



# Central TREC Group: Moulton College Equestrian Centre Arena TREC Series 2023-24

## GENERAL COMPETITION INFO

We are in the outdoor arena for this month's competition and there may be another event in the indoor, so please make sure that you come to the right place. It also means you need to dress for the weather.

Please come forwards promptly for your time to complete MA and also PTV rounds. We will have the MA running alongside the obstacles so please be considerate to those competing in either phase. Courses will be available for walking between classes – please be ready to walk as soon as the last horse has finished their round (we number all the morning courses before we start and all the afternoon courses at lunchtime, unless we are able to number them all at once at the start of the day).

We don't expect that the café will be open on Sunday, so please bring enough food and refreshments with you for your stay at Moulton.

- Please ensure that your vehicle is locked when you are not with it.
- Please park in the area marked on arial photograph. Please clear up all droppings and spilt hay – we are using a car parking area so need to leave it as we found it. There is no muck heap nearby so please take muck home with you.
- Please ensure that you arrive in time for your round to minimise the risk of over running.
- The collecting ring is small (approx 20x20m), but with space to stand on the concrete and access walkway as well as the grass areas so please be considerate of others. If you are just spectating or chatting please do that in the walkway and grass areas and leave the surfaced area free for those warming up.
- The MA will be done first, followed by your PTV round for the TREC GB classes. Please report to the judge at the arena ready to start your MA at your start time.
- Those doing classes with just PTV should report straight to the PTV area slightly before their start time.
- In the warm up area please abide by the rules of the school passing left shoulder to left. Please do not enter the MA area until you are called.
- Rosettes will be available to collect usually by the end of the class following. Please collect your rosettes and sheets on the day or arrange for a friend to do so. We do not plan to post any rosettes out, however, if you would like to have any rosettes posted please leave a sufficiently large stamped addressed envelope (marked with rider name and class numbers) at the trailer. Otherwise, rosettes will be retained for use at other competitions.
- **Any problems on the day please contact Helen Martin 07979 594665 or Mary Weston 07712 557721**
- Please note that for Arena TREC competitions timing of rounds needs to be controlled in order to avoid serious delay to the day. Each competitor has a time slot in the arena which is shown on the plan for that class. Time penalties will be incurred if you exceed the time allowed and, if you are taking a particularly long time, it is at the judges' discretion to ask you to leave the arena after your

time is up.

- If you would like your results to be included in the National TREC GB league, then it is a requirement that you are a member of TREC GB by the end of the day of the competition in which you are competing. You can join on the day via the TREC GB website [www.trecgb.com](http://www.trecgb.com).
- **You need to be a CTG member, or member of another TREC GB club to be insured to ride.**
- All morning courses will be numbered from the start of the day and all afternoon courses will be numbered after lunch. The heading for your class's start times is colour co-ordinated with the numbers that will be used for your class. Please check on course walk that you can see how to get from one obstacle to the next, do not enter any other obstacle in order to pass from one to the next (with the exception of bending if it is across the arena).

### **OBSTACLE LIST**

- Please see <https://trecgb.com/obstacle-data-sheets/> for the current obstacle rules, at the bottom is the link to the temporary local obstacle sheets – of which we are using a number in this competition – please take a look at the rules in advance as we will not have a notice board at the venue.

The obstacles being used are:

<b>Moulton 4</b>	Ridden	Led	Scoring guidelines sheet required
Bending	Y	Y	Gait
Corridor	Y	Y	Gait
Ditch		Y	Style
Fallen branches	Y		Local
Gate	Y		Style
Immobility	Y		Time
Jump	Y	Y	Style
Kilnhanger Steps	Y	Y	Local
Low Branches	Y	Y	Gait
Mount Nearside from block			Style
Mount Offside (from ground)			Style
Neck Rein	Y		Style
Rein Back	Y	Y	Style
Roundabout	Y		Gait
S Bend	Y	Y	Style
Side pass		Y	Local
Ticket punch	Y		Style
Water Crossing	Y	Y	Style

- Please note that there will be 4 different coloured numbers used through the day. The headings on the start times correspond with the colour of numbers for each class.
- If there is demand, there will be a guided course walk before the In hand and Newcomers classes to explain the rules. Please speak to any volunteer/judge to express an interest in this.

### **Horse health**

If your horse is showing any signs of ill health please do not bring it.

## Directions

Venue Address

Moulton College Equestrian Centre  
4, Pitsford Centre  
Pitsford Rd  
Moulton  
NN3 7QL

Please note there is traffic calming in the village of Moulton so try and avoid it when planning your route.

Enter the college at Gate 4 – it has two modern gate houses flanking it.

The orange and red dashed lines are vehicle routes and the green arrows show the quickest route for horses and people on foot from the parking area to the arena.

## Venue Plan

