



Furzedown Farm CIC Hobby Horse Jumping & Dressage

Raising funds for Changing Lives Through Horses programme

Kingston Maurward College, Dorchester, Dorset, DT2 8PY

(situated on the A35 bypass, follow signs for equine events)

Saturday 24th August 24 from 11:00 am (registration from 10.30)

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We want to be inclusive and introduce as many people as possible to the fun of hobby horing, so don't worry if you have a hobby dinosaur or unicorn, all are welcome. We have hobby horses that can be borrowed, so everyone can have a go.

Class 1 max height of jumps 20 cm
Class 2 max height of jumps 30 cm
Class 3 max height of jumps 40 cm
Class 4 max height of jumps 50 cm
Class 5 max height of jumps 60 cm
Class 6 Puissance – starting at 20 cm

Competitors may be assisted. Shorter sticks are recommended, as are trainers or comfortable running shoes.

Class 7 Freestyle Dressage to Music

Each competitor will perform a freestyle show to music of their choice no longer than 2 mins in duration. There will be 50 marks for coordination, balance & energy, and another 50 for overall performance.

Each class will be awarded prizes in two age groups, age 3-9 year & 10 years and over (age as on 1st Jan 2024)

£8 per class entry fee in advance

Enter online at horsevents.co.uk

£10 per class on the day depending on availability
(numbers for class will be capped)



This event is a qualifier for the UK Hobby Horse Association Championship at Bury Farm, Slapton, LU7 9BT on September 8th 2024

IMPORTANT – Please be aware that whilst every effort will be made to ensure the safety of competitors, FHARE Limited is not responsible for any injury sustained. It is the responsibility of jumping the height of the class entered. of the payee to ensure that the competitor is capable of jumping the height of the class entered.

All competitors (or their guardians if under 18 years of age) will be asked to sign a disclaimer before taking part.

About Changing Lives Through Horses

Furzedown Farm offers an alternative education provision in a local authority and BHS approved equine activity centre running Changing Lives Through Horses (CLTH) programme in addition to a Unit Award Scheme covering incredibly diverse range of subjects from photography, keeping rescue chickens, wild cooking through to more traditional GCSE's.

Furzedown Farm offers is range of awards within a professional equine setting but is focused towards promoting holistic development and nurturing six key life skills: building relationships, communication, confidence, responsibility, teamwork and perseverance.

The programme is suitable for young people and adults who have special needs and may be either permanently excluded, or at risk of exclusion in its widest sense, and those who are not in employment, education, or training (NEET). They may also be at risk of becoming socially excluded with income below the poverty line and without the skills to improve the economic situation.

More information on CLTH can be found at <https://www.bhs.org.uk/support-us/our-campaigns/changing-lives-through-horses/>