



**British Riding Clubs  
SEIB Insurance Brokers  
Winter Dressage  
Championships  
&  
Quadrille**



**25 – 27 April 2025  
Arena UK, Allington Lane, Allington,  
Grantham, NG32 2EF**

**PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE**

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## Introduction

We are delighted to be at Arena UK for the new 2025 Winter Dressage Championships, combining classes from the previously known Introductory, Novice, Intermediate and DTM Championships. (Please see separate DTM schedule for info about the music classes)

SEIB Insurance Brokers are very kindly sponsoring the non-music classes & Quadrille section of the event.

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## Before the Championships

### Rules and Regulations

This competition will run under British Riding Club Rules. It is important that all competitors are aware of the rules relating to this competition – please see the current BRC Handbook and also the BRC Rule Amendments and Changes document which can be found at the link below:

<https://www.bhs.org.uk/british-riding-clubs/brc-handbook/>

### Entries

Entries for the dressage classes are by invitation only, to those that have qualified. All invites will be sent directly to the clubs account on the Sport:80 platform for the Team Manager to process. **\*Please note entries close at 5pm Thursday 4 April 2025\***

**Entries for the Quadrille will open on the BHS Pre-entry website:**

<https://brc.bhs.org.uk/select> from 1 December 2024 and close 2

**February 2025 or earlier if class is full.** This class is open to all riding clubs.

### Times

Times will be posted on Riding Clubs Results website:

<https://www.ridingclubresults.co.uk/> approx. one week before the championships. Times are computer generated at random.

**There will be important competitor information released with the times, which must be read before leaving for the competition.**

### Stabling & Hook up

**Stable:** Bookings can be made, and further info found using the following link:

<https://brc.bhs.org.uk/select>

**Stable prices TBC**

**Hook up:** Will be available throughout the event on a first come first served basis. Please contact the stable manager on 02476840591 or via email to [megan.morris@bhs.org.uk](mailto:megan.morris@bhs.org.uk) to request a booking form.

### **Flu Vaccination Certificates**

All horses and ponies must have up-to-date flu vaccinations and comply with BRC rules. Refer to the current BRC Handbook for the full rules on vaccination certificates.

### **Hats**

Hats meeting the current standards, with the up-to-date pink BRC, BE or PC hat tag, must be worn and securely fastened when mounted. It is also advised to wear a hat when handling on the ground.

### **Timetable**

**All times are approximate and subject to change.**

More precise class times may be updated closer to the event.

#### **Friday 25 April**

| <b>All times currently TBC</b> | <b>Class</b>                   | <b>Arena</b>   |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|
| <b>TBC - AM</b>                | Potential Direct Entry Classes | <b>Outdoor</b> |
| <b>TBC – All day</b>           | Senior Novice Dressage         | <b>Outdoor</b> |
| <b>TBC - PM</b>                | Quadrille rehearsals           | <b>Outdoor</b> |

#### **Saturday 26 April**

| <b>All times currently TBC</b> | <b>Class</b>                 | <b>Arena</b>   |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|
| <b>TBC</b>                     | Senior Introductory Dressage | <b>Outdoor</b> |
| <b>TBC</b>                     | Pick a Test Dressage         | <b>Outdoor</b> |
| <b>TBC</b>                     | Intermediate Dressage        | <b>Outdoor</b> |

#### **Sunday 27 April**

| <b>All times currently TBC</b> | <b>Class</b>                 | <b>Arena</b>   |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|
| <b>TBC</b>                     | Intro Pairs Dressage         | <b>Outdoor</b> |
| <b>TBC</b>                     | Junior Novice Dressage       | <b>Outdoor</b> |
| <b>TBC</b>                     | Junior Introductory Dressage | <b>Outdoor</b> |

Please refer to championship page of website for further info on classes and eligibility <https://www.bhs.org.uk/british-riding-clubs/competitions/brc-championships-christmas-cracker/brc-winter-dressage-championships/>

### **Prices: TBC November 2024**

Please see BRC Handbook for refund policy.

## **During the Championships**

**Please ensure you have the horses' passport/s to hand as these will be checked before you are parked.**

Upon arrival all competitors must declare at the declarations cabin, if the horses' passport were checked at the gate, then you must bring the flu vaccination ticket with you to declare. If this was not done at the gate, the passport will need to be checked at declarations.

### **Parking**

Please follow the direction of the car parking attendants.

### **Presentations**

Presentations will be approximately 30 minutes after the final results have been posted. Delays to presentations will be because of objections or queries that will need to be resolved before it can go ahead.

Attendance for presentations will be published in the competitor information released with the times.

### **Salvers**

Salvers awarded at championships must be signed for by a nominated person who is then responsible for it. It must be returned to arrive at the office by the date stated on the form by recorded delivery and must be packaged with care. Any loss/damage or failure to return the salver by the specified date will result in the club concerned being invoiced for the cost of a replacement. BRC may also refer such matters to the BRC Discipline Committee.

### **Official Objections**

Protests or complaints must be made in writing and accompanied by a deposit of £20. They must be addressed to the Official Steward via the secretary.

Protests must be made no later than 30 minutes after the incident that gave rise to that protest and within 30 minutes of the final results being published.

The deposit will be forfeited unless the protest is upheld, or it was decided that there were good and reasonable grounds for lodging the protest.

Scoring queries can be raised directly with the secretary.

### **Official Photographs**

Please be advised that filming and/or photography will be taking place during the BRC Championships - this could be in the arenas, seating areas, stabling and lorry park during competition hours. If you do not wish to appear in any images captured, please inform the secretary so that we can take appropriate steps to ensure you are not included. The photographs/film could potentially be included in British Riding Clubs publications or in BRC promotional materials in the future and may also be published on the BRC section of the BHS website. They could also be passed onto the sponsor of the event and the press.

### **Horse & Country Live Streaming**

Horse & Country may be streaming sections of the Dressage to Music and Quadrille Championships, held in the indoor arena. The BRC Horse & Country page can be found here: <https://app.horseandcountry.tv/brc>

### **Dogs**

Dogs are permitted on site but must be always kept under control on a short lead and cleared up after. ID tags must be worn.

### **Smoking Policy**

There is a strict no smoking policy in the stabling area and in the main arenas onsite.

### **Catering**

The on-site cafe will be open during the day for competitors by the outdoor arena. The bar area located in the indoor arena will open in the evening for evening meals.

### **Medical Care**

Paramedics will be on site during the competition hours of the championships. Outside of these hours, in an emergency please dial 999.

### **Vet and Farrier**

A vet & horse ambulance will be onsite during competition hours.  
Farrier TBC.

### **Belongings**

BRC are not responsible for competitors belongings.

### **Accommodation and Camping**

There are several hotels in the surrounding area, please find more information online. Camping is allowed but only in designated areas.

### **Merchandise**

2025 BRC merchandise will be available at this event and will be supplied by Tyler's: <https://www.tylershorseandcountry.co.uk/Catalogue/Brand-Shops/British-Riding-Club>

Please see our Facebook page for updates on the championship.

**Good Luck and Enjoy!**