





**CROOME HUNT BRANCH of The Pony Club** 

# OPEN SHOW JUMPING SHOW FOR TEAMS & INDIVIDUALS

on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2024

In the International Arena, Hartpury University

Gloucester, GL19 3BE To include

Area 9 Area Qualifiers (PC80/90/100/110)

for The Pony Club Barrier Spring Festival (England/Wales) 2025
The Championships will be held at Addington Equestrian Centre, MK18 2JR
On 1<sup>st</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2025

and

Qualifiers (in 70/80/90/100cm classes) for the Hartpury South--West Unaffiliated Showjumping Championships, to be held at Hartpury 24<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> May 2025

# **PHOTOGRAPHER - Top Shots**

(www.topshots.co.uk)

**CATERING** – onsite provided by Hartpury University

FIRST AID: Rapid Response Systems Ltd (www.rapid-response-systems.co.uk)

Entries via Horse Events, info@horse-events.co.uk or call 07962 251696 not after 7pm.

ENTER ONLINE AT http://www.horse-events.co.uk/

### FOR ALL SHOW ENQUIRIES PLEASE CONTACT:

Caitlin and Jane Ogle (Show Organisers) email: <a href="mailto:croomepcshows@hotmail.com">croomepcshows@hotmail.com</a>

**TIMES will be available on ponyclubresults.com** not before 19:00 on Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> October – please ensure you read ALL the notes on the Homepage, before looking at your times

# **SCHEDULE**

CLASS ONE: 70cm (Single Phase) Individuals only

This class may be restricted to those entering the PC80 Spring Festival qualifier if over-subscribed.

CLASS TWO: 80cm (Single Phase) Teams (of 3) and Individuals

Spring Festival Qualifier for PC80\*

CLASS THREE: 90cm (Single Phase) Teams (of 3) and Individuals

Spring Festival Qualifier for PC90\*

CLASS FOUR: 100cm (Single Phase) Teams (of 3) and Individuals

Spring Festival Qualifier for PC100\*

**CLASS FIVE: 110cm** (Table A7) Teams (of 3) and Individuals

Spring Festival Qualifier for PC100 Grand Prix\*

\*All classes are open to all, but only members of Branches/Centres in Area 9 can qualify for the Spring Festival Championships, at this show.

**ROSETTES:** All classes will have one set of rosettes (1st – 6th) both for Individuals and Teams

**Enter online** at <a href="www.horse-events.co.uk">www.horse-events.co.uk</a> If you have any queries regarding online entries please contact Horse-Events info@horse-events.co.uk

# ENTRY FEE: £16 per combination per class plus £3 per horse for First Aid

N.B. Horse-events will charge a non-refundable booking fee

# CLOSING DATE: Friday 25th October 2024

Please enter early to guarantee your place – CLASSES WILL CLOSE <u>BEFORE</u> THE CLOSING DATE IF ENTRIES ARE FULL – a waiting list will be kept after entries close.

If over-subscribed, priority will be given to those from Area 9 entering a SF qualifier

For Refunds and Withdrawal Policies – please see Rules #5 and #6

**For the Team Competition Qualifier** – Branches/Centres may enter a team of **three** members in each class height - all three scores will count. Branches/Centres may enter as many teams as required for each SF Qualifier height.

**DCs/Centre Proprietors/Team Managers:** you must email your teams for the SF Qualifiers to Caitlin (<a href="mailto:croomepcshows@hotmail.com">croomepcshows@hotmail.com</a>) by Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October (12n00n), please.

# Numbers to qualify for the Championships:

**TEAMS:** The top placed eligible team will qualify for the Championships at each SF height: when a qualifying individual is a member of a qualifying team, the qualifying individual place will be passed down.

# INDIVIDUALS: PC80,PC90 and PC100:

Number of starters	Number to qualify
1-50	4
51-60	5
61-70	6
And pro rata	

PC110 Grand Prix: any combination eliminated/retired in Round One will NOT qualify

Number of starters	Number to qualify
1-15	4
16 and above	5

**N.B.** Any individuals not entered for the Team Competition Qualifiers, will be put into mixed teams of three (all scores to count) – these teams will NOT be eligible to qualify for the Championships

### **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

PASSPORTS: horses/ponies will not be allowed to compete without their passport with valid flu vaccinations –please check that your pony/horse conforms to PC rules, available on the Pony Club website (<a href="www.pcuk.org">www.pcuk.org</a> officials</a> equine welfare and veterinary</a>vaccinations). All ponies and horses coming to the event must comply with the Pony Club vaccination rules, whether the rider is a PC member or not. Passports will be spot checked for compliance. A horse with a non-compliant passport will NOT be allowed to compete (nor will any horses travelling in the same trailer/lorry) and there will be no refund of entry. Please allow time for passport checking on the day.

N.B. Please be aware that travelling your horse (unless an emergency) without the horse's own passport, means that you are liable for a fine of up to £5000 and/or up to two years imprisonment.

NUMBERS: rider numbers must be printed out by each competitor – if wearing a number bib please wear front and back. If the number is to be put on the saddlecloth – please use A5 size and wear both sides. If the number is to be worn on the back of the rider, then please print at least A5 size. Numbers to be printed/written as large as possible in dark ink please.

