



Side Saddle Association Area 14 Spring Show

to be held at The Talland School of Equitation Dairy Farm Ampney Knowle, Cirencester, Glos, GL7 5ED By Kind permission of Brian and Pammy Hutton

Sunday 13th July 2014 Commencing 10.00 Entries to (Please mark- **AREA SHOW ENTRIES**) **£9 per Class In ADVANCE ---- £10 ON THE DAY** Cheques payable to 'Side Saddle Association Area 14' Emma Harford , The Talland School of Equitation, Dairy Farm, Cirencester, Glos GL7 5ED

Phone enquiries 01285 740155 (office hours) / 07903 236767 out of office hours Entries close: On the Day.

HOT AND COLD REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE

Class 1

Side Saddle International Novice Equitation Class

Open to adult and junior riders who have never competed in a Side Saddle Equitation Qualifying Class. Habits need not be worn and horses may be shared. A short simple show will be required.

Class 2 The Side Saddle Association

EQUITATION CHAMPIONSHIPS OPEN QUALIFYING CLASS

Run under S.S.A. Rules defined in the current Member's Handbook. Open to S.S.A. Members and Non-Members. Members carrying their current Championship Points Cards are eligible for S.S.A. rosettes to 3rd Adult and 3rd Junior places and S.S.A. Championship Points. Southernden Farm offers a rosette to the highest placed Member aged under 14 on 1st January of the current year. Side Saddle International offer a rosette to the Adult Member and Manor Grange Stud Show Centre to the Junior Member, judged to be the best turned out.

Class 3 The Side Saddle Association 🕂 CLASSICAL LADIES SIDE SADDLE QUALIFIER 🕂

The Judge must be on the current S.S.A., SHBGB, BSHA, BSPS, or P(UK) Judging Panels Open to S.S.A. Adult Members and Non-members, aged 18 and over on January 1st of the current year, riding side saddle, on horses exceeding 148cms (14.2hh). To be judged 25% conformation and action, 25% manners & way of going, 25% rider, and 25% turnout of horse & rider, by a SHBGB, BSHA, BSPS, P(UK) or SSA Panel Judge. Judges may request a short show, but will not ride exhibits; horses will not be stripped. Traditional habits must be worn. Fancy Dress and Period Costumes NOT permitted. N.B. Silk hats are permitted to be worn in this class AT ANY TIME OF THE DAY. Judges are requested to use the mark sheet provided. The highest placed horse/rider combination qualifies for the Final to be held at the National Side Saddle Show. In the event of previous qualification, this may be passed down to fourth place. Special rosettes are offered by Mrs. C. Marchbank & Dr. K. Milbourne to the winner and if the winner has already qualified, a second rosette is awarded with the Qualification Card. Qualifying combinations are r equired to become Full Members of the S.S.A. 21 days prior to the National Side Saddle Show or as soon as possible if qualified after that date to be eligible to be eligible to compete at the Final. Combinations qualifying between one National Side Saddle Show and the next may carry forward the qualification, for that year only. To mark the Side Saddle Association's 40th Anniversary a Celebration Rosette will be awarded to the winner of each Classical Ladies qualifier class held in 2014. Rosette sponsored by Dr. K. Milbourne. The highest placed Small Riding Horse (exceeding 148cm but not exceeding 158cm), Large Riding Horse (exceeding 158cm), Hack (exceeding 148cm but not exceeding 160cm) or Cob (exceeding 148cm), Mare or Gelding, 4 years and over, ridden by a S.S.A. Adult Member qualifies for The 2014 BSHA Championship Show iPura Side Saddle Championship and if already qualified the ticket will go to the next highest placed horse down to 5th place. The qualification period is 1st January, 2014 to 13th September, 2014. SSA Members who qualify for The iPura Championship, will not be required to join the BSHA in order to compete in any Side Saddle class at the BSHA National Championship Show. If the BSHA Championship Show entries have closed at the time of qualification, competitors will not be charged a late entry fee for the iPura Championship.

