



# British Riding Clubs

## Area 7 & 8 Horse Trials Qualifier

For the BRC Championships 2016

### Schedule



**30<sup>th</sup> May 2016 at Keysoe**  
By Kind Permission of Mr S Bates

Class Name	Eligibility	Entry Fee
<b>BRC Senior HT 80 Qualifier</b> SJ:80cm XC: 80cm Speed for XC:435mpm	Open to Senior members of an affiliated Riding Club that have paid their membership for the current year. Horses or ponies may be registered with BE but must not have gained any points nor have been placed in the first six in any BE 90 or completed a BE 100 or above in the current or previous calendar year at the close of prelim entry. Combinations to have not been placed in the top ten overall at BRC HT 90 or above in the previous year. Riders not to have competed a BE100, CH100or BRC100or above in the current or previous calendar year at close of prelim entry. Riders not to have competed in international 3 star or above. <b>Test: BRC HT80 Q &amp; C (2013)</b>	<b>Team:</b> <b>£180</b> <b>Ind:</b> <b>£45</b>
<b>BRC Senior HT 90 Qualifier</b> SJ: 90cm XC: 90cm Speed for XC:450mpm	Open to Senior members of an affiliated Riding Club that have paid their membership for the current year. Horses or ponies maybe currently registered with BE and can have up to 1 BE point or not completed a BE/EI 100 or higher standard course in the current calendar year at the close of preliminary entry. Combinations to have not been placed in the top ten overall at BRC HT 90 or above in the previous year. <b>Test: BRC HT90Q (2013)</b>	<b>Team:</b> <b>£180</b> <b>Ind:</b> <b>£45</b>
<b>BRC Senior HT 100 Qualifier</b> SJ: 1m XC: 1m Speed for XC: 475mpm	Open to Senior members of an affiliated Riding Club that have paid their membership for the current year. Horses or ponies not to have gained more than 20 BE points or completed a BE Novice course in the current or previous calendar year at the close of prelim entry. Combinations not to have been placed in the top ten overall in the BRC HT Open 100+ in the previous calendar year. <b>Test: BRC HT100Q (2013)</b>	<b>Team:</b> <b>£180</b> <b>Ind:</b> <b>£45</b>
<b>BRC Junior HT 80 Qualifier</b> SJ:80cm XC: 80cm Speed for XC:435mpm	Open to Junior members of an affiliated Riding Club that have paid their membership for the current year. Horses or ponies may be registered with BE but must not have gained any points nor have been placed in the first six in any BE 90 or completed a BE 100 or above in the current or previous calendar year at the close of prelim entry. Combinations to have not been placed in the top ten overall at BRC HT 90 or above in the previous year. Riders not to have competed a BE100, CH100or BRC100or above in the current or previous calendar year at close of prelim entry. Riders not to have competed in international 3 star or above. <b>Test: BRC HT80Q &amp; C (2013)</b>	<b>Team:</b> <b>£180</b> <b>Ind:</b> <b>£45</b>

<b>BRC Junior HT 90 Qualifier</b> SJ: 90cm XC: 90cm Speed for XC:450mpm	Open to Senior members of an affiliated Riding Club that have paid their membership for the current year. Horses or ponies maybe currently registered with BE and can have up to 1 BE point or not completed a BE/EI 100 or higher standard course in the current calendar year at the close of preliminary entry. Combinations to have not been placed in the top ten overall at BRC HT 90 or above in the previous year. <b>Test: BRC HT90Q (2013)</b>	<b>Team:</b> <b>£180</b>
		<b>Ind:</b> <b>£45</b>
<b>BRC Junior HT 100 Qualifier</b> SJ: 1m XC: 1m Speed for XC:475mpm	Open to Junior members of an affiliated Riding Club that have paid their membership for the current year. Horses or ponies not to have gained more than 20 BE points or completed a BE Novice course in the current or previous calendar year at the close of prelim entry. Combinations not to have been placed in the top ten overall in the BRC HT Open 100+ in the previous calendar year. <b>Test: BRC HT100Q (2013)</b>	<b>Team:</b> <b>£180</b>
		<b>Ind:</b> <b>£45</b>
<b>BRC Senior and Junior HT 100+ Qualifier</b> SJ: 110cm XC: 1m Speed for XC: 475mpm	This is a <b><i>mixed class open to Senior and Junior</i></b> members of an affiliated Riding Club that have paid their membership for the current year. Horses or ponies may be registered with BE have an unlimited number of points. Teams may be made up of juniors and seniors, or all juniors, or all seniors and will be part of the same competition. Juniors must 12 years or older on 1 January in the year they wish to take part. <b>Test: BRC HT100+Q (2013)</b>	<b>Team:</b> <b>£180</b>
		<b>Ind:</b> <b>£45</b>

### Prelim Entries

All entrants must pay a prelim entry of **£51** per team and **£13** per individual to British Riding Clubs at least 21 days before the date of the qualifier (above). Prelim entry forms can be found on the BRC website for postal entries [www.britishridingclubs.org.uk](http://www.britishridingclubs.org.uk) or online entries can be made via the BHS bookshop [www.britishhorse.com](http://www.britishhorse.com) Late prelim entries may be accepted with a late surcharge of £20 per team and £10 per individual or pair. Late entries cannot be guaranteed and may only be considered at the discretion of the organiser, whose permission must be sought before payment is made.

