



Affiliated to British Riding Clubs (Area 14)

Qualifier show for
Sunshine Tour 2026

**WORLINGTON RIDING CLUB
SPRING OPEN SHOW – SUNDAY 19 APRIL 2026**

at Newmarket Road, Fordham, Cambridgeshire CB7 5LL

All arenas on grass Gates open at 7.45am

Please park respectfully as we are expecting the showground to be very busy.
Cars may be asked to park away from boxes and lorries.



Entry fees for all classes except clear round jumping and Baton Relay are:
Non-members £12 (£16 after 17 April) WRC members £7 (£11 after 17 April)

Entries taken on the day (except RoR classes)

Cash, bank transfer or cheques accepted (unable to take card payments)

Entries for the RoR classes must be made in advance and by 12 April at the very latest
as WRC has to confirm eligibility to enter with RoR.

To compete as a club member, membership must have been completed prior to entry at
<https://britishridingclubs.sport80.com>

Each competitor must pay an additional £3 to cover First-Aid provision

Rosettes to 6th place and prizes to 3rd place in each class
Rosette for highest placed Connemara in each class kindly sponsored by Julia Woods

ARENA 1		SHOW JUMPING	Starting 9am
Judge: Joy Broker and assisted by Jim Hiner		Course Builder: Jason Manning	
CLASS 1	Clear Round Jumping – 1 helper or lead rein permitted Non-members £7, WRC members £4 per round (a combination may enter this class more than once)		40cm (1'4'')
Classes 2-7 will be run as single phase			Not before 9.30am
CLASS 2	☀️ Assisted – 1 'helper' may be in the ring to assist - lead rein permitted		40cm (1'4'') Kindly sponsored by ABC Saddlery
CLASS 3	☀️ Starter – Rider/animal combination never to have won a show jumping class		40cm (1'4'') Kindly sponsored by Ashmount Forge Ltd
CLASS 4	☀️ Nursery – Rider/animal combination never to have won 3 show jumping classes		50cm (1'8'') Kindly sponsored by Gerry Reynolds Saddlery
CLASS 5	☀️ Ponies under 13.2hh		60cm (2'0'') Kindly sponsored by NRT Ltd
CLASS 6	☀️ Small Novice	The Neville Lake Memorial Challenge Trophy	70cm (2'3'') Kindly sponsored by Newmarket Stablecare Ltd
CLASS 7	Baton Relay – Teams of two horses/ponies and riders each jumping the course and exchanging whip Non-members £18, WRC members £12 a pair (£4 extra on the day)		70cm (2'3'') Kindly sponsored by NP Nunn Ltd
CLASSES 8-11 will be run as table A7 (jump-off against the clock for all who jump a clear first round)			Not before 1.30pm
CLASS 8	☀️ Novice Pony/Horse	Bruar & Mordred Jamal Challenge Cup	75cm (2.6'') Kindly sponsored by NRT Ltd
CLASS 9	☀️ Intermediate	Monita Challenge Trophy Shield	85cm (2'9'') Kindly sponsored by ABC Saddlery
CLASS 10	☀️ Small Open	Challenge Cup for best pony and Elveden Bay Challenge Cup for best horse	90cm (3'0'') Kindly sponsored by Ashmount Forge Ltd
CLASS 11	☀️ Open	Ali's Dream Challenge Trophy	1m (3'3'') Kindly sponsored by NRT Ltd

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Although WRC permits a lead rein for most classes you will not be able to qualify for the Sunshine Tour or STARS for classes other than where lead rein is specified.

CLASS 12 ★★ Veteran – For horses and ponies 14 and over
Rosette to the oldest animal in memory of Montego Bay

Kindly sponsored by Katie Eaton Master Saddler

CLASS 13 ★★ Rescue Equine Showing Society In-hand qualifier for rescued & rehabilitated animals
Kindly sponsored by Lucia Burgoyne on behalf of Welsh Pony Rescue

This Show is affiliated to The Rescue Equine Showing Society (RESS) final taking place at the Equifest, Arena UK, Grantham, Lincolnshire on 5-8 August 2026. The two highest exhibits not already qualified in each affiliated class will qualify.

