

# Summer Series Class Specifications

## Hunter & Equitation Class Specifications

**Leadline Equitation:** Open to riders 7 years old and under. Martingales permitted. May not cross enter into any classes involving cantering and/ or jumping.

**Pre-Short Stirrup Equitation:** Division open to riders 10 years old and under. Martingales permitted. May not cross enter into any classes involving cantering and/ or jumping.

**Short Stirrup Equitation:** Open to riders 12 years and under. Jumps may not exceed 18". Riders not allowed to cross enter into classes where they would jump over 18". Courses may be trotted

**Open Hunter Pleasure, Open Equitation, Low Hunter, Schooling Hunter, Working Hunter:** Open to horses and ponies. No restrictions on riders. Martingales not permitted.

## Jumper Class Specifications

**Puddle Jumper, Low Jumper, Schooling Jumper, Modified Jumper:** Open to horses and ponies. No restrictions on riders.

### **JP143 Table II– Classes scored on Faults and Time:**

#### **Timed 1st Round (Sec. 1)**

The first round is decided by adding together the faults incurred over the course and any penalties for exceeding the Time Allowed. Horses with clean rounds or equal faults are classified according to their time taken to complete the course.

#### **Power & Speed (Sec 2) (c)**

The first phase to consist of 8 to 10 jumping efforts and the second phase (immediate jump-off) of 5 to 7 jumping efforts. Scores are decided by adding together the faults incurred over the course and any penalties for exceeding the Time Allowed if any. If a competitor has gone clean in the first round, he will, upon crossing the finish line, commence the designated jump-off course. Time starts as the horse crosses the finish line for the initial course. If there are no clean rounds and a tie exists for first place, there will be one jump-off, in which time will decide in the event of equality of faults. The use of a Time Allowed is optional in the first round. The Time Allowed in the first round may be taken by electronic or manual means.

### **JP146 TABLE IV– Optimum Time Classes:**

In the case of equality of faults, ties will be broken on the following basis: an "Optimum Time" (defined as 4 seconds less than the Time Allowed for the course) will be posted on the course plan; the horse with the time on course closest to this Optimum Time (over or under) will prevail in the time, next closest next, etc.

#### **Timed Jump-Off (Sec 2) (b)**

The first round and first jump-off, if any, are decided by adding together the faults incurred over the course and any penalties for exceeding the Time Allowed. If a competitor has gone clean in the first round, the competitor will, without leaving the ring, upon an audible signal, commence the designated jump-off course.