

Newbold Verdon Equestrian Centre Cross Country Rules and Policies

- 1) All riders to have read the rules and policies and by booking online agree to the terms.
- 2) All riders to take someone on foot with them with a working mobile phone in case of an emergency.
- 3) Riders asked to warm up around the cross country fences so that they are aware of the fences with ditches and the lay out of the course.
- 4) Riders must keep red flags on the right and white flags to the left.
- 5) Riders to warm up over smaller fences before moving onto larger fences.
- 6) Use of the facility may not be exclusive, others may be using the course at the same time.
- 7) Be aware we do full time grounds staff and machinery on site that moves in and around the farm track. They will be as careful as possible to not alarm your horse, please let them know if your horse is likely to be alarmed.
- 8) Horses are not to be tied to the outside of horse boxes at any time and there is to be absolutely no hay nets, please clear up any mess.
- 9) No dogs allowed on site.
- 10) Do not attempt to jump a fence which is beyond your or your horses' ability.
- 11) Any damages must be reported and paid for.
- 12) Skull cap hard hats and body protectors must be worn at all times and must conform to the current British standard and suitable boots for riding.
- 13) If there is a loose horse on the course, all riders stand still until it has been caught.
- 14) Only one rider to jump a fence at a time.
- 15) All riders and anyone connected with them, in any way, attend at their own risk while on the NVEC premises and the owners of NVEC, their staff or anyone connected to NVEC cannot be held responsible for any accident, loss or damage to themselves, their horses, people on foot or possessions while they are on NVEC premises.