Open to any age, type, breed. Mares with foal at foot not permitted.

No exhibit under the age of 1 year may be exhibited on its own.

DEFINITION OF RESCUE:

1. Any equine that is adopted, fostered, under a guardianship scheme from any National Equine Welfare Council registered Charity (NEWC).
2. Any equine that has been adopted, fostered, under a guardianship scheme from any other equine charity (must be registered with the Charity Commission).
3. Any equine that has been 'independently' rescued by an individual. There must be supporting evidence (photographic, veterinary) that will be included in the 'Rescue History' for the equine, to demonstrate their rescue status.

CLASS 14 ★★ Lead Rein – Rider to be under 10 on 1 January 2026. Pony not to exceed 128cms

Kindly sponsored by Maraki Stud

CLASS 15 ★★ Tattersalls RoR OPEN In-hand Show Series Qualifier 2026
Advanced entry only (see page 1 of schedule) Kindly sponsored by Tattersalls & Sandra Middleton

All entrants to RoR classes must have current RoR competition membership, which is £26 per year, and can be obtained online at <https://www.ror.org.uk/registration>.

Open to all RoR and NR **competition registered** horses, 3 years and over, fillies, mares and geldings. Handlers must be 15 years or over on 1 January 2026. Horses do not need to be shod to compete in the RoR Open In-Hand class. Horses can be shown in a bitless/in-hand bridle. Blemishes caused by racing will be ignored. All those entering horses and/or participating in the show agree to be bound by the Retraining of Racehorses Rules and Regulations from time to time in force. Handlers/grooms must wear a safety/kite-mark hard hat with a chinstrap.

The first three go forward to the final at The Jockey Club RoR National Championships at Aintree, 22 August 2026.

Prizes – RoR rosettes 1st-4th plus Tattersalls RoR official merchandise voucher 1st £20, 2nd £10, 3rd £5, highest placed veteran (15+) £10. Oldest veteran kindly sponsored by Tattersalls & Hill Farm Racing

The Highest Placed Veteran also qualifies for the Tattersalls RoR Open In-Hand Veteran Show final at the Jockey Club RoR National Championships on 22 August 2026.

CLASS 16 ★★ First Ridden – Rider to be under 12 on 1 January 2026. Pony not to exceed 128cms – No lead reins.

Kindly sponsored by LH Equine Services

CLASS 17 ★★ Tattersalls RoR AMATEUR Ridden Show Series Qualifier 2026
Advanced entry only (see page 1 of schedule) Kindly sponsored by Tattersalls & Baker McVeigh

All entrants to RoR classes must have current RoR competition membership, which is £26 per year, and can be obtained online at <https://www.ror.org.uk/registration>.

Open to all RoR and NR competition registered horses, 4yrs and over, mares and geldings, owned, produced and ridden by an **Amateur**. Riders must be 15 years or over on 1 January 2026. Horses should be ridden in a snaffle, Pelham or simple double bridle with a plain cavesson noseband. Horses should be plaited. Racing injuries and blemishes ARE IGNORED in this series.

The Series is open to AMATEUR riders only – those employed in racing will be allowed to compete.

Class will be judged under 'riding horse' format without 'type' being taken into consideration.

The Judge will not ride in the qualifiers but will ride in the final.

Competitors/grooms must wear a safety/kite mark hard hat with a chinstrap.

The first three go forward to the final at the Hickstead Derby Meeting, 21 June 2026

Prizes – RoR rosettes 1st-4th plus Tattersalls RoR official merchandise voucher 1st £20, 2nd £10, 3rd £5, highest placed veteran (15+) £10. Oldest veteran kindly sponsored by Tattersalls & Hill Farm Racing

The winner also qualifies for the Tattersalls RoR Amateur Ridden Special at the Jockey Club RoR National Championships on 22 August 2026. Highest Placed Veteran qualifies for the RoR Ridden Veteran Final on 22 August 2026.

