

ROCHDALE & DISTRICT RIDING CLUB

Showground at Croft Top Equestrian Centre

Stone Fold Village, Rising Bridge, Accrington. BB5 2DP

www.rochdale.rc.co.uk

OPEN POINT SHOW SCHEDULE

Sundays - 7th May, 23rd July & 20th August 2017

All ages at 1st January in the current year.

Equifest Affiliated Class Code↓

Ring 1 RIDDEN

Main Indoor Arena

Starts 9.30am

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| 1 | Ridden Veteran: 16 years & over | |
| 2 | Beginners Novice Ridden Showing Competitors will not be required to canter on the go round and canter is optional in the individual show | |
| 3 | Novice Ridden Showing | |
| 4 | Ridden Pure Arab & Part Bred/Anglo Arab (including Foreign Breeds) | |
| 5 | Ridden Coloured, Spotted, Dun, Cremello & Palomino | 22 |
| 6 | Ridden Showing: not exc 148cm | 6 |
| 7 | Ridden Showing: exc 148cm | |

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| Champ 1 | Ridden Showing Championship <i>1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 1,3 to 7</i> |
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| 8 | Lead Rein Showing (excluding M&M): Rider 8 years & under | 7, 10 |
| 9 | Lead Rein Mountain & Moorland: Rider 8 years & under | 3 |
| 10 | Beginners First Ridden: Rider 9 years & under May be accompanied by an adult and canter is optional during the individual show | |
| 11 | First Ridden Pony: Rider 10 years & under | 8 |
| 12 | First Ridden Mountain & Moorland: Rider 11 years & under | 4 |

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| Champ 2 | Mini Championship <i>1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 8 to 12</i> |
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Not before 1.30pm

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| 13 | Novice Riding Club Horse & Pony | |
| 14 | Riding Club Pony: not exc 148cm | |
| 15 | Riding Club Horse: exc 148cm | |

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| Champ 3 | Riding Club Horse/Pony Championship <i>1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 13 to 15</i> |
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Ridden Ring contd ...

**The Main Arena will be open from 8.00am on Show Days
for working in before the classes start at 9.30am**

Show Qualifiers

The Club has affiliated to and is holding qualifiers for many Championships.
Please see www.rochdale.rc.co.uk for full list of qualifiers.

Ring 1 RIDDEN contd...

Main Indoor Arena

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| 16 | Riding Horse: exc 148cm | 16 |
| 17 | Ridden Part Bred Mountain & Moorland | 21 |
| 18 | Ridden Mountain & Moorland: Small & Large Breeds Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Connemara, Highland, Dales, Fell, New Forest, Section A, B, C & D | 2, 25 |
| 19 | Show Hunter Pony: not exc 153cm | 9 |
| 20 | Ridden Hunter: exc 153cm | 19 |
| 21 | Ridden Cob | 17, 18 |

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| Champ 4 | Ridden Showing Championship <i>1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 16 to 21</i> |
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- Notes:**
1. Spurs are not permitted in classes 2, 3, 6, 8 to 15 and 17 to 19.
 2. Classes 2, 3, 8 to 11 and 13 to 15 are to be ridden in a suitable snaffle bridle. All other classes are to be ridden in a suitable bridle.
 3. Lead rein classes are to be ridden in a suitable snaffle bridle with the lead rein attached to the noseband only. Competitors entering lead rein classes are ineligible to enter classes off the lead and vice versa with the exception of the Beginners First Ridden.
 4. Novice: Combinations not to have won two open classes at R&DRC previous to the current season or the end of season novice championship.
 5. Classes 13 to 15 are judged primarily on suitability and manners for all riding club activities. Includes small fence; class 13 fence not to exceed 65cm. Spurs and martingales are not permitted.

Ring Stewards Wanted

Ever wondered what the judges are looking for
Every Show not only needs **JUDGES** but also **STEWARDS**.

As a steward you would be required to keep track of the competitors in each class, make notes as required by the Judge, record final placings and assist with awarding the rosettes and qualification cards.

