



EVENTATHON 2021

At Ashwood Head Farm, Stafford Road, Knightley, Staffs. ST20 0JR

Show Jumping and Cross Country in one round. There will be an optimum time set for the course and the clear closest to the optimum time is the winner.

This event is open to all, juniors and seniors riding horses or ponies.

CLASS	ENTRY FEE		NOTES	
	MEMBER	NON-MEMBER		
1	40cms NOVICE	£16	£19	Contained within one ring. XC element will include knockdown fences
2	50cms NOVICE	£16	£19	Contained within one ring. XC element will include knockdown fences
3	50cms OPEN	£16	£19	XC element will incorporate fences on the XC course and around the field
4	60cms NOVICE	£16	£19	Contained within one ring. XC element will include knockdown fences
5	60cms OPEN	£16	£19	XC element will incorporate fences on the XC course and around the field
6	70cms OPEN	£16	£19	XC element will incorporate fences on the XC course and around the field
7	80cms OPEN	£16	£19	XC element will incorporate fences on the XC course and around the field

ENTRIES ~ £19 per class, £16 ASHWOOD MEMBERS £2.50 First Aid Contribution. Pre-Entries only www.ashwoodequestrian.com
Individual times will be given. CLOSING DATE One week before the event. NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT FULL PAYMENT. Late entries may be accepted after closing date at £5 extra.

PRIZES ~ In Kind for all classes. Rosettes to 6th place. Classes will be split into Junior/Senior if sufficient entries. A junior is 16 & under.

TIMES ~ available via www.ashwoodequestrian.com 2 days before the event after 7.00pm

THE COURSE ~ The course will consist of 8 Show Jumps and up to 10 XC efforts. The NOVICE sections will be contained all in one ring and the XC element will include knock down fences. Leadrein/helpers are allowed in 40 & 50cms classes only.

COURSE WALK ~ The course will be available for walking before the start of each class. The XC element in the OPEN classes may be walked on the day with due care to the horse on course.

NOTICES ~ Bridle numbers or bibs to be worn. Bibs nor paper numbers will be provided. You are responsible for printing your own bib number (size A4) Failure to wear a legible number will result in elimination.

EQUINE INFLUENZA ~ All horses must be up to date with their flu vaccs, either their annual vaccination, or the first 2 of their primary course plus 7 days. Failure to show, on request, a correct passport or incorrect vaccinations will result in elimination with no refund.

WITHDRAWALS & REFUNDS ~ Withdrawals unto 2 weeks beforehand for credit or refund less £5.

SUBSTITUTIONS ~ Changing both horse & rider in the same entry qualifies as a whole new entry & must be paid in full.

CATERING ~ Hot and cold food will be available throughout the event.

OBJECTIONS ~ Anyone wishing to make an objection must do so in writing within 30 minutes of the incident happening along with a £50 deposit. The deposit will be forfeited if the objection is not sustained.

HEALTH & SAFETY ~ The organiser of this event has taken every reasonable precaution to ensure the health and safety of every person 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 organiser and all officials and stewards connected with this event. The organiser does not insure the rider, your horse or your tack and equipment. You are strongly advised to have in place your own adequate personal accident insurance at all times.

DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY ~ Save for death or injury by the negligence of the organiser or anyone for whom they are in law responsible, Ashwood Equestrian Ltd, for themselves, their servants, agents, employees and all those connected with the Horse Trials do not accept liability for any accident, loss, damage, injury, illness to horses, owners, riders, spectators, vehicles, their contents and accessories or any other person or property whatsoever, whether caused by their negligence, breach of contract or statutory duty in any way whatsoever of themselves, their servants, agents, employees and all those connected with the Horse Trials or otherwise.

GENERAL RULES

1. All classes are open to juniors or seniors riding horses or ponies.
2. Riders may only enter a maximum of 3 horses per day.
3. Horses/Ponies must be 4 years old or older.
4. Hard hats upto the current British Standard must be worn at all times when mounted. No fixed peaks allowed.
5. Body protectors, BETA Level 3 (purple label) 2000 or 2009 label are compulsory. Air jackets may be worn over a body protector. Medical armbands strongly advised.
6. WATCHES capable of being started, stopped & recording time elapsed are forbidden.
7. Any horse/pony considered to be unsound, unfit or unhealthy by a Judge, the Organiser or the Technical Advisor will be excluded from the competition without refund of entry.
8. No horseboxes to be mucked out on site.
9. Scoring will be worked out on penalties. There will be an optimum time across the entire course, accrued penalties will be included in the score.
10. It is compulsory that every person at the venue who is under the age of 18 years of age is accompanied by a responsible adult.
11. No dogs will be allowed in or around any of the arenas or on the cross country course, they must stay in the lorry park or preferably remain at home. Please clean up after you dogs AND TAKE YOUR POO BAGS HOME.
12. The Organisers reserve the right to refuse any entry and to remove anyone from the course at any time without giving a reason.
13. The event may be cancelled without notice due to adverse weather. In the event of adverse weather it is recommended that you check the website www.ashwoodequestrian.com for any announcements. In the unlikely event of abandonment, entries may be carried over to a future event or refunded minus £5 admin fee.
14. The judges decision is final.