Amateur definition: The rules are as in the rulebook with the following addition that an amateur may not show a horse owned or sponsored by a company or commercial firm. In addition, a person classed as an amateur must not be supported by a company in any way or act as a brand ambassador whether financially or in-kind. An amateur is a person who for the purpose of RoR classes does not/has not during the current season or previous season: *(continued on next page)*

Engage(d) in breeding, livery, buying or selling, dealing or hiring horses in a commercial capacity. Horses must not have been stabled at or reside in a Professional Producer's/Trainer's yard from 1 January 2025. Riders must not have ridden any animals produced by a Professional/Trainer in the current or previous season. Horses and riders must not receive any help from a Professional Producer/Trainer at a SHOW in the current season. A rider who has ridden a Professional/Producer Trainer in the current or previous season must not have ridden horses at a show. Any breaches of this ruling will be taken seriously and will result in disqualification from future classes.

CLASS 18 ★ **Rescue Equine Showing Society Ridden qualifier for Rescued & rehabilitated animals**
See Class 17 for details Kindly sponsored on behalf of Welsh Pony Rescue

Judge: Lorna Johnson

Not before 1.30pm

- CLASS 19 ★** **Coloured** Kindly sponsored by TEC Ltd
- CLASS 20 ★** **Hunter Horse or Pony** Kindly sponsored by Ballytagget Forge
- CLASS 21 ★** **Mountain and Moorland** Kindly sponsored by Louise Askew Independent Saddle Fitter
- CLASS 22 ★** **Show Horse or Pony** Kindly sponsored by Yvonne & William Bryson
- CLASS 23 ★** **Cob** Kindly sponsored by Dylan's Farrier Service
- CLASS 24 ★** **Senior Equitation – Snaffle bridle only** Kindly sponsored by Autocar by Ronnie Wright – Vehicle Repairs
- CLASS 25 ★** **Junior Equitation – 12-17 years (age at 1 January 2026). Snaffle bridle only**
Kindly sponsored by Becky Jackson Horse Riding
- CLASS 26 ★** **Lead Rein & First Ridden Equitation – Pony not to exceed 148cms.**
Rider on lead rein to be under 10 years and first ridden under 12yrs
(age at 1 January 2026). Snaffle bridle only. Kindly sponsored by EquiSports Therapy
- CLASS 27 ★** **Riding Club Horse or Pony – will include a small jump.** Kindly sponsored by Carrie Massingham BAEDT
- RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP – For all placed 1st and 2nd in ridden classes today**
Remembering Jinxy Trophy Kindly sponsored by Sandra Middleton
- SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP – For the Champion and Reserve Champions from arenas 2 & 3 today**
Kindly sponsored by AGL Photography

ARENA 3 IN-HAND SHOWING

Judge: Jamie Fowler

Starting 9am

- CLASS 28 ★** **Best Turned Out – Ridden** Kindly sponsored by The Joshua Tree Ltd
- CLASS 29 ★** **Youngstock – For animals 3 years and under** Kindly sponsored by Houghton Bloodstock UK Ltd
- CLASS 30 ★** **Condition & Turnout** Kindly sponsored by Lisa Stannard in memory of Gerry Cashin MRCVS
- CLASS 31 ★** **Veteran – For horses and ponies 14 and over. Rosette to the oldest animal.**
Kindly sponsored by Jackie Willis in memory of Pudsey Bear
- CLASS 32 ★** **Cob** Kindly sponsored by Rumbles Newmarket
- CLASS 33 ★** **Mountain and Moorland** Kindly sponsored by HQ Car Sales
- CLASS 34 ★** **Plaited Horse or Pony** Kindly sponsored by Chad Equestrian
- CLASS 35** **Rare & Foreign Breeds** Kindly sponsored by Valley Way Stores
- CLASS 36 ★** **Coloured Horse or Pony** Kindly sponsored by George Spence

