



## Show Jumping Schedule 2024

Carleton Riding Club is affiliated to British Riding Clubs, residing in Area 14.

We promote a friendly, competitive atmosphere and encourage you to reach your individual equestrian goals.



- Venue:** Easton College, Dunham Road, Easton, Norwich, Norfolk, NR9 5GA
- Dates:** 21st April, 26th May, 16th June, 21st July, 22nd September, 13th October
- Entry Fee:** Members £9.00 per class, non-members £13.50 per class, first aid- £3.00 per rider.
- Entries:** Please enter through the website [www.myridinglife.com](http://www.myridinglife.com). You will need to register as a competitor. This is the only method of entry for showjumping. Entries will be accepted on a first come first served basis. Please ensure you enter promptly to avoid disappointment. If the show becomes full before the closing date, the entries will close in advance of the published date.
- Sections:** Pony (up to 148cm) and horse (over 148cm) sections will run in all classes regardless of numbers.
- Times:** Showjumping will start in the afternoon. Times will be available by 8pm on the Friday prior to the show. Times will be emailed to the email address you have registered on your [www.myridinglife.com](http://www.myridinglife.com) account and will also be available on the Carleton Riding Club Facebook page.
- Numbers:** Numbers are hugely important to the smooth running of the shows, we therefore request that you wear a number whilst riding. This may be a dressage number or an A4 printed number placed in a number bib worn by the rider.
- Judges:** Julia Grover or other accredited/experience showjumping judges. THE JUDGES DECISION IS FINAL
- Course Builder:** Stephen Dye or other accredited/ experienced course builders.
- Eligibility:** The schedule has been compiled to give a gradual progression of the jumping courses to suit the various abilities of pony/horse and rider. Club members wishing to participate in the BRC Area qualifiers are expected to compete in the classes of appropriate standards. Any riders underestimating their pony/horses ability may be asked to compete HC or enter the next appropriate class. The club considers that three consecutive height classes as the maximum number of classes a horse or pony may enter. Those combinations competing in the 50cm classes are not eligible to enter classes 4-6 as this class is aimed at novice pony/horse and rider/ Jackets and gloves are expected to be worn; gaiters are permitted as are leather half chaps in black or brown.
- Disputes:** In all cases of dispute, a written protest should accompany a deposit of £10.00 and be delivered to the Show Secretary before 6pm on the show day, otherwise the protest will not be considered. The Show Secretary shall as

soon as possible after receipt, give notice of the protest to the Committee members present and if possible decide the case before the conclusion of the show; otherwise, it will be referred to the Committee for later determination. In either case, the decision shall be final. The deposit of £10.00 will be forfeit save in the event that the protest is upheld. When the protest has been determined all parties shall be notified of such determination.

**Withdrawing:** Entries close at midnight on the Wednesday prior to each show. If you find yourself in the unfortunate/disappointing position of needing to withdraw, withdrawals must be notified directly to Vicky Harris via facebook messenger before midnight on the Wednesday prior to each show for either a refund (less transaction fees) or a transfer to the next consecutive dated show. Refunds or transfers will NOT be offered for withdrawals made after midnight on the Wednesday prior to the show.

**Prizes:** Rosette's 1st-6th in each class for each section (pony/horse)/

**Leagues:** Leagues will run for both pony and horse sections of each class. There will also be an overall league for juniors and seniors separately which will incorporate results from dressage.

### Warm up ring etiquette

Carleton Riding Club is very aware of health and safety and as such instructors/ grooms/ helpers are not permitted in the warm-up ring, except to alter jump heights and pick up poles. If encouragement/ instruction is given the person providing this is welcome to stand behind the rails provided this is carried out discreetly and doesn't interfere with or distract fellow competitors. Please pass each other left shoulder to left shoulder to avoid incidents. If you are in walk on the track, please give way to all riders in trot and canter (this is the only time the left-to-left rule is not observed). Please ensure you approach jumps correctly, paying attention to the red and white flag rule (red on your right, white on your left). Please be polite and obey the instructions of the warm up ring steward- they are present as a volunteer to ensure the show runs smoothly. If you do not obey our official volunteers, you will be asked to leave the show ground immediately and will not be permitted to compete.

Warm up is on a surface in the outdoor arena. Lunging is not permitted in the competition warm up arena. However, lunging may be arranged with **PRIOR** permission directly from Easton College, in another area.

## Show Dates and Classes (2024)

Class 1	50cm No Fillers	Single Phase	Open to horse & ponies, riders of any age. Combinations who compete in the 50cm may not compete in classes 4-6 as the 50cm class is aimed at novice horses and riders
Class 2	60cm	Single Phase	Open to horses & ponies, riders of any age

Class 3	70cm	Single Phase	Open to horses & ponies, riders of any age
Class 4	80cm	Single Phase	Open to horses & ponies, riders of any age
Class 5	90cm	Single Phase	Open to horses & ponies, riders of any age
Class 6	100cm	Single Phase	Open to horses & ponies, riders of any age

## Showjumping Rules

All showjumping classes are judged under the BRC Rules, exceptions as below:

**Single Phase:** First and second section with a time allowed and a time limit. Second section against the clock. Faults to be accumulated over both sections. The competitor will jump the whole course unless they are eliminated. Number of fences: 5-7 fences in each section (max 12 fences overall). The second section must include at least five additional obstacles. The height of the second section should be set higher than those set for the first section.

The BRC rule of 4 faults for the first refusal, 8 faults for the second refusal and elimination for the third refusal will be applied. You may jump one single jump before leaving the arena (one that has already been jumped would be recommended).

Fall of rider and/or horse means immediate elimination and no other jumps in the ring may be attempted.

**Non-competing:** HC jumping may be permitted on payment of the appropriate entry fee.

**We hope you enjoy competing with us.  
Thank you for supporting our club.**

**ALL COMPETITORS MUST FAMILIARISE THEMSELVES WITH THE CLUB BYE-LAWS ON THE WEBSITE [www.carletonridingclub.co.uk](http://www.carletonridingclub.co.uk) OR AVAILABLE FROM THE SHOW SECRETARY**