

British Riding Clubs Area 11 & Area 13 SEIB Insurance Brokers Combined Challenge Qualifier Schedule

(Championships held 5-6 October 2024, Aston Le Walls, Daventry, Northamptonshire, NN11 6RT)

Sunday 4 August 2024

Tweseldown, Bourley Road, Fleet, Hampshire, GU52 8AD

Class	Class Name	Entry Fee
1a	Area 11 70cm Juniors	£55 per competitor
	(teams and/or individuals)	
1b	Area 11 70cm Seniors	£55 pe <mark>r compe</mark> titor
	(teams and/or individuals)	
<mark>1</mark> c	Area 13 70cm Juniors	£55 per c <mark>om</mark> petitor
	(teams and/or individuals)	
1d	Area 13 70cm Seniors	£55 per competitor
	(teams and/or individuals)	
2a 🦯	Area 11 80cm Juniors	£55 per competitor
	(teams and/or individuals)	
2b	Area 11 80cm Seniors	£55 per competitor
	(teams and/or individuals)	
2c	Area 13 80cm Juniors	£55 per competitor
	(teams and/or individuals)	
2d	Area 13 80cm Seniors	£55 per competitor
	(teams and/or individuals)	
3a 🗖 🦷	Area 11 90cm Mixed	£55 per competitor
	(teams and/or individuals)	IINC
3b	Area 13 90cm Mixed	£55 per competitor
	(teams and/or individuals)	
4a	Area 11 100cm Mixed	£55 per competitor
	(teams and/or individuals)	
4b	Area 13 100cm Mixed	£55 per competitor
	(teams and/or individuals)	

Entries direct to Tweseldown at: https://www.tweseldown.co.uk/upcoming-competitions

Please note that entries to Tweseldown will open to competitors from Area 11 and Area 13 clubs who are taking part in the qualifier <u>on Saturday 6th July</u>. The format of the qualifier will also differ slightly from the Championship in that there will be a short pause between the show jumping and cross country phases at this qualifier.

From 13th July, Tweseldown will accept non-qualifier entries to their own event so for those wanting to do the national combined challenge qualifier it is essential to get the local entries in ahead of the pre-entry date (which is 13th July). **No entries will be accepted once classes are full.**

When entering please ensure that it is clear whether you are doing the qualifier and also say whether in a team or an individual (as all team members are automatically individuals, competitors in a team only have to put 'team'). Please also state club name and team name if more than one team.

Eligibility for all classes can be found in the current BRC Handbook (page 73 – please note from September 1st 2022 horses may compete in consecutive heights Arena Eventing and Combined Challenge). Eligibility will be taken from the close of pre-entry. All competitors must be a member and be on the BRC Database by midday 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.

Rules and Regulations

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 which can be found at the link below: <u>https://www.bhs.org.uk/british-riding-clubs/brc-downloads/brchandbook/</u>

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 must be made via the pre-entry website: <u>https://brc.bhs.org.uk/login?referral=%2Fselect</u>. Late pre-entries may be accepted at the discretion of the organiser with a late surcharge of £10 per individual and £20 per team (payable to BRC HQ) if space permits. Late entries cannot be guaranteed and so therefore <u>must not</u> be paid for until approval from the organiser has been gained.

By making a pre entry the team manager / club entry organiser enters into a binding obligation to pay the area entry fee, regardless of whether the club team/individual competes or not. Failure to do so will result in disciplinary action against the club at the discretion of BRC. The date for close of entries for area entries is at the discretion of the organiser, details of whom can be found on the BRC website, on the link attached to 'Area Reps and Qualifiers' page. Area entries will not be accepted if a pre entry has not been made to BRC.

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 Friday before the qualifier, regardless of rescheduling. 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.

Withdrawals, Cancellations and Refunds

Where a withdrawal has been made, the relevant team manager will need to inform the organiser and BRC, who may at their own discretion of a refund/credit note for the entries that are no longer needed. Where a qualifier has been cancelled and is reorganised within 21 days, all entries will be transferred to the new date, unless the team manager states otherwise. For those unable to make a new date, there will be 14 days from the date of the rescheduled qualifier to claim a credit note / refund for the qualifier.

If the new qualifier date is after 21 days of the original date, then entries will open back up and close 21 days before the new qualifier date. Any club who cannot make the new date will have until the close of entries to claim a credit note.

For a qualifier that is cancelled and does not have a new date, the clubs will have 14 days to claim a credit note / refund for the qualifier.

Hats

All hats must have a visible **current** 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.

Body Protectors

A body to the current BRC standard must be worn for this competition. For the correct standards please see the BRC handbook for further details (Section 2, page 33). Riders wearing an exo body cage must have a BETA Level 3 2000 Label. The rider must also inform the secretary at the event that they will be using an Exo Body Cage.

Flu Vaccinations & Microchips

Your horse must have up to date influenza vaccinations in line with rule G7 in the current BRC Handbook. There is also a checking device on the BRC website. If you are unsure, please call BRC on 02476 840518. As of 1 October 2020, 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.

Flu vaccinations will be checked on the day.

BRC Code of Conduct/Showground Rules

The BRC code of conduct must be observed at all BRC events such as qualifiers and championships, this includes the conduct of members, officials, volunteers and representatives. A full summary of the BRC code of conduct can be found in section 1 page 3 of the BRC handbook. This includes, horse/pony welfare, safeguarding, equality and diversity, good conduct and discipline and social media. Any person on the show ground must follow any and all instructions that are made. Tweseldown's full terms and conditions are available on their website.

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