

# Bicester and Warden Hill Hunt Branch



## Bignell Hunter Trials 2024 Tack Check List

- Hat** with **pink** coloured tag. No fixed peak allowed for XC jumps 80 cm and above and recommended for less than 80 cm. See [PC Rules](#) from page 24 – cross country section for full info including hat standards) Hat tagging available on the day.
- Hair** no long pony tails. Secured so that judges can see number bibs.
- Stirrups** there must be a minimum of 7 mm (1/4 inch) clearance either side of the boot. Boots must have a heel. No yard/muck boots. No magnetic stirrups.
- Saddlery** plain if possible but don't worry if it isn't.
- Spurs** allowed but must be blunt and 4 cm or less in length.
- Body Protectors** all competitors must wear a body protector to the following specification: **Blue label** 2018. Purple label 2009 are no longer accepted.



- Air Jackets** A body protector (with the above spec) must be worn under an air jacket.
- Whip** length must be 45 – 70 cm and **must be smooth and padded** with no binding less than 17 cm from the end of the pad.
- Medical Armband:** No longer compulsory unless you have a medical condition.
- Fly hoods, nose nets, ear covers** – all permitted but should be plain if possible. Titanium masks are not allowed.
- Martingales** running and standing allowed. Standing martingales must only be attached to the cavesson portion of the noseband – above the bit.
- Bit Guards** allowed (smooth rubber only).
- Blinkers** not allowed (unless they are sheepskin and no more than 3 cm in diameter).
- Bits** any normal riding bit is permitted.
- Hoof boots** not allowed.