If you are interested in Stewarding or able to help on Show Days please contact Mandy on 07768 517398

At the July Show there will be a Supreme Champion of Show

Champions and Reserve Champions

from Championship classes Champ 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7 & 8 are eligible to compete

Championship to take place in Ring 1 (when rings 1, 2 & 3 have finished)

Trophies will be awarded to the Ring Champions
and to the Supreme and Reserve Supreme Champion of Show

Trophies will also be awarded to the combinations gaining most points in any two
Show Jumping classes for ponies and horses

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Ring 2 EQUITATION

Small Indoor Arena

Starts 9.30am

- 22 **Open Best Figure of Eight in Trot:** Rider any age (including 8 years & under Lead Rein)
 23 **Lead Rein Equitation:** Rider 8 years & under
 24 **Senior Equitation:** Rider 17 years & over
 25 **Junior Equitation:** Rider 13 years to 16 years
 26 **Nursery Equitation:** Rider 12 years & under

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| Champ 5 | Equitation Championship <i>1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 23 to 26</i> |
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- Notes:**
- Classes 23 to 26 are to be ridden in an ordinary snaffle bridle (wilkie snaffles are not permitted) with either a drop, cavesson or flash noseband. Spurs and martingales are not permitted.
 - The Best Figure of Eight class is open to genuine novice combinations and should be entered in the spirit it is intended.
 - Lead rein equitation is to be ridden in an ordinary snaffle bridle (wilkie snaffles are not permitted) with the lead rein attached to the noseband only. Competitors entering lead rein classes are ineligible to enter classes off the lead and vice versa with the exception of the Beginners classes.

Ring 2 IN HAND

Small Indoor Arena

Not before 11.00am

- 27 **Best Condition**
 28 **Yearlings & Youngstock:** 3 years & under
 29 **Showing** 24
 30 **Veteran:** 16 years & over
 31 **Coloured, Spotted, Dun, Cremello & Palomino** 23
 32 **Pure Arab & Part Bred/Anglo Arab** (including Foreign Breeds)

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| Champ 6 | In Hand Championship <i>1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 27 to 32</i> |
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- 33 **Young Handler:** 11 years & under
 Judged on handler's capability
 34 **Cob**
 35 **Hunter**
 36 **Part Bred Mountain & Moorland**
 37 **Mountain & Moorland:** Small Breeds 1
 Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Section A & B
 38 **Mountain & Moorland:** Large Breeds 1
 Connemara, Highland, Dales, Fell, New Forest, Section C & D

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| Champ 7 | In Hand Championship <i>1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 34 to 38</i> |
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- Notes:**
- PROTECTIVE HEADWEAR MUST BE WORN BY JUNIOR HANDLERS** and is recommended for Seniors. Handlers must be smartly dressed.
 - The handlers must be the member for end of season points to be awarded. Non-members are still eligible to enter with no points awarded.

Ring 3 WORKING HUNTER

Outdoor Grass Arena

Starts 9.45am

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| 39 | Nursery Working Hunter: Rider 12 years & under | 65cm | |
| 40 | Novice Mountain & Moorland Working Hunter: Small & Large Breeds Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Connemara, Highland, Dales, Fell, New Forest, Section A, B, C & D | 65cm | |
| 41 | Mountain & Moorland Working Hunter: Small & Large Breeds Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Connemara, Highland, Dales, Fell, New Forest, Section A, B, C & D | 70cm | 5 |
| 42 | Lead Rein/Adult Assisted Working Hunter: Rider 9 years & under | Under 40cm | |
| 43 | Intro Mixed Height Working Hunter | 60cm/65cm | |
| 44 | Novice Working Hunter: not exc 153cm | 70cm | |
| 45 | Novice Working Hunter: exc 153cm | 75cm | |
| 46 | Intermediate Working Hunter: not exc 153cm | 75cm | 11 |
| 47 | Intermediate Working Hunter: exc 153cm | 85cm | |
| 48 | Open Mixed Height Working Hunter | 90cm | 12 |

