



**British Riding Clubs**  
**Area 14 Novice Winter**  
**Dressage Qualifier**  
 For the BRC Winter Championships 2018  
**Schedule**  
**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2018**



**Easton & Otley College, Easton**  
**Norwich**  
**Norfolk, NR9 5DX**  
 Sat Nav Users NR9 5GA

| <b>Class Name</b>   | <b>Eligibility</b>  |
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| <b>Class 1/1A*</b><br>Junior Winter<br>Dressage<br><b>Prelim</b><br>Section(Qualifier)  | Open to Junior members of an affiliated Riding Club that have paid their membership for the current year.<br><b>BD Points:</b> Unlimited Prelim Points, 0 points at Novice or above.<br>Horses downgraded to zero points under BRC downgrading rules are eligible.<br>Horses cannot have competed in elementary or above in the same competition year, BD or BRC.<br>Riders must <b>not</b> have gained the following qualifications; FBHS, BHSI, BHSII (a), BRC Eq 4, BD Groups 1 – 6 (b), (c).<br>Test: <b>Prelim 12 (2005)</b> |
| <b>Class 2/2A*</b><br>Junior Winter<br>Dressage<br><b>Novice Section</b><br>(Qualifier) | Open to Junior members of an affiliated Riding Club that have paid their membership for the current year.<br><b>BD Points:</b> Unlimited Novice Points, Up to 35 Elementary Points and 0 points at Medium or above. Horses downgraded to 124 points under the BRC downgrading rules are eligible.<br>Riders must <b>not</b> have gained the following qualifications; FBHS, BHSI, BD Groups 1-5 (b)<br>Test: <b>Novice 28 (2008)</b>  |
| <b>Class 3/3A*</b><br>Senior Winter<br>Dressage <b>Prelim</b><br>Section (Qualifier)    | Open to Junior members of an affiliated Riding Club that have paid their membership for the current year.<br><b>BD Points:</b> Unlimited Prelim Points, 0 points at Novice or above.<br>Horses downgraded to zero points under BRC downgrading rules are eligible.<br>Horses cannot have competed in elementary or above in the same competition year, BD or BRC.<br>Riders must <b>not</b> have gained the following qualifications; FBHS, BHSI, BHSII (a), BRC Eq 4, BD Groups 1 – 6 (b), (c).<br>Test: <b>Prelim 12 (2005)</b> |
| <b>Class 4/4A*</b><br>Senior Winter<br>Dressage<br><b>Novice Section</b><br>(Qualifier) | Open to Junior members of an affiliated Riding Club that have paid their membership for the current year.<br><b>BD Points:</b> Unlimited Novice Points, Up to 35 Elementary Points and 0 points at Medium or above. Horses downgraded to 124 points under the BRC downgrading rules are eligible.<br>Riders must <b>not</b> have gained the following qualifications; FBHS, BHSI, BD Groups 1-5 (b)<br>Test: <b>Novice 28 (2008)</b>  |

- (a) Qualification not to have been gained within the past ten years
- (b) Refers to active members of BD during the last 3 years calendar years
- (c) Riders who have competed under FEI Rules in the relevant discipline in the last 5 calendar years

**In the Novice team competitions 2 members of each team ride the Prelim test, and 2 ride the Novice test.**

**Classes 1A/2A/3A and 4A are AREA competitions only.**

**ELIGIBILITY**

**Those with borrowed horses should check eligibility on points and winnings.**

All entrants must pay a prelim entry of **£28** per team or **£9** per individual to British Riding Clubs at least 21 days before the date of the qualifier (above). Please note only one competitor per test will qualify when using more than one arena appendix11 in the rulebook will be applied to resolve the qualifying place. 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 at the discretion of the organiser with a late surcharge of £20 per team, if there are sufficient spaces. Late entries cannot be guaranteed therefore must not be paid for until approval from the organiser has been sort.

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 cannot be refunded. Eligibility will be approved at the original close of prelim entry.

### **Tack and Dress Rules**

Please make sure you adhere to tack and dress rules in the current version of the BRC rules. The full 2018 Rulebook is available to download online. If you have a query on the rules, please ring BRC on 02476 840593.

All hats must have a visible BRC hat tag in place before they are used for warming up and competing, to show that it meets 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.

