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# UPPER CANADA DERBY AT MEADOWVALE FARM

# CLASS LIST - 2020 COVID19 Version

# \$65 / division

# Cross Rails 0.45 m (18") Division

Class # 1 X Rails - Warm up round

Class # 2 X Rails Short Track - Match the Clock

Class # 3 X Rails (and logs) Long Track - Match the Clock

## 0.60m (2'0") Division ~ Pre-Novice

Class # 4 Warm up round

Class # 5 Short Track - Match the Clock

Class # 6 2'0" Long Track - Match the Clock

# 0.70m (2'3") Division ~ Novice

Class # 7 Warm Up Round

Class # 8 Short Track – Match the Clock

Class # 9 Long Track – Match the Clock

# 0.75m (2'6") Division ~ Pre-Entry

Class # 10 Warm Up Round

Class # 11 Short Track – Match the Clock

Class # 12 Long Track – Match the Clock

# 0.85m (2'9") Division ~ Entry

Class # 13 Warm Up Round

Class # 14 Short Track - Match the Clock

Class # 15 Long Track – Match the Clock

#### 0.90m (3'0") Division ~ Pre-training

Class # 16 Warm Up Round

Class # 17 Short Track – Match the Clock

Class # 18 Long Track – Match the Clock

#### 1.0m (3'3") Division ~ Training

Class # 19 Warm Up Round

Class # 20 Short Track - Match the Clock

Class # 21 Long Track – Match the Clock

Please send E-transfers to stephc@meadowvalefarm.ca

# UPPER CANADA DERBY AT MEADOWVALE FARM DESCRIPTION OF CLASSES

#### Match the Clock classes:

Match the clock or optimum time classes are designed to help developing riders learn the skill of riding a course at the posted speed, rather than with the fastest time. Faults are accumulated by knocking rails, refusals, or exceeding the optimum time. Competitors with equal faults will be placed according to how close their time is to the optimum time. The optimum time is calculated based on the posted speed.

Cross rails and Pre-Novice will be judged based on Match the clock as well as performance to break ties.

## Warm Up Rounds:

Warm up rounds will take place in the sand ring comprising of mainly Show Jumps but may include a few natural obstacles. This round will not be judged however all participants will be given a completion ribbon at the end of their round. The purpose of the warm up round is to provide an opportunity for horses and riders to become familiar with the ring and the obstacles prior to entering the short and long track classes without any concern for time or placings.

#### **Short Track:**

The Short Track Class will comprise of approximately 30 - 40% of the efforts over natural obstacles. This class will begin and end in the sand ring however it will exit onto the cross-country grass field for some obstacles.

Ribbons will be awarded to sixth place.

# Long Track:

In the Long Track Class approximately 40-50% of the efforts will be over natural obstacles and natural terrain including possible water, ditches and hills as appropriate for the level. This class will begin in the sand ring and will end out on the grass cross-country field. Ribbons will be awarded to sixth place.

#### **Divisions:**

Champion and Reserve Champion ribbons will be awarded at the completion of each division.

Champion and reserve will be based on the long and short track placings and placing in the long track will be weighted heavier than the short track in the event of a tie.

#### CLASSES THAT ARE PART OF THE NATIONAL CAPITAL DERBY SERIES INCLUDE:

Class # 9 (2'3") Long Track

Class # 12, (2'6") Long Track

Class # 15 (2'9") Long Track

Class # 18 (3'0") Long Track

Class # 21 (3'3") Long Track