Not before 1.30pm

- CLASS 37 ★** **Senior Handler** Kindly sponsored by Autocar by Ronnie Wright – Vehicle Repairs
- CLASS 38 ★** **Junior Handler – 12-17 years (age at 1 January 2026)** Kindly sponsored by Horse Requisites Newmarket Ltd
- CLASS 39** **Concours d'Elegance – In-hand or ridden** Kindly sponsored by Rands & Wilson Feeds Ltd
- CLASS 40 ★** **Young Handler – 8-11 years (age at 1 January 2026)** Kindly sponsored by Sharon & Scott Spence
- CLASS 41 ★** **Tiny Tot Handler – 4-7 years (age at 1 January 2026).**
Handler must be accompanied by an adult in the arena, but they must not assist
unless the handler is in difficulty. Kindly sponsored by Dawns Tack Box
- CLASS 42** **Fancy Dress – In-hand or ridden** Kindly sponsored by Mitchell Mindies
- IN-HAND CHAMPIONSHIP – For all placed 1st and 2nd in in-hand classes today**
Kindly sponsored by Point2Point Horsebox Hire
- SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP – For the Champion and Reserve Champions from arenas 2 and 3 today**
Kindly sponsored by AGL Photography

AGL Photography & Jane Evans Photography in attendance

Dawns Tack Box will be in attendance

Refreshments by BB's catering (cash & card payments) Cakes by Roscoe's Bakery (cash & card payments)

If you would like an update on what class we are on during the day you can call or message 07748 780929

Toilet available but please note there is no water available for horses

Please see [Worlington Riding Club](#) website or our Facebook page for other show dates and schedules once available



(☀) This show is a qualifier for The Sunshine Tour Championships held at the **All-England Showground, Hickstead** from **Thursday 17 to Sunday 20 September**. The Championships are for unaffiliated and amateur competitors in **Dressage** from Intro to Elementary, **Show Jumping** from lead rein to 1.05m; **Showing** for lead rein, in-hand, ridden, veterans plus many more.

Qualification: Dressage and Show Jumping: 1st-3rd place, Showing: 1st-4th place.

Qualification does not pass down the line.

Registration must be completed within one month of qualification (sooner for late July shows). Restrictions apply to horse and competitor's previous winnings and amateur status. **Please check online at www.sunshinetour.co.uk for more information, to register and submit evidence of results.**

WRC will do its best to post all show results on their website within 7 days of a show to enable use as evidence.



(★) Club members will gain points in classes marked ★ towards Worlington Riding Club's Team entry at the **STARS Champion of Champions Show** being held at **Aintree International Centre 19 - 22 November 2026**. You must be a member and attend two of our Open shows during 2026 to fulfil the entry requirements. Further information and conditions of entry can be found at <https://starschampionships.co.uk/>

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. Our shows are run according to British Riding Club rules.
2. Please be aware of rule changes especially around the use of whips in the show jumping arena and practice areas
3. Our shows are intended to be family friendly novice shows and the judge's decision in all matters is to be accepted as final
4. A correctly fitted and secured hat must be worn when mounted, lunging or loading horses. Hats must carry one of the following current hat standards: PAS 015; 2011 with BSI kitemark, VG1 with BSI kitemark, SNELL 2016 onwards with official SNELL label & number ASTM F1163; 2004a onwards with SEI mark or AS/NZS 3838; 2006 onwards.
5. **A hard hat must be worn by all Juniors when competing including in-hand classes.**
6. Correct riding dress must be worn at all times when mounted, whether competing or not, and any competitor will be eliminated if a lost hat is not replaced during a competition. Body protectors are recommended.
7. The Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry and does not accept liability for any theft, accident, damage, injury or illness, however caused, to horses, owners, riders, spectators, vehicles or any other person or property.
8. **Entry fees cannot be refunded or transferred to another show unless a Vet. or Doctor's certificate is produced.**
9. The judge's decision in all matters is to be accepted as final.
10. Ridden horses and ponies must be 3 years or over. Any horse or pony jumping must be 4 years or over.
11. Any competitor galloping in the exercise area or unruly animals may be asked to withdraw from the show.
12. All dogs must be kept on short leads.
13. No mucking out of horse boxes on the showground.
14. Please use bins provided for rubbish.

Entries to be made by email to worlingtonrc@btinternet.com and transferring payment to

J.A. Hiner - Barclays Bank: sort code 20-60-38: A/c 90777714 stating competitor's name and show date.

Or by posting entry with cheque (payable to 'Worlington Riding Club') to
Toni-ann Hammond, 35 Carnation Way, Red Lodge, Bury St Edmunds IP28 8TW.

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☐ If the rider is under 18 years and permission is **not** given for his/her photograph to be used for publicity or on the website, please tick here