



Mid South Group Endurance GB **2019 Schedule of Events**



The Silver Gambler

Photo courtesy of Eric Jones

The 2019 Silver Gambler Accumulator Series 10

Pleasure rides open to members and non members of EGB

Distances from 8km (5 miles) to 32km (20 miles)

Open, Novice and Pony Club classes.

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SILVER GAMBLER ACCUMULATOR SERIES

HOW IT WORKS

EACH RIDE:

- *Uses the 'Rufus Scoring System' to award points to each rider based on heart rate & speed
- *The rider with the highest score in each class will be the winner
- *Placings to 3rd, Completion rosettes to all who finish the course

THE SERIES:

- *Adds together all the points from the Silver Gambler rides throughout the year with the highest score in each category being the winner

RIDE CLASSES AND DISTANCES

Distances are approximate, however the verified distance will be sent with your ride details, or available from Ride Organiser or Secretary by closing date. You may downgrade to a lower distance on the day.

RIDE CATEGORIES

PONY CLUB : Members of Pony Club only.

NOVICE : Non-members of EGB and Associate members of EGB. Members of EGB in which the horse and/or rider are competing at Novice level

OPEN: Members of EGB competing at Open/Advanced level

Please note you may stay at the level you started at for the whole series to qualify for Trophies etc

PAIRS CLASSES

Each Ride: Team up with a friend and your scores will be added together for placings
Ride Series: Team up with a friend for several rides and your scores will be added together to find a champion pair at the end of the series. Can be any combination of classes and categories.

NEW PLEASURE RIDE TROPHY FOR 2019

New for 2019, we are launching a Pleasure Ride Trophy Card. All Pleasure Rides run by Endurance GB, Mid South EGB and our neighbouring EGB groups can count towards your trophy score. Simply apply for a card, get it signed by the secretary on the day and send it back to us at the end of the year.

HOW TO ENTER

Visit our website and you can enter online at www.endurancegbmidsouth.co.uk
If you prefer postal entries, all the details of who to send these to are also on the website.

2019 MID SOUTH SCHEDULE

DATE	VENUE	EVENT	DETAILS
23/12/2018	Sparsholt	Xmas Pole Clinic	1hr Group polework lesson with Nadine Gregory
29/12/2018	Ocknell, New Forest	Festive Frolic Group Ride	8km & 22km route options, with mince pies and prize for best fancy dress! <i>*Silver Gambler Qualifier*</i>
11/01/2019	Andover	Goal Setting	Goal setting for the upcoming season and an excuse to be social!
18/01/2019	Ower	Goal Setting	Goal setting for the upcoming season and an excuse to be social!
20/01/2019	Andover	Flatwork Clinic	1hr Group flatwork clinic with Amy Blount
27/01/2019	Dummer, Basingstoke	Introduction to Endurance Day	An opportunity to ask questions and learn about endurance and how to get involved and how to improve. See Mid South EGB website.
01/02/2019	Hook	Goal Setting	Goal setting for the upcoming season and an excuse to be social!
02/02/2019	TBC	Pace setting and fitness	Mounted sessions with Maggie Pattinson (On the Hoof) to establish pace setting and control and improve fitness
03/03/2019	Ocknell, New Forest	New Forest Runway - NATIONAL RIDE	Distances up to 40km including GER's and PR's See Endurance GB website for details. <i>*Silver Gambler Qualifier*</i>
09/03/2019	Tilford	SE Group Pleasure Ride	South East group pleasure ride which will include <i>Silver Gambler qualifiers</i> See South East EGB website for details
11/05/2018	Waltham St Lawrence	Spring Fever Group Ride & Fitness Coaching	12 & 20km route options, see Mid South EGB website for further details <i>*Silver Gambler Qualifier*</i> & Mounted sessions with Maggie Pattinson (On the Hoof) to establish pace setting and control and improve fitness
15-16/06/2019	Rockbourne	Three Rivers – NATIONAL RIDE	Distances up to 80km and multi day rides including CER's, GER's and PR's See Endurance GB website for details. <i>*Silver Gambler Qualifier*</i>
29/06/2019	Medstead, Alton	Mid South Group BBQ	A little learning, plenty of food and lots of fun. Join us for our annual BBQ!
04/08/2019	Tilford	Summer Holiday Group Ride	16 & 32km route options, see Mid South EGB website for further details <i>*Silver Gambler Qualifier*</i>
13/10/2019	Brockenhurst, New Forest	New Forest Rufus – NATIONAL RIDE	Distances up to 80km including GER's and PR's See Endurance GB website for details. <i>*Silver Gambler Qualifier*</i>
Dec 2019 - TBC	West Meon	BAM & Awards Evening	See Mid South EGB website for details

RULES

- These competitions will be run under Endurance GB rules, available from www.endurancegb.co.uk and a copy will be available on site.
- A hard hat of the below standard must be worn with the chinstrap securely fastened.
- Hats bearing only the EN1384 or BSEN1384 standard will no longer be accepted.
- However, hats would be acceptable if they carry EN1384 or BSEN1384 and another standard such as those listed: • PAS 015 (1998 or 2011) • VG1 01.040 (2014-12) • ASTM F1163 (2004a or 04a onwards) • NELL E2001 • AS/NZS 3838 (2006 onwards)
- It is the rider's responsibility to ensure that their hats comply with the new standards.
- If riding footwear without a heel is worn, a suitable caged front to the stirrup must be fitted. Competitors may not ride in Wellington boots
- Whips may not exceed 75cm in length. Spurs and Side/Draw reins are not permitted.
- All riders under 13 years of age must be accompanied by an adult. No more than 2 juniors to one adult. Accompaniment may be mounted or on foot – no bikes.
- These rides are held with the kind permission of the Forestry Commission and private landowners. Please keep dogs under control at all times.
- The Organiser reserves the right to refuse entries or eliminate any rider on the grounds of bad behaviour or horse injury.
 - No entry fee will be refunded after the entry close date.
 - All horses/ponies must be 4 years old or over.
 - All competitors ride at their own risk

HELP

Helpers are hard to find and always appreciated so if you can't ride yourself or know someone who'd rather keep two feet on the ground, maybe you could spare a few hours. To say thank you we'll give you a £5 off voucher for a Silver Gambler ride for you or a friend to use next time.

Enquire about Mid South EGB Associate Membership, and save £5 on each entry!!



We look forward to seeing you soon!