

**British Riding Clubs Area 1 Show Jumping Qualifier
for the SEIB Insurance Brokers Novice Winter Championships 2022
on 26th & 27th March 2022 Arena UK, Grantham, NG32 2EF
and HorseHage & Mollichaff Intermediate Winter Championships 2022
on 22nd - 24th April 2022 at Bury Farm Equestrian Village, Slapton, LU7 9BT**



SCHEDULE

Sunday 31st October 2021

Hosted by Lothians Riding Club



**Prizes for best dressed
Halloween Themed Team
and Riders**

Venue: SNEC, Oatridge, Ecclesmachan, West Lothian, EH52 6NH

Closing date for BRC HQ Pre-Entries: Saturday 9th October.

Closing date for Qualifier entries: Saturday 23rd October.

Times on Area 1 website (www.brcarea1.co.uk): Thursday 28th October (evening).

Class	Name	Entry Fee	Additional First Aid Team/Rider
1	Junior 70 cm Team	£80	£12
2	Junior 70 cm Individual Entry	£20	£3
3	Senior 70 cm Team	£80	£12
4	Senior 70 cm Individual Entry	£20	£3
5	Junior 80 cm Team	£80	£12
6	Junior 80 cm Individual Entry	£20	£3
7	Senior 80 cm Team	£80	£12
8	Senior 80 cm Individual Entry	£20	£3
9	Junior 90 cm Team	£80	£12
10	Junior 90 cm Individual Entry	£20	£3
11	Senior 90 cm Team	£80	£12
12	Senior 90 cm Individual Entry	£20	£3
13	Senior and/or Junior 100 cm mixed Team	£80	£12
14	Senior and/or Junior 100 cm Individual	£20	£3

****Mixed Teams are any combination of Senior and/or Junior as per 2021 rule book.****

ALL Team members will automatically be entered as Individuals.

Ensure that names of riders and horses are correct at time of entry. Horse/Pony name MUST be as per passport. Any changes after 23rd October will incur an admin charge of £5 per change.

Changes MUST be notified to Julia via e-mail: lothiansrc@outlook.com

The event organisers do not accept any liability for any accidents, loss, damage, injury or illness to horses, owners, riders, spectators, land or any other person or property whatsoever.

Club Helpers

Lothians Riding Club members have kindly agreed to cover the majority of the volunteering roles for this event, which is very much appreciated.

Clubs should have at least one nominated person available to step in to help on the day at the qualifier in the event that there is a need for extra assistance.

Area 1 Novice and Intermediate Winter Show Jumping Qualifier

ENTRY RULES

The Event is run under British Riding Club Rules for Area Qualifiers.

FOR AREA QUALIFIERS - All pre-entries (Team and Individual) must be made through your riding club to BRC HQ no later than **Saturday 9th October 2021**. Horse/Pony name MUST be as per passport. BRC HQ Pre-entry fees: **£32 per Team / £10 per individual**. ALL team members are automatically entered into the individual competition.

BRC HQ Pre-entries can be made **online**: <https://brc.bhs.org.uk>

OR download form to print and send with cheque:

www.bhs.org.uk/enjoy-riding/british-riding-clubs/brc-downloads

FINAL ENTRIES via Club Entries Online by **Saturday 23rd October 2021**:

www.clubentries.com/area1

The website automatically confirms entries from e-mail address:

Clubentries (admin@basicwebservices.co.uk)

Times on Area 1 website (www.brcarea1.co.uk) on Thursday 28th October (evening).

ANY changes to horse and/or rider after the times are published will incur a £5 fee per change.

ALL changes must be sent to Julia at lothiansrc@outlook.com

Do not send to any other e-mail address - changes will not be recorded.

Equine 'Flu Vaccinations - All Team Managers must submit clear copies or pictures of equine passport pages showing name of horse/pony, microchip number, all equine 'flu vaccination pages, name of rider and Club via e-mail (**MAXIMUM file size of 5 Mb**) to Maggie Bunnett via e-mail **no later than Thursday 21st October** (thebunnetts@btinternet.com)

Any equine 'flu vaccination records received after this date will **NOT** be checked in advance and will incur a late submission fee of £5 as well as incurring the risk of elimination.

