

AREA 19 FOUNDATION CHAMPIONSHIP DAY

Organised by Lanark & Upperward Pony Club

OVERTON FARM, CROSSFORD, CARLUKE, ML8 5QF

SATURDAY 7TH JUNE 2025

* The Foundation Championship is focussed on those who have not ridden at PC80 and above.
* The aim of the day is to allow all members to enjoy the fun of a Championship.
* All classes will run under Pony Club rules

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***FOUNDATION DRESSAGE CHAMPIONSHIP***

**WALK TROT CLASS – Lead Rein** Individual only class – ELIGIBILITY must not have taken part in the Spring Festival Dressage, Regional Championship or Area Qualifier classes within the past two years.
**WALK TROT CLASS (Unassisted)** Mixed Level Team and Individual class – ELIGIBILITY must not have taken part in the Spring Festival Dressage, Regional Championship or Area Qualifier classes within the past two years.
**Introduction to Dressage test 2019 and PRELIM PC70 CLASS** Mixed Level Team and Individual class – ELIGIBILITY must not have taken part in the Spring Festival Dressage Championship or Regional Championship at **Grassroots** or above or Area Qualifier classes within the past two years.
Combinations may compete in a maximum of two of the above dressage classes within the day, but only once within a team.

**Mixed Team Competitions for Walk Trot, Intro and PC70 classes**
Mixed Team competition is designed to enable branches to include riders of differing ages & experience in one team. A Mixed Teams of 3 or 4 can be made up of competitors from Walk Trot, Intro and PC70 classes but not lead rein. Prior to entering, Branches DC will need agree a Team Name to enter online. In doing so, the DC will have certified the eligibility of horse and rider. All team riders will automatically count for an individual placings in their class providing they are eligible.

**Scoring Dressage** – please see rule 50 in the Pony Club Dressage Rule Book 2024
**Scoring for Mixed Level Teams from classes Walk Trot, Intro and PC70 Tests**
When all the tests have been totalled, the competitors in each arena shall be placed in order. Points shall be awarded to each competitor depending on their placing (1st = 1 point, 2nd = 2 points etc) relative only to other team competitors in that arena and not on their overall placing in that arena. The points for the three best placed team members shall be added together to give the team score. The winning team will be the team with the least points. In the event of equality of team scores, the collective scores of the three best team members are added together, the highest placed team is the one with the highest collectives.

Competitors **must** be correctly dressed in their competition riding clothes (jackets etc) for Prize giving

**Class 1 – Walk & Trot Dressage Test 2022- LEAD REIN INDIVIDUALS ONLY**

Open to lead rein and individuals only. Test is the Walk & Trot Dressage Test 2022 which may be led/assisted on a loose lead rein (the rider must steer). All tests can be downloaded on Pony Club website.

Lead rein/assisted classes- Leaders in lead rein competitions must follow the line taken by the pony and must be behind the animal’s head at all times. The rider must steer and be able to sit unsupported in the saddle. The lead rein must be connected to the noseband and not to the bit. Snaffle bridles must be used.

Rosettes 1st-6th placed individuals

Entry fee £15

C**lass 2- Walk & Trot Dressage Test 2022- MIXED TEAMS & INDIVIDUALS**

Entry fee £15

**Class 3- Introduction to Dressage Test 2019- MIXED TEAMS & INDIVIDUALS**

**This will be split into 2 sections:-**

**Section A- Competitors who have not yet reached their 14th birthday as at 1st Jan 2025**

**Section B- Competitors 14 or older as at 1st Jan 2025.**

Open to rider/horse combination not to have been placed 1st or 2nd at a higher level or above BD Intro level.

Teams can be made up of riders competing at any level (ie a team of four riders at the same level or any combination of 4 riders at a different level).

Rosettes 1st-6th placed individuals

Entry fee £15

**Class 4 – PRELIMINARY PC70 Dressage Test 2022- MIXED TEAMS & INDIVIDUALS**

ELIGIBILITY must not have taken part in Spring Festival Championship Grassroots, Regional Championship Grassroots or Area Qualifier classes within the past two years.

