

Fence Judges Training Session - and for those interested in scoring

**Saturday 10th March 2012 – 2pm to 4pm
At Fair Oak Cross Country Course, Rogate GU31 5HR**

This session is for all people who would like to learn more fence judging and cross country scoring at Riding Club cross country events

The training will cover:

1. Cross Country Scoring – Behind the Scenes of a Busy Cross Country Competition

- The do's and don't's of scoring when being a Fence Judge;
- Examples and effects of poor scoring;
- Computerised scoring and how it works

2 Your Job as a Cross Country Fence Judge

- What your responsibilities are as a Fence Judge;
- Defining jumping faults at your fence e.g. refusals;
- Coping with emergencies at your fence;
- Managing the flow of riders through your fence;

3. Fence Judge Equipment and Its Use

- The Fence Judge's equipment list;
- What equipment is used for and when;
- What equipment is NOT used for;
- Practice using radios and stop watches;

4 On-Course Jump Simulation

- Things to check when you arrive at your jump;
- Choosing the correct place to judge your fence;
- Defining jumping faults at simple and combination fences;
- Black flag routes;
- Dealing with emergencies at your fence

Please bring appropriate footwear and clothing for the final 'On-Course Jump Simulation' part of this afternoon, as this will take place outside at chosen jumps of the Fair Oak Cross Country Course.

This is **free** for all interested parties to attend. Places are offered on a first come, first served basis, and **you do not have to be a member of a riding club** to take part.

If you would like to attend, please send a reply to Laura Bleecker

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Please complete the information below (either by e-mail or post)

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NUMBER OF PEOPLE ATTENDING WITH YOU: