





# EQUESTRIAN CHALLENGE HORSE SHOWS 2024

# Located at Geary Hill Stables

31 New Road, Geary, NB, E2V-3W3

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**Show Dates - Rain or Shine!!!** 

June 22, 2024: Geary Hill Equestrian Challenge #2

Bronze Sanctioned ONLY

Entries close June 17 2024, no entries accepted after that date

PLEASE NOTE: Saturday classes will begin at 9:00 a.m.

# **WHY CHOOSE OUR SHOWS:**

- Equestrian Canada Sanctioned Bronze
- Sanctioned NBEA Bronze Classes
- Hunter Classes
- Jumper Classes
- Equitation Classes
- Hack Classes
- Plenty of parking.
- On site medic.
- Within 10 minutes of Oromocto.
- Nationally certified judges, course designers and stewards.

Points from competing at a minimum of two sanctioned competitions will go toward year end Provincial and National awards

- Limited number of overnight stalls-1<sup>st</sup> come 1<sup>st</sup> served
- Outdoor arena and practice arena
- All jumps equipped with FEI Approved Safety Cups.
- Large variety of jumping equipment
- Ribbons for 1<sup>st</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> Place.
- Show forms available by email: <a href="mailto:deannaphelan@gmail.com">deannaphelan@gmail.com</a> or NBEA website www.nbea.ca

# **2024 HORSE SHOW COMMITTEE**

June Show Officials: June 22

Judge: Valerie Phelan New Brunswick Course Designer: Deanna Phelan Steward: Dawn Brown, New Brunswick Announcer: Megan Touchie, New Brunswick

# All Shows:

On Call Vet per Provincial Vet Lab Weekend Schedule

Farrier (On Call): TBA

First Aid: Saint John Ambulance

Show Committee: Kem Shears – Competition Manager 461-1649

Secretary/Inquiries – Deanna Phelan 461-1649,

deannaphelan@gmail.com Kem Shears, Compliance Agent

Safety Committee:

The Geary Hill Show is sanctioned as a Bronze competition members of Equestrian Canada (EC), c/o House of Sport 2451 Riverside Drive, Ottawa, Ontario K1H 7X7, and is governed by the rules of EC. Every class offered herein is covered by the current rules and specifications of the current rules of EC and will be held and judged in accordance with the EC Rule Book.

# **STATEMENT OF PRINCIPLES**

EC Statement of Principles - Horse Welfare

EC supports adherence to humane treatment of horses in all activities under its jurisdiction.

# EC is committed to:

- a) upholding the welfare of the horse, regardless of monetary value, as a primary consideration in all activities; b) requiring that horses be treated with kindness, respect, and the compassion that they deserve, and that they never be subjected to mistreatment;
- c) ensuring that owners, trainers, and exhibitors and their agents exercise appropriate care and responsibility in the handling, treatment, and transportation of their horses, as well as horses placed in their care for any purpose; d) providing for the continuous well being of the horse by encouraging routine inspection and consultation with health care professionals and competition officials to achieve the highest possible standards of nutrition, health, comfort, and safety;
- e) continuing to support scientific studies on equine health and welfare;
- f) requiring owners, trainers, and exhibitors to know and follow their sanctioning organization's rules, and to work within industry regulations in all equestrian competitions; and,
- g) reviewing, revising, and developing competition rules and regulations that protect the welfare of the horse.

In determining whether conduct or treatment is cruel, abusive or inhumane, the standard to be applied will be the conduct or treatment expected of a reasonable person who is informed and experienced in equine training and exhibition procedures.

Individuals who interact with horses must also adhere to EC's policies as they relate to horse welfare.

# **SHOW RULES**

# **Administration:**

- 1) All entry forms due no later than (5) days prior to the show as entries may need to be limited in some classes for safety and management purposes.
- 2) No entries accepted after June 17, 2024.
- 3) All information must be completed and all forms signed and accompanied by payment for the entry to be accepted.
- 4) Drop off or mail show forms to: Geary Hill Stables, 570 Broad Rd, Geary, NB E2V 3W3
- 5) Make all cheques payable to "Geary Hill Stables Equestrian Challenge
- 6) All cheques must accompany entry form.
- 7) No post dated cheques accepted. NSF cheques will be charged \$50 administration fee.
- 8) No entries will be accepted by telephone, email or fax.

- 9) All entries must be made in writing or through online entry system. (Article A801.4) and paid in full. The show numbers will not be issued if all the required signatures are not complete.
- 10) For competitors competing in the Bronze classes Administration Fee and drug fee will be charged . (\$35 administration and \$4.00 for Bronze Drug Fee).
- 11) Hunter Classes are paid by division only whether you enter one or all classes.
- 12) Jumper Classes are paid for on a class basis.
- 13) NO Post entries will be accepted.
- 14) Scratches will not be reimbursed.
- 15) Protests must be made in writing and addressed to the secretary at the event which the matter under consideration occurs. Every protest must be signed and must be accompanied by a deposit of \$110 in cash. A protest is eligible only is made by an EC Sport Licence holder.
- 16) Ribbons 1<sup>st</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> place.
- 17) Equestrian Canada Rule A814: Competition numbers must be worn and visible at all times in show ring and in exercise areas.
- 18) No pony shall be shown in any performance class where height is a restriction A1102 they must have the information recorded in the Horse Recording or a temporary measurement card available prior to the start of the class or the entry will not be allowed to compete. See G111 Pony Measurement. All foreign ponies must have an EC pony measurement card. If you have a pony which requires a measurement contact the competition prior to the event. Up to the age of 8 ponies must be measured annually.A1102
- 19) Every class offered herein is covered by the rules and specifications of the current rules of Equestrian Canada and will be held and judged in accordance with the Equestrian Canada Rule A602.2. Any incident requiring a ruling which cannot be referenced to the EC Rule Book, will be rendered by the Show Committee. "If there is no rule to deal specifically with a particular circumstance, or if the nearest interpretation of the pertinent rule would result in an obvious injustice, it is the duty of those responsible to make a decision based on common sense and fair play, thus reflecting as closely as possible the intention of the rules and regulations of Equestrian Canada."
- 20) If less than four entries are received for any class, the show committee reserves the right to cancel or combine classes.
- 21) Entry forms must be signed by competitor, owner and person responsible (Article A802). If the owner or exhibitor is under 19 years of age, the entry must be signed by a parent or legal guardian who assumes all responsibility and risk as stated on the form and by these rules and regulations. Parents and guardians are entitled to sign their children's entry forms without being EC members or holders of a Sport License. The entry form for all sanctioned competitions shall also be signed by the person responsible for the care, training, custody and performance of the horse. The person responsible may be the trainer, owner, rider, agent or coach. The parent or guardian must sign the entry form for the minor/owner if there is no other person responsible. The person responsible is to be present at the competition and if they cannot attend, must appoint a representative who is present on the show grounds and must notify the competition

secretary. Such substitute Person Responsible shall place his or her name on the entry form forwith and thereby shall assume full responsibility for the performance of the duties. The person responsible who signs an entry form must hold an EC or USEF individual license, When the competitor is a Junior/minor owner, the competitor cannot be the Person Responsible and the Person Responsible may be a parent/guardian. Parents/guardians are not required to have an EC Sport License or EC Registered Participant status provided they agree to abide by the rules and penalties in the Rule Book and acknowledge that they are liable under the penalty provisions of the Rules for any violations of the EC rules by their minor child. A213.2

- 22) Per Article A801, every entry at an EC-sanctioned competition shall constitute an agreement by the person responsible that the owner, lessee, trainer, manager, agent, coach, driver or rider and horses shall be subject to the EC constitution and all rules of EC and any additional rules set by the competition. It is the responsibility of all individuals participating in any capacity in EC-sanctioned competitions to be knowledgeable regarding the EC constitution and the applicable rules of EC and the additional rules, if any, imposed by the competition. Do not participate in this EC-sanctioned competition in any capacity if you do not consent to be bound by the constitution and rules of EC and any additional rules imposed by the competition. A602.7
- 23) Management has the right to expel any rider, owner or spectator deemed to be in their sole discretion disruptive to the show at any time.
- 24) Dogs must be leashed or caged while on the show grounds. The Owners are solely and expressly responsible for their dogs and the dog's behavior. Owners of loose dogs will be charged \$75.00 to retrieve their pets.
- 25) Absolutely "NO" smoking permitted on show grounds.
- 26) The show office will open one (1) hour prior to the start of the show and close 1/2 hour at the end of the show.
- 27) No fee for substitution of a horse
- 28) When registering for EC sanctioned competitions, athletes must indicate the name of their coach on the entry form or specify that they are self coached. Coaches from other countries must be in good standing with their home federations and must declare/have proof of insurance. See Rules of Equestrian Canada Section A, General Regulations, Article 102, Safe Environments.

