

**CR APPENDIX 4: DRESS GUIDELINES – DRESSAGE AND RIDING TESTS INCLUDING COMBINED TRAINING AND HORSE TRIALS DRESSAGE**

<b>DRESSAGE &amp; RIDING TESTS</b> (Including dressage phase of Horse Trials and Combined Training)		
<b>Hats</b> (Must be worn to at least this standard with a harness properly adjusted and fastened – Skull caps must be worn with a silk). <b>All Hats must be BRC, PC or BE tagged</b>	<b>British</b>	PAS 015: 1998 or 2011 provided they are BSI Kitemarked or Inspec IC Marked VG1 01.040: 2014-12 provided they are BSI Kitemarked or Inspec IC Marked
	<b>European</b>	VG1 01.040: 2014-12 provided they are BSI Kitemarked or Inspec IC Marked
	<b>American</b>	ASTM F1163: 2004a or 04a onwards provided they are SEI marked SNELL E2001 and SNELL E2016
	<b>Australian and New Zealand</b>	AS/NZS 3838: 2006 onwards provided they are SAI global marked
<b>Jodhpurs &amp; Breeches</b>	White, cream or beige breeches or jodhpurs.	
<b>Boots</b>	Long riding boots designed for riding are to be worn. Short riding boots with gaiters of the same leather and colour may be worn. Suede half chaps may be worn providing they are of identical colour to the boots and have no decoration or tassels of any sort.	
<b>Jackets, Shirts &amp; Body Protectors</b>	Jackets <i>or smart fitted waistcoats</i> may be any conservative colours in muted tones; they may not be multi coloured or boldly pinstriped. Subtle pinstripes are permitted, as are colours and contrast piping to collar, lapels, pockets and vents. Service dress is permitted as is a tweed jacket with coloured stock or collar and tie. White stocks, white american collar or white shirts with collar and tie may be worn. Body protectors may be worn – if worn; it should be fitted and worn as per the manufacturers' guidelines. Hybrid Air- jackets and air jackets incorporated into a blouson style jacket are permitted. Plain, dark coloured waterproof coats may be worn in wet weather.	
<b>Hair &amp; Jewellery</b>	Hair must be neatly secured and <b>MUST</b> not hang lower than the shoulder line when standing normally. Any item of jewellery or alternative medical treatment wrist bands must be covered up by clothing or gloves, if they cannot be removed, at the riders own risk.	
<b>Gloves</b>	Gloves must be worn.	
<b>Whips</b>	One whip of any length is permitted for all BRC dressage. Whips must not be used in a way or be of a length that disturbs other riders and may not be picked up if dropped during a test.	
<b>Spurs</b>	The band around the heel must be smooth and spurs must be made of smooth metal, be blunt and be incapable of wounding a horse. Comb, tines and 'spursader' style spurs are not permitted. Spur designs which include necks set to the inside of the heel, roughened/ cutting edges or serrated spurs with or without necks are not permitted. Spurs with smooth rowels not exceeding 1cm are permitted. Spurs must be made of metal, although spurs with a smooth rotating rubber, metal or plastic ball on the shank or 'impulse spurs' are permitted. Dummy spurs are permitted and if there is a shank it must not exceed 3cm for seniors or 2.5cm for juniors; for Horse Trials, spurs must not exceed 4cm. Spurs may only be worn in the traditional manner, with the curve, if any, pointing downwards with the shank pointing to the rear and the end clearly horizontal to the ground or pointing downwards. All spurs are measured from the back of the boot/inside of the spur.	

At the discretion of the Official Steward and judge, competitors may be permitted to ride without jackets or waistcoats in excessively hot weather. An American collar, correctly fastened stock or a suitable shirt that fastens at the neck (not bright or multi- coloured) with a tie must be worn. Short sleeved shirts may be worn at the discretion of the Official Steward and judge.

**CR APPENDIX 4: DRESS GUIDELINES - SHOW JUMPING INCLUDING STYLE JUMPING, COMBINED TRAINING AND HORSE TRIALS SHOW JUMPING**

