

GENERAL CONDITIONS AND RULES – PLEASE READ

By entering this competition, competitors accept the risks involved in horse riding and competing. Save for death or injury caused by the negligence of the landowner or officials of Witheridge Riding Club for which they are legally responsible, the landowners and officials will not accept any liability for any accident, loss, injury or damage to competitors, property, vehicles, animals or spectators of any description.

This event is covered by British Riding Club's insurance but competitors are advised to hold their own personal injury insurance cover.

The organisers have taken reasonable precautions to safeguard the health and safety of everyone present. For these to be effective, competitors and spectators are required to take due care at all times and to obey any notices or requests made by official stewards in the interests of their own and others safety.

Hats to current British Safety Standards must be worn and securely fastened when mounted. Dress code in accordance with BRC rules, a copy of which will be available at the Secretary's Office.

The judges decision is final. Objections must be made to the Secretary's Office within 15 minutes of the results or incident with a £10 deposit. The deposit will be reimbursed if the objection is upheld.

Please keep dogs on a lead at all times, including around the lorry park.

Please remove litter and droppings from the lorry park.

No lunging allowed in warm up area.

The organiser reserves the right to alter the schedule or advertised start time, refuse any entry and cancel any class or competition should conditions be or become unsuitable.

All horses/ponies must be 4 years old and over. No horse can be entered twice in one class.

In the event of cancellation advance entry fees will be refunded.

Witheridge Riding Club

(www.witheridgec.org.uk)

Unaffiliated Dressage Competition

including qualifiers for the
Western Somerset Region
Dressage Championships
at Stockland Lovell on
Sunday 10th October 2010

Sunday 14th March 2010

at

**Wellbeck EC, Farringdon, Exeter, Devon,
EX5 2JA
(only 15 minutes max. from the M5 motorway)**

Directions – From M5 junction 30 take the Sidmouth road (A3052). Continue on this road past Crealy Adventure Park and past the 2 left turnings to Farringdon. Just after the pub on the right, turn left signposted "Exeter Airport". Wellbeck is half a mile along this lane on the right.

**Open to Witheridge RC members and members of
the following local Riding Clubs - Taunton & District,
West Somerset, Exeter, Quantock, Sid & Otter
Valley, North Devon and Blackdown Hills.**

Refreshments available

This event is run in accordance with current BRC rules

Class 1 Prelim 1 (2006)
Section A Restricted to horses/ponies that have not been placed 1st – 3rd in any dressage competition

Section B Open

Class 2 Prelim 12 (2005) WSRDC qualifier

Class 3 Novice 28 (2008)

Class 4 Novice 34 (2009) WSRDC qualifier

The first two competitors in classes 2 and 4 will qualify for the Western Somerset Region Dressage Championships to be held at Stockland Lovell Sunday 10th October 2010. To be eligible, horses in the Prelim class must have no BD points, and those in the Novice class no more than 49 BD points at the time of the qualification. Riders must also be a member of one of the following Area 12 Riding Clubs: Witheridge, Taunton & District, West Somerset, Exeter, Quantock, Sid & Otter Valley, North Devon or Blackdown Hills. The winners of the championships will receive a training grant with the trainer of their choice.

For more details about the competition and other qualifiers please visit www.westsomersetridingclub.co.uk

Copies of the tests available from www.britishdressage.co.uk or tel. 02476 698830 or www.dressagediagrams.com

Entry Fees

£7.00 Witheridge RC Members

£8.50 Non WRC members

Late entries, if accepted, will be £1.50 extra per class.

Numbers will be limited and accepted on a first come first served basis. Classes may close before the closing date if full. A waiting list will be kept and therefore notification of withdrawals will be appreciated.

Entries Secretary and Organiser

Ms Jenny Lloyd, Pond Banks, Upham, Cheriton Fitzpaine, Crediton, Devon, EX17 4HJ.

Rosettes

To 8th place plus Best WRC member in each class.

Entries close
Noon Tuesday 9th March 2010

Times available
On www.witheridge.org.uk from 7pm Friday 12th March or phone Jenny on 01363 866041 between 7pm and 9pm.

Test Sheets
Please leave a SAE if you wish them to be posted.

Withdrawals
Please ring Jenny on 01363 866041. If you can be replaced from a waiting list (notification needed by Thursday 11th March) you will be refunded, otherwise no refunds after the closing date, unless the event is cancelled.

Contact numbers on the day Jenny 07747 107794
Wellbeck 01395 233612

Adverse weather
In the event of adverse weather conditions it is the responsibility of the competitor to contact the organiser. Up to date information will also be available on www.witheridge.org.uk. The venue has a large hard parking area and 2 all weather arenas; therefore cancellation is very unlikely except in extreme conditions.

Other WRC events 2010

April	Members only dressage, Witheridge
Mid April	Fun ride, Exmoor
End April	Senior members camp, St. Lovell
June	Open to all Dressage/SJ, Rackenford
July	Members only Pick n Mix day

For further details on the above or to enquire about membership, see our new, improved website www.witheridge.org.uk or contact Sarah Midwinter on 01769 551704