# **Services Offered**

- Warm up area will be available on the show grounds one hour before the competition on the day
  of competition. No horses may warm-up over fences in the competition arena regardless if the
  arena is unlocked or unattended.
- 2) Geary Hill Stable main ring is 280' 260'

# **Accommodations:**

Hotel Accommodations are available at the Days Inn, Oromocto (506) 357-5657, Robins Inn, Exit 297.(506) 446-9077

# **Directions:**

To get to Geary Hill Stables take the Exit 303 at Oromocto. Keep to the right on Miramichi Road. Travel through the traffic circle past the Canadian Tire and keep to your right. As you near the 2<sup>nd</sup> traffic circle, travel to the right heading toward Geary. Follow Route 102 South toward Geary. You will come to a stop sign; make a right turning on to the Broad Road. Travel 6.5 km past an abandoned gas station on the left, over a small stone bridge, take the first right to the New Road. Travel approximately 0.75km and turn left at Geary Hill Stables Driveway at #31 New Road.

# **Directions for arrival and departure of horses**

All horse trailers arriving will proceed up the stable drive way and park up behind the indoor arena. This is will be the same route for exiting the show grounds. Horses are free to leave the show grounds at the completion of their last class.

# **Exhibitor and Owner Requirements**

- Equestrian Canada Bronze Sport License and NBEA membership are required to compete in Bronze classes. Riders from the USA must have the equivalent USEF membership or otherwise purchase a temporary Sport Licence. Equestrian Canada Bronze License is NOT required for exhibitors competing only in Lead Line. An EC Sport Licence is required for competitors, owners or lessees and individuals accepting legal responsibility for an entry in EC sanctioned competitions. A203 Bronze memberships may be purchased online at <a href="www.equestriancanada.ca">www.equestriancanada.ca</a>
   Your receipt will be proof of memberships. Temporary one-day memberships are no longer available.
- Any horse entered in any class at a competition, may be selected for equine medication control testing while at the event location. (Article A602.5)
- **COGGINS TEST** must be shown at office when picking up ring numbers. Coggins tests with a stamped date within **one year** of competition date will be accepted.
- Horses must show proof of vaccinations annual for rabies, tetanus and strangles administered
  Equine Influenza and Equine Herpes Virus vaccinations within 6 months before arrival at the
  event. No horse shall receive vaccination within 7 days prior to arrival at the event. This
  includes any horse (non-competing) brought onto the property.
- "All horses attending Equestrian Canada sanctioned competitions must have met the requirements of Article A602.8 Vaccinations. See Rules of Equestrian Canada, Section A, General Regulations, Article A519, Vaccinations."
- Non-showing horses: All horses brought on the property during the competition must have a signed entry blank and owners must have a current NBEA membership. Anyone riding non competing horses which have been brought on to the show grounds must wear a number issued by the office. Non-showing horses must meet coggins and vaccination requirements.
- Amateur Riders must have current credentials (Article G108). A photocopy of the current amateur card must be attached with entry A802 .5 e).
- Other than as specified in Article A805.2, a competition may reserve the right to refuse an entry

providing the reason for refusal is clearly stated in the prize list (see Article A805.4)

- The show will forfeit 75% of the entry fee less the fees for classes completed if the horse entered is withdrawn due to unsoundness or sickness provided a veterinarian's certificate is produced, dated no later than the closing day of the show and received within 10 days of the show date.
- All riders, grooms, attendants and handlers must be neatly dressed on entering the ring. ARTICLE G109 DRESS. Dress code for jumpers G109 – polo shirts are acceptable attire in the jumper ring. Shirts must be neatly tucked in.

