

BRC AREA 16 SEIB HORSE TRIALS QUALIFIER

Sunday 22nd June 2025

at

Epworth Equestrian Centre,
Scawcett Lane,
Epworth,
Doncaster,
Sth Yorkshire,
DN9 1LQ

(Championships held 2nd – 3^{rd} August 2025 at Swalcliffe Park, Grange Farm, Swalcliffe, Banbury, OX15 5EX)

CLASSES:

- BRC Senior / Junior / Mixed / Team Horse Trial Qualifier **70**Dressage Test BE90 Dressage 91 (2009)
- BRC Senior / Junior Individual (mixed class) Horse Trial
 Qualifier 70
 Dressage Test BE90 Dressage 91 (2009)
- 2 BRC Senior / Junior / Mixed Team Horse Trial Qualifier **80** Dressage Test – BE90 Dressage 92 (2009)
- 2a BRC Senior / Junior Individual (mixed class) Horse Trial Qualifier 80
 Dressage Test BE90 Dressage 92 (2009)
- 3 BRC Senior Junior / Mixed Team Horse Trial Qualifier **90.** Dressage Test BE90 Dressage 95 (2012)
- 3a BRC Senior / Junior Individual (mixed class) Horse Trial Qualifier **90**.

 Dressage Test BE90 Dressage 95 (2012)
- BRC Senior / Junior / Mixed / Team Horse Trial 100
 Dressage Test BE100 Dressage 101 (2009)
- 4a BRC Senior / Junior Individual (mixed class) Horse
 Trial Qualifier **100**Dressage Test BE100 Dressage 101 (2009)

Pre- entry not to BRC Office, payable with entry to Epworth Equestrian Ltd BRC Area 16 qualifier entries close on: Sunday 1st June 2025

BRC Area 16 Entry fees via Epworth equestrian.co.uk

Team £326.00p / Individual £81.50p

Please enter direct to Epworth Equestrian Ltd via link below: https://epworthequestrian.co.uk/whats-on.html

Mobile: 07786 631750 (no calls after 9pm please)

No changes after 12 noon on Friday 20th June 2025

Strictly No Changes permitted after this date and time.

Competitors times for the above classes will be posted on Epworth Equestrian Ltd website on Thursday 19th June.

To ensure the Qualifier is run safely each club taking part will be asked to provide a number of volunteers for xc fence judges.

Volunteers and names to Andrea Pawson: email <u>Andrea@Pawsongroup.com</u> by Wednesday 18th June 2025.

RULES:

This competition will run under BRC 2025 Rules, anyone in attendance will be bound by the BRC Code of Conduct. It is important that all competitors are aware of the rules relating to this competition. Please check BRC 2025 updates for any changes to published BRC Handbook Rules.

All BRC code of conduct rules must be observed at the event unless the venue / organiser has given specific instructions that are still in line with health and safety guidelines. This includes: the welfare of the horses and ponies; the conduct of members, officials, volunteers and representatives; safeguarding and equality and diversity as well as social media and discipline.

For further information on the BRC codes of conduct please see the BRC handbook.

Entries:

All entrants must submit ENTRY to eel (fees can be found in the current BRC Handbook). Late pre-entries may be accepted at the discretion of the organiser. Late entries cannot be guaranteed and so therefore <u>must not</u> be paid for until approval from the organiser has been gained.

Area Entries:

After a pre-entry has been made, the designated club member who is in charge of organising the team / individual taking part in the event must also ensure an area entry is made. The fee is confirmed by the area liaison committee and is payable to the area/host club. If a pre-entry is made, clubs are agreeing to a binding constitution which means they must make an area entry payable to the designated account, regardless of whether or not the team/individual competes.

The closing date of entries is at the discretion of the area qualifier organiser, with details of the organiser being posted on the BRC area representatives and qualifiers page. The entry must be signed by a senior club member / individual member who is also a BRC member. This certifies that all entries are in accordance with BRC rules.

BRC have adjusted the numbers to qualify due to requests from many areas. For further information on the numbers to qualify for BRC championships, members are advised to review the BRC 2025 handbook.

Withdrawals, Refunds and Cancellations:

BRC will credit note at their discretion, should the team manager need to withdraw any members from competition, it is up to the discretion of the organiser for refunds. If the event is cancelled and rescheduled within 21 days of the original event then all entries will remain and be carried over to the new date, with pre-entries for the qualifier NOT re-opening. If the new qualifier date is more than 21 days after the original date, then pre-entries will reopen and close again 21 days before the new qualifier date. Those unable to make the new date have 14 working days to claim a credit note from BRC. Eligibility will be taken from the close of the new entries date.

For any qualifier that is cancelled and not rescheduled, clubs will have 14 working days from the date of cancellation to claim a credit note from BRC.

