

BACK LANE RIDING CLUB – TERMS & CONDITIONS 2018

Please note that the following Terms & Conditions apply to all competitions held at Back Lane Stables throughout 2018.

- Hats to the correct minimum standard and correct riding dress must be worn by all competitors when mounted.
- Arena rules should be adhered to at all times whilst riding in the collecting ring at competitions.
- No more than 6 competitors allowed in the collecting ring at once (When classes are busy, the first 6 competitors will be announced and allowed in the collecting ring)
- Anyone riding in the collecting ring must be a competing at Back Lane Stables.
- Any horse/rider waiting to compete, who is not warming up, should be stood in the field unless instructed otherwise due to Health & Safety reasons.
- No horse/rider/spectator should block either entrance of the collecting ring – please keep gateways free at all times for Health & Safety reasons.
- No spectator should be stood in the collecting ring – unless amending a warm up fence.
- In the event of a show finishing after dusk, it is the rider's responsibility to ensure that they have the suitable hi-visibility and reflective clothing on when riding to and from shows held at Back Lane Stables.
- Show jumping and Dressage competitions are both run in accordance with the British Show jumping and British Dressage rule books.
- The same horse/rider combination cannot compete in the novice and open show jumping classes at the same competition.
- Any horse/rider combination who have previously won the novice championship held at Back Lane Stables cannot compete in the novice show jumping classes.
- Show jumping and Dressage entries are non-refundable.
- Points in the Show Jumping and Dressage leagues are only awarded to members. Points will be awarded from the date of membership logged with Back Lane Stables Riding Club.
- In show jumping, once a horse/rider have gone through the finish line, any other jumps then completed before leaving the arena will result in elimination.
- In show jumping, all riders must wait for the bell to be rang before commencing their round, anyone who starts before the bell and does not go through the start line will be eliminated.
- The decision of the judge will be final – any objection should be made to Mrs Anne Tate, together with a deposit of £20, which will be forfeit if the objection is not upheld.
- All dogs must be kept on leads at all times.

- Only food and drink purchased on the property can be consumed.
- Strictly no alcohol or drugs.
- Back Lane Stables Ltd retains the right to refuse entry to any competitor.
- Back Lane Stables Ltd 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 organisers at all times.
- Children must be supervised at all times. Please keep young children away from close proximity to the horses.
- Entry into the stable blocks is not permitted, unless accompanied by a member of Back Lane Stables Ltd staff.
- Please place litter in the bins provided and help to keep the public viewing area and car park clear of any health and safety risks
- Back Lane Stables Ltd accepts no responsibility for anything that may happen to competitors, onlookers or their property, helpers or horses in connection with or arising out of these shows. This includes any damage to cars or horse boxes parked in the car park on the road outside the Stables.
- It shall be considered a condition of entry that each entrant agrees to indemnify Back Lane Stables Ltd against any legal action arising therefrom.
- Points and discounts will only be awarded to Back Lane Riding Club Members. You will gain points and discounts from the date your membership commences. Any points gained prior to membership commencement will NOT be carried forward. Points will be awarded to each horse/rider combination and will not be combined, for example, if 1no rider competes 2no horses the points will be given separately for each class and will not be combined together.