Personal Information: You agree that we may publish your Personal Information as part of the results of events and may pass such information to the governing body or any affiliated organisation for the purpose of qualification, insurance or for publishing results either for the event alone or combined with or compared to other events. Results may include (but not be limited to) name, club, times and age category.

PHOTOGRAPHS: Official photographs and video will be taken at this event and may be published on websites, social media or in other publications. If you do not want your image(s) to be used, please inform the event secretary a minimum of two weeks in advance of the event.

Photographer: Sinclair Photography will be on site. There will be no access to photographs on the day. Competitors should leave their e-mail addresses with the Secretary on the day when collecting numbers.

Farrier: There will not be a farrier on site.

VETS on call are: TBA

Medical Cover: SEMS Medical Cover

Official Steward: Jennifer Rentoul

TEAM MANAGER / CLUB CONTACT / COMPETITOR NOTES

Riders jump two rounds. Riders will jump the first round and then the second round separately. The second round will be run as a single phase competition, which will combine the second round and the jump off. The first half of the course will be set at the second round height (same as first round height), with the second part of the course set at jump off height (5 cm higher). The course will be timed in two parts, with the second half being recorded as the jump off. The jump off will follow straight on from the first part of the course without stopping. All team and individual members (unless the individual is eliminated in first round) will go forward to the second part of the second round (jump off) unless eliminated in the first half. The second half of the second round (the jump off) will be classed as both the team and individual jump off.

Should a team member be eliminated before reaching the jump off phase in the second round they will not continue forward to the jump off section and the team will continue as a team of three.

All Classes will be in drawn order. Competition will start at approximately 8.30 am.

Timings – will be published on Area 1 website on Thursday 28th October (evening).

It is the **responsibility of each competitor** to ensure their horse vaccination record meets BRC rules and that they are eligible for classes entered.

If invalid documents, ineligible horse or rider is **declared BEFORE** the qualifier competition, all 4 riders can still compete but only 3 valid rider scores will count. If less than 3 are valid, the team may compete if space allows, but entry will be HC.

If any horse or rider at the qualifier is later found to be ineligible, then the **team will be eliminated**, with any qualification being passed to the next eligible team.

In the unlikely event of the event having to be cancelled, a percentage of the entry fee will be retained to cover admin and arena hire costs.

ALL Championship Invitations are issued by BRC Head Office, as all results require to be verified.

Eligibility Criteria for Horses/ Ponies: Contained in 2021 BRC Rule Book. Check BRC website for any rule changes or amendments.

ON THE DAY

Please note that all communication on the day should be via the Club's Team Manager and the Secretary.

FULLY completed Declaration Sheets: Please ensure declaration sheets are fully completed including all membership, passport and microchip numbers. Declaration forms must be submitted by the Club's Team Manager before any of their Club's members compete.

BRC Hat tagging rules apply. Hat tagging will be available on the day, but it is advisable to check the BRC website for compliance in advance. The current hat tag colour is AQUA. Please allow sufficient time to have hat tagged - numbers allowed in the office will be limited.

IMPORTANT - The number of people in the office will be restricted to try to keep everyone safe.

Passports and membership cards are not required for checking - unless designated club contact has received request to bring an item for inspection. The designated Club contact will bring any passports that have not had details submitted in advance, or where there is a query. They will also bring completed declaration forms plus any payments due to changes, late submissions, etc.

Please NOTE: Back numbers are to be worn by all competitors. Bridle numbers can be worn but only in addition to, not instead of back numbers. Please ensure that the correct number is worn.

OBJECTIONS - Protests or complaints may be lodged in writing and handed to the Event Secretary. The protest must be accompanied by a deposit of £20.00. They must be made no later than 30 minutes after the incident that gave rise to that protest, or 30 minutes after the results have been published. The deposit will be forfeited unless the protest is upheld or it was decided there were good and reasonable grounds for lodging the protest.