

Three Year Old Loose Show Jumping Performance Championship Irish Breeders Classic Qualifier Application Form Venue; Qualifier to be held @ Goresbridge Horse Sales Complex Date: Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> August 2020
Final to be held @ the Irish Breeders Classic Show

## **Applicant/Owner Information Required:**

Name:

**Contact Number:** 

Address: E-Mail:

#### **Horse Information Required:**

Registered Name: Date of Birth: Studbook origin:

**UELN No:** 

Sire: Dam:

Sire of Dam:

Click on link to 3yr old entry form at www.irishbreedersclassic.com

Entry fee €30 per horse. Payment to be sent to the Irish Breeders Classic, bank details below:

BIC: AIBKIE2D IBAN: IE27AIBK93364314267079

Payment details should include details of horse name/owner.

No late entries or entries on the day will be accepted.

# **Rules**

The judges will qualify a maximum of 15 horses. Should any qualified horse withdraw from this class; a reserve horse from the qualifying venue will be invited to compete at the Final.

Any owner who has not entered and paid for their animal by 30<sup>th</sup> July @ 5pm will automatically be replaced by a reserve horse. It is the responsibility of the owner to enter their animal by the due date for the qualifier. Selection or non-selection of horses at each venue is totally at the judges' discretion.

Horse Passports must be available for inspection by judges at the qualifiers and the Final. In the interest of safety in the collecting rings at the Show, stallions will compete first. Owners are advised to ensure that their entry is presented by a competent handler and appropriately tacked with a bridle and bit. This class will run as per a specific drawn order and will be notified of their times before the event.

#### **Tack**

Horses to be presented in a Simple Snaffle bit (as defined by FEI rules) and Chiffney (if required).

Stallions should be appropriately tacked with an in-hand bridle with bit and a leather lead shank of a minimum length of 12ft. Double bridles are not permitted. No hind boots or bandages permitted.

### **Qualification**

One qualifying venue has been selected, Goresbridge Horse Sales, 13<sup>th</sup> August 2020. Top 15 horses will come forward to the Final at the Irish Breeders Classic show.

#### <u>Judging</u>

- 20 points Conformation (Correctness, quality of legs, condition)
- 30 points Canter (Correct, elastic, regular through a swinging back, length of stride, balance, self-carriage and lightness)
- 20 points Technique (Use of head, neck and shoulders, suppleness of back, open/tight haunches)
- 20 points Scope (Ability of horse to jump with upward power and forward direction)
- 10 points Reflexes (Quickness of reflexes)
- 10 points Attitude (Brain, temperament, train-ability)

Total 110 points

Economy of effort in jumping will be rewarded. No points for un-natural and exaggerated performances. In the event of a tie, the horse with the highest score for 'Technique' will be the winner.

Horses may be called back into the arena to jump a bigger fence before the final adjudication at the judge's discretion.

## <u>Fences</u>

A 'Grid' consisting of three obstacles will be provided.

#### **Awards & Prizes**

€2,500

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