

ROCHDALE & DISTRICT RIDING CLUB

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INDOOR PRE-SEASON SHOW CHAPS & Equifest* Qualifiers

** Competitors wishing to qualify for the Equifest finals must obtain a Qualification Card from www.equifest.org.uk which will be signed in the ring*

Sunday 4th March 2018

Venue

Croft Top Equestrian Centre

Stonefold Village, Rising Bridge, Accrington. BB5 2DP
(location map available at www.crofttop.co.uk)

**THE MAIN ARENA WILL BE OPEN FROM 8.00am
FOR WORKING IN BEFORE THE SHOW
STARTS AT 9.30am**

Ring Championships & Supreme Champion of Show

Rosettes to 6th in all classes

All ages at 1st January in the current year.

Ring 1 Judge: **Linda Cadman**

Starts 9.30am

Main Indoor Arena

Equifest Affiliated Class Code↓

- 1 **Nursery Equitation:** Rider 12 years & under
- 2 **Junior Equitation:** Rider 13 years to 17 years
- 3 **Senior Equitation:** Rider 18 years & over

Champ 1	Equitation Championship – 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 1 to 3
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4 **Riding Club Pony:** not exc 148cm

5 **Riding Club Horse:** exc 148cm

Champ 2	Riding Club Horse/Pony Championship - 1st & 2nd prize winners from class 4 & 5
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6 **Novice Ridden Showing**

Competitors will not be required to canter on the go round and canter is optional in the individual show

7 **Ridden Showing:** not exc 148cm

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8 **Ridden Showing:** exc 148cm

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9 **Ridden Veteran:** 16 years & over

10 **Ridden Pure Arab & Part Bred/Anglo Arab** (including Foreign Breeds)

Champ 3	Showing Championship - 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 7 to 10
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11 **Ridden Mountain & Moorland:** Small & Large Breeds
Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Connemara, Highland, Dales, Fell, New Forest, Section A & B, C & D

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12 **Ridden Coloured, Spotted, Dun, Cremello & Palomino**

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13 **CHAPS Non-Native Horse & Pony:** Any height

14 **CHAPS Native/Traditional Cob & Show Cob Type:** Any height

15 **Show Hunter Pony:** not exc 153cm

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16 **Ridden Hunter:** exc 153cm

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17 **Ridden Cob**

17, 18

Champ 4	Showing Championship - 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 11 to 17
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- Notes:**
1. Classes 1 to 3 are to be ridden in an ordinary snaffle bridle (wilkie/bevel snaffles are not permitted) with either a drop, cavesson or flash noseband. Spurs and martingales are not permitted.
 2. Classes 4 to 6 are to be ridden in a suitable snaffle bridle. Classes 7 to 17 are to be ridden in a suitable bridle.
 3. Spurs are not permitted in classes 1 to 7, 11 & 15.

Supreme Champion of Show

Prize Money

Supreme - £40.00 Reserve - £20.00

Champions and Reserve Champions

from Championship classes Champ 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8 are eligible to compete

Championship to take place in Ring 1 (after both rings have finished)

All ages at 1st January in the current year.

Ring 2 Judge: **Sheila Dinsdale**

Starts 9.30am

Small Indoor Arena

Equifest Affiliated Class Code↓

18	Lead Rein Equitation: Rider 8 years & under	
19	Lead Rein Showing: Rider 8 years & under	3, 7 & 10
20	First Ridden Pony: Rider 10 years & under	4 & 8

Champ 5	Mini Championship - 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 19 & 20
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21	Young Handler: 11 years & under (Judged on handler's capability)	
22	In Hand Pure Bred Welsh: Section A & B	1
23	In Hand Mountain & Moorland: Small Breeds (excluding Welsh) Dartmoor, Exmoor & Shetland	1
24	In Hand Pure Bred Welsh: Section C & D	1
25	In Hand Mountain & Moorland: Large Breeds (excluding Welsh) Connemara, Highland, Dales, Fell & New Forest	1

Champ 6	In Hand M&M Championship - 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 22 to 25
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26	In Hand Best Condition	
27	In Hand Yearlings	
28	In Hand Youngstock: 2 & 3 years	

