

SCARTEEN HUNT PONY CLUB

Short Format Event

Saturday 13th June 2009

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Scarteen House, Knocklong, Co. Limerick

- Phase One: Dressage
- Phase Two: **Jumping** (Derby track with approx 22 mixed SJ and XC style fences within 1200m)

CLASSES:

Junior (Dressage Test BD7) Intermediate (Dress Test BD28) Members / Sen. Assoc. (Dressage Test BD24)

Fence heights and qualifications as per PC Combined Training/Horse Trials rules and IPC Dressage and Cross Country Tack Sheets.

Entry Fee: €30. Contact your D.C. for form or visit our website to download: <u>www.scarteen.net</u>

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ENTRIES CLOSE MONDAY 8TH JUNE

Dressage Times available by phone and on website from Wednesday 10th June

What is Short Format Eventing?

This class is a progression of the established Combined Training Competitions (Dressage + Showjumping). The use of a Derby style track allows the inclusion of many cross country type fences within an enclosed area over a distance of approximately 1000m (roughly half the distance of a standard XC but with more fences). These fences include knockable rails which encourage accuracy and clean jumping, combined with the bravery to tackle water, ditches, drains etc. The result will also be influenced by a judge's mark given for **style** (meaning overall impression of the rider's ability to achieve a round showing judgement of pace, rhythm, balance and correct technique). This format is being developed from a similar class successful overseas and this is our second time running one at Scarteen. We welcome your input as always; please send your comments and suggestions to scarteenshortformat@topmail.ie.