



**Trailblazers Combined  
Training Direct Qualifier**  
**Tumpy Green Competition Centre**



**GL11 5HZ**

**Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

**Full range of Combined Training Classes – Every class offers qualification opportunities.**

For Combined Training it is direct qualification to Championships for the 5 highest placed combinations, regardless of the number of starters in the qualifier. Competitors who qualify must purchase a Qualification Card to be able to ride at the Championships, cards will be available to purchase from the Secretaries box.

**Online Entries via Equo Events**

**[www.equoevents.com](http://www.equoevents.com)**

**Discounted Advance Entries Close: Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

**Late entries will be subject to availability, there will be a £5 additional charge for late entries.**

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## **TRAILBLAZERS COMBINED TRAINING RULES.**

Combined training competitions consist of competitors competing in two disciplines, dressage and show jumping.

**Class 1: Clear Round Show Jumping 60cm** – horses & ponies (non qualifier)

**Class 2a For Ponies 148cm and under:** Prelim Dressage (Prelim 13 (2006) Rev. 2016 ) & 65cm Show Jumping

**Class 2b For Horses over 148cm:** Prelim Dressage (Prelim 13 (2006) Rev. 2016 ) with 65cm Show Jumping

**Class 3: Clear Round Show Jumping 70cm** – horses & ponies (non qualifier)

**Class 4a For Ponies 148cm and under:** Novice Dressage (Novice 34 (2009) Rev 2016) with 75cm Show Jumping

**Class 4b For Horses over 148cm:** Novice Dressage (Novice 34 (2009) Rev 2016) with 75cm Show Jumping

**Class 5: Clear Round Show Jumping 80cm** – horses & ponies (non qualifier)

**Class 6 For Horses over 148cm:** Elem Dressage (Elem 50 (2007) with 85cm Show Jumping

*Please note that horses and ponies may be combined for placings if insufficient numbers. However this will not affect qualification opportunities.*

### **Dressage**

The dressage section of the competition will be run under Trailblazers Dressage Rules unless they are over-riden by the Trailblazers Combined Training Rules.

### **Show Jumping**

The show jumping section of the competition will be run under Trailblazers Show Jumping Rules unless they are over-riden by the Trailblazers Combined Training Rules.

The show jumping section will be run over one round (T1).

### **Overall Winner**

The overall winner will be decided by deducting any show jumping penalties from the competitors dressage score. In the event of equal marks the time in the show jumping section will decide the higher placing.

### **Eligibility**

Any age of rider will be allowed to ride any height of horse or pony as long as the partnership is compatible; however, should the Judge for the competition deem the partnership incompatible, the Judge has the right to exclude the Competitor from competing in the competition. The Judge's decision is final. In such an instance, the Show Organiser would not be liable for any refund of any fees to the excluded Competitor.

A rider may compete on more than one horse / pony in any competition.

The same combination of horse / pony and rider must compete in both sections (dressage and show jumping) of the competition.

## **Competitor Dress Code**

For the dressage section the Trailblazers Dressage Rules will apply.

For the show jumping section the Trailblazers Show Jumping Rules will apply.

## **Tack and Equipment**

For the dressage section the Trailblazers Dressage Rules will apply.

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## **Numbers to Qualify**

The 5 highest placed combinations, regardless of the number of starters in the qualifier, will qualify to compete at the Championship Finals.

Competitors that qualify may purchase a Qualification Card from the venue at which they have qualified. You can purchase qualification days on the day of the competition at the secretaries box. Or you can send a sae to Tumpy Green within 14 days of the competition. Each qualification card is £12. The competitors must then complete the Qualification Card and send it the Trailblazers Central Office to register their qualification.

## **Championship Final Schedule**

Once a competitor has qualified at a qualifying competition, purchased their Qualification Card and registered the Card, a Championship Final schedule will be sent to the competitor by the Trailblazers Central Office in early June in the Year of the Championship Final.

**Entry Fees:** All Classes can be pre entered via Equo Events

Online Advance Entries Via Equo Events: Combined Training Classes £22

Online Advance Entries Via Equo Events £5

Entries available for clear round on the day £6

£3 per Competitor First Aid Charge

Rosettes 1st – 6th and prize to winner of each class

## **COMPETITOR EXPERIENCE AT THE TRAILBLAZERS CHAMPIONSHIPS**

The Trailblazers Championships are held annually in Warwickshire, where an equestrian extravaganza is dedicated to Show Jumping, Dressage, Combined Training and Showing, including Working Hunter. The aim of the Trailblazers Championships is to provide a true championship experience for competitors at the finals, with the emphasis on quality and a memorable experience. Competitors can camp on-site in the beautiful and picturesque grounds of Stoneleigh Park, while their horse or pony is stabled in the showground stable area. There is also plenty of room for any competitor's family and friends to assist, support and participate in the social making new friends from all around the country.

The buzz around the arenas is electric during Championships. Some of Britain's top course designers build imaginative show jumping courses, while highly experienced dressage and showing judges deliberate over strong performances and a professional team of experienced stewards and officials ensure that the event runs smoothly and successfully. Competitors who compete at the Trailblazers Championships rise to the challenge and thoroughly love it!



### **Please Note**

1. The judge's decision is final
2. No entries will be accepted without the appropriate fee
3. Correctly fitted footwear and headgear that conform to the current safety standard must be worn at all times when mounted.
4. Dogs must be kept on a lead at all times
5. In the event of cancellation, your entry fee will be carried over to the next Tumpy Green event. No Refunds given.
6. A vets or doctors certificate will be required if a withdrawal is made and request for a refund given due to the incapacity of horse or rider
7. No jewellery to be worn and long hair to be secured above collar height.

### **Disclaimer**

Tumpy Green reserve the right to alter or cancel any event and to disqualify anyone from competing if they are guilty of unseemly conduct or dangerous riding. All competitors take part entirely at their own risk and the organisers do not hold themselves responsible for any incident or damage that may occur to horse, rider, property, vehicle or spectator.

Tumpy Green organisers have taken all safety measures to ensure the health and safety of everyone present. In order for these measures to be successful everyone must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents.