

# British Riding Clubs Novice Winter Championships

28 - 29 March 2020

# **Schedule**

Arena UK, Allington Lane, Allington, Grantham, NG32 2EF



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#### Introduction

We are delighted to be at Arena UK for the 2020 Winter Novice Championships. SEIB are sponsoring this event for the second time and we look forward to welcoming them. SEIB specialises in an array of distinct fields. With more than 50 years of experience in horse insurance.

All senior competitions will take place on Saturday 28 March and all junior competitions will take place on Sunday 29 March.

## Before the championships

#### **Rules and Regulations**

This competition will run under British Riding Club Rules. It is important that all competitors are aware of the rules relating to this competition – please see the current BRC Handbook and also the BRC Rule Amendments and Changes document which can be found at the link below: http://www.bhs.org.uk/enjoy-riding/british-riding-clubs/brc-handbook

#### **Entries**

Entries are by invitation only to those that have qualified. They will be sent to the team manager from the qualifier with instructions on how to process them. Please note entries close on **6 March 2020**.

#### Times

Times will be posted on our website <a href="www.britishridingclubs.org.uk">www.britishridingclubs.org.uk</a> approximately one week before the championships. Times are selected randomly by computer, and cannot be altered. Please note that competitors should be ready to jump before their time in case the competition runs early. Please check with the collecting ring steward on the day.

#### **Stabling**

For any stabling information, including making a stable booking, please see the following link: https://brc.bhs.org.uk/ridingcluborder.

#### Hook up

Hook up will be available throughout the weekend on a first come first served basis. Please contact the stable manager on 02476840591 or via email to megan.gibbs@bhs.org.uk

#### Flu Vaccination Certificates

All competing horses and ponies must have an up to date full flu vaccination certificate and comply with BRC rules. If your flu vaccination does not comply, or you do not bring the complete record with you, you will be eliminated.

Refer to the current BRC Handbook for the full rules on vaccination certificates, this can be found on the BRC website as a downloadable file. A flu vac checker is also available from the downloads section of the BRC website.

#### **Refund Policy**

There will be no return of Championship entry fees.

#### **Hats & Body Protectors**

Hats meeting the current standards must be worn at all times and securely fastened when mounted. It is also advised to wear a hat when handling on the ground. Body Protectors are mandatory for arena eventing and must be up to the current standard. Up to date Standards can be found in the BRC Handbook or on the website.

#### **Timetable**

Classes are <u>provisionally</u> scheduled to start and finish at the following times. All times are approximate and subject to change. Updated information will be available on the BHS website or BRC Facebook page. The organiser reserves the right to cancel, add to and alter the details in which any competition is scheduled to take place, or amend any competition times or alter the published timetable for the show as they deem appropriate.

#### Saturday 28 March 2020

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Times	Classes
8:00	Senior 70 Winter Show Jumping (1st
	round) Outdoors
8:30	Senior 70 Winter Show Jumping (2 <sup>nd</sup>
	round & jump-off) Indoors
11:00	Senior 80 Winter Show Jumping (1st
	round) Outdoors
13:00	Senior 80 Winter Show Jumping (2 <sup>nd</sup>
	round & jump-off) Indoors
8:30	Senior Novice Winter Dressage Team
8:30	Senior Novice Winter Dressage
	Individuals
9:00	Senior Intro Dressage

#### Sunday 29 March 2020

Times	Class
8:30	Junior 70 Winter Show Jumping (1st
	round) Outdoors
9:00	Junior 70 Winter Show Jumping (2 <sup>nd</sup>
	round & jump-off) Indoors

11:00	Junior 80 Winter Show Jumping (1 <sup>st</sup> round) Outdoors
13:00	Junior 80 Winter Show Jumping (2 <sup>nd</sup>
	round and jump-off) Indoors
9:00	Junior Novice Winter Dressage Team
9:00	Junior Novice Winter Dressage
	Individuals
9:00	Junior Intro Dressage

Direct entry dressage classes may be added nearer the time dependent on numbers. Details will be sent out with invites and an update on the website will be made closer to the event.

## **During the championships**

#### **Declarations and Secretary's**

Details for arriving on site including flu vacs will be published in the competitor information document alongside the times. After you have received your competitor number you are deemed to have declared and no more paperwork is required.

All other queries including scoring can be dealt with by the secretary.

#### **Parking**

Please follow the direction of the car parking attendants.

#### **Presentations**

Presentations will be approximately 30 minutes after final results have been posted. Please check the scoreboard for the time of presentations. Delays to the presentation will be as a result of objections or queries that will need to be resolved before it can go ahead. Attendance for the presentation will be as per the programme.

#### **Salvers**

Salvers awarded at championships must be signed for by a nominated person who is then responsible for that salver. It must be returned to arrive at the office on the date stated on the form by recorded delivery and must be packaged with care. Any loss/damage or failure to return the salver by the specified date will result in the club concerned being invoiced for the cost of a replacement. BRC may also refer such matters to the BRC Discipline Committee.

#### Official Objections

Protests or complaints may be lodged in writing and accompanied by a deposit of £20. They must be addressed to the Official Steward via the secretary. Protests 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 that there were good and reasonable grounds for lodging the protest.

#### Official Photographs

Please be advised that filming and/or photography will be taking place during the BRC Championships - this could be in the arenas, seating areas, stabling and lorry park during competition hours. If you do not wish to appear in any images captured please inform the secretary so that we can take appropriate steps to ensure you are not included. The photographs/film could potentially be included in British Riding Clubs publications or in BRC promotional materials in the future and may also be published on the BRC section of the BHS website. They could also be passed onto the sponsor of the event and the press.

#### Dogs

Dogs are permitted on the showground but must be kept under control on a short lead at all times and cleared up after. ID tags must be worn.

#### **Smoking Policy**

There is a strict no smoking policy in the stabling area and in the main arenas onsite.

#### **Exercising Horses**

Please see the competitor information document posted with the times. Competitor numbers/bridle numbers on both side of the horse must be worn when mounted. Strictly no entry into competition arenas unless competing. During an arena walk, competitors are permitted to ride around the outside of the competition arenas, and must follow any instructions given by the steward.

#### Catering

There will be two cafes open during the day for competitors located in the indoor arena and by the outdoor arena. The bar area located in the indoor arena will open in the evening for evening meals.

#### **Medical Care**

Paramedics will be on site during the competition hours of the championships. Outside of these hours, in an emergency please dial 999.

#### **Vet and Farrier**

We will have a vet on site and a farrier on call for this event during competition hours. Please contact an official on the day.

#### **Horse Ambulance**

A horse ambulance will be present on site during the competition hours of the weekend.

#### **Belongings**

BRC are not responsible for competitors belongings, please ensure you lock away any valuables safely.

# **General Information**

#### **Accommodation and Camping**

There are a number of hotels in the surrounding area, please find more information online. Camping is allowed but only in designated areas.

#### **Merchandise**

2020 BRC merchandise will be available at this event.

Please see our Facebook page for updates on the championship.

If there is something you would like to see in future schedules or programmes please contact <a href="mailto:annette.falkingham@bhs.org.uk">annette.falkingham@bhs.org.uk</a>