

# PONY CLUB



## Area 12



### BARRIER SPRING FESTIVAL

#### Show Jumping Qualifiers

#### 1<sup>st</sup> February 2025

Bury Farm Equestrian Centre

Main Sponsor NFU Mutual, Hemel Hempstead

Championships held at Addington Equestrian

March 2025



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# ALL CLASSES PRE-ENTRY ONLY

## **Class 1 PC 80 Sponsored by Whitestar Commercial Data & Electrical Services** **ELIGIBILITY**

A combination of horse/pony and rider are NOT eligible if they have completed any competition with a starting height of 100cm or above in the previous calendar year



## **Class 2 PC 90 Sponsored by NFU Mutual Hemel Hempstead** **ELIGIBILITY**

A combination of horse/pony and rider are NOT eligible if they have completed any competition with a starting height of 110cm or above in the previous calendar year



## **Class 3 PC 100 Sponsored by NFU Mutual Hemel Hempstead** **ELIGIBILITY**

A combination of horse/pony and rider are NOT eligible if they have previously finished 1st to 3rd as an individual at the Summer Championships at PC100 level or above on two or more occasions in the last five years.



## **Class 4 PC 110 GRAND PRIX Sponsored by NFU Mutual Hemel Hempstead** **ELIGIBILITY**

Riders CANNOT compete in the Open Grand Prix Area Competition if they have ridden in the PC80 Spring Festival Area Competition in the same year.



Entry fee £27.00 per class (plus booking fee)

## ENTRIES

[www.horse-events.co.uk](http://www.horse-events.co.uk) closing date 20<sup>th</sup> January  
earlier if classes are full.

Secretary Sue Palmer-Shaw [oldberkeleynorth@pcuk.org](mailto:oldberkeleynorth@pcuk.org)

Times available on [www.ponyclubresults.co.uk](http://www.ponyclubresults.co.uk) from 28th January

## RESULTS AND ROSETTES

Individual rosettes to 8th place.  
Team rosettes to 6th place.

### BARRIER-SPRING-FESTIVAL-2025-ENGWAL-ALL-RULES

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

All competitors must be members of the Pony Club both at the closing date for entries to the competition and at the date of the competition.

- A combination of horse and rider can compete at two adjacent levels of the same sport.
- No horse may be ridden more than once in the same class.
- Riders may ride a maximum of three horses at the Area Competition and two horses at the Championships in any one class.
- Horses may only be ridden by one rider in a class at the Area Competitions and at the Championships.

**PC80, PC90, and PC100 classes will run as a Single Phase.**

**PC110 will be run as Table A7. All dimensions apply to the first round of each competition. The jump-off or the timed section of a single phase will have two/three fences at 5cm higher than the class height.**

**Except where varied in these rules, this competition will be judged in accordance with the Pony Club Show Jumping Rule Book.**

#### SADDLERY & DRESS

The current Pony Club Saddlery and Dress Rules apply.

#### TEAM COMPETITION

Branches/Centres may enter a team of **three** members in each section of the Area Qualifier competitions. The team members must compete in the same level of competition. The team must comprise of three members and all three scores count. Area/Mixed Teams will not be eligible to qualify for the Championships.

## LEGAL LIABILITY

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, their contents and accessories, or any other person or property whatsoever, whether caused by their negligence breach of contract or in any other way whatsoever. Entries are only accepted on this basis.

## HEALTH & SAFETY

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 the officials and stewards.

OBH North Branch of The Pony Club and the organisers of this event are not legally responsible for non-members and their insurance will not cover you.

Every horse or pony to have current in date Flu vaccinations. Boosters within 12 months

### Substitutions for teams & individuals

**No substitutes shall be allowed after the Competition has started.**

## STABLING

- Day Stables are available to book for pony club shows via dedicated event links which can be found on the events tab of the Bury Farm website, [www.buryfarmquestrianvillage.co.uk](http://www.buryfarmquestrianvillage.co.uk)
- Any horse or pony which uses a Bury Farm stable must be deemed fit and healthy, and must be fully vaccinated. Bury Farm operates a 12-month vaccination policy
- Bury Farm will keep stabling open until the Thursday lunchtime prior to a Saturday show, and the Friday lunchtime prior to a Sunday show. Any stable bookings after this time will need to be managed directly by the pony club organisers
- Bury Farm will supply a list of stable allocations for both free helper and paid-for day stables to the pony club organiser via email on the Thursday afternoon prior to a Saturday show, or a Friday afternoon prior to a Sunday show
- It is the pony club's responsibility to ensure that these allocations are adhered to at the show. A member of the pony club should be nominated as the 'go-to' person to provide directions on where to go for stables, and to check that the allocations do not differ from those provided by Bury Farm prior to the event. Organisers are also encouraged to do spot checks on passports to adhere with Bury Farm's biosecurity policies.
- All stables, must be left clean and dry with banks forked to the sides upon departure. A muck-out fee of £15 will be charged for any competitor who does not leave stables in a suitable condition upon departure. This fee will revert to the pony club if there is any dispute on which competitor used a stable, and so it is important that the pony club organiser is confident of which stables have been used by whom at the show.

## MAKING CHANGES

- To edit your horse or rider details before the closing date log in to your
- Horse Events account and edit your booking under the 'MY BOOKING' tab.
- To change class email [info@horse-events.co.uk](mailto:info@horse-events.co.uk) to see if this can be accommodated.

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