

# Great Bookham Shows 2009

## Dressage, Show Jumping & Minis Schedule

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To get all the up-to-date information, download schedules and entry forms, enter on-line and join GBEC Club go to [www.gbec.info](http://www.gbec.info). Clinics scheduled throughout the year, see website for details.

### April

**19 Sun Dressage** Unaffiliated dressage classes from Intro to Elementary.

**26 Sun Show Jumping** Unaffiliated show jumping competitions & clear round.

### May

**6 Wed Dressage & Clear Round** Unaffiliated dressage afternoon/evening and clear round show jumping.

**23 Sat Show Jumping** Unaffiliated show jumping competitions & clear round.

**27 Wed Mini Challenge & Dressage & Clear Round** Special event for juniors, followed by open unaffiliated dressage afternoon/evening and clear round show jumping.

### June

**7 Sun Open Show** Showing, show jumping & dressage. Details on [www.gbec.info](http://www.gbec.info) / separate schedule.

**17 Wed Dressage & Clear Round** Unaffiliated dressage afternoon/evening and clear round show jumping.

**21 Sun Open Show** Welsh Pony & Cob Assoc. show [www.sewpca.co.uk](http://www.sewpca.co.uk)

**28 Sun Show Jumping** Unaffiliated show jumping competitions & clear round.

### July

**8 Wed Dressage & Clear Round** Unaffiliated dressage afternoon/evening and clear round show jumping.

**19 Sun Open Show** Showing, show jumping & dressage, and fun dog show. Details on [www.gbec.info](http://www.gbec.info) / separate schedule.

**29 Wed Mini Challenge & Dressage & Clear Round** Special event for juniors, followed by open unaffiliated dressage afternoon/evening and clear round show jumping.

### August

**9 Sun Show Jumping** Unaffiliated show jumping competitions & clear round.

**19 Wed Mini Challenge & Dressage & Clear Round** Special event for juniors, followed by open unaffiliated dressage afternoon/evening and clear round show jumping.

### September

**6 Sun Open Show & Dressage Championships** Romeo Dressage Championships, showing, show jumping & open dressage, and fun dog show. Details on [www.gbec.info](http://www.gbec.info) / separate schedule.

**26 & 27 Sat & Sun Sunshine Tour** Championships of dressage, show jumping and showing competitions. Lots of championship classes for all levels of rider. Huge prize fund! Details [www.sunshinetour.co.uk](http://www.sunshinetour.co.uk)

GBEC Club members receive **5% discount** throughout 2009 on purchases at Surrey Equestrian.

Visualise Photography attend all GBEC weekend events in 2009 [www.ivisualise.com](http://www.ivisualise.com) 07850 352806

*GBEC would like to express our grateful thanks to Jan Boulting for her never ending generosity supporting GBEC shows in loving memory of her beautiful horse Romeo.*

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## ROMEO UNAFFILIATED DRESSAGE SERIES

**Romeo Championships:** Special awards for Intro, Prelim & Novice Champion, Series Champion, Junior Rider, Veteran Horse and Ex-Racehorse.

### **Sun 19 April (day) Qualifiers for Romeo Champs, Sunshine Tour, Hickstead & Oldenraig.**

Class 1 BD Intro B  
Class 2 GBEC Walk & Trot 1  
Class 3 Prelim 7  
Class 4 Prelim 18  
Class 5 Novice 25  
Class 6 A&B A: Novice 27 B: Elem 44

### **Wed 6 May (pm/eve) Qualifiers for Romeo Champs, Sunshine Tour & Oldenraig.**

Class 7 BD Intro A  
Class 8 Prelim 10  
Class 9 Prelim 14  
Class 10 A&B A: Novice 20 B: Elem 50

### **Wed 27 May (pm/eve) Qualifiers for Romeo Champs, Sunshine Tour & Oldenraig.**

Class 11 GBEC Walk & Trot 2  
Class 12 Prelim 1  
Class 13 Prelim 13  
Class 14 A&B A: Novice 34 B: Elem 42

### **Sun 7 June (day) Part of Open Show**

Class BD B BD Intro B  
Class GBEC 3 GBEC Walk & Trot 3  
Class P4 Prelim 4  
Class P18 Prelim 18  
Class N36 / E49 A: Novice 36 B: Elem 49

### **Wed 17 June (pm/eve) Qualifiers for Romeo Champs, Sunshine Tour, Hickstead & Oldenraig.**

Class 15 GBEC Walk & Trot 1  
Class 16 Prelim 7  
Class 17 Prelim 12  
Class 18 A&B A: Novice 28 B: Elem 50

