



**British Riding Clubs**  
**NAF Nationals Dressage**  
**Qualifier Schedule**  
**Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2025**



*(Championships held 30<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> August 2025 Lincolnshire Showground, Grange-de-Lings, Lincoln, Lincolnshire, LN2 2NA)*

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| <b>Venue</b>             | <b>Norfolk Showground, Dereham Road, Norwich NR5 0TT</b> <a href="https://what3words.com/brains.daffodils.finely">https://what3words.com/brains.daffodils.finely</a> |
| <b>Organiser</b>         | <b>Carleton Riding Club</b>  |
| <b>Official Steward</b>  | <b>David Parker</b>  |
| <b>Emergency Contact</b> | <b>Emma Broughton 07985653358</b><br><b>Claire Iaccarino 07799782636</b>   |
| <b>Entry Secretary</b>   | <b>Anna Goodley – entries close 27<sup>th</sup> June 2025</b><br><b>Prelim entries to BRC close 21 days prior to competition</b>                                     |

| <b>Class</b> | <b>Class Name</b>                       | <b>Test</b>  | <b>Entry Fee</b><br>Pre Entry £48.00 Team,<br>£12.50 Individual |
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| 1            | Senior Introductory Dressage Individual | BD Intro 1 (2024)<br>BD Intro 2 (2024)<br>BRC Prelim 1 (2025)<br>BRC Prelim 2 (2025)     | £14.50 per test   |
| 2            | Senior Introductory Dressage Team       | Each member will ride one of the above   | £58 per team  |
| 3            | Junior Introductory Dressage Individual | BD Intro 1 (2024)<br>BD Intro 2 (2024)<br>BRC Prelim 1 (2025)<br>BRC Prelim 2 (2025)     | £14.50 per test   |
| 4            | Junior Introductory Dressage Team       | Each member will ride one of the above   | £58 per team  |
| 5            | Senior Prelim Dressage Individual       | BRC Prelim 4 (2025)<br>BD Prelim 1 (2024)<br>BD Prelim 2 (2024)<br>BD Prelim 3 (2024)    | £14.50 per test   |
| 6            | Senior Prelim Dressage Team             | Each member will ride one of the above   | £58 per team  |
| 7            | Junior Prelim Dressage Individual       | BRC Prelim 4 (2025)<br>BD Prelim 1 (2024)<br>BD Prelim 2 (2024)<br>BD Prelim 3 (2024)    | £14.50 per test   |
| 8            | Junior Prelim Dressage Team             | Each member will ride one of the above   | £58 per team  |
| 9            | Mixed Open Dressage Individual          | BD Novice 1 (2024)<br>BD Novice 2 (2024)<br>BD Novice 3 (2024)<br>BD Elementary 1 (2024) | £14.50 per test   |
| 10           | Mixed Open Dressage Team                | Each member will ride one of the above   | £58 per team  |

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| 11 | Pick a Test     | BD Medium 4 (2024)<br>BD Advanced<br>Medium (2024) | £14.50 per test                          |
| 12 | NAF Mixed Pairs | BRC Pairs 5 (2014)                                 | (£23.00 Pre<br>Entry)<br>£29.00 per pair |

***Please note there are both BD and BRC tests ridden at this competition. Please ensure you learn the correct test - it is your responsibility to ride the correct test. BRC tests can be downloaded from here: <https://www.bhs.org.uk/british-riding-clubs/competitions/brc-downloads/brc-tests/>***

***Eligibility for all classes can be found in the current BRC Handbook. Eligibility will be taken from the close of pre-entries. All competitors must be a member by the Friday before the qualifier. Anyone failing to meet the eligibility criteria will be disqualified and informed by BRC HQ when the results are processed. Numbers to qualify as per the current BRC Handbook.***

BRC are delighted to welcome back NAF as sponsors of the National Dressage Championships. NAF are the most trusted brand for equine supplements in Europe and are proud to partner British Riding Clubs, sponsoring what promises to be a truly magical competition.

This competition will run under BRC 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 see the current BRC Handbook and also the BRC Rule Amendments and Changes Document.

