

## **Concours d'Elegance Society of GB Terms and Conditions**

1. These Terms and Conditions apply to all competitors and spectators and must be adhered to at all times. Entry into any competition shall be deemed an acceptance of these Terms and Conditions.
2. The Society reserves the right to refuse entry without stating the reason, to cancel the competition and all rights of admission.
3. The Society does not accept any responsibility or liability for any injury, accident, damage or illness to any person, property or animal whatsoever, or for any loss whatsoever, arising out of, or occurring at any competition, show or event. It shall be a condition of entry that each entrant shall indemnify the organisers against any legal action whatsoever arising from any accident.
4. Everyone must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents occurring and must obey the instructions of the officials and stewards.
5. Care must be taken when driving in the car park to ensure that pedestrians, particularly children, are not run over.
9. Any individual seen to be causing distress or suffering to any animal will be asked to leave and may be reported to the appropriate authorities.
10. No horse or pony under the age of 4 years shall be ridden at any competition.
11. BRITISH STANDARD APPROVED HARD HATS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES WHEN MOUNTED unless stated otherwise in the schedule. If you wish to wear a non safety hat, you must provide a signed disclaimer which can be downloaded from the Showing Scene on line entry system.
17. Children under 16 years of age must be supervised by a responsible adult at all times.
18. Competitors are requested, prior to leaving, to clean up any droppings or hay, straw or shavings around their horsebox/trailer and to dispose of these at home.
19. The Society reserve the right to alter any schedule at any time without prior notice.
22. Smoking is prohibited in all areas except the specially designated area in the car park.
23. If you are bringing a stallion you must display bridle badges.

All persons entering onto the premises by virtue of admission agree to be bound by these Terms and Conditions and the General Rules of the Competition

### **24. Substitutions**

If you wish to change both horse and rider, please email the secretary.

### **Withdrawal Policy – PLEASE READ CAREFULLY**

**Closing & Withdrawal date** – 3 days before the starting date of the competition

**ALL Withdrawals must be registered by email to: [emma@emmarichardsonsteele.com](mailto:emma@emmarichardsonsteele.com)**

Please note if withdrawing after the closing date in order to obtain your refund we MUST receive a vet's or doctor's certificate. No later than the Monday following the event to obtain a refund.

### **Withdrawal policy depending on date of withdrawal:**

1. Withdrawals for whatever reason **before the closing date** will receive a refund minus the £5 admin fee.

2. **Withdrawals made AFTER the Closing & Withdrawal date (3 days before the competition)** for a veterinary to the horse or medical reason to the rider, are non-refundable unless a replacement from our wait list is found. In this situation a full refund will be given minus the £5 admin fee and booking fee. *(If entries are open and there is no wait list – no refunds will be issued)*
3. **Withdrawals made 24 hours before the event** starting for whatever reason are non-refundable.

### **Event Cancellation**

As you can appreciate at this time, we cannot insure against cancelling due to Covid 19. In the event of cancellation for any reason all entries will be refunded minus a £5 cancellation charge per entry.