please make cheques payable to B. Brenninkmeijer and send these together with the entry form to the Entries Secretary. Separate cheques are required for each horse. Please enclose separate DL size (22cm x 11cm) SELF SEAL SAE for each horse (with horse's name on back). Please arrange and pay for stabling separately through the Stabling Secretary (see above and below). If you require similar times to another competitor, please ensure that the entries are posted in the same envelope and you refer to each other on the entry forms. FAXED entries will NOT be accepted. Please arrange and pay for stabling separately through the Horse Trials Office (see above and below).

No WAITING LIST will be kept.

WITHDRAWALS by 20:00 Tue April 20 by telephoning or faxing 01608 811070.

REFUND POLICY - 100% refund before ballot date, no refunds thereafter.

STARTING TIMES are available on www.bdwp.co.uk/wit after 1800 hrs on Thurs 22 April.

Starting Fees include a programme and VAT. £2 extra has been added to the Start Fee to cover the extra costs for those sections, except Advanced, where an additional dressage judge and writer are required.

STABLING

Stabling is available locally at a charge of £25.00 per stable per night, including straw but not any other type of bedding material. Please bring your own non-straw bedding material. Apply for stabling directly to the Organisers (see above) with the appropriate BE stabling form (BE downloads or event website) and fees, making cheques payable to B. Brenninkmeijer. Please enclose a DL sized (22cmx11cm) SELF SEAL SAE with the horse's name written on the back of the cheque. No stabling can be arranged after the late entry surcharge date. Some Bed and Breakfast accommodation with stabling is available so please specify your requirements on the stabling form.

QUALIFIERS / SPECIAL CLASSES

KBIS Junior Regional Novice class (JRN).

Olu21 - This class will incorporate a Junior Trial. The British Intermediate Championship Qualifier.

PRIZES

Lower scale prize money for all classes. Rosettes to 10th place.

Pony Trial (PT) - The winner will receive a voucher from the Worshipful Company of Saddlers.

The top placed British Rider under 25 in the Advanced section will receive additional prize money of £250 from the Horse Trials Support Group





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COURSE DESCRIPTION

DRESSAGE - Flat, quiet and level permanent pasture with a large warm up area.

SHOW JUMPING - Large arena with generous warm-up area on flat permanent pasture. The tracks will be up to height, straight forward and of medium technicality. "It was a treat to have such a wonderfully large show jumping arena with a large working in area " commented one competitor last year.

CROSS COUNTRY - Over undulating, well draining permanent pasture, the courses offer excellent viewing and are up to height, solidly built and are considered to be fair but challenging, rewarding forward and accurate riding. Full use is made of the undulating terrain including woodland, ditches, steps and a water complex. Some changes will take place in all three tracks as always. "Withington is the most amazing place with brilliant facilities. The cross country is surely one of the best built courses in the country. Withington Manor Horse Trials is an event every rider should experience" said a competitor last year.

EVENT - One competitor reported last year. " Apart from being very well organised, everyone was so helpful and friendly, which is so important to all but especially to the young amateur rider who do feel a little intimidated by competing against the 'pros' " "We had a fabulous day. It was a privilege to ride on fantastic ground, with lovely flowers everywhere, bright colourful show jumps and to ride an amazing, but challenging XC track!". Lucinda Green wrote: "What a fabulous event - thank you very very much for running all 3 phases to such an exceptionally high standard. We could not have enjoyed ourselves more in one of the most beautiful places we have ever been to."

ACCOMMODATION & CATERING

Hot and cold food available throughout the event.

SPECIAL NOTICES

In case of ABANDONMENT please phone +44 (0)1242 890451 for a recorded message or +44(0)7831 699130..

ALL TERRAIN VEHICLES - together with cars or any motorised vehicle, will not be permitted on site except in the designated car park and, those used by authorised officials.

DOGS must be kept on leads at all times.

XC SCHOOLING - The course is open for schooling for two days after the event. Please call the organisers for further details.

TRADESTANDS - A wide variety of tradestands will be on site throughout the weekend.

BE Members in possession of their **BE MEMBERSHIP CARD** will be admitted free into the BE Members' Car Park.

LOCATION

Grid reference SP018151. Postcode for the event site is GL54 4BH. Please follow the directions below as all other routes are impassable with a horse box. Withington is located between A40 (Cheltenham - Oxford road) and A435 (Cheltenham - Cirencester road) with easy access from M5 via A417 (Exit 11A). Please approach via A436 (Stow-on-the-Wold - Gloucester road), which intersects A40, A435 and A417. The route to the event will be well signed from both directions off A436 close to the Withington junction. The event website www.withington-manor.com/competitors.htm for directions and a location map.

