

BHS Terms and Conditions

BHS Dorset Poles for Performance Clinics

General

- All entrants must hold third party public liability insurance either through being a Gold member of The British Horse Society or via proof from another provider.
- Online entries only.
- Everyone attending the event is responsible for ensuring the safety of themselves and others.
- The BHS, or the training venue, cannot provide supervision for attendees under the age of 18.
- Any attendee below the age of 16 years should be accompanied by a responsible adult who remains at the venue for the duration of the clinic.
- Attendees aged 16-17, or an adult at risk, it is at the discretion of their parent or guardian as to whether they are supervised or not.
- Please leave the parking area as you found it – don't muck out your trailer or lorry in the parking area and take dung home with you.
- Dogs are NOT permitted.
- Photographs and video may be taken on the day and used within the BHS. If you do not wish to be photographed or filmed please inform the organiser.

Riders

- Hats to the current standard must always be worn and correctly secured when mounted. Please check yours meets current standards which can be found at <http://www.bhs.org.uk/headwear>
- If worn, body protectors should comply with current standards – also found on the BHS website at <http://www.bhs.org.uk/body-protectors>
- All riders must wear suitable riding footwear. Wellington boots and trainers are not allowed.

Horses

- All horses must be no younger than four years of age and be of an appropriate fitness level for the activity being undertaken – hooves and shoes must be in good condition.
- Tack must be suitable, in safe condition and fit correctly.
- Any stallions must be informed to the organizer at the time of booking. No person may bring a stallion without ensuring, at all times, that other riders, horses and members of the public are not at risk. Stallions should be identifiable by a bridle tag and/or yellow tail ribbon. Any stallions deemed to be unsafe by the organiser may be directed to leave the site.
- All horses must be up to date with annual equine influenza vaccinations and must be 6 days clear from their most recent booster vaccination. Further vaccination guidance can be found using the BRC Flu Vac Checker, downloadable [here](#).
- Horses should not be left unattended when tied to horseboxes, in the parking area or on the ride.
- It is a legal requirement to have your horses' passport when travelling to events.

Cancellations

- If the event is cancelled by the BHS, the entry fee will be fully refunded.
- Cancellations can be notified by email to gillian.longhurst@btopenworld.com text to 07879 845297.
- Cancellations made up to seven days prior to the event will be refunded less the booking fee charge.
- Cancellations made within seven days of the event will only be refunded if the place can be filled and will be less the booking fee charge.
- Strictly no refunds for anyone who has booked and does not attend.

Covid-19

- Anyone displaying Covid-19 symptoms, however mild, should stay at home. Anyone who has been in contact with someone that is showing symptoms should stay at home. Anyone considered vulnerable should stay at home.
- Soft face masks that cover the mouth and nose are permitted but no face shields may be worn for mounted activities.

Disclaimer

The organisers have taken reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present. For these measures to be effective, everyone must take reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents. Neither the organisers nor the British Horse Society accept responsibility for any accident, injury, loss or illness to horse, rider, spectator or property whilst at this event.