

TREC South West Winter Indoor Schedule 2009/10

November 15th – Cheston Equestrian Centre, South Brent

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Class 1 TSW Starter Class

Open to horse and rider combinations that have not been placed first, second or third in any affiliated TREC to date. 10 obstacles – No control of paces. Obstacles will be set higher/lower and wider than BHS rules.

Special rosette to best under 16

Class 2 TSW Newcomer Class

Open to riders that have not completed more than one full affiliated TREC or won an indoor competition before October 2009. 10 obstacles and Control of Paces

Class 2B Kelly Marks Newcomers Class

To run concurrently with class 2. Restrictions as per class 2. **Riders pay an extra £3 in addition to class 2 entry fee** and their results will be forwarded to the BHS for inclusion on the BHS national league.

Class 3 TSW Pairs

No restrictions on horse or rider. Riders eligible for the Newcomers class will receive a 10 point head start!

One horse to perform slow canter and 6 PTV obstacles. The other horse to perform fast walk and 6 PTV obstacles. One rider may ride 2 horses.

Class 4 TSW Open Class

Open to all. 10 obstacles and Control of Paces

Class 4B Kelly Marks Open Class

To run concurrently with class 4. Restrictions as per class 4. **Riders pay an extra £3 in addition to class 4 entry fee** and their results will be forwarded to the BHS for inclusion on the BHS national league.

Class 5 TSW Top Score

Riders have 3 minutes to gain as many points as possible – **all obstacles to be attempted once** before any obstacle can be tried for a second time. (No control of paces) At the end of the round riders may attempt the JOKER - immobility for double points

THE ABOVE CLASSES WILL RUN AT EVERY EVENT

AD-HOC CLASSES

Class 6 Pot Luck PTV! (Duchy College and Cholwell ONLY)

By Invitation only. Riders will swap horses to complete one round of PTV and Control of Paces. Horses will be drawn from a hat prior to the start of the class. Riders will have no more than 10 minutes to get used to their "new" horse.

POR (Cheston and Bicton Only)

A chance to brush up on your map reading skills, or try out your new equipment, without the pressure of a competition. Rides will be approx 2 hours long.

Riders must be TSW or BHS Gold members. Day membership acceptable.

Entry Fees.

TSW day membership = £5.

Classes 1, 5, 6 and POR Members £6 non members £8

Classes 2 and 4 Members £10, non members £12

Classes 2b and 4b £3 in addition to entry fee in class 2 or 4

Class 3 Members £6 per horse non members £8 per horse

What do we Wear?

Safe and comfortable riding gear (no requirement for jackets or plaiting). The horse's normal tack will be fine BUT please read the rules!

RULES

Rules as per the current BHS TREC Rulebook (fourth edition - 2009). The rule book is available price £5.95 plus P&P from The Competitions Office, The British Horse Society, Stoneleigh Deer Park, Kenilworth CV52XZ

1. Competition open to all horses and ponies, except stallions, providing they are a minimum of four years old (born in 2005 or earlier)
2. Riders any age but no lead rein competitors. Riders under 14 must be accompanied by an adult (16+) on the POR phase.
3. Individual riders between 14 and 16 must submit a signed Minors Indemnity Form along with their entry. Entries will not be accepted without this form.
4. Riders must wear a hard hat that meets the current standards recommended by the BHS (PAS015, EN1384 or ATSM F 1163, and bearing the kite mark or SEI)
5. Riders may choose to wear a body protector.
6. Riders must wear suitable footwear – no muckers
7. Standing martingales and other fixed reins are forbidden. If a running martingale is used the horse must be led from a headcollar and leadrope for led PTV obstacles.
8. Whips must not exceed 75cm. Spurs, if worn, must be rounded, not exceed 3.5cm and pointing downwards.
9. The decisions of the officials and Judges are final and must be complied with at all times. Competitors may be eliminated from the competition for any of the following reasons:

Excessive use of the whip

Abusive language

Dangerous riding

Uncorrected error of course (PTV)

HEALTH AND SAFETY

TSW, the organisers and the landowners have taken all reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone at the event. Please ensure that dogs are kept on leads at all times, children are supervised and horses/ponies are not left tied up without supervision. First Aid will be available in the event of an accident.

TSW, the organisers or the landowners cannot accept responsibility for loss or injury to persons, vehicles or animals howsoever caused.

Please protect your valuables.

Competitors Code Of Conduct

It is not possible to draw up an exhaustive list of 'rules',

- All participants must keep in mind the true 'spirit of the sport' - to demonstrate the abilities and techniques to successfully navigate through unknown countryside, safely and with respect and responsibility to all.
- Competitors should treat all fellow competitors, judges, officials and members of the public as they would wish to be treated themselves.
- Competitors should remember that they are an ambassador for the sport of TREC, the BHS and the wider use of Equestrianism in the countryside.
- Respect for other users of the countryside is most important.
- Judges & Officials instructions should be followed at all times.
- Respect Judges and Officials decisions - competitors should make themselves aware of the correct procedures to follow if they wish to question any Judges / Officials decisions.
- Competitors must accept that in the event of a dispute, that the decision of the Ground Jury is final.
- Competitors should remember that the welfare of the horse is paramount, throughout the duration of the competition.
- Competitors should be aware of the correct presentation methods / requirements, for all phases of competition, as detailed in the current rules.
- Follow the Countryside Code,
- Ensure due attention is paid to the specific rules of particular venues.

Please remember! Competitions would not happen without the generous giving of time from the judges and helpers - please smile and thank them for their effort!

TREC SOUTH WEST ENTRY FORM



I CAN BRING A HELPER – THEIR NAME IS (!).....

Competition: Please send separate entry forms and cheques for each event.

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- Classes:** Class 1: Class 2: Class 2B: Class 3:
- Class 4: Class 4B: Class 5:
- Class 6 (Duchy/Cholwell): POR (Cheston/Bicton):

Rider's Name:			
Address:			
Post Code:		Telephone Number:	
Mobile:		Date of Birth:	
		If between 14 and 16, POR entries must be accompanied by signed minors indemnity acceptance form	
TSW Membership Number:		BHS Gold Member Number:	
3rd Party Riding Liability Insurance	Please enclose a copy of your insurance details with your entry. Or you can pay £5 extra to have day membership of TSW		
Email Address:			
Horse's Name:		Height:	
Breed:		Year of Birth:	

I have read, understand, and agree to abide by the rules of BHS TREC 2009. (Under 16s must be signed by parent/guardian as well)

Signed: _____

PLEASE MAKE CHEQUES PAYABLE TO TREC SOUTH WEST

Competition Entries:

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