## **Equine Rules & FAQ**

- 1. Please check Timetable before entering & take into consideration that despite all efforts, some classes may clash. It is the responsibility of the competitor to be present on time for their classes.
- 2. All entrants are advised to consider the timing of the classes they choose to enter. No class will be delayed due to a competitor being double entered. The only reason for delaying a class will be due to unforeseen incidents which may occur during the day.
- 3. Entry Fee: £5.00 per class unless otherwise stated. (Show Jumping £7.00) No refund of entry fees given.
- 4. NO ENTRIES ON THE DAY except Show Jumping (£10), Novelty & Fun (£7) & Fancy Dress (£2)
- 5. Please note that the first horse entry admits 2 people. Each horse entry after admits 1 more person per horse.
  - All other occupants of horse transport must pay entrance fee & wear the wristband. **Extra tickets can be purchased when enter classes online.** www.sedgefieldshow.lite.events
- 6. Wristbands MUST be worn to gain entry to the show field.

  Horse competitors without a wristband will not be allowed onto the show field from the wagon park.
- 7. All Horses & Ponies entering the Showground must be accompanied with a valid Horse Passport.
- 8. Exhibitors are advised to have their own Public Liability Insurance cover & may be asked for their certificate as proof.
- 9. It is advised that all horses & ponies are up to date with vaccines.
- 10. ALL riders of horses, ponies or donkeys (including Judges) anywhere on the Showground are now required to wear head protection (hard hat) according to the current standards for head protection for equestrian activities: All PASO15, VG1, ASTM F1163-04a onwards: Snell E2001, Snell E2016, AS/NZS 3838 2006 onwards. Helmets must be worn with chin straps correctly and securely fastened at all times whilst mounted. This applies to all ridden competitors, demonstrations and whilst exercising within the Showground & Parking areas.
- 11. Concours d'Elegance only All riders to be wearing regulation Safety Riding Hat. Riders of 18 & over who chose not to compete wearing regulation headwear must submit a completed disclaimer form before show day
- 12. The Show Committee will make the best arrangements in their power for the safety of entrants and animals they will not be responsible for loss, damage or injury to any persons or animals.
- 13. Cups to be held for one year only. Trophy winners are responsible for safekeeping, engraving and return of their trophies to the Equine Secretary, by July 1st 2024.
- 14. WE OPERATE A ZERO TOLERANCE approach to any verbal, aggressive and violent abuse and behaviour towards the Show Organising Committee, Stewards and Volunteers deployed by the show.
- 15. By entering a class at Sedgefield Show competitors agree to abide by all the "Rules & Regulations of the Sedgefield & District Agricultural & Horticultural Society".