

North & East Yorkshire Group of Endurance GB

R&R Country Escrick Park Pleasure Ride



Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2017

Generously sponsored by R&R Country, goody bags and rosettes to finishers



This ride is run by permission of Escrick Park Estate (just off A19 between York and Selby).

**Venue:** Mount Pleasant Farm, Escrick Park Estate (OS Landranger 105 or Explorer 290 Grid Ref 651419).

Organiser: Angela Hields,

Entries to: Ann Featherstone, Rievaulx House, Stillington Road, Huby, York. YO61 1HW. Tel: 07545 893185

<u>Closing date: 17<sup>th</sup> February 2017</u>, but late entries may be accepted at the organisers' discretion.

# **Entries limited**

All entries must be made on an official Entry Form (one per horse/pony) and must include a LARGE stamped addressed envelope.

Entry forms are available on the website (<u>www.endurancegbneyorkshire.co.uk</u>).

If the rider is under 18 please also complete the Parental consent form.

Distances: Class 1:20km/13miles Class 2:12km/8miles

Start times: 9.30 am - 11.00 am



**Change of Class:** Please note that in accordance with EGB rules riders **may not change to a higher distance** on the day of the ride. However, they **may downgrade to a lower distance** before the start of the ride. In this case, it is the rider's responsibility to notify the Ride Organiser and/or Ride Secretary before they start the Ride.

**Route:** Mainly farm tracks, woodland and good going. Very little roadwork. No crewing on route.

**Facilities:** Communications, First Aid , toilet, vet on call & refreshments, hard standing venue

**Entry fees:** EGB and Associate Members: £20.00 Non members: £25 includes £5 towards EGB day membership to comply with insurance regulations **These fees include an additional cost of using the Park.** 

# Please make cheques payable to: North & East Yorkshire Group of EGB

Please note: £1 discount for young rides (14-21) and £3 discount for juniors (8-13)

**Misc:** Maximum speed 16km/hr average. Please try to maintain a minimum average speed of 8km/hr. All horses successfully completing will be awarded a special commemorative rosette and their Group kilometers.

### This ride is run under Endurance GB Rules.

Save for the death or personal injury caused by the negligence of the organisers or anyone for whom they are in law responsible, neither the Organisers of any event to which these rules apply, nor the Endurance GB, nor any agent, employee or representative of these bodies accepts any liability for any accident, loss, damage, injury or illness to horses, owners, riders, spectators, land or any other person or property whatsoever whether caused by their negligence, breach of contract or any other way whatsoever.

RESERVATION OF RIGHT - the Organiser has the right to cancel the ride or any class, alter the advertised times, refuse any entry. The Organiser/Organising Committee of this event has taken reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present. For these measures to be effective, everyone must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents occurring and must obey the instructions of the Organiser/Organising Committee and all Officials and Stewards.

#### AGE LIMITS:

- □ Horse or Pony to be 4 years or over.
- □ Riders must be 8 years or over.
- □ Rider's aged 8–13 must be accompanied by an adult (over 18 years) at all times, one adult to two junior riders.

<u>**DEPOSIT**</u> - of £5.00 (refunded) or EGB membership card must be given to the secretary to obtain number bib to be worn for the ride.

### SAFETY:

A hard hat with the correct standard must be worn, correctly fastened, whilst mounted. No Wellington boots. Riding footwear must leave min1/2" heel unless caged stirrups used. Whips over 75cm and spurs not permitted.

Hats bearing only the EN1384 or BSEN1384 standard will no longer be accepted. However, hats would be acceptable if they carry EN1384 or BSEN1384 and another standard such as those listed: • PAS 015 (1998 or 2011), • VG1 01.040 (2014-12), • ASTM F1163 (2004a or 04a onwards), • NELL E2001, • AS/NZS 3838 (2006 onwards).

Please see EGB website for full details regarding hat standards. www.endurancegb.co.uk

# IMPORTANT: PLEASE ENSURE YOU HAVE THE CORRECT HAT STANDARDS SOME HATS ARE NOW OBSOLETE.

Remember to see the timekeeper when you start and when you finish the ride.

### ROUTE MARKING:

Will be with a mixture of orange day-glo tape, spray paint arrows and moor land flags.

### **GENERAL POINTS:**

- Horses that kick must display a red ribbon in the tail.
- □ Novice Horses are advised to wear a green ribbon in the tail.
- □ If you horse is a novice and kicks put both ribbons in.
- □ Stallions should wear two blue stallion discs on their bridle and a blue tail ribbon, plus a blue ribbon on the breastplate. Your stallion is then easily identified by other riders.
- No spurs allowed
- No wellington boots.
- □ Shoes should have a ½ inch heel or that your stirrups have cages.
- □ WHIPS no longer than 75cm
- Riders please ask permission to overtake others in plenty of time, give a wide berth and do not canter past.
- Remember Stallions do compete in this sport.
- Always display your number bib clearly for marshals to see.
- Be polite to the general public they may be the Farmer whose land you are on.
- Always walk when passing pedestrians.
- Take care to leave all gates as you find them (open or closed)
- Headcams are not permitted.
- Use your map to anticipate turns as this reduces your chances of getting lost.
- Leave all vehicles locked and valuables out of sight at all times.
- Lead rein entrants should be led by an adult on foot.

### HEALTH & SAFETY:

Please be very aware of your surroundings be it at either the venue or out on the ride.

Because of the high profile of Health & Safety/Risk Assessments within Industry and all Sports etc, we must be seen to be acting responsibly. A list will be displayed at all events.

# **ENJOY YOUR RIDE**