



TREC GB
National Championships
12th – 14th August 2022

To be held at
Higher Counthill Farm, Counthill, Oldham, Manchester, OL4 2PZ
Grid reference SD 953 069
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By Kind permission of Mr Dean,

TD: Dave Rogerson
Traceur: Alex Robinson
Chef de Piste: Liane Robinson

Organised by TREC GB with White Horse TREC Group

Entries open 6th July 2022

Entries close 26th July 2022

Enquiries and Entries – via email to champs@trecgb.com or telephone Mobile 07946 742427 before 9pm.

Oldham, Manchester

White Horse TREC Group are delighted to be hosting the TREC GB Championships this year and are looking forward to welcoming you all for a great weekend of competition in Oldham.

Nestled on the edge of the Pennines Oldham grew rapidly in the industrial revolution and was home to many cotton mills. In fact it was the most productive cotton spinning town in the world with an output greater than that of France and Germany combined. It was part of the historic county of Lancashire and when Saddleworth was brought into the Oldham Metropolitan Borough in 1974 when Greater Manchester was formed many people were concerned that their sons wouldn't be eligible to play cricket for Yorkshire.

There were a number of coal pits around the Moorside area that provided the fuel for the local mills with some slag heaps still visible to this day although many have since been levelled. As the venue is at a height of approximately 1000 feet the views are fantastic and include the Welsh hills, Fiddlers Ferry Power Station, Jodrell Bank and planes can be seen landing at Manchester Airport.

See you all soon



TREC GB would like to thank White Horse TREC Group for their assistance with organising and running the Leucillin TREC GB National Championships 2022.

Sponsors:



TREC GB would also like to thank Leucillin Animal Skincare for their kind donation of prizes for the Leucillin TREC GB National Championships 2022.

Website: [https://www.leucillin.co.uk/#googtrans\(en|en\)](https://www.leucillin.co.uk/#googtrans(en|en))

Classes:

- Class 1 Level 2 Individual** Open to all qualified riders. POR up to 20km
- Class 2 Level 2 Pairs** Open to all qualified riders. POR up to 20km
- Class 3 Level 2A Individual** Open to all qualified riders. POR up to 20km
- Class 4 Level 2A Pairs** Open to all qualified riders. POR up to 20km
- Class 5 Level 3 Individual** Open to all qualified riders. POR up to 30km
- Class 6 Level 3 Pairs** Open to all qualified riders. POR up to 30km
- Class 7 Level 4 Individual** Open to all qualified riders. POR up to 40km
- Class 8 TREC GB Team Challenge** – Entries to Secretary, including payment, by 8pm Friday. (Forms will be available from the Secretary's tent)

Jump height for classes 1 – 7 as per 6th Edition Rulebook 2022 (page 42 rule 6.3.5)

Competitors at Level 2A / 3 / 4 may be asked to navigate using bearings and / or grid references.

Competitors at Level 3 / 4 may be asked to use historical maps

Trophies will be awarded to the winner of each class, to be engraved and returned before the 2023 Championships. Rosettes will be presented 1st to 10th place in classes 1 – 4 and 1st to 6th in class 5 – 8.

Special Awards –



The Pagan Prize Donated by Mairi Howart in memory of Pagan and his incredible TREC career. For the highest placed veteran horse, aged 20+.

The Daniel Nolan Trophy – In memory of Daniel Nolan who sadly passed away in 2018 and was a brilliant orienteer and fellow Treccie. For the highest scoring POR in each level.



Sharon Davies Award in memory of Sharon Davies who suddenly passed away in early 2022. Sharon was a keen supporter of TREC giving 100% to organising competitions. She did not have her own horse so hired or loaned a horse and generally competed at L4. For the highest placed rider on a loaned or hired horse

Nations Cup - Each Nation may nominate between 4 and 8 members of their choice across any or all of the Levels run at the event. Each Nation must have a minimum of 4 team members in order to count. Pairs will be treated as one unit, if within a pair there are two nations, then the pair must nominate which country they will be representing. To be eligible to ride for a Country in the Nations Cup the competitor must meet criteria 1, 2 or 3

1. Resident in that Country
2. Born in that Country
3. Represented that Country in the past (this is the meaning of 'Grandfather rights')

Riders who are under the age of 14 must ride in one of the pairs classes with a partner who is over 18 on the day of the competition.

TREC GB National Championship Qualification Criteria 2022

1. Entries are limited to riders who have qualified in the appropriate class at a TREC GB qualifier event between 29th July 2019 to 24th July 2022 and are current Red or Blue Members at the date of qualification.
2. All Classes will carry points for the TREC GB Summer League.
3. Riders who wish to compete in the Levels 2, 2A, 3 & 4 National Championships in August 2022 are not eligible to ride in the Level 1 Grassroots Championships 2023 unless they compete in the Veteran horse class on a different horse.
4. As a qualification for pairs, you must ride with one of the person(s) you have qualified with. You can only ride with that person(s) in the pairs class at each level that you qualified in.

Entries open 06th July 2022

Entries close 26th July 2022

Entry fees (per rider):	TREC GB members	International Competitors
Classes 1 to 7	<i>£120.00 via PayPal on the website</i>	<i>£130.00 includes day membership to White Horse TREC Group (please contact Admin for details)</i>
Class 8	<i>£24 per team payable at the event by cash or cheque</i>	

- Red or Blue TREC GB members must quote their current TREC GB CLUB membership number as well as their TREC GB membership number.
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- Entry fees include corralling and camping fees.
- **Tickets for the meal and social event on the Saturday night are not included.**

Entries are accepted at the discretion of the organisers.

Entry closing dates Entries close on 26th July.

Refunds/Withdrawals – Once an application to the Leucillin TREC GB National Championships 2022 has been accepted:

- A withdrawal before the closing date and acknowledged by phone or e-mail by the Entries Secretary will receive a full refund.
- A withdrawal made between the closing date for entries and the date that start times are due to be published will be refunded, but an administration fee of £20 will be retained.
- A withdrawal made after the start times have been published will not be refunded.
- Where a doctor's or vet's certificate is produced stating that the rider or horse was unable to compete, TREC GB may consider issuing a full refund.
- Refunds will be processed normally within 2-4 weeks after the event.

Equine Flu Requirements: TREC GB requires that all equines must be vaccinated against Equine Influenza and that organisers of any events, involving equines insist that vaccinations are up to date (12-month cycle) and check passports before horses are unloaded. Full details of the TREC GB Equine Flu Vaccination requirements are available on the website (<https://trecgb.com/trec-gb-equine-flu-requirements/>)

Your horse can be registered on the TREC GB Flu Vaccination Register by sending a copy of the full vaccination record and horse registration details from the passport to admin@trecgb.com. Alternatively, your horse will be registered by the Entries Secretary for this event, please include a copy of the vaccination certificate and horse registration details when sending your completed entry in.

Health Status – TREC GB respectfully ask that if either you or your horse are unwell, exhibiting signs of a temperature, nasal discharge or any other symptoms, please do not attend the event and inform the organiser.

Start times and competitor information - These will be available on TREC GB website on Tuesday 9th August 2022.

TREC GB Team Challenge - Teams of 4 riders, any combination (A pair counts as 2 riders). Entries to be handed to the secretary by 8pm Friday night. Cost £24 per team (cash or cheque).

Camping and corralling - Overnight parking and corralling is available on Friday / Saturday nights at the venue, the cost is included in your entry fee. Please note that you must provide your own electric fencing and energiser (all corrals to be electrified when horses are within them) and your horse and corral must be labelled with your contact details. If your horse is corralled and you are leaving the site, you must organise someone to keep an eye on your horse while you are away and must include this person's contact details on the label too.

Corralling is available on Thursday and/or Sunday night at a cost of £10 per night, please contact Liane Robinson by email liane112rob@hotmail.co.uk directly to book in advance.

All vehicles will be parked on hard standing and the corralling for those horses will be in an adjacent field. There will be overflow parking for 4-wheel drive vehicles and trailers in the corralling field.

Tents - Tents being used as overnight accommodation must be pitched in the separate area provided. This is for health and safety reasons. Any person found to have pitched a tent in the corralling field will be asked to remove it immediately.