### **Wed 8 July (pm/eve) Qualifiers for Romeo Champs, Sunshine Tour & Hickstead.**

Class 19 BD Intro A  
Class 20 Prelim 1  
Class 21 Prelim 14  
Class 22 A&B A: Novice 27 B: Elem 44

### **Sun 19 July (day) Part of Open Show**

Class BD A BD Intro A  
Class GBEC 2 GBEC Walk & Trot 2  
Class P4 Prelim 4  
Class P13 Prelim 13  
Class N26 / E42 A: Novice 26 B: Elem 42

### **Wed 29 July (pm/eve) Qualifiers for Romeo Champs, Sunshine Tour & Hickstead.**

Class 23 GBEC Walk & Trot 3  
Class 24 Prelim 7  
Class 25 Prelim 10  
Class 26 A&B A: Novice 25 B: Elem 49

### **Wed 19 Aug (pm/eve) Qualifiers for Romeo Champs, Sunshine Tour, Hickstead & Oldenraig.**

Class 27 GBEC Walk & Trot 1  
Class 28 Prelim 1  
Class 29 Prelim 12  
Class 30 A&B A: Novice 20 B: Elem 44

### **Sun 6 Sept (day) Part of Open Show including Romeo Championship Finals**

Class BD A BD Intro A (open)  
Class BD B BD Intro B (championship)  
Class P18 Prelim 18 (open)  
Class P15 Prelim 15 (championship)  
Class N36 A&B Novice 36 (A: open B: champ)  
Class E50 Elem 50 (open)

**Sat 26 & Sun 27 September (day) Sunshine Tour Championships** - see separate schedule or [www.sunshinetour.co.uk](http://www.sunshinetour.co.uk) for class details

### **DRESSAGE TRAINING**

**New to dressage?** Take advantage of our training opportunities for novice riders on Wednesday afternoons 27 May, 29 July & 19 August. Ride a test of your choice and discuss your result with the judge. Invaluable feedback for competition preparation. See Minis page for further details.

**GBEC Dressage Series generously sponsored by**  
**Surrey Equestrian & NAF**  
[www.surreyequestrian.co.uk](http://www.surreyequestrian.co.uk) & [www.naf-uk.com](http://www.naf-uk.com)

## Great Bookham Equestrian Centre DRESSAGE INFORMATION

**How to Enter:** By post, on-line at [www.gbec.info](http://www.gbec.info) with on-line payment or GBEC Club members can phone, post, fax or email entries without payment and pay on the day of competition.

**Entry Fees:** £11 per test, GBEC liveries £10. Late entry £14. Last minute entries sometimes possible (online payment required), please phone 07957 224205. Championship entry fee £14 per test.

**Tests:** If insufficient entries, tests may be combined and judged on percentage.

**Closing Dates:** For eve competitions - Friday prior: For weekends - Tuesday prior to competition.

**ENTRIES TAKEN IN ORDER OF RECEIPT - please note classes can fill before closing date.**

**Times:** 01372 451458 from 2 - 6 pm, [www.gbec.info](http://www.gbec.info) from 6.30 pm onwards. For evening competitions phone on Monday prior (even if it's a bank holiday!), for weekend competitions phone on Thursday prior.

**Withdrawals:** Competitors withdrawing **BEFORE CLOSING DATE** may transfer to another event. Refunds can only be given on receipt of a vet's or doctor's certificate (less a small admin charge).

**Surfaces:** All tests are run on outdoor sand/rubber surfaces, warm up is on grass or indoor.

**Test Sheets:** BD Intro, Prelim, Novice & Elementary tests from [www.dressagediagrams.com](http://www.dressagediagrams.com) or British Dressage, GBEC Walk & Trot tests available from [www.gbec.info](http://www.gbec.info).

**Restrictions:** All classes are open, any horse & rider combination may compete and will be eligible for placings and prizes. Restrictions noted here are for qualification to Championships.

### QUALIFIERS 2009

**Romeo Championships:** Popular unaffiliated dressage championship for Intro, Prelim & Novice. Section winners are awarded £50 cash, trophy, sash & prize, also trophies for best junior rider, best veteran horse, best ex-racehorse and series points winner, plus loads of other **prizes presented by Surrey Equestrian & NAF**. Intro and Prelim: Horses not to have any BD points and not to be competing at BE Novice level or above. Novice: less than 20 BD points on day of championship. All: BD Riders in Group 1 - 6 or professional riders not eligible. 1st-6th qualifies for Championship at GBEC on 6 September 2009.

**Sunshine Tour:** Qualifiers held throughout the South-East for this fantastic unaffiliated championship at Great Bookham on 26 & 27 September 2009. Championship classes from Intro to Elementary, with novice and open sections. 1st-6th qualifies. Intro and Prelim: neither horse/pony nor rider to have earned any British Dressage points. Novice: not more than 20 BD points. Elementary: not more than 40 BD points.