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| Champ 8 | Working Hunter Championship <i>1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 39 to 48</i> |
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- Notes:**
1. Fence heights are approximate maximum height.
 2. Working Hunter classes are judged in accordance with BSPS/SHB (HIS) rules, as closely as possible.
 3. Dark coloured boots and over-reach boots are permitted in the jumping phase; at no other time can a change of saddlery be permitted.
 4. Spurs are only permitted for horses exc 153cm.
 5. Nursery: Combinations not to have won a height, intermediate or open Working Hunter class at R&DRC previous to the current season or the end of season nursery/novice championship. This class is open to genuine novice combinations and should be entered in the spirit it is intended.
 6. Lead Rein/Adult Assisted Working Hunter: Combinations entering this class are ineligible to enter any other Working Hunter or Show Jumping classes and this class should be entered in the spirit it is intended. .
 7. Intro: Combinations not to have won a novice, height, intermediate or open Working Hunter class at R&DRC previous to the current season or the end of season intro/novice championship.
 8. Novice: Combinations not to have won two height, intermediate or open Working Hunter classes at R&DRC previous to the current season or the end of season novice championship.
 9. Combinations entering the Intro Working Hunter class are ineligible to enter the Open Working Hunter class and vice versa.

49 **Novelties** – 3 classes as detailed below (**not before 12.30pm**)
Ring to be announced on the day

| May | July | August |
|---------------------|-----------------|------------------------|
| Bonny Pony | Bonny Pony | Bonny Pony |
| Most Like its Owner | Softest Nose | Most Like to Take Home |
| Kindest Eyes | Roundest Bottom | Shiniest Coat |

All ages at 1st January in the current year.

Ring 4 SHOW JUMPING

Outdoor All-weather Arena

CLEAR ROUND from 8.30am until 9.45am
(lead rein permitted to enter)
Entry Fee **£3.00** (pay at ringside)

Starts 10.15am

- 50 **60cm Show Jumping:** not exc 148cm
- 51 **60cm Show Jumping:** exc 148cm
- 52 **Nursery 65cm Show Jumping:** Rider 12 years & under
- 53 **70cm Show Jumping:** not exc 148cm
- 54 **70cm Show Jumping:** exc 148cm

Not before 1.30pm

- 55 **80cm Show Jumping:** not exc 148cm
- 56 **80cm Show Jumping:** exc 148cm
- 57 **90cm Show Jumping:** not exc 148cm
- 58 **90cm Show Jumping:** exc 148cm
- 59 **Open 1m Show Jumping**

- Notes:**
1. Please note there will only be one course walk prior to each fence height section and it is the competitor's responsibility to be available for the respective course walk.
 2. Fence heights are approximate maximum height for the first round.
 3. Show Jumping classes are run in accordance with British Riding Club Official Rules.
 4. Competitors are requested to be in the collecting ring **10 MINUTES** before the commencement of their class.
 5. Nursery: Combinations not to have won a height or open Show Jumping class at R&DRC previous to the current season or the end of season nursery championship. This class is open to genuine novice combinations and should be entered in the spirit it is intended.
 6. Combinations entering the 60cm Show Jumping classes are ineligible to enter the 90cm and above Show Jumping classes and vice versa.

| Entry Fees | MEMBERS Postal Entries | MEMBERS On Show Day | NON-MEMBERS Postal & Show |
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| Classes | £5.00 | £6.00 | £10.00 |
| Clear Round (pay at ringside) | - | £3.00 | £3.00 |
| Plus £2.00 donation to First Aid Services | | | |

All riders must wear protective headwear with the harness correctly adjusted and fastened. Protective headwear constitutes a hat that meets the standards as detailed in the RC Rules.
Competitors and spectators must abide by the Club Rules

ROSETTES TO 4TH IN ALL CLASSES & POINTS AWARDED TO MEMBERS

If 8 or more competitors rosettes will be placed to 6th (Points are not awarded for the Novelty classes)