Champ 7	In Hand Championship - 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 26 to 28
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29	In Hand Veteran: 16 years & over	
30	In Hand Coloured, Spotted, Dun, Cremello & Palomino	23
31	In Hand Cob	
32	In Hand Showing: not exc 138cm	24
33	In Hand Showing: exc 138cm	24
34	In Hand Hunter Pony: not exc 153cm	
35	In Hand Hunter: exc 153cm	
36	In Hand Pure Arab & Part Bred/Anglo Arab (including Foreign Breeds)	

Champ 8	In Hand Championship - 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 29 to 36
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- Notes:**
1. **PROTECTIVE HEADWEAR MUST BE WORN BY JUNIOR HANDLERS** in the In Hand classes and is recommended for Seniors. Handlers must be smartly dressed.
 2. 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. **Wilkie/bevel snaffles are not permitted for the Lead Rein Equitation class.**

Supreme Champion of Show

Prize Money

Supreme - £40.00 Reserve - £20.00

Champions and Reserve Champions

from Championship classes Champ 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8 are eligible to compete

Championship to take place in Ring 1 (after both rings have finished)

Rules for 2017/18 CHAPS (UK) Qualifier - BSPS Winter Restricted Qualifier

Both the owner and the rider of any exhibit need not be fully paid-up members of CHAPS (UK) at the time of competition, nor must the animal be registered; but to validate the qualification, both membership and registration must be in place with CHAPS (UK) at the time of entering the relevant years' finals and both sections of the qualifier card must be returned as per the instructions on the card. Membership/registration from CHAPS (UK) Admin, 1 McClaren Cottages, Abertysswg, Rhymney, Tredegar NP22 5BH. All stallions MUST be graded with CHAPS (UK) in order to compete in these classes. Exhibits not to have qualified for HOYS in the current year and previous year in which the Finals will be held (e.g. for 2018 Finals the horse or pony must not have qualified for HOYS in either 2016 or 2017).

The **TWO** highest placed from each height/type category may qualify

This Show and the following classes are qualifiers for the Equifest finals to be held at The East of England Showground, Peterborough in August 2018

⁽⁰⁰⁾ = Equifest Affiliated Class Code

7 ⁽⁶⁾, 8 ⁽¹⁶⁾, 11 ⁽²⁾ ⁽²⁵⁾, 12 ⁽²²⁾, 15 ⁽⁹⁾, 16 ⁽¹⁹⁾, 17 ⁽¹⁷⁾ ⁽¹⁸⁾,
19 ⁽³⁾ ⁽⁷⁾ ⁽¹⁰⁾, 20 ⁽⁴⁾ ⁽⁸⁾, 22 ⁽¹⁾, 23 ⁽¹⁾, 24 ⁽¹⁾, 25 ⁽¹⁾, 30 ⁽²³⁾, 32 ⁽²⁴⁾ & 33 ⁽²⁴⁾

Competitors wishing to qualify for the Equifest finals must obtain a Qualification Card from www.equifest.org.uk before competing in an Equifest Qualifier

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

<u>Entry Fees</u>	MEMBERS Postal Entries	MEMBERS On Show Day	NON MEMBERS Postal & Show
Classes	£5.00	£6.00	£10.00
Plus £2.00 donation to First Aid Services			

ROSETTES TO 6TH IN ALL CLASSES

Entries to: **Michelle Brown, Pot House Farm, Pot House Lane, Wardle. OL12 9PP**
(Postal entry forms available at www.rochdalerc.co.uk. Completed entry forms are to be received, together with the appropriate entry fees, by the Friday before the Show).

Please make cheques payable to:- **R&DRC**

NO TELEPHONE OR E-MAIL ENTRIES

TO ENTER ONLINE PLEASE VISIT THE RIDING CLUB WEBSITE

www.rochdalerc.co.uk

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

Notes, guidelines and rules:-

- All ages at 1st January in the current year.
- 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 Riding Club Rules.
- R&DRC reserve the right to refuse entries to oversubscribed classes and in the case of insufficient entries classes may be combined or cancelled.
- Competitors and spectators must abide by the Club Rules.