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Musketeer Event Management presents

The Cotswold Cup Championships 2023

At CIRENCESTER PARK

Cirencester, Gloucestershire, GL7 6JT

29th, 30th September & 1st October 2023

COTSWOLD CUP CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES AT

70cm, 80cm, 90cm, 100cm

2 DAY EVENT FORMAT WITH ROADS AND TRACKS AND STEEPLE CHASE

3 DAY EVENT FORMAT WITH ROADS AND TRACKS AND STEEPLE CHASE

INCORPORATING OPEN CLASSES AT 80cm, 90cm and 100cm

Entries close: 13th September or when full

Enter online at

www.cotswoldcup.co.uk

For entry queries and changes up until closing date

info@cotswoldcup.co.uk

Entries Secretary after closing date

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The Cotswold Cup Championship classes are open to only those that have qualified during the 2023 series.

The Unrestricted classes are open to everyone.

Cross Country Course designed by FEI Level 3 XC Course Designer Alec Lochore.

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Introduction

We are delighted to be, once again, hosting the Cotswold Cup Final at Cirencester Park for 2023, running across one day, two day and three day events with classes at 70cm, 80cm, 90cm and 100cm. The 80, 90 and 100cm Championships will run alongside open classes at the same level.

Entries Secretary: Vanessa Luff - entries@musketeer.co.uk

Entries Closing Date: 13th September 2023

Enter online at www.musketeer.co.uk through www.cotswoldcup.co.uk

Entries for the Open Classes will be accepted on a first come basis after which a wait list will be retained. If a rider qualifies for the Championships after placing an entry in the Open class, the entry will be transferred to the Championships on request.

Times:

Times will be available, including approx. horse inspection times on the [Musketeer & Eventing Scores](#) website by 7pm on Wednesday 27th September.

Provisional Timetable

ONE DAY EVENT

Cotswold Cup Championship 70cm – Sunday 1st October

Open 80cm – Sunday 1st October

Open 90cm - Saturday 30th September

Open 100cm - Saturday 30th September

TWO DAY EVENT:

Cotswold Cup Championship JUNIORS 80cm 90cm and 100cm

Open 80cm 90cm and 100cm

- > Day 1 Saturday 30th September – Dressage and Showjumping
- > Day 2 Sunday 1st October – ‘speed & endurance’ day with cross-country phase followed by Prize Giving

THREE DAY EVENT

Cotswold Cup Championship SENIORS 80cm 90cm and 100cm

Open 80cm 90cm and 100cm

- > Day 1 Friday – Horse Inspection and Dressage
- > Day 2 Saturday 30th September – ‘speed & endurance’ day with cross-country phase
- > Day 3 Sunday 1st October – Second Horse Inspection and Showjumping in reverse order followed by Prize Giving

The distances at each level are slightly longer than those at a regular event. See ANNEX 1

Three Day Competitors - There is a formal horse inspection (trot up) before the dressage and before the final jumping phase on day 3 as is normal practice at three-day events.

Stabling:

On-site stabling available at £110 + VAT

Hook-up at £95 +VAT

Please book via bookmein entries system -

https://www.bookmein.co.uk/index.php?route=product/product&product_id=101

Local stabling is available from £30 per night please email info@musketeer.co.uk for more information.

Equine Vaccination Certificates:

All horses/ponies should have received a vaccination within 12 months of the date of the competition having already received their initial course of injections. There must be six clear days between the last vaccination and the date of the competition. Random checks will be taking place.

Personal Protection Equipment:

Hats meeting the current standards must always be worn and securely fastened when mounted. Body Protectors are mandatory for the Cross-country phase and must be up to the current standard.

Prize Givings:

There will be a mounted prize giving for the top 6 in the Three-Day Events. There will be a podium prize giving for all Two-Day and One-Day Event classes.

Number Bibs:

Numbers will be provided and available for collection on site at the riders briefing or the show office.

Dressage Sheets & Prizes:

Prizes will be available for collection at the event only. Dressage sheets can be sent via WhatsApp, for more details please visit the secretary's office.

Catering

Hot and cold refreshments available throughout the event.

Course Walking

The course may be walked from 2pm on Thursday 28th September. All courses will be available to download from The Cross-Country App.

Cotswold Cup Championships

Championship Class	Format	Dates	Dressage Test	Entry Fee Incl. VAT
100cm Championships - Senior	3DE	Fri 29 th Sept - Sun 1 st Oct	Championship Test 100 (2022)	£228.50
90cm Championships - Senior	3DE	Fri 29 th Sept - Sun 1 st Oct	Championship Test 90 (2022)	£228.50
80cm Championships - Senior	3DE	Fri 29 th Sept - Sun 1 st Oct	Championship Test 80 (2022)	£228.50
100cm Championships - Junior	2DE	Sat 30 th Sept & Sun 1 st Oct	Championship Test 100 (2022)	£175.50
90cm Championships - Junior	2DE	Sat 30 th Sept & Sun 1 st Oct	Championship Test 90 (2022)	£175.50
80cm Championships - Junior	2DE	Sat 30 th Sept & Sun 1 st Oct	Championship Test 80 (2022)	£175.50
70cm Championships	1DE	Sun 1 st Oct	CC 83 (2023)	£110.50
Open Class	Format	Dates	Dressage Test	Entry Fee Incl. VAT
100cm Three Day Event	3DE	Fri 29 th Sept - Sun 1 st Oct	Championship Test 100 (2022)	£228.50
90cm Three Day Event	3DE	Fri 29 th Sept - Sun 1 st Oct	Championship Test 90 (2022)	£228.50
80cm Three Day Event	3DE	Fri 29 th Sept - Sun 1 st Oct	Championship Test 80 (2022)	£228.50
100cm Two Day Event	2DE	Sat 30 th Sept & Sun 1 st Oct	Championship Test 100 (2022)	£175.50
90cm Two Day Event	2DE	Sat 30 th Sept & Sun 1 st Oct	Championship Test 90 (2022)	£175.50
80cm Two Day Event	2DE	Sat 30 th Sept & Sun 1 st Oct	Championship Test 80 (2022)	£175.50
100cm ODE	ODE	Sat 30 th Sept	CC 101 (2022)	£99.50
90cm ODE	ODE	Sat 30 th Sept	CC 91 (2022)	£94.50
80cm ODE	ODE	Sun 1 st Oct	CC 81 (2022)	£90.50

*Those who qualify for the championship classes will be notified

*All 2DE and 3DE event Classes will be in a long arena (60x20) and have 2 judges

*Entries for the open classes will be accepted on a first come first served basis

Annex 1

* - All distances and time are approximate

Three Day Event											
Class	Phase A Distance	Phase A time	Phase B Distance	Phase B Speed	Phase B number Jumps	Phase B time	Phase C Distance	Phase C time	Max XC Distance	XC Speed	Max XC Time
80cm	3000m	13 mins	1040m	520 m/m	3 to 4	2 mins	5000m	32 mins	2935m	435 m/m	6 mins 45 secs
90cm	3000m	13 mins	1300m	520 m/m	4 to 5	2.5 mins	5000m	32 mins	3035m	450 m/m	6 mins 45 secs
100cm	3000m	13 mins	1375m	550 m/m	4 to 6	2.5 mins	5000m	32 mins	3200m	475 m/m	6 mins 45 secs
	All classes 220m/m		Obstacle Height 90cm				All classes 160m/m				

Two Day Event											
Class	Phase A Distance	Phase A time	Phase B Distance	Phase B Speed	Phase B number Jumps	Phase B time	Phase C Distance	Phase C time	Max XC Distance	XC Speed	XC Time
80cm	3000m	13 mins	1040m	520 m/m	3 to 4	2 mins	5000m	32 mins	2500m	435 m/m	5 mins 45 secs
90cm	3000m	13 mins	1040m	520 m/m	3 to 4	2 mins	5000m	32 mins	2500m	450 m/m	5 mins 33 secs
100cm	3000m	13 mins	1100m	550 m/m	3 to 4	2 mins	5000m	32 mins	2800m	475 m/m	5 mins 54 secs
	All classes 220m/m		Obstacle Height 90cm				All classes 160m/m				

One Day Event			
Class	Max XC Distance	XC Speed	XC Time
70cm	2500m	435 m/m	5 mins 45 secs
80cm	2500m	435 m/m	5 mins 45 secs
90cm	2500m	450 m/m	5 mins 33 secs
100cm	2800m	475 m/m	5 mins 54 secs

Speed & Endurance*

Phases A & C (Roads & Tracks): The routes will be clearly identified with directional signage and there will be some Compulsory Passage flags through which all riders must pass. In addition, there will be markers at each 1km intervals from the start of each of the phases.