# **SAFETY RULES:**

# **ARTICLE G102 HEADGEAR**

- a. At all EC-sanctioned competitions, anyone mounted on a horse on the competition grounds, including foreign competitors, must wear approved helmets (see Glossary in General Regulations, Book A), with safety harness correctly fastened, at all times
- b. Juniors showing any horse in a jog for soundness must wear approved protective headgear with the attached safety harness fastened.
- c. Failure to comply with G102 or G102.2. in the exercise area and/or the competition arena will result in the following penalties:
  - i. 1st violation at competition: warning.
  - ii. 2nd violation at same competition: disqualification from the competition and forfeiture of all fees and prize monies.
- d. EC makes no representation or warranty expressed or implied about any protective headgear and cautions riders that serious injury or death may result despite wearing such headgear as all equestrian sports involve inherent dangerous risk and adds no protective helmet can protect against all foreseeable injuries.
- e. All violations which occur outside the competition arena will be reported to the judge/jury who will levy the applicable penalty.
- f. All violations which occur in the competition arena will be acted upon by the judge(s) who will levy the applicable penalty.
- g. For all competitors, if the harness comes undone or the hat falls off, the rider must retrieve and/or do up the hat, with assistance if necessary, before the next obstacle is taken. There will be no penalty other than the loss of time. Failure to do up the harness or retrieve protective headgear immediately results in elimination.

# **ARTICLE G101 EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES**

It is mandatory that all EC-sanctioned Platinum, Gold, Silver and Bronze competitions have on site emergency medical services with a minimum of advanced first aid and basic cardiac life support (BCLS). Jumping in competition and warm-up areas should be suspended if the sole medic onsite is handling an emergency she/he cannot leave.

# **ARTICLE G103 FALLS**

- 1. After being eliminated for a fall, the rider may not remount in the ring. Any rider who does remount in the ring after a fall will be eliminated from all classes in that ring for the remainder of the day. A rider who remounts after a fall and takes another obstacle will be disqualified from the remainder of the competition.
- 2. In the case of a fall of a horse or pony, Article A517.4 will apply. The officiating steward, judge, technical delegate, president of the ground jury or appointed competition veterinarian has the authority to remove a horse from the event for a period of up to 24 hours, if in their reasonable opinion the horse is unfit to compete, or where, in their reasonable opinion, there is a safety concern regarding the horse. The official's decision is final and cannot be appealed.
- 3. In the case of a fall of an Athlete anywhere within the grounds of the event during the hours of competition operation, the Athlete must be cleared by the Competition's medical service, before the Athlete may continue to compete in the next round or Competition. The competitor is solely responsible for ensuring the onsite medical assessment takes place. This rule is applicable to all competitors (including foreign) at EC sanctioned events and applies to falls/accidents that occur at the event location.

# **ARTICLE G104 IN-GATE**

In all classes, trotting or cantering through the in-gate without prior permission is forbidden. The penalty for contravening this rule is either a fine or elimination from the class, at the discretion of the judge. Under special circumstances, a steward or judge may give permission for a horse to trot into the ring, but not out of the ring.

#### **ARTICLE G105 STALLIONS**

- 1. Junior B and C riders must not ride or handle stallions anywhere on the competition grounds. Jr. A riders may ride manageable stallions in jumper classes only. A stallion ridden by a Junior must be accompanied at all times by a competent adult/handler Person Responsible.
- 2. Manageable stallions ridden by seniors are eligible for all senior classes. Stallions may not be ridden in Pony Jumpers and Juniors may not ride stallions in any equitation class.

#### **ARTICLE A808 and G501 HORS CONCOURS**

- 1. "Hors Concours" entries will not be accepted in the EC Jumper Divisions.
- 2. "Hors Concours" is not allowed in the EC Hunter Division. G201.3
  - Cell phones, IPODS, etc. are not recommended to be used while riding. See ARTICLE G114
    COMMUNICATION EARPHONES/Earbuds Earphones/Earbuds and/or other electronic
    communication devices are strictly prohibited in the competition arena, and such usage is
    penalized by elimination. The use of only one earphone/earbud is allowed while mounted
    everywhere within the grounds of the Event except the competition arena.
  - Any horse that becomes out of control shall be eliminated from the competition at the discretion of the judge.
  - Lunging will not be permitted in the warm-up ring if there are more than 4 riders in the warm up ring. No more than one person lunging if there are riders in the warm-up ring.
  - Schooling Rules: reference Hunter/Jumper schooling rules see Annex 1 page 107 Section G rule book. FEI Schooling Rules will be in place.
  - The show committee does not accept responsibility for accidents or illness to horses, riders, grooms, spectators or any other persons.
  - Exhibitors competing for provincial points are requested to enter the animal in the name of the member of the family who is the official Equestrian Canada member.

