

ROCHDALE & DISTRICT RIDING CLUB

Showground at Croft Top Equestrian Centre

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

www.rochdalerc.co.uk

AFFILIATED TO STARS CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS

SHOW SCHEDULE

OPEN TO MEMBERS AND NON-MEMBERS

Sundays – 19th April, 17th May, 21st June, 19th July & 16th August 2020

All ages at 1st January in the current year.

Ring 1 RIDDEN - Main Indoor Arena

Starts 9.30am

Equifest Affiliated Class Code↓

1	Ridden Veteran: 15 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 148cms	6
7	Ridden Showing: exc 148cms	

Champ 1 Ridden Showing Championship - 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 1,3 to 7

8	Lead Rein Showing (excluding M&M): Riders 8 years & under	7, 10
9	Lead Rein Mountain & Moorland: Riders 8 years & under	3
10	Beginners First Ridden: Riders 9 years & under May be accompanied by an adult and canter is optional during the individual show	
11	First Ridden Pony (excluding M&M): Riders 10 years & under	8
12	First Ridden Mountain & Moorland: Riders 11 years & under	4

Champ 2 Mini Championship - 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 8 to 12

Not before 1.00pm

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

Champ 3 RC Horse/Pony Championship - 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 13 to 15

Ring 1 contd ...

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

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

All ages at 1st January in the current year.

Ring 1 RIDDEN - Main Indoor Arena contd...

Not before 1.45pm

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16	Riding Horse: exc 148cms	16
17	Novice Ridden Mountain & Moorland: Small & Large Breeds Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Connemara, Highland, Dales, Fell, New Forest, Section A, B, C & D	
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 153cms	9
20	Ridden Hunter: exc 153cms	19
21	Ridden Cob: Any type including solid colour	17, 18

Champ 4	Ridden Showing Championship - 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 16 to 21
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- Notes:**
- Spurs are not permitted in classes 1, 2, 3, 6, 8 to 15 and 17 to 19.
 - Classes 2, 3, 8 to 11 and 13 to 15 & 17 are to be ridden in a suitable snaffle bridle. All other classes are to be ridden in a suitable bridle.
 - 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 classes.
 - Beginners Novice: Combinations not to have won a showing class at R&DRC previous to the current season or the end of season beginners championship and this class should be entered in the spirit it is intended.
 - Novice: Combinations not to have won two open showing classes at R&DRC previous to the current season or the end of season novice championship.
 - 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 65cms. Spurs and martingales are not permitted.

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

May	June	July	August	September
Bonny Pony	Bonny Pony	Bonny Pony	Bonny Pony	Bonny Pony
Smoothest Coat	Nicest Tail	Softest Nose	Most Like to Take Home	Nicest Walk
Longest Whiskers	Kindest Eyes	Roundest Bottom	Shiniest Coat	Most Like its Owner

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

Champions and Reserve Champions

from Championship classes Champ 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8 & 9 are eligible to compete

Championship to take place in Ring 1

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

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

All ages at 1st January in the current year.

Ring 2 EQUITATION - Small Indoor Arena

Starts 9.30am

Equifest Affiliated Class Code↓

- 23 **Ridden Best Turned Out:** Riders any age (including 8 years & under Lead Rein)
- 24 **Open Best Figure of Eight in Trot:** Riders any age (including 8 years & under Lead Rein)
- 25 **Lead Rein Equitation:** Riders 8 years & under
- 26 **Senior Equitation:** Riders 18 years & over
- 27 **Junior Equitation:** Riders 13 to 17 years
- 28 **Nursery Equitation:** Riders 12 years & under

Champ 5	Equitation Championship - 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 25 to 28
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- Notes:**
- Classes 25 to 28 are to be ridden in an ordinary snaffle bridle with either a drop, cavesson or flash noseband. Spurs and martingales are not permitted.
 - Best Figure of Eight: 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 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

- 29 **Tiny Tots Handler:** Handlers 4 to 7 years - Judged on handler's capability
- 30 **Young Handler:** Handlers 8 to 11 years - Judged on handler's capability
- 31 **Junior Handler:** Handlers 12 to 17 years - Judged on handler's capability

