

**Essex Fox Hounds Point to Point  
Peapack, NJ**

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**Sunday, April 13, 2003  
Post time 12:00**

**1<sup>st</sup> Race – Junior Pony Flat Races 12:00**

Pony races open to juniors who have not reached their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday as of 01/01/03.

Division 1 - small and medium ponies (1/4 mile). Division 2 - large ponies (1/2 mile).

Hunting attire or silks.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Race – Ladies Flat 12:30**

Approx. 1 mile. Catch weights. Lady riders (over 16 years) who have not ridden under NSA or NTRA rules and horses who have not run under NSA or NTRA rules for five years. Hunting attire or silks. Sidesaddle permitted.

**3<sup>rd</sup> Race – Gentleman's Heavyweight 12:45**

Draft/Crossbred Flat

Approx. 1 mile. Minimum Weight 200 lbs. Open to draft, medium and heavyweight crossbred horses. Hunting attire (scarlet if convenient).

**4<sup>th</sup> Race Hunt Team Relay Flat 1:00**

Teams of four members each to be run over a course of approx 1 mile. Each member to run ¼ mile and hand off baton in an oval course with hand off zones. Teams will be run in heats of four, with time of winning team to decide overall winner. Catch weights. Hunting attire or team uniform. Awards for winning hunt, oldest team, youngest team and best team uniform

**5<sup>th</sup> Race Field Masters Chase\***

Pony Division 1:30

The New Jersey Pony Hunt Cup

Open to junior riders on ponies. Riders are to not have had their 16<sup>th</sup> birthday as 01/01/03. All ponies must be a minimum of 5 years old. Catch weights. Riders are to follow the Field Master over a flagged course not to exceed 2 miles with no more than 12 obstacles none of which are to exceed 2'6". After the last fence, the Field Master will release the field to race for the finish. Hunting attire or silks.

**6<sup>th</sup> Race Field Masters Chase\***

Junior Division 2:00

Open to junior riders on horses. Riders are to not have had their 16<sup>th</sup> birthday as of 01/01/03. All horses must be a minimum of 5 years old. Catch weights. Riders are to follow the Field Master over a flagged course not to exceed 2 miles with no more than 12 obstacles, none of which are to exceed

3'0". After the last fence, the Field Master will release the field to race for the finish. Hunting Attire or Silks.

**7<sup>th</sup> Race Senior Field Masters Chase 2:30\***

Open to amateur adults (over 16 years). All mounts are to be a minimum of 5 years old and are to not have won a timber race in the last 3 years. Catch weights. Riders are to follow the Field Master over a flagged course not to exceed 2 miles with no more than 12 obstacles; jumps will be approximately 3'0". After the last fence, the Field Master will release the field to race for the finish. Hunting attire or silks. Race will be divided into light (TB type) and medium (non-TB type) weights. Entries limited to four divisions.

**ENTRIES**

Entry fees \$30.00, Juniors \$20.00, Teams \$40.

To be paid with entry by April 6<sup>th</sup>. Check payable to Essex Fox Hounds. Proof of rider insurance and neg. coggins required. Release forms must be signed. Races may be combined, cancelled or split.

Entries CLOSE noon Sunday, April 6<sup>th</sup>

NO POST ENTRIES

**INFORMATION**

Secretary: Anne Hambleton 410-456-7151

Co-chairs: Anne Hambleton 410-456-7151

Alexandra Allen 212-355-4391

Limited Patron Parking on course @ \$100/car

General Parking @ \$20/car

Directions: Rte. 78 to exit 29 "Rte. 287". North to exit 22 Bedminster & 206 North. At 5<sup>th</sup> light, go left onto Pottersville Rd, then left onto Fowler Rd. Races on left. From Rte. 287 take exit 22 and follow above directions.

\* Indicates North America Point to Point Challenge Series Qualifying Race. For more information see [www.NApointtopoint.com](http://www.NApointtopoint.com) NAPPA membership is required to be eligible for Challenge Series points.

Non-thoroughbreds, eventers, polo ponies encouraged.

Racing Clinic will be held March 30

1:00 pm \$25 pp. Call Secretary for details