# BRONZE -(all classes are Bronze)

New Brunswick Bronze section competitors require NBEA membership and EC Bronze Sport Licence/may be purchased from Equestrian Canada (www.equestrian.ca) – printed receipt will be accepted for proof of Equestrian Canada membership. EC Horse Recordings and Jump Canada Levy are not required for Bronze classes.

Note: Horses Entering Bronze Hunter Divisions may only enter 2 of 3 divisions (i.e., Intro and Pre-Beginner Hunter or Pre-Beginner and Beginner or Beginner and Heritage Low Hunter)

INTRO HUNTER: (22") 0.55m - Miscellaneous, not rated for Equestrian Canada Awards.

Entry Fee: \$60 for division (2 over fences and 1 under saddle)

Prize: Ribbons Only

**46)**Intro Hunter #1 – (Over fences: A simple hunter course of at least 8 fences with no combinations. Emphasis of judging on manners, obedience and style. Trotting to fences will not be penalized. Distances not to be adjusted for horses and ponies. Maximum height and width to be 22" (0.55m). Fences may be low verticals or oxers. Majority of fence to be 18" (0.45m). Open to seniors riding horses or large ponies and juniors riding horses or ponies of any height.G306.2 & 3.

**47)**Intro Hunter #2

**48)**Intro Hunter Under Saddle – (To be shown at walk, trot and canter, both ways of the ring. No more than eight to hand-gallop at one time. . In order to maintain awards, horses must compete and complete the course in at least one over fences class in their respective division, Article G318.1.

Entries in this division are limited to the Intro and Beginner Hunter Divisions. A pony shown in judged classes by an adult may not be shown by a Junior in a judged class at the same competition.

PRE-BEGINNER HUNTER: (2'3") 0.70m - Miscellaneous, not rated for EC Awards

Entry Fee: \$60 for division (2 over fences and 1 under saddle)

Prize: Ribbons Only

88) Pre-Beginner Hunter #1

To complete a hunter-type jumping course of at least 8 obstacles not to exceed 2'3" (0.70m) in height. To be judged on obedience, jumping form and general way of going. The class is open to seniors riding horses or large ponies and juniors riding horses or ponies. The course may, but is not required, to be adjusted in height and distance for ponies. Juniors of any age may show any height of pony in miscellaneous, non-point classes. G306.2&3. A pony shown in judged classes by an adult may not be shown by a junior in a judged class at the same competition

89) Pre-Beginner Hunter #2

**90)** Pre-Beginner Hunter Under Saddle: To be shown at walk, trot and canter, both ways of the ring. No more than eight horses will be asked to hand-gallop at one time. In order to maintain awards, horses must compete and complete the course in at least one over fences class in their respective division, Article G318.1.

# BEGINNER HUNTER: (2'6") 0.75m Miscellaneous, not rated for Equestrian Canada Awards.

Entry Fee: \$60 for division (2 over fences and 1 under saddle)

Prize: Ribbons Only

**49)**Beginner Hunter #1 – (To complete a hunter-type jumping course of at least 8 obstacles not to exceed 2'6" (0.75m) in height. To be judged on obedience, jumping form and general way of going. Open to seniors riding horses or large ponies and juniors riding horses or ponies. The course may, but is not required, to be adjusted in height and distance for ponies.) Juniors of any age may show any height of pony in miscellaneous, non-point classes. G306.

50) Beginner Hunter #2

51) Beginner Hunter Under Saddle

HERITAGE LOW HUNTER: (2.9) 0.85m Miscellaneous, not rated for Equestrian Canada Awards.