Champ 6	Young Handler Championship - 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 29 to 31
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Not before 12.30pm

- 32 **In Hand Best Condition**
- 33 **In Hand Yearlings & Youngstock:** 3 years & under
- 34 **In Hand Showing** 24
- 35 **In Hand Veteran:** 15 years & over
- 36 **In Hand Coloured, Spotted, Dun, Cremello & Palomino** 23
- 37 **In Hand Pure Arab & Part Bred/Anglo Arab** (including Foreign Breeds)

Champ 7	In Hand Championship - 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 32 to 37
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- 38 **In Hand Cob:** Any type including solid colour
- 39 **In Hand Hunter**
- 40 **In Hand Part Bred Mountain & Moorland**
- 41 **In Hand Mountain & Moorland:** Small Breeds 1
Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Section A & B
- 42 **In Hand Mountain & Moorland:** Large Breeds 1
Connemara, Highland, Dales, Fell, New Forest, Section C & D

Champ 8	In Hand Championship - 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 38 to 42
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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.

All ages at 1st January in the current year.

Ring 3 **WORKING HUNTER** - Outdoor All-Weather Arena

Starts 8.30am

Equifest Affiliated Class Code ↓

43	Lead Rein/Adult Assisted Working Hunter: Riders 9 years & under	Under 40cms	
44	Beginners Working Hunter	50cms	
45	Intro Working Hunter	60/65cms	
46	Nursery Working Hunter: Riders 12 years & under	65cms	
47	Novice Mountain & Moorland Working Hunter: Small & Large Breeds Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Connemara, Highland, Dales, Fell, New Forest, Section A, B, C & D	65cms	
48	Mountain & Moorland Working Hunter: Small & Large Breeds Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Connemara, Highland, Dales, Fell, New Forest, Section A, B, C & D	70cms	5
49	Novice Working Hunter	75cms	
50	Intermediate Working Hunter	80cms	11
51	Open Working Hunter	90cms	12

Champ 9	Working Hunter Championship - 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 43 to 51
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- Notes:**
1. Fence heights are approximate maximum height and classes will include 6 to 10 fences.
 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 (excluding Mountain & Moorland), therefore, spurs are not permitted for ANY Mountain & Moorland.
 5. Lead Rein/Adult Assisted: Combinations entering this class are ineligible to enter any other working hunter or show jumping class with the exception of the beginners working hunter and this class should be entered in the spirit it is intended.
 6. Beginners: Combinations not to have won a novice or above working hunter class at R&DRC previous to the current season or the end of season beginners championship and this class should be entered in the spirit it is intended.
 7. Intro: Combinations not to have won two novice or above working hunter classes at R&DRC previous to the current season.
 8. Combinations entering the Beginners and Intro classes are ineligible to enter the Intermediate and Open Working Hunter classes and vice versa.
 9. Nursery: Combinations not to have won an intermediate or above working hunter class at R&DRC previous to the current season. This class is open to genuine novice combinations and should be entered in the spirit it is intended.
 10. Novice: Combinations not to have won two intermediate or above working hunter classes at R&DRC previous to the current season.

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**

All ages at 1st January in the current year.

Ring 3 **SHOW JUMPING** - Outdoor All-weather Arena

Not before 12.30pm

- 52 **Open 60cms Show Jumping**
- 53 **Nursery 65cms Show Jumping:** Riders 12 years & under
- 54 **75cms Show Jumping:** not exc 148cms
- 55 **75cms Show Jumping:** exc 148cms

Not before 2.30pm

- 56 **85cms Show Jumping:** not exc 148cms
- 57 **85cms Show Jumping:** exc 148cms
- 58 **90cms Show Jumping:** not exc 148cms
- 59 **90cms Show Jumping:** exc 148cms
- 60 **Open 1m Show Jumping**

- Notes:**
1. **ALL SHOW JUMPING CLASSES WILL RUN AS A SINGLE PHASE COMPETITION.** Single phase show jumping includes approximately 12 fences split into 2 sections. Competitors will jump the first section (fences 1 to 7) and immediately proceed to the second section (fences 8 to 12) which will be against the clock. Faults accrued from the first section will be added to faults and time from the second section. All competitors will jump both sections unless eliminated. **Please note we allow 3 refusals before elimination.**
 2. Fence heights are approximate maximum height for the first section.
 2. 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.
 3. Show Jumping classes are run in accordance with BS and BRC 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 90cm or above show jumping class at R&DRC previous to the current season. This class is open to genuine novice combinations and should be entered in the spirit it is intended.
 6. Combinations entering the 60cms Show Jumping class are ineligible to enter any Show Jumping class at 90cm or above and vice versa.