Please do NOT use bridle numbers anywhere on the horse or rider.

1. Teams to be made up of 3 combinations (must be three different riders for the SF Qualifiers) with all three scores to count.

Mixed teams will be made up from individuals - these mixed teams will not be eligible to qualify for the Spring Festival Championships.

- 2. Substitutions allowed please tell the Secretary (Entries before the day) or the Judges (on the day).
- 3. The Organisers reserve the right to refuse entry, alter the order of the classes, cancel classes and/or limit entries.
- 4. **Pre-entries are essential as entries will be limited.** If you miss the closing date, please email the Show Organisers for available spaces. A waiting list will be held if necessary. Entries will be closed if full before the published closing date.
- 5. Closing date for entries Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2024. Entries will close if full and a waiting list will be held. There will be a notice on horse-events (and the Area 9 FB page) when entries have closed.

Withdrawal refunds will be given up to the published closing date; after the published closing date refunds will only be given on receipt of a relevant doctor/vet certificate received by horse-events by 6<sup>th</sup> November 2024 – please scan and email the certificate to horse-events.

- 6. If the show is cancelled due to circumstances beyond our control, entry fees will be refunded via horse-events.

  ALL refunds will be subject to an administration fee of £3 per entry.
- 7. **TIMES/DRAWN ORDERS WILL BE GIVEN** please see ponyclubresults.com after 19:00 Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> October. Please read all the notes on the show's homepage on ponyclubresults.com before looking at your times. Competitors may be asked to jump before their drawn order time please be ready at least 15 minutes before your scheduled time.
- 8. Competitor numbers MUST always be visible whilst mounted.
- 9. Only accompanying adults(16 years and over) may adjust the jumps in the warm-up arena and be at the jumps (no children to be on the floor at the jumps please). All spectators, when not altering the practice jumps, must be at the side of the arena out of the way of the horses.

### All riders under16 years must have an adult with them.

10. Each horse/pony may only jump once in each class and in a maximum of three classes. Stallions are allowed with prior permission from the Show Organiser; any stallion ridden by a Pony Club member **must** have written permission from their DC/Centre Proprietor which must be sent to the Show Organiser prior to the show day. Stallions must wear stallion discs and ribbons.

All horse/ponies must be at least 5 years old by the January 1<sup>st</sup> in the year of the competition day. (see page 20 of the 2024 PC Rules Book)

- 11. Turnout for ALL Pony Club members and horses should be as in the Pony Club Rules for Show-jumping 2024.

  Rules available on the main Pony Club website.
- 12. **SPURS**: ALL spurs worn anywhere on the showground, by **any** competitor, must comply with Pony Club rules. Misuse of spurs by any competitor will be recorded and reported and may result in disqualification from the competition.
- 13. Any abuse of horses/ponies, officials, other competitors, or members of the public will not be tolerated and those found doing so will be asked to leave the venue with no compensation and may be reported to the relevant authority.

- 14. Judges' decision is final. Any objection must be handed to the Judges Box in writing with a £40 deposit (which will be forfeited if the objection is not upheld) within 15 minutes of the incident and BEFORE the end of that class.
- 15. **INSURANCE:** please ensure that you have adequate/appropriate insurance for rider, horse, property and third party.
- 16. **PHOTOGRAPHS:** by entering this competition you are agreeing to be photographed whilst competing; these photographs may be used for future publicity. If you do not wish to be photographed, please tell the photographer on entering the arena before you jump.
- 17. Participants attend at their own risk; neither the Committee nor Hartpury University will be liable for any loss, damage or accident to horses, riders, property, or other persons.
- 18. No horses/ponies may be left tied to the outside of trailers/lorries without supervision. Please clear any muck/rubbish and do not leave on the lorry park. Please, park cars as directed (usually in the lower car park) not by the lorries. Please be aware that there is no gate between the lorry park and the main road.
- 20. Dogs must always be kept on a short lead and be under close control. Please clear up after your dog.
- 21. The show will be run under The Pony Club Show jumping Rules 2024 and the Rules for The Barrier Spring Festival 2025 both are available online on The Pony Club website

### **DISCLAIMERS**

1. Save for the death or personal injury caused by the negligence of the organisers or anyone for whom they are in law responsible, neither the organisers of this event or The Pony Club nor any agent, employee, or representative of these bodies, nor the landlord or his tenant, accepts any liability for any accident, loss, damage, injury or illness to horses, owners, riders, spectators, land, cars/lorries/trailers, their contents and accessories or any other personal property whatsoever, whether caused by their negligence, breach of contract or in any way whatsoever.

### Entries are only accepted on this basis.

- 2. The organisers of this event have taken all reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present at this event. For these measures to be effective, everyone must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents. They must obey the instructions of the organisers and all officials and stewards.
- 3. All non-Pony Club competitors are not covered by The Pony Club insurance and must have their own third-party cover. The Croome Hunt Branch of The Pony Club and the organisers of this event are not legally responsible for non-Members and their insurance will not cover them.

BY ENTERING THIS SHOW COMPETITORS ARE ACCEPTING ALL RULES & REGULATIONS AND THE DISCLAIMERS.

(in the schedule, times and displayed on the day)