Entry Fee: \$60 for division (2 over fences and 1 under saddle)

Prize: Ribbons Only

80) Heritage Low Hunter # 1: 0.85m

**81)** Heritage Low Hunter #2

#### 82) Heritage Low Hunter Under Saddle

Miscellaneous, not rated for Equestrian Canada Awards. Open to horses or large ponies ridden by a Junior or Senior rider. Horses judged on obedience, jumping and general way of going. Distances will not be adjusted. Over fences: To complete a hunter-style jumping course of at least 8 obstacles not to exceed 2'9" (0.85m) in height. Miscellaneous, not rated for Equestrian Canada Awards. Under Saddle: To be shown at walk, trot and canter, both ways of the ring. No more than eight horses will be asked to hand-gallop at one time. In order for under saddle classes to count for awards, a horse must show and complete at least one over-fences class in the corresponding divisions.

# **EQUITATION DIVISION**

Equestrian Canada rule section G1001-1009

Entry Fee: \$20 per class Prize: Ribbons only

Equitation classes are divided by age groups as follows: Individuals are juniors until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 18. Article A901.

Routine on the flat: Article G1007. Riders will proceed at least once around the ring at each gait – walk, trot, sitting trot and canter, reverse and repeat. At the judge's discretion, they may be asked to execute an individual test.

52) Jr. "A" Hunter Seat (not to jump) Equestrian Canada

Riders are such from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 16 until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 18.

53 )Jr. "B" Hunter Seat (not to jump) Equine Canada

Riders are such from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 13 until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 15.

**54)**J. "C" Hunter Seat (not to jump) Equestrian Canada.

Riders are such until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 12.

55) Senior Amateur Hunter Seat (not to jump) Equestrian Canada

Members will be classified as Senior from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 19.

# **ENGLISH HACK DIVISION**

Entry Fee: \$20 per class Prize: Ribbons Only

Equestrian Canada rules Section G Article G1301-G1304 Tack and personal appointments as per G1204 and G1205.

# English Pleasure (E.C.) Article G1303

**English Pleasure:** To be shown at a flat-footed walk, normal trot and easy canter and not to gallop; light contact with the horse's mouth To be judged on 45% performance, 40% manners and 15% conformation.

# Road Hack (E.C.) Article G1302

**Road Hack:** Horses to enter ring at a walk. To be shown at a flat-footed walk with a reasonably loose rein, trot, strong trot, easy canter and hand gallop. Only 8 horses to hand gallop at one time. To be judged on 55% performance, 20% substance, 15% conformation and 10% manners

If ridden by a junior, heights of ponies and age of riders to be the same as in pony hunters. Junior C riders will be judged and pinned separately from Junior A & B riders in Junior classes.

**58)**Pony English Pleasure E.C.

**59)**Pony Road Hack E.C.

**60)** Junior English Pleasure, E.C.

**61)**Junior Road Hack, E.C.

62)Open English Pleasure, E.C.

63) Open Road Hack, E.C.

The NBEA is offering year end awards for a division for our young, beginner riders. This Division is open to riders until the end of the year in which they turn 12 yrs. old. The Walk/Trot Division will offer two classes: Equitation and Pleasure. Miscellaneous – not rated for EC Awards in this division.

# Walk/Trot – 12 yrs. and under

Riders who enter the Walk/Trot Under 12 division may not cross enter, at the same competition, into classes which require the rider to canter or ride over fences.

**86) Walk/Trot Equitation**: The class will proceed at least once around the ring at each gait – walk and trot and on command, reverse and repeat. Riders will then line up on command. The judge may ask questions about tack or horsemanship that would be suitable to the ability and age of the riders in the class. An individual test may be requested prior to the group class routine on the flat. This pattern may include a simple figure of eight pattern or similar simple pattern provided by the judge and posted at least one hour prior to the class. Riders who do not perform the individual test will not be eliminated and may proceed to the class routine on the flat.

**87) Walk/Trot English Pleasure:** Open to horses or ponies. To be shown at a flat footed walk and normal trot. To be judged on 45% performance, 40% manners and 15% conformation.

Year End Equestrian Canada awards and NBEA awards will be presented by the New Brunswick Hunter/Jumper Association and the NBEA. Horse and rider must have competed in at least two Equestrian Canada Sanctioned competitions for your points to count. Year end awards will be presented for each division. Details for all awards are found on the NBEA website.

# MISCELLANEOUS JUMPER DIVISION: (Not Rated for Equestrian Canada awards) A503

See Equestrian Canada jumper rules. Junior, amateur or non-pro riders may not compete in draw reins or German martingales. Section G page 107. A horse/rider combination is permitted unlimited upward movement through divisions, but downward movement is restricted to only one level. These movements are based on the level of the first class in which they competed. G603, 604.