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**

***With your entry it is a condition of entry that every club provides on helper regardless of number of teams (1/2 day each) Please confirm for both juniors & seniors who these nominated helpers are. If the helper is a rider we will do our best, but make no promises to accommodate times due to the difficulty of scheduling multiple riders and tests! Please note that the nominated helper provided must be suitably experienced – ideally no first time stewards for a busy collecting ring, as this puts unnecessary stress on everyone!***

All entrants must submit a pre-entry to BRC (fees can be found in the current BRC Handbook) at least 21 days before the date of the qualifier. Pre-entries can be made via the pre-entry website <https://brc.bhs.org.uk/login?referral=%2Fselect>. Late pre-entries may be accepted at the discretion of the organiser with a late surcharge of £5 per individual and £10 per team (payable to BRC HQ) if space permits. **Late entries cannot be guaranteed and therefore must not be paid for until approval from the organiser has been gained.**

Once the pre-entry has been made, please email entries on the excel spreadsheet provided before the 27<sup>th</sup> June, to the event secretary, Anna Goodley [anna.goodley@icloud.com](mailto:anna.goodley@icloud.com). Payments made via BACS: Carleton RC 81069403 sort code 40-08-53

A £2.00 fee for First Aid is payable for each rider. Please include this in your entry payment,

Times will be available the Thursday evening before the competition on the Area 14 Facebook page. Provisionally Seniors will compete in the morning, Juniors in the late afternoon.

Substitutions can be made by email – please submit flu vaccination pages with substitutions.

If the date of the qualifier is cancelled for any reason and rescheduled within 21 days, the close of pre-entry will remain. If the qualifier is rescheduled for more than 21 days after the original date, entries will re-open. Late entry fees will not be refunded. Eligibility is taken from the close of pre entry from the original date the qualifier is scheduled for. Pre-entries that cannot attend the new date may be issued a credit note but the Team Manager must inform the office in writing before the cut-off date which the area will be informed of upon rescheduling.

### **Hats**

All hats must have a visible **HOT PINK** BRC/BE/PC 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.

### **Body Protectors**

A body protector is not obligatory for dressage competitions. However, competitors may wear an up to standard body protector should they wish to, the BETA 2018 Blue Label is the only recognised standard for Body Protectors at BRC Events. For further details please see the BRC Handbook.

Riders wearing Exo Body Cage protectors must inform the secretary at all events, so as paramedics can be informed.

## **Flu Vaccinations**

Your horse must have up to date influenza vaccinations following rule G7 in the current BRC Handbook. There is also an excel date checker spreadsheet available to download on the BRC website. It is compulsory for all horses to be microchipped. It is the rider's responsibility to ensure the horse is chipped and it is traceable.

Horses and ponies cannot be vaccinated within the 6 days before competition.

Please email photos of passports to include all relevant vaccination dates and microchip numbers to Official Steward, David Parker: [theparkers18@icloud.com](mailto:theparkers18@icloud.com) please use Area14 Dressage & Club Name in title. Please ensure all passports are sent 7 days before the competition. Any amendments can be sent up to the day of the competition.

## **Photographer**

An official photographer will be present on the day of the competition but with 4 arenas to capture, it may not be possible to get everyone!

## **Health and Safety**

Further information on BRC's health and safety guidelines can be found in Section 3.7 page 126 of the 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.

## **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 3 through to 12 of the 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 breach of the BRC code of conduct is subject to discipline from the BRC disciplinary committee at their discretion.

## **Norfolk Show Jumping Club Summer Festival 4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> July 2025**

We are pleased to be running alongside the Norfolk Show Jumping Club Summer Festival again. Three days of show jumping including arena eventing and two days of showing, including a dog show. Please search online for the schedule, which includes affiliated and unaffiliated show jumping for all

<https://norfolkshowjumping.co.uk/schedules.html>

Stabling is available through the Norfolk Showjumping Club. There will be catering vans onsite, a bar and live music from Friday 4<sup>th</sup> – come and make a weekend of it!!



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