More details on Sunshine Tour at [www.sunshinetour.co.uk](http://www.sunshinetour.co.uk).

**Southern England Unaffiliated Winter Championships** at Oldencraig Equestrian Centre on 11 July 2009 for Prelim, Novice, Elementary & Advanced. Prelim: Horse must have less than 20 BD points. Riders in Group 1 - 6 only eligible for Elementary & Advanced championships. 1st-3rd qualifies. Qualifiers held Aug onwards qualify for 2010 champs. [www.oldencraig.com](http://www.oldencraig.com)

**South East Region Championships** at Hickstead showground on 30 & 31 May 2009 for Prelim, Novice & Elementary. Prelim: Horse must have less than 20 BD points. Riders in Group 1 - 5 only eligible for Elementary championships. 1st & 2nd qualifies. Qualifiers held after 1st May will qualify for 2010 champs.

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## Great Bookham Equestrian Centre CLEAR ROUND JUMPING EVENINGS

In the Main Ring on Wednesdays 6 May, 27 May, 17 June, 8 July, 29 July, 19 August

5.00pm	2' / 60cm
6 - 6.30pm	2'3" / 65cm
7 - 7.30pm	2'6" / 75cm
8.00pm	2'9" / 85cm and above

All times are approximate. Entry fee £5 per round. Tickets sold at ringside. Number strictly limited. Height of jumps might be raised earlier or later than published, according to demand.

**Great Bookham Equestrian Centre**  
**UNAFFILIATED SHOW JUMPING**  
**Saturday 26 April, Sundays 23 May, 28 June & 9 August**

**QUALIFIERS 2009**

**Sunshine Tour** Exciting unaffiliated championships held at GBEC on 26 & 27 September 2009. Classes range from 1'6" to 3' with novice and open sections. 1st - 6th qualifies. [www.sunshinetour.co.uk](http://www.sunshinetour.co.uk).

**Championships of Great Britain** This fun weekend of championships takes place in August at the Wales & West Event Centre. Juniors and seniors, double clears qualify. [www.cricklands.com](http://www.cricklands.com).

**Shires South East Rider - New for 2009** Junior and senior riders placed 1st-10th in selected classes earn points to qualify for championship at Crofton Equestrian Centre in October. [www.redpinevents.co.uk](http://www.redpinevents.co.uk).

**MAIN RING**

**Class 1** 9.00am

**Minimus Jumping 2' / 60cm (open)**

Two-phase or single-phase. Qualifier: Sunshine Tour & Championships of Great Britain.

**Class 2 Small Novice Jumping 2'3" / 65cm**

Two-phase or single-phase. Qualifier: Sunshine Tour & Championships of Great Britain.

**Class 3 Novice Jumping 2'6" / 75cm**

Two-phase or single-phase. Qualifier: Sunshine Tour, Championships of Great Britain & Shires South East Rider.

**Class 4 Intermediate Jumping 2'9" / 85cm**

Table A7 or two-phase. Qualifier: Sunshine Tour, Championships of Great Britain & Shires South East Rider.

**Class 5 Small Open Jumping 3' / 90cm**

Table A7 or two-phase. Qualifier: Sunshine Tour, Championships of Great Britain & Shires South East Rider.

**Class 6 Open Jumping 1m / 3'3"**

Two-phase competition. Qualifier: Sunshine Tour & Championships of Great Britain. Minimum 5 entries to run class.

**SECOND RING**

**9.00am Clear Round Jumping** - Tickets sold at ringside.

**2' / 60cm; to follow 2'3" / 70cm; to follow 2'6" / 75cm; to follow 2'9" / 85cm.**

**Class 7** 1.00pm

**Absolute Minimus & Junior Jumping 1'6" / 45cm (restricted)**

Two-phase or single-phase competition. May be assisted. Restricted to absolute novice/nervous competitors and horse/pony. Horse and rider combinations in this class may not compete in main ring on the same day. Qualifier for Sunshine Tour.

**Class 8 Minimus & Junior Jumping 1'9" / 50cm (restricted)**

As above. Qualifier for Sunshine Tour.

**Class 9 Absolute Novice Jumping 2' / 60cm (restricted)**

As above. Qualifier for Sunshine Tour.

**ENTRY FEES** Classes: 1-4 £9; 5&6 £10; 7-9 £7. First Aid £3 per rider. Entries on the day £2 extra. Clear Round £5 on the day.

**Surrey Equestrian & Baileys Horse Feeds**  
[www.surreyequestrian.co.uk](http://www.surreyequestrian.co.uk) [www.baileyshorsefeeds.co.uk](http://www.baileyshorsefeeds.co.uk)  
are Sponsors of GBEC Show Jumping

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## MINI CHALLENGES

Wednesdays 27 May, 29 July & 19 August

Have-a-go & fun classes for junior riders.