Miscellaneous - not rated for EC Awards

(only open to residents of Atlantic Canada) (Not Rated for Equestrian Canada awards) A503

Jumper Welcome Table A, FEI Article 236 & 238.2 Jumper Power and Speed FEI Article 274.1 Jumper Speed Table C, FEI Article 239

Entry fee \$20 per class Ribbons 1<sup>st</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup>

**64)** Bronze Jumper Welcome 2'3" (0.70m)

**65)** Bronze Jumper Speed 2"3' (0.70m)

**66)** Bronze Jumper Welcome 2'6" (0.75m)

**67)** Bronze Jumper Speed 2'6" (0.75m)

**68)** Bronze Jumper Welcome 2'9" (.85m)

**69)** Bronze Jumper Speed 2'9" (.85m)

**70)** Bronze Jumper Welcome 3' (.9m)

**71)** Bronze Jumper Speed 3' (.9m)

72) Bronze Jumper Welcome 3'3" 1.0m)

**73)** Bronze Jumper Speed 3'3" (1.0m)

74) Bronze Jumper Welcome 3'6" (1.10m)

**75)** Bronze Jumper Speed 3'6" (1.10m)

# SAFETY, INCLUSIVITY, & EXCELLENCE

Your guide to the latest updates for the competition season in Canada

IMPORTANT CHANGES have been implemented to enhance the safety and inclusivity of equestrian sport. Whether you're an athlete, parent, coach, official, or competition staff, your role is crucial in upholding these standards. Here's what you need to know:

# SAFE SPORT TRAINING PREREQUISITE:

 The two free EC Safe Sport training modules must be completed before purchasing a Sport Licence. Check your training status on MyEC by clicking on the ECampus button.

# **DISCONTINUED TEMPORARY LICENCES:**

 Temporary EC Sport Licences are now discontinued at competitions. All riders, owners, and coaches must possess an EC Sport Licence to participate in events.

# **AVAILABLE SHOW LEVEL UPGRADES:**

 Explore higher-level competitions with temporary upgrades via your MyEC Portal. Note: National Rankings Points are not tabulated for upgraded results.

# **COACH STATUS REQUIREMENTS:**

- All coaches at EC-sanctioned events require EC Licensed Coach Status. For upgrading from Registered to Licensed Status, coaches can apply for a Temporary Coach Status (TCS) to fulfill the requirement for each event.
- New for 2024: A TCS may be purchased conveniently online via the MyEC Portal only. Each TCS is valid for a single event.

# EMPOWERING SELF-COACHED ATHLETES:

 Athletes without a designated coach can declare themselves as self-coached by providing their name and EC Sport Licence number on their entry form.



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#### **TENTATIVE SCHEDULE**

# SATURDAY - Start Time is 9:00 a.m.

- 64. Bronze Jumper Welcome 2'3" / 0.70m
- 65. Bronze Jumper Speed 2'3"/70m
- 66. Bronze Jumper Welcome 2'6"/0.75m
- 67. Bronze Jumper Speed 2'6"/0.75m
- 68. Bronze Jumper Welcome 2'9"/0.85m
- 69. Bronze Jumper Speed 2'9"/0.85m
- 70. Bronze Jumper Welcome 3'/0.9m
- 71. Bronze Jumper Speed 3'/0.9m
- 72. Bronze Jumper Welcome 3'3/1m
- 73. Bronze Jumper Speed 3'3/1m
- 74 Bronze Jumper Welcome 3'6"/1.10
- 75. Bronze Jumper Speed 3'6"/1.10
- 46. Intro Hunter #1
- 47. Intro Hunter #2
- 48. Intro Hunter Under Saddle
- 88. Pre-Beginner Hunter #1

- 89. Pre-Beginner Hunter #2
- 90. Pre-Beginner Hunter Under Saddle
- 49. Beginner Hunter #1
- 50. Beginner Hunter #2
- 51. Beginner Hunter Under Saddle
- 80. Heritage Low Hunter #1
- 81. Heritage Low Hunter #2
- 82. Heritage Low Hunter Under Saddle
- 52. Junior "A" Hunter Seat Equitation
- 53. Junior "B" Hunter Seat Equitation
- 54. Junior "C" Hunter Seat Equitation
- 55. Senior Hunter Seat Equitation
- 86. Walk/Trot Equitation
- 87. Walk/Trot Pleasure
- 58. Pony English Pleasure
- 60. Junior English Pleasure
- 62. Open English Pleasure
- 59. Pony Road Hack
- 61. Junior Road Hack
- 63.Open Road Hack

