

DUMFRIESSHIRE HUNT BRANCH OF THE PONY CLUB

CROSS COUNTRY COMPETITION

Incorporating BHS Knockhill Qualifier

At Raehills, St Ann's, Lockerbie. DG11 1HQ

By very kind permission of Lord David Johnstone and Family

Sunday 26th August 2012

Entry fee £25 DFH members £21 which includes Paramedic Fee

Class 11 £12 per pair

Entries close Monday 20th Aug.

CLASS 1	Open	Height max 110cm	Level 5
CLASS 2	Pony Club Intermediate	Height max 90cm	Level 3
CLASS 3	Open Intermediate	Height max 90cm	Level 3
CLASS 4	Pony Club Novice 13 years and over	Height max 75cm	Level 2
CLASS 5	Open Novice	Height max 75cm	Level 2
CLASS 6	Pony Club 12 years and under	Height max 75cm	Level 2
CLASS 7	Open to All ages (See rules)	Height max 70cm	
CLASS 8	Pony Club All ages	Height max 70cm	
CLASS 9	Open Beginners any age (See rules)	Height max 60cm	Level 1
CLASS 10	PC Beginners any age	Height max 60cm	Level 1
CLASS 11	Best pairs over 14 yrs, Under 14yrs, & mixed age pick your own height between flags. This will only run if time and weather permits. Entries on the field.		

Knockhill Qualifier applies to classes 2-6 and pairs if run, only. Automatic entry.

All classes will be timed with exact distance and speed published on notice board at Raehills from 2pm on 25th Aug along with start times

Course may be walked from 2pm on 25th Aug 2012

Times will be published on www.branches.pcuk.org/dumfriesshire from Thurs 23rd.

FACILITIES ON THE DAY INCLUDE PARAMEDICS, CATERING, TOILETS.

ALL DOGS TO BE KEPT ON **SHORT LEADS** AT ALL TIMES

Emergency cancellation on day Chris on 07884 075675. Night before leave message on 01461 600202 or 01683 300270

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Raehills Cross Country Event

Raehills is situated on the A701 at St Ann's Bridge Lockerbie DG11 1HQ

RULES

This competition will be run under Pony Club Eventing Rules 2012

All competitors must have their forms signed by their DC or Secretary. Open competitors must have 3rd Party Cover and sign accordingly.

Novice – Combination of horse and rider **not to have been placed 1st, 2nd or 3rd in an XC/ODE on a course of 75cms and over, more than three times.**

Beginners – Combination of horse/pony and rider **not to have been placed 1st, 2nd, or 3rd in an XC/ODE on a course of this height or above, more than once.**

Competitors may continue **at the judge's discretion** after first elimination at a fence but must give way to following competitors. **After 2nd elimination competitor must retire at a walk.** A total of four refusals on the course, incurs elimination. Fall of horse/pony results in compulsory retirement and competitor must walk from the course. Second fall of rider results in compulsory retirement. If there is any doubt as to the fitness of a competitor following a fall then the judge will ask them to retire.

Outside assistance is forbidden except in classes 9 and 10 where verbal assistance may be given but no lead reins allowed. Help to catch a pony, adjust saddlery and remount after a fall is allowed in all classes.

All competitors must wear **Pony Club Approved Riding Hats. In classes 1-6 a Jockey Skull must be worn with no fixed peak and is strongly recommended for lower classes.** If your hat does not carry an official "tag" please bring hat when collecting number.

Horses/ponies may only compete once in classes 1-10.

In the event of a cancellation by the Pony Club, we reserve the right to charge an administration fee of £2 per entry.

**Body protectors must be worn
Medical armbands must be worn**

No jewellery allowed except wedding rings, wristwatch, stock pin or tie clip. **NO SLEEPERS**
No stop watches allowed.

Spurs may only be worn with the permission of your DC on a signed membership card. Those that hold their B Test or above, do not require this.

Stallions must wear identifying disks on their bridles

DISCLAIMERS

LEGAL LIABILITY. Save for death or personal injury caused by the negligence of the organisers, or anyone for whom they are in law responsible, neither the organisers of any event to which these rules apply, nor The Pony Club, nor any agent, employee or representative of these bodies, accepts any liability for any accident, loss, damage, injury or illness to horses, owners, riders, spectators, land, cars, their contents and accessories, or any other person or property whatsoever, whether caused by their negligence, breach of contract or in any other way whatsoever.

HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE The Organiser of this Event has taken reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present. For these measures to be effective, everyone must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents occurring and must obey the instructions of the organiser and all Officials and Stewards.

DUMFRIESSHIRE HUNT BRANCH OF THE PONY CLUB ENTRY FORM FOR CROSS COUNTRY COMPETITION

Please make cheques payable to Dumfriesshire Hunt Branch of the Pony Club

Entries to Mrs C Walker-Jones, The Hass, Waterbeck, Lockerbie DG11 3ET
Phone 014610600202 e-mail chris.walkerjones248@btinternet.com

ENTRIES CLOSE Monday 20th August 2012

Please note. If this competition is entered on the field at our May event, then £3.00 may be deducted from the entry fee. Competitor must have competed at the May Event.

ENTRY FEE £25 DFH £21 (includes Paramedic fee) Class 11 £12 (enter on day only)

Qualifying ages on 01.01.12

No refunds after close of entries

CLASS	RIDER	AGE	BRANCH	PONY/HORSE NAME	FEE

TOTAL.....

Name.....

Address

Phone number.....

DC/Secretary

Open competitors

I confirm I have 3rd Party Insurance

Please sign if you agree to having your photograph taken. – No signature, no photograph

Parent or guardian if under 18yrs

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