SSRC RULES on TACK AND TURNOUT

The BRC official rulebook lists the full set of rules relating to tack and turnout (dress) when at a competition. The majority of these rules are written with the rider's safety in mind. It is the responsibility of the Member to ensure that their dress and saddlery are in accordance with the rules when riding at training clinics.

Please ensure your tack is clean and in a good state of repair i.e.. stitching is safe and secure. Stirrups are the correct size etc

Please ensure your tack is the correct size for your horse/pony

Hats, must be worn at all times when mounted with a chinstrap fastened and adjusted so as to prevent movement of the hat in the event of a fall. Please ensure you are wearing protective headgear in accordance with the rules ** See 2016 new rules on hats**

Hats must be replaced after a severe impact as subsequent protection will be significantly reduced.

In the interests of safety please ensure that your hair is neatly secured and not hanging lower than your shoulder line when standing normally.

The BRC ruling on jewellery is that any item of jewellery or alternative medical treatment wrist band must be covered up by clothing or gloves, if they cannot be removed, at the riders own risk. Sleepers in ears or any other part of the body must be removed. These items have in the past caused injuries following falls.

Body protectors and air jackets must be worn in accordance with their individual manufacturers' guidelines. Body protectors are mandatory for any cross country clinics and highly recommended for show jumping clinics.

Riding boots either long or jodhpurs boots with gaiters must be worn. They should be of the correct fit for the rider and the stirrup. In the interest of safety no other footwear is permitted i.e. wellington boots, leisure shoes or boots.

No electronic devices or head cams may be worn.

PLEASE ABIDE BY THE BRC RULES

THANK YOU

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