If the date of the qualifier is cancelled for any reason, the close of prelim entry will remain. However, if the qualifier is moved more than 21 days later, entries will be re-opened but late entry fees already paid cannot be refunded. Eligibility will be considered from the original close of prelim entry.

All hats must have a visible **ORANGE** BRC hat tag in place before they are used for warming up and competing. There will be a trained steward available on the day that will be carrying out hat tagging if your hat does not already have a tag.

Your horse must have up to date Influenza vaccinations in line with rule G7 in the current BRC Rulebook.

### Protective Headgear

'Protective Headwear' must be worn at all times by anyone, whether or not a Competitor, riding anywhere at a BRC event. Harnesses must be correctly adjusted and fastened. At all BRC Championships and qualifiers 'Protective Headwear' must show a visible BRC 'hat tag'. 'Protective Headwear' constitutes a hat which meets one of the following standards. Failure to do so will incur elimination.

**PAS 015 (1998 or 2011) and must have BSI Kitemark**  
**VG1 01.040 (2014-12) and must have BSI Kitemark**  
**ASTM F1163 (2004a or 04a onwards) and must have SEI mark**  
**SNELL E2001 and must have SNELL label and number**  
**AS/NZS 3838 (2006 onwards) and must have SAI Global mark**

Due to a change by the European Commission regarding EN1384 and BSEN1384 no longer being an accepted standard, all hats which only meet the EN1384 or the BSEN1384, and do not comply with the above list, WILL NOT be accepted and therefore will not be permitted for any BRC competition. Hats which bear the EN1384 or BSEN1384 along with another standard from the above list will be tagged. For example, BSEN1384 & PAS015 (1998 or 2011) along with the kitemark, would be acceptable, but not BSEN1384 on its own.

**IMPORTANT CHANGE FOR THE CROSS-COUNTRY PHASE:** Only a 'Jockey Skull' complying with to the above standards may be worn for any XC phase. This must not have a peak, any peak type extensions or noticeable protuberances above the eyes or in front and should have an even round or elliptical shape with smooth or slightly abrasive surface. A removable hat cover with a light flexible peak may be used if required.

### Body Protectors

A body protector is obligatory in all cross-country competitions and is strongly recommended in show jumping competitions. A BETA Level 3 (purple label) which has a 2000 or 2009 label must be worn. Body protectors should be

fitted and worn as per the manufacturer's instructions. The up to date BETA list of body protectors can be obtained from [www.beta-uk.org](http://www.beta-uk.org).

If a rider chooses to wear an airbag style body protector it must be worn over a permitted BETA Level 3 (purple label) body protector and if activated, must be deflated or removed before continuing. Hybrid Air- jackets and blouson style air jackets are permitted. It is recommended that body protectors are replaced once they are more than 5 years old.

Riders wearing Exo Body Cage protectors must inform the secretary at all events.

### **Medical armbands**

Medical armbands are mandatory for any type of cross-country competition. These must be worn on the arm and not on the leg. They should be filled in with the relevant competitor's details. Spot checks will be carried out in the collecting ring.

### **Tack and Dress Rules**

Please make sure you adhere to tack and dress rules found in the current version of the BRC rules. The current version of the rulebook is available to download online.

### **Stopwatches**

Until BE have finished their trial and made a final decision on this, BRC will continue to **NOT** allow stopwatches to be worn.

- **Entries to be made on the Entry form Attached and Emailed to [david.area7@gmail.com](mailto:david.area7@gmail.com).**
- **Entries will only be accepted from club team managers upon confirmation of BACS Transfer**
  - **S/C 60.07.38    A/C 49585541**
  - **Reference to be used HTEEntry(Club Initials) e.g. HTEEntryCDRC**
- **NO ENTRY ACCEPTED WITHOUT THE CORRECT FEES.**
- **CLOSE OF ENTRIES FRIDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2016**
- **LATE ENTRIES MAY BE ACCEPTED NUMBERS PERMITTING**
  - **IF ACCEPTED YOU WILL BE SUBJECT TO LATE PRELIM ENTRY FEES AND A £10 LATE ENTRY FEE**
- **TIMES WILL BE POSTED ON THE AREA 7 WEBSITE TUESDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2016**
  - **[www.britishridingclubsarea7.com](http://www.britishridingclubsarea7.com)**