



BUCHAN RIDING CLUB ARENA EVENT
AT NEW DEER SHOWGROUND (Main Arena)

16th AUGUST 2026 Starting at 10.00am

To run under British Riding Club Rules 2026

Class 1: **MINI MINIMUS** Jumps not to exceed 50cm (lead rein/assisted)

Class 2: **MINIMUS** Jumps not to exceed 60cm

Class 3: **SMALL NOVICE** Jumps not to exceed 70cm,

Class 4: **NOVICE** Jumps not to exceed 80cm

Class 5: **INTERMEDIATE** Jumps not to exceed 90cm

Class 6: **OPEN** Jumps approximately 1m

Entries Via www.equoevents.co.uk. Entries close Monday prior to Event.
Class start times will be publish on www.buchanridingclub.co.uk on
Thursday prior to Event.

Riders may enter two consecutive classes.

Hats to comply with BRC rules 2025, no fixed peaks.

Body protectors **MUST** be worn, and bear a Teal label Level 3, 2018.

Entry fee : Members £18

Non members £20

Rules

1. Buchan Riding Club or the Land Owners will accept no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury to the public their vehicles, property or any horse or rider.
2. The decision of the judge is final in every case. Any competitor, exhibitor or groom found guilty of disobedience or rudeness to any judge, official or steward will be disqualified. Entry fees will not be returned.
3. Objections must be made in writing to the Secretary within 15 minutes of the completion of scoring and accompanied by a £10 deposit, which will be returned if the objection is sustained.
4. All signs must be adhered to, especially those regarding DOGS
5. The making of an entry implies acceptance of all the rules and conditions.

Rules for Arena Event.

- There will be 12-15 fences in total – split in to two sections of show jumping and cross country style fences (Could include bounce, skinny, arrowhead, offset doubles etc). There will be a joker fence at the end of the course. This may be up to 10cm higher than the rest of the course. It must be jumped.
- The competition starts with a show jumping round started by a bell. The rider then goes through the timing beam into the X.C phase, which has an optimum time. The show jumping is not timed.
- The winner will be the person with the fewest penalties, once the jumping, & time penalties have been added together.
- The aim of the competition is to achieve a clear round, with the XC as close to the optimum time as possible. XC fences will have a knock down top rail.

PENALTIES FOR SJ

Knockdown 4 penalties

1st refusal 4 penalties

2nd refusal 8 penalties

3rd refusal Elimination

Circling or crossing the tracks between any fence is a refusal.

PENALTIES FOR XC PHASE

Knockdown 4 penalties

1st refusal 20 penalties

2nd refusal 40 penalties

3rd refusal Elimination

Circling or crossing the tracks between any fence is a refusal.

Rider Fall Elimination

Horse fall Compulsory Retirement

Retaking an obstacle already jumped - Elimination (except if an A/B combination)

Exceeding time limit (2 times the time allowed) Elimination

If there is a tie the combination nearest the optimum time will win.