Entries to: **Michelle Brown, Pot House Farm, Pot House Lane, Wardle. OL12 9PP**
(Completed postal entry forms, together with the appropriate entry fees, are to be received by the Friday before each Show)

Please make cheques payable to:- R&DRC **NO TELEPHONE OR E-MAIL ENTRIES**

Enquiries: **07808 906189 / info@rochdalerc.co.uk**

Show Postal Entry Forms available at www.rochdalerc.co.uk

Equifest Qualifiers - May, July & August Shows

The above Shows and following classes are qualifiers for the Equifest Finals to be held at The East of England Showground in August 2017 and 2018

⁽⁰⁰⁾ = Equifest Affiliated Class Code

5⁽²²⁾, 6⁽⁶⁾, 8^{(7) (10)}, 9⁽³⁾, 11⁽⁸⁾, 12⁽⁴⁾, 16⁽¹⁶⁾, 17⁽²¹⁾, 18^{(2) (25)}, 19⁽⁹⁾, 20⁽¹⁹⁾, 21^{(17) (18)}, 29⁽²⁴⁾, 31⁽²³⁾, 37⁽¹⁾, 38⁽¹⁾, 41⁽⁵⁾, 46⁽¹¹⁾ & 48⁽¹²⁾

Competitors wishing to qualify for the Equifest finals must obtain a Qualification Card from www.equifest.org.uk before competing in an Equifest Qualifier. Qualification cards will be signed by the Judge, Steward or Show Secretary at the time of qualification

The **TWO** highest placed exhibits not already qualified in each affiliated class will qualify

For a full list of Sponsors and Equifest qualifying criteria please visit www.equifest.org.uk

Equine Sports UK Grassroots (ESUK) Qualifiers - May & July* Shows

* Show Jumping only

The above Shows and following classes are qualifiers for the Equine Sports UK (ESUK) Grassroots Championships to be held at Arena UK, Grantham in August 2017

1, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 40, 41, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58 & 59

The **THREE** highest placed exhibits not already qualified will qualify in each affiliated class

The Showing Register (TSR) Qualifier – May Show

The above Show and following classes are qualifiers for the 2017 TSR Regional Finals.

Classes 1 to 48

Qualify and enter ANY of the Regional Finals - Central, East Anglia, North West, North East, South East, South, Wales & South West or Scottish. You do not have to be a TSR member to qualify or enter a final.

The Rider/Handler qualifies and can enter any horse/pony in any number of Finals

TSR Rider Finals:- **TWO** highest placed exhibits will qualify and will receive qualification card in the ring

TSR In Hand Finals:- **TWO** highest placed exhibits with a TSR In Hand Card will qualify in any In Hand class. Handlers **MUST** have their cards signed in the ring by the judge/steward

Cards are available FREE from the TSR website – www.theshowingregister.co.uk

TSR Medal Awards:- TSR members can collect qualification cards and signatures and redeem for a TSR Medal see TSR website

BSHA Grass Roots & SHGB Riding Club Championships:- With a TSR qualification card you can also enter the BSHA Grass Roots Champs in Sept at Addington Equestrian Centre - You do not have to be a BSHA member to qualify or enter the final. See www.britishshowhorse.org PLUS the Sport Horse GB Riding Club Championship www.sporthorsegb.co.uk

NCPA Qualifier – Affiliation No. 231/17 – July Show

The above Show and following classes are qualifiers for the NCPA Pony of the Year Show to be held at Warren Farm, Formby in September 2017

Classes 1 to 48

The **TWO** highest placed exhibits not already qualified will qualify in each affiliated class.

Blue Chip North West Showing & North West Working Hunter Qualifiers July & August Shows

The above Shows and following classes are qualifiers for the Blue Chip North West Showing and the North West Working Hunter Championships to be held in September 2017

Classes 1 to 48

The **TWO** highest placed exhibits not already qualified will qualify in each affiliated class