

**PONY
CLUB**



OBH North Pony Club

Arena Eventing COMPETITION

Saturday 5th February 2022

**Bury Farm Equestrian, Slapton, Bucks, LU7 9BT
Incorporating The Barrier Animal HealthSpring Festival
Qualifiers**

Open to Pony Club Members and Non-Members

Teams and Individuals (Individuals to qualify for second round)

Please note non-members of the Pony Club may compete in this preliminary round but must become fully paid-up members of the Pony Club (max age 25) to compete at the Area final and championship.

Rules available at www.pcuk.org

Entries secretary Horse Events info@horse-events.co.uk

07962251696 before 7pm.

Competition Secretary: Sue Palmer-Shaw Tel: 07887 422290

obhnorthsue@gmail.com

Pre- entries on line at www.horse-events.co.uk

by 24th January 2022, wait list will be held

AREA FINAL BURY FARM SUNDAY 13th MARCH 2022

CHAMPIONSHIP ARENA UK 8th – 10th April 2022

CLASS 1 Hoxton Capital Management 70cm. Team & Individual

(For 70cm individual Spring Festival qualifier, riders must be 14 years or under on 1st January 2021. Please state eligibility at entry) All team riders automatically count as individuals. Team members may be any age.

Kindly sponsored by www.hoxtoncapital.com



CLASS 2 Hernz Electrical Services 80cm. Team & individual

All team riders automatically count as individuals

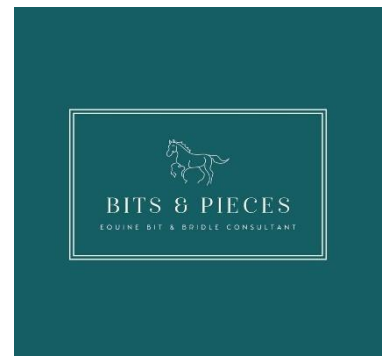
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CLASS 3 Bits & Pieces 90 cm. Team & individual

All team riders automatically count as individuals.

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CLASS 4 Visala Soft Furnishings 100cm.

Team & Individual

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The Course is made up of SJ & simulated XC fences with an optimum time & no style mark. Larger arenas may use secured XC portables. Riders will jump a series of show jumps and then proceed immediately into the XC phase. The winner will be the competitor with the lowest number of penalties. In the event of a tie the winner will be the one closest to the optimum time. Teams of 3 or 4, the best 3 scores count.

All classes incorporate The Pony Club Spring Festival Qualifiers for eligible combinations from Area 12.

Further details on PCUK website- <https://pcuk.org/sports/eventing/competitions-and-events/barrier-animal-health-spring-festival-arena-eventing/>

Course walking on the day will be available prior to the commencement of each class. Please always ensure social distancing and do not touch the fences.

ENTRIES

- The deadline for entries is 24th January 2022 and spaces are strictly limited
- Entries £30 per rider for non OBH North PC Member, OBH North members £25 (includes paramedic fee)
- Team entry fees £8 per team (OBH North competitors exempt from team fee).
- Teams to consist of 3 or 4 competitors in the same class, all to be entered as individuals and declared as a team on the entry form online.
- No refunds after the closing date, all entries subject to a non-refundable booking fee
- If you would need to edit your horse or rider details before the closing date of the event, please login to your Horse Events account and edit your booking under the 'MY BOOKING' Tab
- If you would like to change the class, please email info@horse-events.co.uk and if there is space available, we will do this for you.
- For ALL changes of horse and rider substitutions after the closing date there is a £5 charge, please fill out the following form online <https://www.horse-events.co.uk/rider-horse-substitutions-form/>
- No Substitution of entries after the closing date

RESULTS AND ROSETTES

- Individual rosettes to 8th place.
- Team rosettes to 4th place
- Results will be published on <https://branches.pcuk.org/oldberkeleyhuntnorth>

NUMBERS AND TIMINGS

- Times will be posted on www.horse-events.co.uk by 2nd February 2022

- Please print your own A4 number and wear in a bib or pinned to your jacket on the day, avoid bridle numbers

Vet on call: Chiltern Equine Photographer: SBM Photography

RULES

1. The Show will be run under The Pony Club Eventing Rules 2020 and The Pony Club Spring Festival Arena Eventing Rules, all of which are available on www.pcuk.org
2. Riders cannot compete in more than two classes per day. Horses/ponies cannot compete more than once in each class or in more than two classes on the day.
3. Horses and ponies must be four years or older on the day of the competition
4. 70cm class – only those riders 14yrs and under on 1/1/2021 will be eligible for the Spring Festival qualifier. Please state on entry form.
5. Competitors may qualify a maximum of two horses and/or ponies for any one Championship Class. Riders/horses/ponies and/or combination of horse and rider can qualify for more than one Championship Class.
6. Vaccinations – Pony Club rules on vaccinations will apply - see biosecurity policy on <https://pcuk.org/about-us/policies/>. Random checks may be carried out.
7. Cross Country compliant XC kit and Saddlery should be worn. The Pony Club Saddlery and Dress rules apply at all Area Competitions and the Championships
8. **HATS MUST NOT be fixed peak and must comply with current Pony Club Rule book. Failure to comply may result in elimination. Hats must be tagged with the aquamarine tag**
Body protectors BETA 2009 [LEVEL3] purple label compulsory
 All teams must present themselves to the tack steward 10 minutes before their start time for tack inspection (as permitted by Covid 19 guidelines). Individuals/team managers should ensure their tack is safe
9. The Judges' and Organisers' decision is final.
10. No horses are to be left tied to the outside of a lorry / trailer.
11. Dogs are allowed on site but must be kept on a lead. Any dog mess must be cleared up.
12. The Show organisers reserve the right to cancel any class with less than 3 entries.
13. Withdrawals received after closing date (24th January 2022) will not be refunded. Withdrawals received on/before 24th January 2022 will be refunded the entry fee less a booking fee.
14. If the event is cancelled for any reason (including but not limited to, Government or Pony Club Covid19-related restrictions) entry fees will be refunded less an administration fee of up to £5.
15. If you do not adhere to the rules, you may be asked to leave the site even if you have not yet competed.

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.
- Non-Pony Club competitors are not covered by The Pony Club insurance and must have their own third-party cover. 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

COVID-19 REGULATIONS IF APPLICABLE

Health Check - Please do not attend the event if you or anyone from your household (or with whom you have had close contact) have tested positive or have symptoms of coronavirus.

- Everyone on site must adhere to Government guidance
- Social distancing AT ALL TIMES, anyone feeling unwell must NOT attend.
- Park 5m away from the next vehicle.
- Each rider may have only ONE supporter which may be a parent/driver/ groom. The supporter must be named on the Entry Form and checks will be made at the Lorry Park entrance. NO additional non-competing siblings or spectators are permitted. Children must not be left unattended at any time.
- Warm-up arena will be stewarded and a maximum of 5 competitors (those due in jumping order) allowed at any time.
- 1 supporter per competitor allowed in the warm-up arena.
- There will not be a secretary on the day – any objections must be made by email to Sue Palmer-Shaw @ oldberkeleynorth@pcuk.org no later than 4pm on the day of the competition
- SAFETY TACK INSPECTION – due to Covid-19 there will not be a tack inspection, but competitors (or the accompanying adult) are responsible for the safety of their equipment and compliance to Pony Club rules.
- The cafe will be open - Face masks are mandatory in the café
- ARRIVE / COMPETE / LEAVE

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