**This will be split into 2 sections:-**

**Section A- Competitors who have not yet reached their 14th birthday as at 1st Jan 2025**

**Section B- Competitors 14 or older as at 1st Jan 2025.**

Rosettes 1st-6th placed individuals

Entry fee £15

SHOWJUMPING FOUNDATION CHAMPIONSHIP

The aim of this day is to allow all members to enjoy the fun of a Championship.

Classes PC30, PC40,PC50, PC60 & PC70 combinations are not eligible if they have taken part in the Spring Festival Show Jumping, Regional Championship or Area Qualifier classes (eg. PC80 and higher) within the past two years.

 Combinations may compete in a maximum of two of the above show jumping classes within the day, but only once within a team.  Single Phase.

Lead rein /assisted classes:
Leaders in Lead Rein competitions must follow the line taken by the pony and must be behind the animal’s head at all times. The ride must steer and be able to sit unsupported in the saddle. The lead rein must be connected to the noseband and not to the bit. Snaffle bridles only must be used.

Mixed Team Competitions
Mixed Team competition is designed to enable branches to include riders of differing ages & experience in one team. A Mixed Teams of 3 or 4 can be made up from PC30 (not lead rein)/PC40/PC50 , PC60 & PC70 levels. Prior to entering, Branches DC will need agree a Team Name to enter online. In doing so, the DC will have certified the eligibility of horse and rider. All team riders will automatically count for an individual placings in their class providing they are eligible.

Run in single phase format. The places would be decided by the best three scores in each team and, if equality persists, by the aggregate times of the three scoring competitors in each team.

Individuals
The winner will be the horse/rider combination who have the fewest jumping penalties and fastest time.

Single Phase Show Jumping Competitions
The course is in two parts. Having jumped the first part of the course, all competitors will immediately continue, even if they have faults (unless they have been eliminated), to jump the second part of the course, which is against the clock. The winner is the rider with the fewest (or zero) faults, accumulated over both sections, with the fastest time over the second part of the course. Maximum Time - twice the optimum time allowed to complete the course.

Competitors must be correctly dressed in their competition riding clothes (jackets etc) for Prize givings.

All other rules are available at - <https://pcuk.org/officials/rulebooks/>

**Class 5- PC30 Showjumping Lead rein & Assisted- INDIVIDUALS ONLY**

An inviting cross pole course at 30cms. The winner will be the horse/rider combination who have the fewest jumping penalties and are closest to the optimum time. Rosettes for all double clears past 6th place.

Eligibility
Horse/pony/rider combinations not to have been placed 1st individually unassisted in the last year at 30cms or higher. Horse/pony/rider combinations entering in this class are not eligible for PC40 or higher.

Lead rein /assisted classes:
Leaders in Lead Rein competitions must follow the line taken by the pony and must be behind the animal’s head at all times. The ride must steer and be able to sit unsupported in the saddle. The lead rein must be connected to the noseband and not to the bit. Snaffle bridles only must be used.

Entry Fee- £10

Rosettes 1st-6th place with rosettes for all double clears past 6th place

**Class 6- PC30 Showjumping- Mixed Teams or Individuals**

An inviting cross pole course at 30cms. Single Phase

Eligibility
Horse/pony/rider combinations not to have been placed 1st individually unassisted in the last year at 30cms or higher. Horse/pony/rider combinations entering in this class are not eligible for PC50 or higher.

Entry Fee- £15

Rosettes 1st-6th place

**Class 7- PC40 Showjumping- Mixed Teams or Individuals**

An inviting course at 40cms. Single Phase

Eligibility
Horse/pony/rider combinations not to have been placed 1st individually unassisted in the last year at 40cms or higher. Horse/pony/rider combinations entering in this class are not eligible for PC60 or higher.

Entry Fee- £15

Rosettes 1st-6th place

**Class 8- PC50 Showjumping- Mixed Teams or Individuals**

An inviting course at 50cms. Single phase.

