



COTSWOLD CHRISTMAS CHASE

21st December 2019

Cotswold RDA Riding School

Cheltenham Racecourse,

Cheltenham, Gloucestershire, GL50 4SH

(This event to be held: 1 indoor ring & 1 outdoor ring in a ménage)

Secretaries Tent opens at 7.45am; rings will be open for walking at 8:00.

Briefing begins at 8:15am **Judging begins** at 8:30am; Lunch - SHORT BREAK to be announced

Helpers - A big THANK YOU to all who have volunteered to help at this show. Helpers' lists will be posted around the show. Please check in with your assigned ring manager at 8am to schedule the time you will be able to help during the day. To help resolve the help problems that all shows face we have assigned EVERYONE to a ring. This is not a compulsory helpers list. If you have some spare time or hear your ring calling for help please volunteer on that ring. If everyone helped for just 1 hour we would have ample help. Ring managers/Judges have specifically asked for some of you to be assigned to their list. All helpers will receive a raffle ticket for every hour they work and be entered in the Helpers Prize Draw.

Measuring Dogs – will take place near the secretary's tent at a time announced on the day. All dogs competing below MAXI must be measured, if they have not already done so previously; but they can run at the show if measuring has not yet taken place. Dogs competing in MAXI do not need measuring. This is free to all registered dogs.

Checking in at the ring – in all classes; competitors must check-in at the ring by entering their dogs' number into the E-gility system. You will be asked to confirm your height. If you do not check in, the class will not wait for you. Please ONLY CHECK IN FOR THE CLASS THAT IS CURRENTLY BEING WALKED.

Change of Handlers – If this is required, please visit the secretary tent, and they can assist you for that particular class.

Move-ups - If enough points have been collected to move to the next level, please request a move up via the E-gility system at the Secretary office.

Your Results – It is your responsibility as a competitor to check your result. With the E-gility system in place, any dispute must be made within 5 minutes of your run. A display unit is easily accessible to competitors ringside, whereby they can immediately check their score on exiting the ring.

Late Entry Policy - All late entries will be charged at **£4.50** a run. UKA numbers for both dog and handler must be provided. Swapping entries from one dog to another or from one day to another is not allowed. If this is required, then a late entry fee will be charged. If you provide incorrect handler and dog numbers, your result may be void.

Prize Giving - Will occur only after all heights per class have been completed. If you have missed your prize giving, please claim your rosette from the secretary's office. Whilst prize giving's are in progress, we would be grateful if you would refrain from interrupting. Unclaimed rosettes must be claimed by sending an SAE, stating result, to the UKA office received within 7 days of the show. After this time, unfortunately you will not be able to claim late prizes.

Interested in Running a Show? Contact Greg at the UK Agility office. We will be happy to show you the benefits! Membership is growing rapidly and there is a demand for more shows all over the country.

UKA Shows 2020

Date	Show	Venue	Closing Date
4 th January	GT January	Cotswold RDA, Cheltenham Racecourse, Cheltenham, Glos, GL50 4SH	6.12.19
4 th January	Crooked Oak	Greenlands Equestrian Centre, Wreay, Carlisle, Cumbria, CA4 0RR	6.12.19
19 th January	K9 Brats	Foxes Competition Centre, Badgers Rake Lane, Ledsham, Wirral. CH66 8PF	20.12.19
1 st -2 nd February	Crooked Oak	Greenlands Equestrian Centre, Wreay, Carlisle, Cumbria, CA4 0RR	3.1.20
9 th February	Agility Rocks	Leyland Court Equestrian Centre, Bristol BS36 1RY	10.1.20
15-16 th February	Valentines	Cotswold RDA, Cheltenham Racecourse, Cheltenham, Glos, GL50 4SH	17.1.20
16 th February	K9 Brats	Foxes Competition Centre, Badgers Rake Lane, Ledsham, Wirral. CH66 8PF	17.1.20
23 rd February	Agility Antics	Derby College, Broomfield Hall, Derby, DE7 6DN	24.1.20
29 th February – 1 st March	Crooked Oak	Greenlands Equestrian Centre, Wreay, Carlisle, Cumbria, CA4 0RR	31.1.20

Directions

FROM THE NORTH

Leave the M5 at Inc. 10. Follow A4019 towards Cheltenham through 2 sets of traffic lights. At roundabout turn left towards Swindon Village and Bishops Cleeve.

***Follow this road over 2 mini roundabouts towards Evesham and Bishops Cleeve. Take the 3rd turning on the right, just after pedestrian crossing, sign-posted "Racecourse". Go over the railway crossing and follow road straight over 2 mini roundabouts until you meet the racecourse roundabout. Take the second left into the racecourse.

FROM THE SOUTH

Leave the M5 at Inc. 11. At roundabout turn right towards Cheltenham A40. At next roundabout go straight over towards Cheltenham A40. At next roundabout take 1st exit towards Swindon Village. Follow this road around Square Island heading for Racecourse and Kingsditch Industrial Estate. Follow road and at roundabout go straight over towards Swindon Village and Bishops Cleeve.

Follow direction above from ***.

FROM THE EAST

Follow A40 into Cheltenham straight over 1st large set of traffic lights. At 2nd set of lights turn right into Hales Rd. (signposted Prestbury, Winchcombe.) Follow road for 1.5 miles at T-junction turn right. At mini roundabout turn left towards Evesham and Racecourse (Tatchley Lane). Follow for 1 mile, straight over 2 mini roundabouts and at big roundabout turn right into racecourse.

IN THE RACECOURSE Follow the road keeping buildings to your right. The road will come down a bank into a large grassed car park. In the far right corner is the riding school. Please park sensibly on the roads around the riding school leaving space for access.

Christmas Chase - Saturday, 21 December

Classes will run in the order shown. Walking will happen between each level but not between each height.

RING 1 Bob Perks				RING 2 Pauline Whittaker			
Beginners Steeplechase 1				Champion Steeplechase 2			
Ty (14)	Sd (21)	Mx (31)	Md (16)	Ty (9)	Sd (5)	Md (15)	Mx (14)
Novice Steeplechase 1				Senior Steeplechase 2			
Md (4)	Mx (17)	Sd (8)	Ty (4)	Mx (15)	Md (10)	Sd (2)	Ty (2)
Champion Steeplechase 1				Novice Steeplechase 2			
Ty (11)	Sd (5)	Mx (15)	Md (15)	Ty (4)	Sd (9)	Md (5)	Mx (16)
Senior Steeplechase 1				Beginners Steeplechase 2			
Md (10)	Mx (15)	Sd (2)	Ty (3)	Mx (30)	Md (16)	Sd (23)	Ty (12)
Casual Steeplechase				Senior Steeplechase 3			
Ty (9)	Sd (5)	Mc (3)	Md (4)	Ty (2)	Sd (2)	Md (9)	Mx (13)
Novice Steeplechase 3				Beginners Steeplechase 3			
Md (4)	Mx (15)	Sd (9)	Ty (3)	Mx (29)	Md (11)	Sd (19)	Ty (9)
Champion Steeplechase 3							
Ty (9)	Sd (5)	Mx (11)	Md (14)				

Mx=Maxi, Sd=Standard, Md=Midi, Ty=Toy, Mc=Micro. Number of entries in brackets

Newcomers: When you walk the course please book-in on the tablets provided using your dog's 5 digit code. We will then attempt to locate you before the class closes. Please listen for announcements. When you enter the ring please confirm your name and dog's name with the scorer. Do not start your run until the scorer tells you.

Mobile App: Point your phone's browser to agilityplaza.com