

DARTMOOR HILL PONY CHAMPIONSHIP, RIDDEN, 2018.

Please note: ONLY PART OF THE COURSE IS TIMED..

1. Unhitch pole from A, ride through between A and B. and hitch pole back on A.  
TIME STARTS AS YOU LIFT POLE FROM A.
2. RIDE UP AND DOWN LINE OF CONES, at a walk. 10 secs added for each knock on cone.
3. Trot/canter over white pole, ADULTS TWO FOOT JUMP, JUNIORS POLE ON GROUND. 10 secs added for knockdown/touch.

TIME STOPS AS PONY PASSES LARGE CONE B

4. Walk from X to WOOD SQUARE, AND HALT with the pony's front legs in the square. HALT IMMOBILE for three seconds. Judge will count aloud, 10 MARKS FOR IMMOBILITY, marks deducted for moving before time up.
5. Walk to SEASAW, and walk over it, 10 marks for walking over with no hesitation, marks deducted if pony reluctant, or NO MARKS if does not approach Seesaw.
6. DISMOUNT and lead over to MOUNTING BLOCK. Stand on lowest step, FACING your pony. and tie ribbon on forelock. Ribbon provided. 10 marks for steadiness of pony. Marks deducted for movement of head.
7. Bring pony up alongside mounting block, and mount. Pony must stand immobile until rider has put both feet in stirrups, picked up reins, and given signal to move forward. 10 marks awarded.
8. REVERSE through HURDLES. PLEASE NOTE: there will be empty plastic water carriers on HURDLES. 10 marks added.
9. TROT back to entrance, and reverse procerure from start, UNHITCH pole from A, ride through between A and B, HITCH pole back on A.

GOOD LUCK!!!!

At the end the marks are added up, and the time is deducted from the marks, with the sum of ten seconds will deduct one mark from the total. e.g. A pony taking 120 seconds to complete timed section could have 12 marks deducted from a possible score of 50.