

# BROMSGROVE & DISTRICT RIDING CLUB

## Emerald Dressage & Clover Show Jumping Show

VENUE: By Kind Permission of Trish Burchell, Gracelands Equestrian Centre, Crutch Lane, Droitwich WR9 0BE

### Saturday 25th April 2026

### STARTING AT approx. 9.30am

**Pre-Entries Only - Online** - ENTRIES will CLOSE Midday Wednesday 22nd April

Times will be available on the Facebook Group/Website on Thursday 23rd April

Open to Junior and Senior BDRC Riding Club members and non-members

Members who participate will gain points towards end of year Awards.

Rosettes 1st – 10th Place in each class / Juniors and Seniors will not be split

Class Intro	Intro 1 & Intro 2 (BD 2024)
Class Prelim	Prelim 1 (BD 2024)
Class Novice	Novice 1 (BD 2024)

**Dressage Entry Fees:**

Members £11.00

Non Members £16.00

Please note we are NOT offering a caller, you must provide your own.

Please note we are using the outdoor arena for Dressage.

**NOTE:** Following BD Rules, it is a requirement to display two numbers either side of your horse (bridle and saddle pad/both sides of saddle pad).

**Show Jumping Entry Fees:**

Members £10.00

Non Members £15.00

Please note—all payments  
**MUST** be made prior to times  
on Thursday.

First Aider attending and catering  
available on site

Class Diddy	Diddy Jumps & Crosspoles
Class 50cm	50cm
Class 60cm	60cm
Class 70cm	70cm
Class 80cm	80cm
Class 90cm	90cm (subject to entries)

Please remember that our stewards are Volunteers, they should be treated respectfully, anyone not doing so will be asked to leave and may possibly be disqualified.

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## Health & Safety

This event has been organised in accordance with Health & Safety legislation. Everything reasonably practical has been done to ensure the health, safety and welfare of those attending the event. For these measures to be effective, everyone attending must conduct themselves in a manner, which does not put themselves or anyone else at risk. Emergency vehicles must have access to the sites at all times and members of the public must not park so as to obstruct access.

### RULES & CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

The event will be based under British Riding Club rules. (<http://www.bhs.org.uk/enjoy-riding/british-riding-clubs/brc-handbook>). However, as this event is not a qualifier the Club is able to run rules at their discretion. A full set of BDRC rules can be located at: <https://www.bromsgroveridingclub.co.uk/bdrc-rules-2/>

