

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Closing Date: All entries must be received by Wednesday 27 April. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Entries Secretary, subject to a £5.00 supplement.
2. Withdrawals: To Mrs K Smith, Foxhill Farm, Eydon, Daventry, Northants NN11 3QB. Tel. 01295 760230 by Wednesday 27 April. There will be no refund of entry fees after this date.
3. Starting times will be allocated for all classes. Go to [www.foxhill-farm.com](http://www.foxhill-farm.com) or telephone Foxhill Farm on 01295 760230 on Friday 30 April between 6pm and 8pm.
4. The course will be open for inspection on Saturday 30 April from 2pm.
5. Competitor briefings on Optimum Time at 3pm and 5pm in the Sponsors' Tent.
6. No wrist or stop watches to be worn while competing on the course.
7. Competitors must wear back protectors, crash hats to BSI standard and medical armbands.
8. All riders must wear a hat at all times when riding.
9. No horse/pony to compete more than once in any one class.
10. Junior riders to be aged 8 years or over.
11. When not competing riders must ride in the designated practice areas and only jump flagged fences.
12. Eliminated riders may continue at the discretion of the course officials.
13. Veterinary cover will be provided on the day, all fees to be met by the individual.
14. All dogs to be kept on leads.
15. Only official vehicles will be allowed on the course.
16. Please take all your litter home with you.
17. The organisers reserve the right to alter, amend or cancel any class and to refuse any entry for any reason what so ever.
18. The organising committee of the Grafton Hunt will not accept any liability whatsoever for any injury, accident, illness or damage to any horse, rider, spectator, or any other person or property.
19. All competitors will agree to abide by the rules of the competition.
20. Results will be posted on [www.graftonhunt.co.uk](http://www.graftonhunt.co.uk).



# GRAFTON HUNT

## HUNTER TRIALS

Incorporating qualifiers for  
BHS Cross Country Championships  
and  
CT Rider Cross Country League Championships

**SUNDAY 1 MAY 2011**

at

**FOXHILL FARM, EYDON, NN11 3QB**  
By kind permission of Mrs K Smith

Course Designed and built by Hugh Lochore  
with new layout for 2011

Veterinary and medical cover provided  
Refreshments available

**Foxhill Farm is located ½ mile south of Moreton Pinkney  
on the Thorpe Mandeville road. Please follow the signs,  
and approach from this direction, not via Eydon.  
A one-way system will be in operation to ensure traffic flow.**

# HUNTER TRIAL SCHEDULE – Prompt 9.00am start

All classes open to any senior or junior (aged 8 or over) on horse or ponies.

**NON BHS / CT RIDER MEMBERS MAY ENTER QUALIFYING CLASSES BUT WILL NOT BE ELIGIBLE TO QUALIFY FOR THE FINALS**

CLASS			ENTRY FEE
CLASS 1 inc. SEIB qualifier and CT Rider qualifier	NOVICE PAIRS	APPROX 2ft 6ins	£26.00 per PAIR
CLASS 2 inc. SEIB qualifier and CT Rider qualifier	NOVICE	APPROX 2ft 6ins	£20.00
CLASS 3	INTERMEDIATE PAIRS	APPROX 2ft 9ins – 3ft	£28.00 per PAIR
CLASS 4 inc. SEIB qualifier and CT Rider qualifier	INTERMEDIATE	APPROX 2ft 9ins – 3ft	£22.00
CLASS 5	OPEN	APPROX 3ft 3ins – 3ft 6ins	£25.00

All classes will be judged on an Optimum Time which will be published at the Secretary's Tent.

Trophies to the winners of all classes

Prizes to 4<sup>th</sup> place in all classes

Rosettes to 10<sup>th</sup> place in individual classes, and 6<sup>th</sup> place in pairs classes.

No horse/pony to compete in more than 2 classes, or more than once in any one class.

Refundable £5 deposit will be required for all numbers – *please* bring correct money to The Secretary.

**STARTING TIMES WILL BE ALLOCATED FOR ALL CLASSES – GO TO [www.foxhill-farm.com](http://www.foxhill-farm.com)**

**Or telephone Foxhill Farm on Friday 29 April on 01295 760230 between 6pm and 8pm**

Classes 1, 2 and 4 incorporate qualifiers for the Finals of the **BHS Cross Country Championships 2011**. In Class 1 the TWO highest placed pairs and in Classes 2 and 4 the TWO highest placed riders per class who are BHS Gold Members ON THE DAY OF THE QUALIFIER will qualify for the Final. In the event of a combination of horse/pony and rider already having qualified, the qualification will pass to the next competitor. YOU MUST FILL IN YOUR BHS MEMBERSHIP ON THE ENTRY FORM, and we recommend you carry your membership card on the day. Non-members may enter qualifying classes but will not be eligible to qualify. Horses registered for British Eventing Horse Trials in 2011 are NOT eligible to qualify for the Finals ('BE Day Tickets' are acceptable). Rules at Qualifiers may differ from those at the Finals. Classes at the finals will be Novice and Pairs (both max 2ft 9ins) and Open (max 3ft 3ins). The Finals will take place in the autumn of 2011 (date to be confirmed) at Eland Lodge Equestrian, Draycott-in-the-Clay, Sudbury, Derbyshire. To join the British Horse Society or for enquiries about the BHS Cross Country Championships, Tel. 08701 202244 or email [competitions@bhs.org.uk](mailto:competitions@bhs.org.uk).

Classes 1, 2 and 4 are also qualifiers for the **CT Rider Cross Country League Championships 2010-2011**. Competitors must have a membership number to qualify. Buy your membership number from Chiltern and Thames Rider, Suite 108, Crystal House, New Bedford Road, Luton, LU1 1HS or [www.chilternrider.co.uk](http://www.chilternrider.co.uk) or 01582 748983 at a cost of £14 for the season.

**ENTRY FORM Return to: Mrs. K. Smith, Foxhill Farm, Eydon, Daventry, Northants. NN11 3QB**

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NB. Classes 1, 2 and 4 incorporate qualifiers for both the BHS Finals and for the CT Rider Cross Country League Championships.

Please read the rules in the schedule.

**BHS ENTRIES FOR QUALIFIERS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT A BHS GOLD MEMBERSHIP NUMBER.**

Class	HORSE	RIDER (& AGE IF UNDER 15)	Hunt/PC name	BHS Gold or CT Riders XC Membership Number	X/C Colours	Entry Fee

<b>TOTAL</b>	
<b>ADD £2 PER RIDER FOR MEDICAL COVER</b>	
<b>TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED – CHEQUES PAYABLE TO ‘GRAFTON HUNT’</b>	

**PLEASE PRINT NAME & ADDRESS IN CAPITALS :** .....

**ADDRESS:** .....

**TEL. NO:** .....

**EMAIL:** .....

**SIGNATURE** \_\_\_\_\_

**I hereby declare that the information on this entry form is correct and I shall not hold the committee, organisers, MFHA, any sponsors, agent, employee or representative of these bodies liable for any accident, illness or injury to any horse, rider, spectator, owner or any other person or property whatsoever.**