

PONY CLUB MINI CHAMPIONSHIPS 2024

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BICTON ARENA

EX9 7BL

Please note the 'Regional' Championships are held on the 24th & 25th August, see separate schedule...

22nd & 23rd August 2024

Contact: info@bicton.com – 01395 441162

Pony Club Mini Championship Hoodies – [CLICK HERE!](#)

Event Photographer – www.esp-photographic.co.uk

Important Information:

Riders CAN NOT enter the Mini Championship if they are in the Regional Championship

Please ensure you read the rules & show ground information in full on page 3.

ONLINE ENTRIES ONLY

Thursday 22nd August

[Show Jumping 2024 Rule Book](#)

Class 1

40cm Mini Show Jumping (Lead Rein): Team & Individual.

Lead Rein: THOSE WHO ENTER CLASS 1/2 ARE NOT PERMITTED TO ENTER ANY OTHER CLASSES.

Teams of 3 or 4 riders & Individuals.

All competitors will jump 2 rounds, second round will be timed for final placings.

At least 2 members of the original team must be included in a team entry.

A pony may only be ridden in a maximum of 2 classes on the same day.

Entry Fee: £25

Class 2

40cm Mini Show Jumping (Assisted): Team & Individual.

Assisted: THOSE WHO ENTER CLASS 1/2 ARE NOT PERMITTED TO ENTER ANY OTHER CLASSES.

Teams of 3 or 4 riders & Individuals.

All competitors will jump 2 rounds, second round will be timed for final placings.

At least 2 members of the original team must be included in a team entry.

A pony may only be ridden in a maximum of 2 classes on the same day.

Entry Fee: £25

Class 3

40cm Mini Show Jumping: Team & Individual.

No Assistance: This includes outside assistance.

Teams of 3 or 4 riders & Individuals.

All competitors will jump 2 rounds, second round will be timed for final placings.

At least 2 members of the original team must be included in a team entry.

A pony may only be ridden in a maximum of 2 classes on the same day.

Entry Fee: £25

Class 4

50cm Mini Show Jumping: Team & Individual.

Teams of 3 or 4 riders & Individuals.

All competitors will jump 2 rounds, second round will be timed for final placings.

At least 2 members of the original team must be included in a team entry.

A pony may only be ridden in a maximum of 2 classes on the same day.

Entry Fee: £25

Friday 23rd August

[Show Jumping 2024 Rule Book](#)

Class 5

60cm Mini Show Jumping: Team & Individual.

Teams of 3 or 4 riders & Individuals.

All competitors will jump 2 rounds, second round will be timed for final placings.

At least 2 members of the original team must be included in a team entry.

A pony may only be ridden in a maximum of 2 classes on the same day.

Entry Fee: £25

Class 6

70cm Show Jumping: Team & Individual.

This is a stand-alone 70cm Championship for Area 15 only.

Teams of 3 or 4 riders & Individuals.

All competitors will jump 2 rounds, second round will be timed for final placings.

At least 2 members of the original team must be included in a team entry.

A pony may only be ridden in a maximum of 2 classes on the same day.

Entry Fee: £25

Class 7

Unaffiliated 70cm

Open to anyone who has qualified for the Mini or Regional Championships

Single Phase – Western Counties Arena – Pre-entries only.

Entry Fee: £20

RULES & IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- **MINI CHAMPIONSHIPS:** Classes 1 - 6 are classes for those who have qualified at Branch run events during the year. (The Mini Championships is aimed at under 14's & is a fun learning championship.)
- **REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS:** Class 8 -13 are for those who have qualified at Area Competitions.
- Class 7 (Unaffiliated 70cm) is open anyone in the Mini or Regional Championships, this class will be run Single Phase in the Western Counties Arena on Friday 23rd August.
- The competition will be run in accordance with the relevant PC Sport Rules 2024.
- Please ensure you know exacting which class you need to enter before doing so, all PC Rule Books can be found [here](#). If you are still in any doubt please email Deborah Custance-Baker before you enter – area15@pcuk.org
- If you are competing at the PC Regional Championships then you are **NOT** allowed to enter the Mini Championships (Classes 1-6) Dressage is exempt, a rider can do both dressage & the Mini Show Jumping.
- Please ensure all riders comply with [hat tagging](#), [body protector](#) & medical armband rules.
- Number bibs are compulsory for all competitors across all 4 days of competition. Print your number via www.ponyclubresults.co.uk
- Each District Commissioner is required to certify the eligibility of each combination by filling in the online form distributed by their Area Rep, returning it no later than Friday 16th August (Close of entries is Thursday 15th August)
- No substitutions after the competition has started.
- Protests & Objections: please see relevant rule in corresponding 2024 rule book.
- The judge's decision is final.
- [Vaccinations: Annual Rule](#)
- Horses/ponies competing may only be ridden by their competitor.
- No dressage callers allowed in any classes / whips are permitted in pure dressage classes (Saturday) only.
- First Aid is included in the entry fee.
- All Arenas (Grass & All-weather) are strictly out of bounds at all times (unless you are competing) anyone found exercising in any Arena will be disqualified.
- When not competing horses/ponies must be kept to the lorry park / stable area or collecting rings. They must not be exercised in the lorry park or led around among spectators.
- No Lunging.
- Horses/ponies must not be tied to trailers or lorries & left unattended.
- Dogs must be kept on short leads & picked up after.

GENERAL SHOW GROUND INFORMATION / RULES WILL BE AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE IN THE LEAD UP TO THE SHOW.

HOW TO ENTER

1. Ensure you know exactly which class(es) you need to enter, check rules / eligibility.
2. Enter: *(this link will be live when entries open)* please state which PC your child is representing in the 'message to organiser' box
3. If you are asked for a BS or licence number, simply put 000000 in the box to override it.

TIMES / DRAWN ORDERS

- Will be available 48 hours before the competition day. For example, if you are Show Jumping on Saturday the times will be released no later than Thursday.
- Once times are allocated, they cannot be changed & must be adhered to.

RESULTS & PRIZE GIVINGS

- For Live results throughout the event: www.ponyclubresults.co.uk
- Podium Prize Givings: more information will be announced during the show.

REFUND / ABANDONMENT

- Any withdrawals on or before Thursday 15th August will receive a full refund minus a £10 admin fee.
- Any withdrawals made from Friday 16th August onwards will not receive any sort of refund.
- In the event of a competition being abandoned, for whatever reason, a refund of 50% of the entry fee will be given. In such an instance the refund process will be communicated and must be followed.

Bicton Arena, Event organisers of this event have taken reasonable precautions to ensure the Health and Safety of everyone present. For these measures to be effective, everyone must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents occurring and must obey the instructions of the organisers and all the officials and stewards.

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 Event Organiser of the 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, rider 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