



Middleton Equestrian Centre

Riding Lessons - Livery - Horse sales

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# MIDDLETON EQUESTRIAN CENTRE PROUDLY PRESENTS

**A FUN DAY  
TO RAISE FUNDS FOR THE SADDLE UP  
CAMPAIGN FOR SPINAL RESEARCH  
MONDAY 31 AUGUST 2009  
YARD OPENS @ 9.30 AM**

**IN AID OF SPINAL RESEARCH  
PROCEEDS WILL BE DONATED TO THE CHARITY -  
OUR TARGET IS £1000**

**ALL RIDING SCHOOL HORSES ARE AVAILABLE TO  
HIRE ON THE DAY AND THIS IS INCLUDED IN THE  
COST OF THE CLASS**



International Spinal Research Trust  
Registered Charity number 281325

## Schedule of Events

### **Approx start time 10.30am**

**Class 1** Best Turned Out and Condition- Livery clients & owners of own horses

The judge will be looking for an immaculately turned out horse/pony in the correct condition for its type. The class is open to all types of horse and pony - any height, age or breed. This is an in hand class and handler turnout is also taken into consideration.

### **Start time 11.00am**

**Class 2** Best Rider -Lead Rein

**Class 3** Best Rider - 9 and Under

**Class 4** Best Rider -10 -16

**Class 5** Best Rider Seniors

Best Rider Class is to show that you are the Best rider in your age group. The judge will be looking at position, aids used, control and accuracy. Riders in the class will ride around together and then will do a 1 minute individual show.

These classes may be judged together dependant on time and number of entries – there will be separate prizes for each category

### **Approx start time 12.30pm**

**Class 6** Best Cob/Coloured Horse or Pony – Open to all

This class is mounted. The judge will be looking for good conformation, action and a well mannered horse/pony.

### **Approx start time 2.00pm**

**Class 7** Fancy Dress

This class can be mounted or un mounted with all age groups together. The more imaginative the better! Please try costumes on the horse/pony before the day.

### **Approx 2.30pm – 3.30pm**

Clear Round Show-jumping at varying heights  
£ 5.00 for two rounds round. A rosette to all clear rounds

**Approx start time 3.30pm**

**Class 8 PICK YOUR OWN LINE – ACCUMULATOR**

Jumping –Ponies up to 14.2hh

**Class 9 PICK YOUR OWN LINE – ACCUMULATOR**

Jumping – Horses Over 14.2 hh

Jumping with a difference! You have 1 minute to jump as many fences as you like choosing your own course. Fences will have points allocated to them depending on the difficulty. Points get deducted for knock downs and refusals. The highest score wins.

**Approx start time 4.30pm - £15 FOR ALL THREE RACES**

**Class 10** Gymkhana Games –Lead Rein

**Class 11** Gymkhana Games- 8 - 11

**Class 12** Gymkhana Games - 12-16

**Class 13** Gymkhana Games - Adults

Classes 10-13- Three games- Egg and Spoon, Bending, and Flags

**ENTRY FORM**

Name of Rider .....

Address & Telephone Number

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Tel Number.....

Email Address .....

Name of Horse/Pony .....1<sup>st</sup> Choice.....2<sup>nd</sup> Choice

.....3<sup>rd</sup> Choice (Choices are for MEC school horses – first come first served basis)

Classes to be entered ..... ..

Total Entry Fees .....

**NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED WITHOUT CORRECT FEE  
ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY 21st AUGUST 2009 - ALL ENTRIES MUST BE  
PRE-BOOKED AND PAID FOR VIA RECEPTION  
ALL ENTRIES NON REFUNDABLE AND NON TRANSFERABLE  
ALL TIMINGS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE AND APPROXIMATIONS  
ONLY**

**Entry Fees are as follows :**

Classes 1 – 11    £10 per entry

Clear Round £5 2 x rounds

Return form to MEC, Vicarage Hill, Middleton, Tamworth, Staffs, B78 2AT

OTHER ATTRACTIONS ON THE DAY

- ❖ A quadrille ride by the MEC Instructors to music
- ❖ Pony Club Ridden Display
- ❖ Horse Shoe Painting for the children
- ❖ Food and Drinks available all day
- ❖ Horse and Pony Rides
- ❖ A visit from the Air Ambulance – no one needs to fall off for it to land ! – still to be confirmed
- ❖ Vaulting Team – still to be confirmed
- ❖ Trigger the Mechanical Horse – still to be confirmed
- ❖ Raffle
- ❖ Tombola
- ❖ Bric a Brac Stall – Tack Shop
- ❖ Plants for sale
- ❖ Bouncy Castle