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BRC AREA 5 COMBINED CHALLENGE QUALIFIER

SUNDAY 3rd APRIL 2022

This competition will test the ability and timing of a horse and rider to negotiate a show jumping course followed by a cross country course – this competition will all be run in a grass arena.

CLASS 1: 70CM MIXED COMBINED CHALLENGE – SJ Speed: 340mpm, XC Speed: 340mpm

Individuals and mixed teams (Senior and/or juniors) - Teams consist of 3 or 4 riders with best 3 scores to count

Open to Junior and Senior members of an affiliated Riding Club that have paid their membership for the current year. This will be run as single phase with Max Height of 70cm.

Horse Eligibility: 0 BE Foundation Points. Horses may be registered with BE but must not have any BE points. Not to have completed a BE90 or above in the current or previous calendar year.

Rider Eligibility: Not to have completed a BE90, AE90, BRC HT90 or CH90 or above in the current competition year. Rider not to compete at 90 or above in qualifier or championship.

CLASS 2: 80CM JUNIOR COMBINED CHALLENGE – SJ Speed: 340mpm, XC Speed: 350mpm

Individuals and teams (juniors) - Teams consist of 3 or 4 riders with best 3 scores to count

Open to junior members of an affiliated Riding Club that have paid their membership for the current year. This will be run as single phase with Max Height of 80cm.

Horse Eligibility: 0 BE Points. Horses may be registered with BE but must not have any BE points. Not to have completed a BE100 or above in the current or previous calendar year.

Rider Eligibility (Not Permitted): Riders who have completed under FEI Rules in FEI 3* (previously 2* until end of 2018) and above only.

CLASS 3: 90CM JUNIOR COMBINED CHALLENGE – SJ Speed: 340mpm, XC Speed: 360mpm

Individuals and teams (juniors) - Teams consist of 3 or 4 riders with best 3 scores to count

Open to junior members of an affiliated Riding Club that have paid their membership for the current year. This will be run as single phase with Max Height of 90cm.

Horse Eligibility: 5 BE Points. Horses may be registered with BE but must not have more than 5 BE points. Not to have completed a BE Novice or above in the current or previous calendar year.

Rider Eligibility (Not Permitted): Riders who have completed under FEI Rules in FEI 3* (previously 2* until end of 2018) and above only.

CLASS 4: 80CM SENIOR COMBINED CHALLENGE – SJ Speed: 340mpm, XC Speed: 350mpm

Individuals and teams (seniors) - Teams consist of 3 or 4 riders with best 3 scores to count

Open to senior members of an affiliated Riding Club that have paid their membership for the current year. This will be run as single phase with Max Height of 80cm.

Horse Eligibility: 0 BE Points. Horses may be registered with BE but must not have any BE points. Not to have completed a BE100 or above in the current or previous calendar year.

Rider Eligibility (Not Permitted): Riders who have completed under FEI Rules in FEI 3* (previously 2* until end of 2018) and above only.



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CLASS 5: 90CM SENIOR COMBINED CHALLENGE – SJ Speed: 340mpm, XC Speed: 360mpm

Individuals and teams (seniors) - Teams consist of 3 or 4 riders with best 3 scores to count

Open to senior members of an affiliated Riding Club that have paid their membership for the current year. This will be run as single phase with Max Height of 90cm.

Horse Eligibility: 5 BE Points. Horses may be registered with BE but must not have more than 5 BE points. Not to have completed a BE Novice or above in the current or previous calendar year.

Rider Eligibility (Not Permitted): Riders who have completed under FEI Rules in FEI 3* (previously 2* until end of 2018) and above only.

CLASS 6: 100CM MIXED COMBINED CHALLENGE – SJ Speed: 340mpm, XC Speed: 375mpm

Individuals and mixed teams (Senior and/or juniors) - Teams consist of 3 or 4 riders with best 3 scores to count

Open to Junior and Senior members of an affiliated Riding Club that have paid their membership for the current year. This will be run as single phase with Max Height of 100cm.

Horse Eligibility: 20 BE Points.

Rider Eligibility (Not Permitted): Riders who have completed under FEI Rules in FEI 4* (previously 3* until end of 2018) and above only.

NO HORSE MAY COMPETE IN MORE THAN ONE COMBINED CHALLENGE CLASS AT THIS COMPETITION

Competitors will start inside of a start box (simple enclosure with an open front marked with a red and white flag), the judge will then sound the bell and competitors will commence onto the course from the start box and through the timing equipment. The show jumping course will consist of a minimum of 6 show jumps, including at least one double and include a proportion with fillers (brushes, walls, etc.). The cross-country course will consist of a minimum of 6 jumping efforts.