### **Equine influenza**

Your horse must have up to date influenza vaccinations in line with rule G7 in the current BRC Rulebook. There is also a checking device on the BRC website, but if you are unsure, please call BRC on 02476 840518.

### **Objections and queries**

Any queries should be addressed to the BRC Official Steward officiating at this event.

### **Health & Safety Policy**

The organisers have taken all reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present. For these measures to be effective, everyone must obey the instructions of the organisers and stewards, and avoid activities likely to cause accidents. Emergency services must have access to all parts of the showground and members of the public and their vehicles must not block access. Parents must assume full responsibility for their children's safety and control.

**LIABILITY** The Owners/Organisers will not accept any responsibility for any accident injury illness or loss of property howsoever caused

**REFUNDS** for entry fees only refunded on production of a valid vet or doctor's certificate.

**DOGS** must be kept on leads at all times

**OBJECTIONS** must be made in writing within 15 minutes of the end of the class with a £10.00 deposit, which will be forfeit if the objection is over-ruled.

**RESERVATION:** the organisers reserve the right to cancel any class if deemed necessary and to refuse an entry without having to state the reason.

### **SPECIAL NOTICES:**

- Lunging is not permitted.
- Please do not muck out lorries or trailers onto the car park.
- No horses or ponies must be left tied unattended to lorries or trailers.
- Please observe and respect all signs displayed by Easton & Otley College or HDRC.

No pony or horse may compete more than **once on the same day** in the same **discipline at any championship, except for Dressage and Riding Test competitions when they may be ridden in more than one test if being competed individually and / or as part of a team provided that each test is different and only one test is as part of a team.**

**Horses may compete in both Winter Novice and Intermediate Dressage Competitions.**

Horses that have competed at Elementary dressage level or above in BD affiliated competitions or BRC Official Competition in the current competition year may not compete in Prelim dressage tests , other than in the Prelim section of the Winter Intermediate Dressage if other eligibility criteria is met.

**Entry fees:**

***£48.00 – per team.***

***Individual entry fees, if not part of a team: £12.00 per test***

**Cheques made payable to: Halesworth & District Riding Club.**

**Please add an address and contact number to the back of the cheque.**

**Detailed Entries close: Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2018.**

**Entries: Entries Secretary, H&DRC, The Old Post Office, Metfield, Harleston, Suffolk IP20 0LE**

**Enquiries: Nicky Virgo: 01379 586376 / 07968 236678, Sue Batchelor 01502 711014 / 07974 141459 not after 9.00pm.**

**Times: Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> March by e-mail, on the Area 14 Facebook Page or call Sue Batchelor on 1<sup>st</sup> March between 7.30 – 8.30pm. 01502 711014.**

**For qualifier teams, please enclose a qualifier prelim entry form (can be downloaded from BRC website).**

**Phone contacts on the day: 07968 236678 / 07974 141459 / 07961 553317, please do not phone Easton College**

**IMPORTANT.**

***Note: ALL team members are automatically entered into the individual competition***

**KBIS Novice Winter Championships**

**to be held on 14-15 April 2018**

**Venue Arena UK, Allington Lane, Allington, Grantham Lincs NG32 2EF**

There will be full catering facilities serving hot and cold food throughout the day from the college cafeteria.

**Novice Winter Dressage Area 14 Qualifier**  
**ENTRY FORM (*entries close 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2018*)**

Name of Club:.....

Team Manager: .....

Tel. No. .... Mobile: .....

Email address .....

Address: .....

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..... Post Code .....

**Team Qualifier and/or Area 14 team fee: £48.00 inc First Aid**

Individual entries £12 First aid £3 if not already included within a team

***Note: Team Managers may show Qualifier team details on official (coloured) form to save duplication***

**Entries: Entries Secretary, The Old Post Office, Metfield, Harleston IP20 0LE**

Please Complete One Entry Form Per Team

| CLASS                  | Team Name<br>Senior/Junior             | Competitor | Horse | Points | Entry<br>Fee |
|------------------------|--|------------|-------|--------|--------------|
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| CLASS                  | Individual<br>Rider<br>Senior / Junior | Competitor | Horse | Points | Entry<br>Fee |
|                        |  |            |       |        |              |
|                        |  |            |       |        |              |
| <b>Total enclosed:</b> |  |            |       |        |              |

Signed .....