Teams can be made up of riders competing at any level (i.e. a team of four riders at the same level, or any combination of four riders at different levels)

Eligibility
Horse/pony/rider combinations not to have been placed 1st individually in the last year at 60cms or higher. Horse/pony/rider combinations entering in this class are not eligible for PC30 or PC70

Entry Fee- £15

Rosettes 1st-6th place

**Class 9- PC60 Showjumping- Mixed Teams or Individuals**

An inviting course at 60cms. Single phase.

**This will be split into 2 sections:-**

**Section A- Competitors who have not yet reached their 14th birthday as at 1st Jan 2025**

**Section B- Competitors 14 or older as at 1st Jan 2025.**

Teams can be made up of riders competing at any level (i.e. a team of four riders at the same level, or any combination of four riders at different levels)

Eligibility
Horse/pony/rider combinations not to have been placed 1st individually in the last year at 70cms or higher. Horse/pony/rider combinations entering in this class are not eligible for PC30 or PC40

Entry Fee- £15

Rosettes 1st-6th place

**Class 10- PC70 Showjumping- Mixed Teams or Individuals**

Teams can be made up of riders competing at any level (i.e. a team of four riders at the same level, or any combination of four riders at different levels)

**This will be split into 2 sections:-**

**Section A- Competitors who have not yet reached their 14th birthday as at 1st Jan 2025**

**Section B- Competitors 14 or older as at 1st Jan 2025.**

Eligibility
Horse/pony/rider combinations not to have been placed 1st individually in the last year at 80cms or higher. Horse/pony/rider combinations entering in this class are not eligible for PC30, PC40 or PC50

Entry Fee- £15

Rosettes 1st-6th place

***FOUNDATION COMBINED TRAINING CHAMPIONSHIP***

Combined training consists of riders competing in 2 disciplines- dressage and showjumping. The scores from dressage class will be added to the scores from the showjumping class to create overall score.

CLASS 11- Walk Trot Test 2022 & PC 30 – LEAD REIN & ASSISTED

Class 12- Walk Trot Test 2022 & PC 30 OR PC40

Class 13- Intro to Dressage 2019 & PC 50 or 60

Class 14- PC70 Dressage Test & PC70

FOUNDATION MOUNTED GAMES CHAMPIONSHIP

This is an individual competition only, open to those who have also entered dressage or showjumping (or both). Plenty of help will be available to explain races, etc. Age taken as of 1st January 2025.

Class 14- Under 8 LEAD REIN ONLY

Class 15- ages 8-10

Class 16- Ages 10-12

Entry Fee- £10

Rosettes 1st -6th place

ENTRIES

Pease enter on [www.horse-events.co.uk](http://www.horse-events.co.uk)

Entries close 29th May 2025

Times available from Thursday 5th June 2025.

**First aid fee of £1.50 due per competitor.**

Rules

1. Please view Pony Club website for Hat Rules http://www.pcuk.org/ . Please ensure your hat meets the new 2023 standards. Note we will have new pink hat tags available to tag hats.

2. Please ensure you are eligible for the class you enter.

3. The Judges Decision is Final.

4. Objections must be made in writing, accompanied by a £20 deposit to be refunded if the objection is upheld.

5. The organiser reserves the right to refuse or restrict entries. If the event is oversubscribed, current Pony Club members will be given priority.

6. In the event of cancellation due to adverse weather conditions, entry fees will be returned less £2 for administration.

7. No entry fee will be refunded without a veterinary or doctor’s certificate, after the withdrawal date.

8.Tack and competitors dress must meet the requirements in the Pony Club Dressage and Showjumping rule books.

9. The organisers do not hold themselves responsible for anything that may happen to competitors, spectators, their property, their horse or their helpers in connection with or arising out of this show. It shall be a condition of entry that each entrant shall agree to indemnify the organisers against any legal action arising from any incident.

10. The organisers have taken reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents occurring and must obey the instructions of the organisers, all officials and stewards.