



**CCI3\* third: Bill Levett and Lassban Diamond Lift jump a double clear**

this week, Julia should be double-handed for World Equestrian Games (WEG) selection.

Andrew Nicholson was second for New Zealand, 8.6 marks behind, on Diana Ridgeon's Swallow Springs. The 10-year-old fell here last year, but is now established at three-star and will be aimed at Burghley.

"He's a very fast horse and the 1.6 time-faults were my fault — I was lobbing along enjoying myself and got behind the clock in the last two minutes," said Andrew.

Australia's Bill Levett took third on his dressage mark on Lassban Diamond Lift. Elisabeth Murdoch's 10-year-old by Easy Lift was also third at Tattersalls' CIC3\* the previous week.

"My wife Jenny has always

been his biggest fan and he's getting better and better," said Bill. "He's seven-eighths thoroughbred and has so much energy. The excitement can get to him in the showjumping, so his clear was almost the most pleasing part."

Kitty King finished best of the Brits in fourth on Vendredi Biats, who was a touch unfocused in the dressage, but went well thereafter.

"He's been a bit wayward across country this season and Dickie Waygood has helped me a lot," she said. "It's still a work in progress — we started out here as if it was a training round and put in the discipline at the first few combinations.

"Although the 2.4 time-faults were frustrating, that set us up for the rest of the round," Kitty added.