Entry Fees	MEMBERS Postal Entries	MEMBERS On Show Day	NON-MEMBERS Postal & Show
Classes	£6.00	£7.00	£11.00
Plus £3.00 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 Riding Club 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)

Affiliated to STARS CHAMPIONS OF CHAMPIONS Members with highest points at time of qualification will be eligible to qualify and represent the Club at the Stars Championship Show in October

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 each 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**

Equifest Qualifiers – April, May, June, 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 2020 and 2021

⁽⁰⁰⁾ = Equifest Affiliated Class Code

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41 ⁽¹⁾, **42** ⁽¹⁾, **48** ⁽⁵⁾, **50** ⁽¹¹⁾ & **51** ⁽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 – April, May, June & July Shows

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

TSR NAF Five Star Showing Finals Qualifiers – April, May, June, July & August

TSR NAF Five Star Showing Finals - This show is a qualifier for the 2020 TSR NAF Five Star Showing Finals. Qualify and enter ANY of the 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 NAF Five Star Riders Finals - 1st & 2nd riders qualify and will receive a qualification flyer in the ring.

TSR NAF Five Star In Hand Finals - The two highest placed Handlers with a TSR In Hand sheet will qualify in any In Hand class. Handlers **MUST** have their sheet signed in the ring by the judge/steward, cards are available FREE from the TSR website. Full details at <http://www.theshowingregister.co.uk/>

Equifest & BSHA Intro Championships - With a TSR qualification flyer you can also enter Equifest 19-22 Aug at Peterborough www.equifest.org.uk & the BSHA Intro Champs in Sept at Addington Equestrian Centre - You do not have to be a BSHA member to qualify or enter the final. See <http://www.britishshowhorse.org>

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

SSADL 1st Round Qualifier – April & May Shows

The Olympia Anthony Evans SSADL Home Produced First Round Qualifiers only are OPEN to both Members and Non-Members of SSADL

No Spurs, No Galloping, No Wearing of Face/Body Jewellery / Foals are NOT permitted SSADL Classes For In-Hand Classes- Minimum age of handler = 9 years old Ridden classes First Ridden riders must be capable of riding around the show ring in all paces in a group and to be in full control of their mount

STALLIONS- Either for In Hand or Ridden classes, Competitors Must be 16 years of age or over.

Competitors cannot enter the ring once the command of trot has been given.

THE SAME RIDER/HANDLER/PONY/HORSE COMBINATION MUST STAY THE SAME FROM FIRST /SECOND ROUND/DIRECT ROUTE QUALIFIERS AND GRAND FINAL.

ALL COMPETITORS SHOULD AQUAINT THEMSELVES WITH SSADL RULES BEFORE ENTERING

SSADL Rulebook can be found at www.seniorshowinganddressage.co.uk

1ST TO 3RD IN EACH CLASS WILL RECIEVE A £10 VOUCHER KINDLY SPONSORED

BY ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE

SSADL QUALIFICATION CARDS & KEEP SAKE PRIZE CARDS

1st to 6th will be handed out in the ring at the time of presentation

COMPETITORS ONLY NEED ONE QUALIFICATION CARD PER SECTION PER SEASON IN HAND AND/OR RIDDEN

IF ALREADY QUALIFIED THIS CARD MUST BE HANDED DOWN THE LINE

NCPA Qualifier – Affiliation No. 231/20 – June & July Show

The above Shows are qualifiers for the NCPA Pony of the Year Show to be held at Warren Farm, Formby in September 2020

1st & 2nd to qualify regardless of whether they have already qualified