ENTRY FEES:

- Non Members: £37 per Individual. Solihull RC Members: £32 per Individual

ENTRIES TO: ONLINE ENTRIES ONLY: <https://www.equineaffairs.com/eventdetails.aspx?id=367203>

A full copy of vaccination certificate must be seen by the chief steward before the competition for each horse/pony's entry. All horses MUST have been vaccinated within one year of the competition and not within the 7 days prior to the event.

Qualifiers for the BRC Combined Championships (formally FOTH) at Washbrook Farm, Aston-le-Walls on the 21st and 22nd May 2022.

CLOSING DATE: Friday 25th March 2022

TIMES: Online at www.solihullridingclub.co.uk/times on Thursday 31st March 2022 after 4pm.

REFUNDS: After the closing date, entries will only be refunded if notified by 12 noon on Monday 28th March 2022 and on receipt of medical/vets certificates.



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THIS RULE WILL BE STRICTLY ADHERED TO AND NO REFUND OF ENTRY WILL BE MADE

Pre-Entries - All entrants must pay a pre-entry per team, and per individual to British Riding Clubs by 11th March 2022. Entry forms can be found on the BRC website for postal entries www.britishridingclubs.org.uk or online entries can be made via <https://brc.bhs.org.uk>

If the date of the qualifier is cancelled for any reason, the close of pre-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 considered from the original close of pre-entry date.

All hats must have a visible **AQUA** BRC hat tag in place before they are used for warming up and competing. There will be a trained steward at the competition who is able to tag your hat for you if it doesn't already have one.

All horses **MUST** be vaccinated in line with Rule G7 of the 2022 rule book. They **MUST** have been vaccinated within one year of the competition and not within the 7 days prior to the event. There is a checking device on the BRC website to help, if in doubt please contact Tony Parker for guidance at a5passports@gmail.com

Tack and Dress Rules

STOP WATCHES ARE NOT PERMITTED AT THIS COMPETITION

Body protectors and riding helmets **WITHOUT** a fixed peak must be worn for this competition.

Please make sure you adhere to tack and dress rules found in the current version of the BRC rules. The full 2022 Rulebook is available to download online. If you have a query regarding these rules, please ring contact Tony Parker or Val Malka for guidance.

General Rules:

"Rules for Official Competitions 2022".

HATS must be worn whenever mounted and conform to PAS015 (1998 or 2011). VG01.040 2014-12 with a BSI Kite mark or Inspec IC mark ASTM F1163.2004a onwards with SEI mark SNELL E2001 or 2016 (No additional mark required)

BODY PROTECTORS A body protector is obligatory for all arena eventing and cross country events and are also strongly recommended for all show jumping events. A BETA Level 3 (Purple label) which has a 2009 label or 2018 Blue label must be worn. Body protectors should be fitted and worn as per the manufacturer's instructions. If a rider chooses to wear an airbag style body protector it must be worn over a permitted body protector and if activated, must be deflated or removed before continuing. Hybrid Air jackets and Helite 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.

CORRECT dress & footwear with defined heels must be worn. Long hair is to be suitably tied up.

ALL horses and ponies must be four years old and over. **All riders to be 8 years old and over.**



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ENTRIES accepted at rider's risk. SRC reserve the right to refuse an entry at their discretion, cancel, amend or amalgamate any class for any reason whatsoever. The Judge's decision is final.

INSURANCE Each competitor must carry their own liability insurance whether Riding Club, Pony Club, BHS, BS, BD, BE or independent cover.

HEALTH & SAFETY The organisers of this event have taken reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present. For these measures to be effective everyone must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents occurring and must obey the instructions of the organisers and all the officials and stewards. Those attending this event must report any accidents to the secretary or organizer of the event.

Please do not leave unattended horses tied to lorries and no hay nets to be tied to the outside of lorries or trailers.

Solihull Riding Club welcomes responsible dog owners. Dogs must be kept on a lead at all times.

DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY save for the death or injury caused by the negligence of the organisers of the event, no liability is accepted for any accident, loss or damage, injury or illness to horses, ponies, owners, riders, spectators, vehicles their contents and accessories, or any other person or property whatsoever, whether caused by their negligence, breach of contract or in any way whatsoever.

COVID-19 precautions

You must not attend site if you, or any of those travelling with you, or anyone from your household is exhibiting any symptoms of being unwell.

We will not accept anyone just "turning up".

Please ensure you bring an adequate supply of water for you and your horse.

Government guidelines could change quickly at any time; therefore Solihull Riding Club reserve the right to close site at short notice.