# WAIVER FOR GEARY HILL EQUESTRIAN CHALLENGE SHOW SERIES

I hereby certify that every horse, rider and/or driver is eligible as entered and agree for myself and my representatives to be bound by the Constitution and rules of Equestrian Canada at this competition. It is hereby recognized that all equestrian sports involve inherent risk and that no helmet or protective equipment can protect against all foreseeable injury. I hereby accept this risk and hold harmless EC, the competition, their officials, organizers, agents, employees and their representatives. The person responsible (PR) agrees to the release of any information on the entry form to EC. (A802.4)

Every entry at a recognized competition shall constitute an agreement and affirmation that all participants (which include, without limitations, the owner, lessee, trainer, manager, agent, coach, driver, handler and the horse), for themselves, their principals, representatives, employees and agents: (1) shall be subject and bound by the rules of Equestrian Canada and the local rules of the competition; (2) represent that every horse, rider, driver and handler is eligible as entered; (3) agree that they participate voluntarily in the competition fully aware that horse sports and the competition involve inherent dangerous risk of serious injury or death, and accept that no helmet or protective equipment can protect against all foreseeable injury, and by participation they expressively assume any and all risks of injury or loss to both horse or rider.

In consideration of being allowed to participate in this event, I hereby assume all risk and I hereby release and absolve the Organizing Committee of the Geary Hill Equestrian Challenge Show Series, National, Provincial and Discipline Affiliates, Equestrian Canada, the New Brunswick Equestrian Association and their Officials, Volunteers, Directors, Agents, Representatives and Employees and the Owners and Occupiers of the land upon which the competition is held from all responsibility, liability or claims of any nature and kind which I may have arising from the participation in this activity, including the negligence of one or more of the individuals and organizations referred to herein. I hereby declare that in making this entry that I have read and fully understand and agree to the terms and conditions stated herein and that it is binding upon my executors, heirs and assigns. Signature of Rider: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed name of Rider: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Owner: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed name of Owner: If the rider is under 18 years of age, the Parent/Guardian must complete the form. \_\_\_\_\_\_ participates in an Equestrian Canada sanctioned competition where protective In the event that headgear is required for juniors, he/she will wear properly fitted and fastened approved headgear at all times while riding or driving at the event location. It is understood that juniors not meeting this requirement will not be allowed to compete at these competitions." (A802.6) \_\_\_\_\_that I have read and fully understand and agree to the I acknowledge as Parent/Guardian of terms and conditions stated herein on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_\_ and myself. Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Printed name of Parent/Guardian:

I/we hereby confirm that there is liability coverage in force with respect to the ownership of the competing horse(s).

Provincial Equestrian Body Membership # PTSO \_\_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_ Signed \_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

The **Person Responsible** for a horse must be an adult who has, or shares, responsibility for the care, training, custody and performance of the horse and who has official responsibility for that horse under EC Rules and is liable under the penalty provisions of the Rules for any violation of the EC Rules. For the purpose of these Rules, the Person Responsible is normally the trainer, owner or the competitor who rides or drives the horse during an event, or a parent or legal guardian in the case of junior/minor/owner competitors. The Person Responsible is ultimately responsible for the condition, fitness and management of the horse and is alone responsible for any act performed in the stables by himself or herself or by any other person with authorized access to the horse, or while the horse is being ridden, driven or exercised. The Person Responsible must hold a valid EC Sport License in good standing at the same level or higher in which the horse is competing. However, when the competitor is a Junior/minor/owner, the competitor cannot be the Person Responsible and the Person Responsible may be a parent/legal guardian. The entry form must list the name of the Person Responsible, their EC or USEF member number and be signed.

"I hereby certify that every horse listed on this entry form has met the requirements of Article A519, Vaccinations. See Rules of Equestrian Canada, Section A, General Regulations, Article A519, Vaccinations."

Person Responsible Signature:	
Printed Name:	Date: