

### **Qualifying Path to the Aintree Indoor Championships**

### **Second Round & Direct Qualifiers**

### Eligibility & Qualifying:

- Eligible horses/ ponies can only start at a maximum of 3 of the qualifying shows. Any horse/pony that competes at any more than three will have their results disqualified from that entire show.
- The top 8 combinations in each of these qualifiers will qualify for the final, (see schedule wording for full qualification details).
- Bronze and Silver league classes are direct entry qualifiers (no pre-qualification required) but please check eligibility wording in schedules.
- 128cm qualifier, 138cm qualifier and Pony Showjumper of the Year qualifiers remain as direct entry qualifiers with no pre-qualification required
- Talent seekers and Grade C qualifiers remain as direct entry qualifiers with no prequalification required
- Due to the COVID-19 interruption in the calendar, only three double clears will be required for this year's second rounds. This applies for British Novice, Discovery, Newcomers and Foxhunter qualification across both Juniors and Seniors.
- For this year's second rounds only: Those that would normally run under table A8 will be run under table A10

## Qualifying Show Venues & Dates:

# 2nd Rounds: Talent Seekers, Speedibeet Grade C, Equitop Myoplast Senior Foxhunter & Lord & Lady Senior Newcomers:

Wales & West Shows (29 – 31 August) Pyecombe Horse Show(28 – 29 August) Royal Highland Show (29 – 31 August) Weston Lawns Equitation Show (12 – 13 September) Bicton Arena (12 – 13 September) Arena UK (26 – 27 September)

# Direct Qualifiers: NAF Five Star Bronze League, NAF Five Star Silver League 2nd Rounds: Equissage Senior British Novice: Nupafeed Supplements Senior Discovery:

Cherwell Competition Centre (29 – 31 August) Field House (5-6 September) SNEC (12 – 13 September) Chard Equestrian Centre (18 – 20 September) Addington Equestrian Centre (22 – 24 September) South View Equestrian Centre (26 – 27 September)

## Pony qualifying shows:

Direct Qualifiers: Pony Showjumper of the Year, British Showjumping 128cm Qualifier, British Showjumping 138cm Qualifier 2nd Rounds: Junior British Novice, Junior Discovery, Blue Chip Junior Newcomers, Junior Foxhunter

Onley (29 – 1 September) Bury Farm (5 – 6 September) South View (5 – 6 September) Vale View (12 – 13 September) Wales & West (19 – 20 September) Muirmill (26 – 27 September)

NB. The qualifiers due to take place in Scotland and Wales are subject to the easing of COVID-19 restrictions and we are working with Sportscotland and Sport Wales to try and move this forwards.