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Cheltenham and District Riding Club

Hosts

BRC Area 18 Dressage to Music Qualifier BRC Dressage to Music Championships 2018

Incorporating

Warm-up classes open to all

10th June 2018

Summerhouse Equestrian Centre, Bath Road, Hardwicke, Gloucestershire, GL2 2RG

Class 1. Warm up: Prelim 19	Warm up class. This class will only run if qualifier entries and time allow, entries may be limited and will be taken on a first come first served basis. Entries/fees on a separate form/cheque to team entry.	£12 non CDRC members £10 CDRC members
Class 2. Junior Dressage to Music Prelim 20 x 60 arena	Area Qualifier. Open to Junior members of an affiliated Area 18 Riding Club. Horses not to have won any BD points at the close of prelim entry. Horses downgraded by BRC to zero points are eligible. Test: BD Prelim Freestyle to Music 2016	£15
Class 3. Warm up: Novice 39	Warm up class. This class will only run if qualifier entries and time allow, entries may be limited and will be taken on a first come first served basis. Entries/fees on a separate form/cheque to team entry.	£12 non CDRC members £10 CDRC members
Class 4. Senior Dressage to Music Novice Zero Points Section 20 x 60 arena	Area Qualifier. Open to Senior members of an affiliated Area 18 Riding Club. Horses not to have won any Novice BD points at the close of prelim entry. Horses downgraded by BRC to zero Novice points are eligible. Test: BD Novice Freestyle to Music 2016	£15
Class 5. Senior Dressage to Music Novice Unlimited Points Section 20 x 60 arena	Area Qualifier. Open to Senior members of an affiliated Area 18 Riding Club. See Appendix 2/3 for eligibility. Test: BD Novice Freestyle to Music 2016	£15
Class 6. Junior Dressage to Music Novice Unlimited Points Section 20 x 60 arena	Area Qualifier. Open to Junior members of an affiliated Area 18 Riding Club. See Appendix 2/3 for eligibility. Test: BD Novice Freestyle to Music 2016	£15
Class 7. Novice Pairs Dressage to Music 20 x 60 arena	Area Qualifier. Open to Junior or Senior members of an affiliated Area 18 Riding Club. Unlimited Novice BD points, up to 35 Elementary points.	£25

	Horses and riders will be expected to ride together, side by side, for at least 80% of the test. Test: BRC Pairs Dressage to Music Test (see BRC Handbook)	
Class 8. Pairs Dressage to Music 20 x 60 arena	Area Qualifier. Open to Junior or Senior members of an affiliated Area 18 Riding Club. Unlimited Advanced Medium points, up to 35 Advanced points. Horses and riders will be expected to ride together, side by side, for at least 80% of the test. Test: BRC Pairs Dressage to Music Test (see BRC Handbook)	£25
Class 9. Warm up: Elementary 59	Warm up class. This class will only run if qualifier entries and time allow, entries may be limited and will be taken on a first come first served basis. Entries/fees on a separate form/cheque to team entry.	£12 non CDRC members £10 CDRC members
Class 10. Mixed Junior/Senior Elementary Dressage to Music 20 x 60 arena	Area Qualifier. Open to Junior or Senior members of an affiliated Area 18 Riding Club. See Appendix 2/3 for eligibility. Test: BD Elementary Freestyle to Music 2016	£15
Class 11. Mixed Junior/Senior Pick Your Own Dressage to Music 20 x 60 arena	Area Qualifier. Open to Senior members of an affiliated Area 18 Riding Club. See Appendix 2/3 for eligibility. Test: BD Medium Freestyle to Music 2016 OR Test: BD Advanced Medium Freestyle to Music 2016	£15

Horses will only be permitted to compete in two individual championship classes (direct entry, warm up classes and pairs not included). Competitors that qualify the same horse in three individual championship classes will be required to choose which two classes they will contest at the Championship. This must be declared to the Official Steward at the area qualifier on the day.

Music must be presented on CD to the secretary at least 30 minutes before the scheduled time of their test. CDs must only contain one track. CDs must be labelled with rider's name and competitor number, an indication of when to start the music (i.e. start music as I salute **or** start music as I reach D).

All competitors in music classes must be current music members of BD.

Back numbers will be provided – if you chose not to wear this number, numbers must be displayed on both sides of the horse (updated rule 13.3.2018).

Entries:

Preliminary entries for teams must be made **by the club representative** to the BRC Office 21 days before the Area Qualifier. Prelim entries must be paid directly to BRC via postal entry (see BRC website for printable form) or online entries can be made via the BHS bookshop (www.britishhorse.com). Entries should also be made via the official BRC Area entry form, (download from BRC website) to the Secretary.

Entries Secretary: Jules Webb, 19 Messenger Way, Cheltenham GL51 6GH. Cheques made payable to CDRC.
Cheltenhamridingclub@hotmail.co.uk **no entries by email please.**

Warm up entries - please use the separate entry form (at the bottom of the schedule) and use a separate cheque (If the classes do not run the cheques will be destroyed).

Entry fees:

£12 per rider (CDRC members £10) for warm up classes. £15 for individual Area Qualifier entries.

All cheques made payable to CDRC with club and contact number printed on the back.

Times will be available on Area 18 website (<http://www.brcarea18.co.uk/>) and on Cheltenham and District Riding Club website (www.cheltenhamridingclub.net) on the Thursday before the competition.

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.

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 tag your hat if it does not currently have one.

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

Area PRELIM entries close 20th May 2018 (21 days before the qualifier)

Please use Area Entry form (available on BRC website) and send to Jules Webb by 1st June 2018.

Warm up class entries close 1st June 2018, or earlier if classes are full. Updates will be issued via email and social media.

A PHOTOGRAPHER will be in attendance

THIS EVENT IS BEING RUN UNDER CURRENT BRITISH RIDING CLUB RULES

ADDITIONAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

- CDRC will not tolerate any verbal or physical abuse of its members, competitors, spectators or animals and reserves the right to ask any person deemed to be behaving inappropriately to leave the showground.
- Any animal behaving in a manner which may pose a danger to other attendees may be asked to leave the ring / show ground – no refund of entry fees will be made
- Stallions must display a stallion disc at all times
- Horses or ponies must be at least 4 years of age to compete
- A child protection trained member of the CDRC committee is available all day – contact the secretary
- Horses must not be unattended tied to the outside of vehicles. No haynets to be tied to the outside of vehicles
- All dogs must be kept on a lead at all times and all fouling must be removed
- Directions of any steward or representative of CDRC must be followed, failure to do so may result in elimination and / or being asked to leave a class / the show ground. No refund of entry fees will be made.
- The judge's decision and that of the BRC Official Steward is final. Any objections must be made in accordance with BRC rule G14l.
- [Human] First aid available – contact the secretary
- CDRC, the BHS, BRC and the land owners, accept no responsibility for accident, injury, loss or damage to any horse, vehicles, riders, grooms, spectators etc while in attendance at this event

Warm up classes entry form – please see BRC website for Area Entry Form.

Class entered	Rider name	Horse's name	Fee
			Total:

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