Class 4 SIDE SADDLE CONCOURS d'ÉLÉGANCE •

The Judge must be on the current S.S.A. or any appropriate Judging panel but may be assisted by a Celebrity or Sponsor • Where these classes are a main ring attraction Shows may, at their discretion limit entries to Adult competitors only and the rosette provided for the highest placed Junior will not be awarded. The sole criterion for this class is the elegance of the picture presented by horse and rider. Attention may be paid to the rider's personal appearance but detailed inspection of rider or tack is not required. Fancy dress or period costume is not permitted. Competitors are required to walk, trot and canter. No individual show is required, but the Judge may ask groups of 3 or 4 riders to give short displays. 4 Special rosettes will be awarded to the highest placed Adult Members wearing a silk hat, bowler hat, safety hat and the highest placed Junior Member of the S.S.A. carrying their current Championship Points Cards. N.B. Silk hats are permitted to be worn by Adults IN THIS CLASS AT ANY TIME OF DAY. Juniors must wear hats to current British Safety standards or above for this class. Adult riders not wearing such hats do so at their own risk.

CLASS 5 SIDE SADDLE COSTUME CONCOURS d'ÉLÉGANCE

The sole criterion for this class is the elegance of the picture presented by horse/pony and rider, and the way of going of the horse/pony. Safe tack must be used. Detailed inspection of the rider's period costume is not required. Fancy dress is not permitted. Competitors are required to walk, trot and canter. No individual show is required, but the judge may ask small groups of 3 or 4 riders to give short displays. 2 Special rosettes to the highest placed Adult and Junior Members of the S.S.A. carrying their current Championship Points Card. Competitors should produce a brief résumé about their costumes for the Commentator. Juniors must wear hats to current British Safety standards or above for this class. Adult riders not wearing such hats do so at their own risk.

CLASS 6 EQUITATION JUMPING

Competitors may only compete once in any Equitation Jumping class, but may ride subsequent rounds, the National Side Saddle Show excepted, Hors Concours, on another horse or horses. To be run under S.S.A. rules as they appear in the current Members' Handbook.

The course shall consist of 6 to 8 fences, rustic or coloured, or a combination of both. Maximum heights of fences:

Junior Novice: Height 53cms (1'9") Spread 38cms (1'3"),

Junior Open: Height 70cms (2'3") Spread 46cms (1'6"),

Adult Novice: Height 61cms (2'0") Spread 46cms (1'6"),

Adult Intermediate: Height 76cms (2'6") Spread 61cms (2'0"), A

Adult Open: Height 84cms (2'9") Spread 70cms (2'3).

A Special Rosette will be awarded to the highest placed Members of the S.S.A. carrying their current Championship Points Card.

Competition rules

All Classes are run under current SSA rules—see current Handbook

All horses and ponies must be 4 years old or over

NO ENTRY to the stables unless you have prebooked a Day Stable

The Judges decision is final

All affiliated classes shall be ridden side saddle (others can be ridden astride)

The organisers reserve the right to refuse entry and to alter, amalgamate or cancel classes

There will be no ambulance in attendance although there will be trained First Aiders on the showground

All competitors and those in attendance are reminded of their individual responsibilities with regard to Health & Safety, not only to themselves but others on the show ground. This responsibility extends to safe parking of vehicles and management of horses/ponies

No responsibility will be accepted by SSA Area 14 or The Talland School of Equitation for any accident howsoever it is caused

SIDE SADDLE ASSOCIATION RULES FOR EQUITATION JUMPING CLASSES

- □ The Judge must be on the current S.S.A. Judging Panel
- □ To be run under S.S.A. rules as they appear in the current Members' Handbook
- □ Hats to current British Safety standards or above must be worn for this class
- □ Junior riders are **not permitted** to wear a spur or spur band in any class where jumping is involved

□ Shows may title their class/(es) at their discretion, i.e. Open, Intermediate, Novice, Junior, Beginners etc., but may not exceed the appropriate heights or spreads stipulated below

□ It is recommended that the first fence is built on the right rein towards the collecting ring

□ The first two fences MUST NOT not be at maximum height

A double should only be included in non Novice courses and should contain 2 non-jumping strides