<b>SHOW &amp; STYLE JUMPING</b> (Including show jumping phase of Horse Trials and Combined Training)		
<b>Hats</b> (Must be worn to at least this standard with a harness properly adjusted and fastened – Skull caps must be worn with a silk). <b>All Hats must be BRC, PC or BE tagged</b>	<b>British</b>	PAS 015: 1998 or 2011 provided they are BSI Kitemarked or Inspec IC Marked VG1 01.040: 2014-12 provided they are BSI Kitemarked or Inspec IC Marked
	<b>European</b>	VG1 01.040: 2014-12 provided they are BSI Kitemarked or Inspec IC Marked
	<b>America</b>	ASTM F1163: 2004a or 04a onwards provided they are SEI marked SNELL E2001 and SNELL E2016
	<b>Australian and New Zealand</b>	AS/NZS 3838: 2006 onwards provided they are SAI global marked
<b>Jodhpurs &amp; Breeches</b>	White, cream or beige breeches or jodhpurs	
<b>Boots</b>	Long riding boots designed for riding are to be worn. Short riding boots with gaiters of the same leather and colour may be worn. Suede half chaps may be worn providing they are of identical colour to the boots and have no decoration of any sort.	
<b>Jackets, Shirts &amp; Body Protectors</b>	Traditional Style fitted show/hacking jackets in any colour are allowed. Show jumping shirts, white stocks, white American collar or white shirts with collar and tie may be worn. Body protectors may be worn and should be fitted and worn as per the manufacturers' guidelines. Hybrid Air-jackets and air jackets incorporated into a blouson style jacket are permitted. Service Dress is permitted. Plain, dark coloured waterproof coats may be worn in wet weather.	
<b>Hair &amp; Jewellery</b>	Hair must be neatly secured and must not hang lower than the shoulder line when standing normally. Any item of jewellery or alternative medical treatment wrist bands must be covered up by clothing or gloves, if they cannot be removed, at the riders own risk.	
<b>Gloves</b>	Gloves are optional.	
<b>Whips</b>	One whip is permitted and must be between 45cm and 75cm and must not be weighted or with a hard point at the end.	
<b>Spurs</b>	The band around the heel must be smooth and spurs must be made of smooth metal, be blunt and be incapable of wounding a horse. Comb, tines and 'spursader' style spurs are not permitted. Spur designs which include necks set to the inside of the heel, roughened/cutting edges or serrated spurs with or without necks are not permitted. Spurs with smooth rowels not exceeding 1cm are permitted. Spurs must be made of metal, although spurs with a smooth rotating rubber, metal or plastic ball on the shank or 'impulse spurs' are permitted. Dummy spurs are permitted and if there is a shank it must not exceed 3cm for seniors or 2.5cm for juniors; for Horse Trials, spurs must not exceed 4cm. Spurs may only be worn in the traditional manner, with the curve, if any, pointing downwards with the shank pointing to the rear and the end clearly horizontal to the ground or pointing downwards. All spurs are measured from the back of the boot/inside of the spur.	

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At the discretion of the Official Steward and judge, competitors may be permitted to ride without jackets in excessively hot weather. An American collar, correctly fastened stock or a suitable shirt that fastens at the neck (not bright or multi-coloured) with a tie must be worn. Short sleeved shirts may be worn at the discretion of the Official Steward and judge.

**CR APPENDIX 4: DRESS GUIDELINES - HORSE TRIALS AND FOTH CHALLENGE AND ARENA EVENTING**

<b>HORSE TRIALS &amp; FOTH CHALLENGE</b>		
<b>Hats</b> (Must be worn to at least this standard with a harness properly adjusted and fastened – Skull caps must be worn with a silk). <b>All Hats must be BRC, PC or BE tagged</b>	<b>British</b>	PAS 015: 1998 or 2011 provided they are BSI Kitemarked or Inspec IC Marked VG1 01.040: 2014-12 provided they are BSI Kitemarked or Inspec IC Marked
	<b>European</b>	VG1 01.040: 2014-12 provided they are BSI Kitemarked or Inspec IC Marked
	<b>America</b>	ASTM F1163: 2004a or 04a onwards provided they are SEI marked SNELL E2001 and SNELL E2016
	<b>Australian and New Zealand</b>	AS/NZS 3838: 2006 onwards provided they are SAI global marked
<b>Jodhpurs &amp; Breeches</b>	White, cream or beige breeches or jodhpurs	
<b>Boots</b>	Long riding boots designed for riding are to be worn. Short riding boots with gaiters of the same leather and colour may be worn. Suede half chaps may be worn providing they are of identical colour to the boots and have no decoration of any sort.	
<b>Jackets, Shirts &amp; Body Protectors</b>	Sweatshirt or shirt. Short sleeved shirts may be worn at the discretion of the organiser. Stocks should be properly tied. <b>A body protector Level 3 2009 or after purple label or a blue 2018 label or after</b> should be fitted and worn as per the manufacturers' guidelines. See also G22.3. Hybrid Air- jackets and air jackets incorporated into a blouson style jacket are permitted. Service Dress is permitted. Exo Body Cages are permitted with a Level 3 2000 purple label.	
<b>Hair &amp; Jewellery</b>	Hair must be neatly secured and must not hang lower than the shoulder line when standing normally. Any item of jewellery or alternative medical treatment wrist bands must be covered up by clothing or gloves, if they cannot be removed, they are worn at the riders own risk.	
<b>Gloves</b>	Gloves are recommended.	
<b>Whips</b>	One whip is permitted and <b>MUST</b> be between 45cm and 75cm and must not be weighted or with a hard point at the end.	
<b>Spurs</b>	The band around the heel must be smooth and spurs must be made of smooth metal, be blunt and be incapable of wounding a horse. Comb, tines and 'spursader' style spurs are not permitted. Spur designs which include necks set to the inside of the heel, roughened/cutting edges or serrated spurs with or without necks are not permitted. Spurs must be made of metal, although spurs with a smooth rotating rubber, metal or plastic ball on the shank or 'impulse spurs' are permitted. Dummy spurs are permitted and if there is a shank it must not exceed 4cm. Spurs may only be worn in the traditional manner, with the curve, if any, pointing downwards with the shank pointing to the rear and the end clearly horizontal to the ground or pointing downwards. All spurs are measured from the back of the boot/inside of the spur and may not exceed 4cm.	
<b>Medical Armbands</b>	Medical armbands are compulsory and must be properly completed with the relevant competitor's details and worn on the arm.	
<b>Watches</b>	Stop watches are permitted in BRC Horse Trials at all levels but are forbidden in any FOTH Challenge and Arena Eventing classes. Competitors are not permitted to take mobile phones onto the course when competing.	