### DRESSAGE

**Class 1 A&B** Times depend on demand Pony Club D Level 1, Pony Club C Level 2, BD Intro B or Prelim 18. Ride your chosen test and receive valuable feedback from judge on sheet or via discussion. This class is also open to novice adult riders.

Entry fee: A: £5 or B: with discussion £8

### SHOW JUMPING

**Class 2** 12.30 - 5pm

**Clear Round Jumping starting at 1'6"/45cm**

Height raised gradually to 2'9" / 85cm. Can be led, assisted & encouraged!

Entry fee: £5

### CROSS COUNTRY

**Class 3** Starts at 1pm

**Clear Round Cross Country starting at 1'9"/50cm**

Knock-down and portable cross country fences venturing from the ring into a second field suitable for the not-so-tall, not-so-fit or not-so-sure! Helpers and encouragement welcome. Height raised gradually to 2'6".

Entry Fee: £5

**GYMKHANA** from 2pm. Classes may vary throughout the season according to demand and popularity!

#### Lead Rein & Novice

- Class 4** Walk & Trot Race
- Class 5** Bonkers Bendy Race
- Class 6** Egg 'Em On Race
- Class 7** Wet & Wild Relay Race

Entry fee: 4 lead rein classes £7

#### Open Section

- Class 8** Straight Up & Down
- Class 9** Fastest 6 Legs Race
- Class 10** Wet & Wild
- Class 11** Bonkers Bendy Race
- Class 12** Stepping Stones
- Class 13** Dress 'Em Up

Entry fee: 6 open classes £10

**Class 14** Bucket Elimination Entry Fee £3

#### HANDY PONY

**Class 15 & Class 16** 3-5pm

#### Handy Pony Challenge

Try your hand at the timed obstacle & trec course. Have as many goes as you like, fastest clear wins. Class 15 for 14.2hh and under. Class 16 for 14.3hh and over.

Entry Fee: £5

**First Aid contribution per rider £3. Entries taken in advance & on the day (same entry price), numbers of entries might be limited in all classes.**

# Great Bookham Equestrian Centre

## RULES AND CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. The organisers of these events have taken all 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 organisers / instructors.
2. Participants, or their parents/guardians if rider is under 18 years, must consider themselves competent to complete the activity for which they are entering. It is not the responsibility of the organisers to decide if a competitor is competent or their mount is suitable for the class. If the judge deems any rider or horse to be unsuitable / unsafe to participate they will be asked to leave immediately and no refund will be given.
3. Vet & Farrier - Mayes & Scrine Equine Veterinary Practice are on call. No farrier is on site or specifically on call for these events.
4. Great Bookham Equestrian Centre, the organisers, their representatives or helpers do not accept liability for injury, damage or loss suffered by spectators, competitors, their horses, grooms, friends, vehicles or property however caused and under any circumstances except proven negligence of the organisers.
5. **Hard hats:** Correctly fitting riding hat complying with current safety standards **and safe footwear must be worn whilst mounted.** Body protectors must be worn for cross country and are strongly recommended for show jumping.
6. Horses must be 4 years old or over to be eligible to compete in ridden classes. Animals deemed to be sick or lame will not be allowed to compete or be ridden on the showground and a refund will not be given. Stallions are welcome provided they are displaying appropriate tail ribbons, are well behaved and not causing a nuisance or danger to other competitors or their horses.
7. We reserve the right to cancel or alter any part or the whole of the schedule at any time.
8. **The judge's decision is final.** Any objections must be brought to the organiser's attention on the day of competition and we will make every effort to resolve problems. Formal objections should be lodged with the secretary within 30 minutes of the incident accompanied by a £30 deposit.
9. Prize money is given at a rate of 1 prize per 5-10 competitors. In the event of insufficient entries some prizes will be withheld. Additional prizes may be added according to sponsorship.
10. A vet's or doctor's certificate may be required for a refund of entry fees.
11. Bad weather—If weather or ground conditions are poor it is the responsibility of competitors to confirm that events are running by ringing 01372 451458 or 07957 224205 the evening before or morning of each competition. Every effort will be made to re-schedule, but in the event of a competition being cancelled, entry fees minus a small administration charge will be refunded.
12. It is the responsibility of all participants to clear up their rubbish and debris and leave the showground fit for grazing. **Please do not leave your rubbish behind on the showground.**
13. **All dogs must be kept on a lead at all times.** Owners who allow their dogs to run loose on the showground will be required to remove them from the premises immediately.
14. Any queries telephone 01372 451458 or 07957 224205.