Competitors may dismount at any time on the Roads & Tracks and walk beside their pony/horse, but they must be mounted to pass through the finish of each phase.

Exceeding the optimum time per phase will incur 1 penalty point per second, exceeding the time limit (20% more than the optimum time) per phase will incur elimination.

Phase B (Steeplechase): There is a compulsory 1 minute halt between the end of Phase A and the start of Phase B. Exceeding the optimum time in the Steeplechase will incur 0.8 penalty points per second, exceeding the time limit (four times optimum time) will incur elimination. Faults at Steeplechase fences will be penalised as per Cross-country.

Phase D (Cross Country): There is a compulsory 10-minute halt between the end of Phase C and the start of Phase D. During this halt a veterinary surgeon and officials will inspect each pony/ horse; this panel has the right to eliminate any pony/horse that is considered to be unfit to continue onto Phase D. Exceeding the optimum time per phase will incur 0.4 penalty points per second; exceeding the time limit (twice the optimum time) will incur elimination. For every second in excess of 15 seconds under the optimum time will incur 0.4 penalty points per second.

The same pony/horse and rider must complete all phases mounted; spot checks will be carried out to ensure compliance. Elimination from one phase precludes further participation in the competition.

Please refer to the training advice videos and literature produced by Musketeer to assist in the management of the timings for the Speed & Endurance phases.

Horse Inspections (Trot ups)

For the 3 Day Event competitors there will be 2 formal Horse Inspections and a further inspection when the horses arrive into the 'D' Box before the start of cross-country. The formal horse inspections will take place on a firm road. The Vet will ensure that the horses are fit to compete and the vets decision is final and there can be no appeal against their decision.

For the two formal Horse Inspections, riders will be given times at which they should be available to present their horses to the panel.

Terms and Conditions

1. The horse trials will be run mainly in conjunction with international recognised rules for the sport of eventing
2. Hard hats to BE/PC/RC specifications must be worn at all times when mounted.
3. Body protectors to current BE/PC/RC standards are recommended in all phases but are compulsory for the cross-country phase. Air Jackets may be worn but must be worn over a body protector.
4. It is compulsory that every person entering Cirencester Park who is under the age of 18 years of age is accompanied by a responsible adult.
5. Event stopwatches are allowed.
6. It is compulsory that all dogs must be kept on leads at all times.
7. Horseboxes are not to be mucked out on site.
8. The Management of Cirencester Park & Musketeer Event Management reserves the right to remove anyone from the event at any time without giving a reason.
9. A paramedic team will be in attendance at the event.
10. A vet and a farrier will either be present or on call.
11. The event may be cancelled without notice due to adverse weather. In the event of adverse weather, it is recommended that you check social media @musketeerevents and the website www.musketeer.co.uk before you depart.
12. All horses/ponies must be 4 years and over.
13. No horse/pony may compete in more than one class.
14. Entries are insured and will be refunded *minus a £15 admin fee per entry*
15. Any queries or complaints must be in writing and handed to the Organiser within 30 minutes of the incident
16. *Withdrawals must be made in writing to entries@musketeer.co.uk. After the entries have closed (13/09/23), entries will only receive a refund if their entry is replaced. All refunds will be less a £15 admin fee per entry.*
17. In the event of any rider travelling to a show on their own, details of a contact should be left with the secretary in case of an accident.
18. Any person who fails to comply with these terms & conditions will be liable to forfeit their fees & expulsion from the showground.
19. Non-refundable booking fee payable upon entry.
20. Start fees will be refunded if an entry does not start.

Health and Safety

The organisers have taken reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone attending this event. For these measures to be effective everyone present must themselves take reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents. Instructions given by any Official must be obeyed. Any animal not under control or in any way constituting a danger may be asked to leave the showground. Owners enter their horses/ponies at their own risk, and it is a condition of entry that no liability of any kind attaches itself to Musketeer Event Management.

Personal Injury and Equipment Insurance Notice

Musketeer Event Management does not insure the rider, your horse or your tack and equipment. You are strongly advised to have in place your own adequate personal accident insurance at all times. The Venue, Musketeer Event Management or anyone involved in the organisation of the event will not be held responsible for any accident, injury or loss to any person or their property however this may be caused.