- ◆ All entries must be paid for two days after booking. Any entries where payment is not received when the times are released, will not be included. The club reserves the right to charge a £2 late fee.
- ◆ Credit will be given to anyone who withdraws prior to the closing date. Once the times have been released credit will only be given if you can fill your place - this is due to the cancellation policy at the venue and the fact that the Club will be liable for the cost regardless.
- ◆ The same horse/pony can have a maximum of three classes however Horse & Rider combinations cannot compete at three different heights. The same horse can have two riders in the same class. All classes will be split into Open and Restricted should numbers allow. To clarify, if you are competing in the class above, you will automatically be added into the open section for the class below. As we give placings from 1st to 10th, we will not be splitting the classes into Juniors and Seniors or Horses and Ponies. A Junior is someone who is not yet 18 on 1st January 2026.
- ◆ Emergency/Next of Kin information must be provided when booking a Class if travelling alone—mobile numbers only.
- ◆ Competitors who consistently win at the same level will be asked to move up to the next section/level or go HC at the discretion of the BDRC Committee.
- ◆ Refusal of entry based on the condition of the horse/pony is at the discretion of the BDRC Committee. The organisers reserve the right to disqualify any animals, which in their opinion are unfit to compete and any competitor guilty of misconduct or not abiding by the rules.
- ◆ Show Jumping Events - Competitors may not walk the course when a class is underway.
- ◆ Tack and dress will be checked by the steward/judge. All riders and competitors MUST wear appropriate riding attire/footwear/hats that comply with the current BRC guidelines while mounted and competing. Skull caps must be worn with silk. Body protectors are recommended but optional apart from Cross Country. Anyone wearing a body cage must report to the secretary before competing.
- ◆ No horse or pony under the age of four may compete. It is recommended that horses/ponies are up to date with their influenza vaccinations in line with the BRC Rule Book.
- ◆ Any horse & rider combinations that are BS/BD/Quest/Area registered may only compete at their BS/BD/Quest/Area level or higher, and MUST be in the Open section.
- ◆ The judge's decision is final. Any objections to results must be taken to the Club Secretary during the show.
- ◆ We run a no refund policy. If anyone withdraws prior to the closing date, a credit will be held by the club but it is the rider's responsibility to keep track of this credit. No credit will be given for withdrawals once the times have been released. Credit/refunds will only be given in exceptional circumstances.
- ◆ In the case of bad weather a refund may be given should the event be cancelled however this will be based on a percentage once the venue/instructors have been compensated.
- ◆ Any fallers must be assessed by the First Aider present. The Club reserves the right to allow the rider to return to the arena to complete the course.
- ◆ The organisers reserve the right to refuse entry, without giving reason, or to send away from the show ground anyone using unreasonable behaviour.
- ◆ The committee reserve the right to restrict or close entries in any class once an acceptable number of entries have been received. The organisers also reserve the right to cancel the event, or amend any of the conditions as they think fit. Stop watches are not permitted.
- ◆ Photographs that are taken at BDRC events by our attending photography company, it is taken that permission has been given by attendees/parents/ guardians for BDRC to use such material for publication/promotional purposes.
- ◆ The organisers do not accept responsibility for any loss, damage or injury, etc which may be sustained by persons, horses or ponies, vehicles or property, servants in connection with, or arising out of the event. It shall be deemed a condition of entry that each competitor shall agree to indemnify the organisers against any such accident.
- ◆ Excessive use of whips and spurs will result in disqualification. Everyone must follow the instructions of the stewards and committee.
- ◆ All competitors must "warm up" their own horses. Any exceptions must have the permission of the BDRC secretary.
- ◆ Please note that where possible, the Committee will organise the classes in the best order for the riders.
- ◆ Each rider will be given a warm up time and a competing time. Warm up will be strictly controlled.

### HEALTH & SAFETY

The organiser has overall responsibility for Health and Safety. The event is organised in accordance with Health and Safety legislation and all who have (to any extent) control of premises or site at the event are responsible for ensuring that:

- Everything reasonably practicable is done to ensure the Health and Safety welfare, of those attending the event. / • They conduct themselves so that they do not put themselves or anyone else at risk. / • Access to, and egress from, the site is safe. / • Emergency services must have access to all parts of the site at all times and members of the public must not park vehicles so as to obstruct access. / • In the case of an emergency, members of the public should contact the Show Secretary or dial 999 on the nearest telephone. / • Horses can easily be frightened and can be dangerous. Members of the public are requested to keep clear from the edge of the arenas/horse lanes and avoid behaviour which might alarm the horses. / • No galloping on the show site.

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Please park sensibly and considerably on the car park. / • Do not leave your horse/pony unattended outside the lorry. No hay is allowed on the car park. / • Dogs must be kept on leads at all times. If travelling alone and bringing a dog, your dog must NOT be a danger to any person/animal should the need arise for someone to retrieve them. Should a dog be found to be dangerous, they will be banned from attending any further events. / • Please leave the lorry park as you find it and take rubbish home with you. / • Riders will be allocated numbers but no bibs will be provided. / • Horses can easily be frightened and can be dangerous. Members of the public are requested to keep clear from the edge of the arenas/horse lanes and avoid behaviour which might alarm the horses. / • No galloping/lunging on the show site. / • If you have any Covid symptoms, please do not attend.

FURTHER INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND AT <https://www.bromsgroveridingclub.co.uk/event-rules/>