

# CLASSIFICATION FOR PARA POINTS LEAGUES PARA EQUESTRIAN SHOW JUMPING



## **GRADE I**

# Points awarded in 70cm Para Classes

Most impaired Para Equestrian jumpers who would be very disadvantaged in mainstream events. They would be challenged by height, complexities, and technicality of mainstream courses. PROFILES ,8, 9,10,11, 12b, 14, 17a, 18a, 27, 31a, 31b, 32.

## **GRADE II**

# Points awarded in 80cms Para classes

Impaired Para Equestrian jumpers who would be disadvantaged in mainstream events. Height of fences slightly increased and a more demanding course can be used for these riders.

PROFILES 15, 17b, 18b, 21, 26a, 28, 19a.

#### **GRADE III**

## Points awarded in 90cms Para classes

Slightly impaired Para Equestrian jumpers who would be disadvantaged in mainstream events. PROFILES 16, 19b, 20, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26b

## **GRADE IV**

# Points awarded in 70cms Para classes

Visually impaired riders who would be disadvantaged in mainstream events. PROFILES 36, 37a (Partially Visual and Total Visual Impairment)

**GRADE V J** Not eligible. PROFILES 37b, 29, 30, 38, 42

NB: The above Grades and Profiles are for classification purposes only, to be used in conjunction with the British Showjumping Para Equestrian Points League.

All Para Equestrian riders will be eligible to compete in mainstream showjumping competitions, which would include increased heights of fences. Para riders are also eligible to compete in OR above their grade (ie – a Grade I rider may compete as a Grade II or III rider, but a Grade III rider may not compete as a Grade II or I rider)

# THE FOLLOWING COMPENSATING AIDS ARE PERMITTED FOR PARA EQUESTRIAN JUMPING

TO ALLOW AN AID TO BE USED IN COMPETITION THE RIDER MUST PRODUCE ON ENTRY WITH THE SECRETARY, THEIR BRITISH SHOWJUMPING COMPENSATING AID CERTIFICATE DETAILING THE AIDS THAT HAVE BEEN PERMITTED FOR THAT RIDER. (The secretary will ensure the officials at the competition are notified).

- Rubber band to stirrups
- Strap from stirrup to girth
- 1 or 2 whips
- Callers may be mounted
- Looped reins