PPE:

Hats

All hats must have a visible current BRC/BE/PC PINK hat tag in place before they are worn on the showground, to show that they meet the current safety standards. There will be a trained official available on the day to do this for you if your hat does not currently have one. For up-to-date hat rules please see the current BRC Handbook. Hats with a fixed peak can ONLY be used for dressage and show jumping. Only a "Jockey Skull" of an even round or elliptical shape with a smooth or slightly abrasive surface, having no peak or peak type extensions may be worn for the XC phase.

Body Protectors

A body protector is compulsory for cross country competitions and must have a **BETA 2018 Level 3 Blue Label**.

The only exception being Exo Body Cage 2000 - Rule G22.3. refers. Anyone using an Exo Body Cage 200 must notify the Secretary at the event.

Flu Vaccinations

Your horse must have up to date influenza vaccinations in line with rule G7 in the current BRC Handbook. There is also a checking device on the BRC website. If you are unsure, please email BRC at brcentries@bhs.org.uk.

Horses and ponies cannot be vaccinated within the 6 days before competition day, that is not after <u>Sunday 15th June</u> for this Competition.

Flu Vacc checking will be on the day and before a competitor competes.

Please remember it is the owner's / competitor's responsibility to make sure the horse's / pony's vaccination certificate is correct. If a certificate is found to be incorrect the horse / pony will be issued either a yellow or red card. A red card will not be permitted to compete at the Qualifier.

Health and Safety

Further information on BRC's health and safety guidelines can be found in Section 3 part 7 (Health & Safety) pages 119 to 127 of the 2025 BRC handbook.

The organisers oversee ensuring the appropriate health and safety precautions are being observed. Competitors, visitors, and officials are responsible for ensuring they all individually follow any and all guidelines put forth by the organiser / venue to ensure the health and safety of everyone present.

Body Protectors

A body protector is mandatory for this competition.

It is the rider's responsibility to ensure they wear a body protector with the BETA Level 2018 Blue label.

The only exception being Exo Body Cage 2000 - Rule G22.3. refers. (The Organiser MUST be informed if a Competitor wears an Exo Body Cage 2000).

Hats & Body Protectors are required to be produced for inspection at Flu Vacc checking.

Paramedics, Vet and Horse Ambulance will be in attendance at this Qualifier.

BRC Code of Conduct

The BRC Code of Conduct includes the welfare of the horse/pony; conduct of members, officials, volunteers, and representatives; safeguarding; equality and diversity; good conduct and discipline; and the BRC social media policy. Examples of the code of conduct can be found in Section 1, pages 6 through to 14 of the 2025 BRC Handbook.

Members should ensure that they are up to date with the BRC code of conduct to encourage a smooth competition; anyone found to be in breech of the BRC code of conduct is subject to discipline from the BRC disciplinary committee at their discretion.

Other information

Dress as per 2025 Handbook Competition Rules.

All riders in junior competitions must be under 18 when joining/renewing their membership and will remain a junior for the duration of their membership until they renew.

Numbers to qualify as per Appendix 10 in the current 2025 BRC Handbook.

Health and Safety regulations and notices must be adhered to at all times.

Any item of jewellery or alternative medical treatment wristbands must be covered up by clothing or gloves, if they cannot be removed, at the riders own risk.

Hair must be neatly secured and should not hang lower than the shoulder line (when standing normally).

Only competitors may work in a horse/pony before a class/phase.

Numbers to qualify as per Appendix 10 in the current BRC Handbook.

Juniors:

Children aged 16 years and under must not be left unattended in vehicles.

Individuals under the age of 12 are not permitted in warm-up arenas on foot under any circumstances.

Juniors between 12 and 16 years old must be accompanied by a parent/guardian at all times.

Juniors 16 years old and above need to have a parent/guardian on site.

No one under the age of 14 is permitted to fulfil any volunteer role.

(See Rule G20.2)

No horses to be left tied to outside of horseboxes / trailers - Rule G9.3 refers

Cars to be parked in allocated area only.

Please pick all litter, muck and hay from around your horsebox in the parking area and take home.

A4 size Competition numbers are to be provided by Competitors / Clubs, along with number bibs.

DOGS ARE PERMITTED BUT MUST BE KEPT ON LEADS. DOGS MUST <u>NOT</u> BE TIED TO A VEHICLE AND LEFT UNATTENDED.

Disclaimer of liability – save for death or personal injury caused by the negligence of the organiser or anyone for whom they are responsible BRC does not accept any liability for any accident, loss, damage, injury or illness to horses, owners, riders, spectators, land or any other person or property whatsoever.

TELEPHONE NUMBER ON THE DAY AND IN THE EVENT OF BAD WEATHER: 07786 631750 / 07903 830923