



The Side Saddle Association[®]

Virtual Equitation Competition Classes

Entry Fee for all classes: £10

Entries on line at www.justsoequestrianevents.co.uk/whats-on

Class 1 Lead Rein Equitation

Horse/pony must lead on a loose rein and not be unduly influenced by the leader

Competitors will enter the Arena at A and give a **Freestyle Show not exceeding 3 minutes timed from initial halt to final halt and salute**. The freestyle show must include Walk and Trot on both reins. Competitors will leave the Arena at A..

The judge will assess the correctness of the rider's position and the influence on the horse/ pony's way of going and the stability and balance of the saddle

Class 2 Newcomers Equitation

Open to Competitors who have not previously competed in Newcomers or Equitation Championship classes at the National Side Saddle Show

Competitors will enter the Arena at A and give a **Freestyle Show not exceeding 3 minutes timed from initial halt to final halt and salute**. The freestyle show must include Walk, Trot and Canter on both reins. Competitors will leave the Arena at A..

The judge will assess the correctness of the rider's position and the influence on the horse/ pony's way of going and the stability and balance of the saddle.

Class 2 may be split in to Junior & Senior sections if there are sufficient entries

Classes 3 & 4 Adult & Junior Equitation Classes

Placings in Classes 3 & 4 will be awarded on % scored. If entries warrant, the class will be split in to two classes 3a & 3b/3c and 4a, 4b/4c & 4d/e

Please enter the appropriate class level on your entry form

Class 3 Junior Equitation

3a – Junior Novice Equitation (Short Arena) - *Rider must not have been placed first or second in a Novice Equitation class at the National Equitation Championships in two consecutive years.*

Competitors to ride the 2020 Junior Novice Equitation Test (ridden in a 20m x 40m dressage arena)

3b – Junior Open Equitation (Long Arena) - *Open to all riders*

Competitors to ride the SSA 2020 Junior Open Equitation Test (ridden in a 20m x 60m dressage arena)

3c – Junior Open Equitation (Short Arena) – *Open to all riders*

Competitors to ride the SSA 2020 Adult Intermediate/Junior Open Equitation On Line Test (ridden in a 20m x 40m dressage arena)

Class 4 Adult Equitation

4a - Adult Novice Equitation – Rider must not have:

- *been placed first or second in a Novice Equitation class at the National Equitation Championships within the last three years.*
- *been placed in the first six in an Intermediate Equitation class at the National Equitation Championships within the last three years.*
- *competed in an Open Equitation class at any previous National Equitation Championships*

Competitors to ride the SSA 2020 Adult Novice Equitation Test (ridden in a 20m x 40m dressage arena)

4b – Adult Intermediate Equitation (*Long Arena*)- Rider must not have:

- *been placed first or second in an Intermediate Equitation & Turnout class at the National Equitation Championships within the last three years*
- *been placed in the first six in an Adult Open Equitation & Turnout class at the National Equitation Championships within the last three years.*

Competitors to ride the SSA 2020 Adult Intermediate Open Test (ridden in a 20m x 60m dressage arena)

4c – Adult Intermediate Equitation – (*Short Arena*) – Rider eligibility as above

Competitors to ride the SSA 2020 Adult Intermediate/Junior Open Equitation On Line Test (ridden in a 20m x 40m dressage arena)

4d – Adult Open Equitation (*Long Arena*) – Open to all riders

Competitors to ride the SSA 2020 Adult Open Equitation Test (ridden in a 20m x 60m dressage arena)

4e – Adult Open Equitation (*Short Arena*) – Open to all riders

Competitors to ride the SSA 2020 Adult Open Equitation On Line Test (ridden in a 20m x 40m dressage arena)