Stabling – Stabling will not be available at the venue.

Facebook groups where people can ask about stabling include:

- Horse Riders in Oldham
- Horse Events and Shows Lancashire
- Everything Horse in Manchester
- Anything Horse in Manchester

Toilets and Showers - There will be toilets on site. Showers are **NOT** available on site.

Water provision - Water for horses and humans will be available on site.

Farrier - A farrier will be on call. Their contact number will be in your Competitors Information Pack.

Vet - The local veterinary practice will be on call in case of emergency. Their contact number will be in your Competitors Information Pack.

Feeds - Grass coverage is short. Competitors are advised to bring their own hay/haylage and feed. Local feed suppliers are:

- Beal Hey Ruthland Way Shaw OL2 8QT 01706 848597

Pre-Competition Vetting - Will be carried out for all competitors on Friday evening only.

Catering

Friday Evening – Mel's Butty Box will be available on site for hot snacks/drinks

Saturday Night Social from 8.00pm -at Moorside Cricket Club, A 2 course meal of traditional Potato Pie Supper (beef or vegetarian option) and dessert. please let admin know via your entry form. Meal cost: £9 per person. Please pay with your entry.

Sunday – Mel's Butty Box will be available for breakfast, drinks & snacks

Photographer – The official photographer's details will be in your Competitors Information Pack.

Bespoke Commemorative Clothing – Polo shirts / zipped sweatshirt / hoodie may be purchased from the [TREC GB Website](#), provided they are ordered in advance. These will have the TREC GB logo embroidered on the front and the names of all the competitors' horses on the back. Orders will be taken on the TREC GB website, through the Shop on the Home page.

Polo Shirts available in unisex or Ladies fit in Burgundy or Light Graphite £21. Zipped sweatshirt available in Light Graphite Unisex fit, £31. Zipped Hoodie available in Burgundy Unisex fit, £31.

Please note orders for the clothing will only be taken up to 12th July 2022.

Dogs - are welcome, but must be under control **AND** on a lead at all times. Any competitor found with a loose dog will be liable to pay a £30 fine to the local air ambulance and may be asked to leave the venue. Please pick up and dispose of dog waste.

Directions– Full directions will be provided in the Competitors Information Pack.

Accommodation – Local Hotels include

- **Premier Inn**, Newhey Road, Milnrow, Rochdale OL16 4JF Tele: 0333 321 8449
- **Premier Inn**, Westwood Leisure Park, Westwood Way, Chadderton Way OL1 2NA Tele: 0333 321 1382
- **Travel Lodge**, Burnley Lane, Chadderton, Oldham, OL1 2QS, (sat nav postcode: OL9 0BP). Tele: 08715 591836
- **Best Western Hotels**, Ashton Road, Bardsley, Oldham, Lancashire, OL8 3HX, Tele: 03330 035232

Suggested websites to check:

- www.airbnb.co.uk
- www.booking.com
- 247Hotel.com

Outline timetable

All timings are provisional and will be confirmed in the Competitors Information Pack.

<i>Day</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Event</i>
Friday	15.00	Venue open. If you are arriving on Thursday or need to arrive earlier due to travelling long distance, please advise admin@trecgb.com . Follow directions for parking and corralling.
	16.00– 19.00	Secretary open
	17.30– 20.00	Pre event Vetting / Horse health check
	20.00	Riders briefing followed by Judges briefing
Saturday	7.30	POR
	17.30	PTV Course walk
	19.30	Social / Meal
Sunday	7.30	Vetting / Horse Health Check
	8.30	MA and PTV
	17.00	Prize giving

The event manager/organiser will take all 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 officials and stewards on the day.

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First Aiders will be present at the event and should be summoned through an official in the event of an accident. Paramedics will be available on Sunday.

Competitors are asked to safeguard valuable tack and possessions. Young children must be supervised at all times. Neither the organiser nor the land/course owners can accept responsibility for loss or injury to persons or animals howsoever caused.

If the competitor is under 18 a parent or guardian must sign a Parental Consent Form, which is available on the TREC GB website:

<https://trecgb.com/parental-consent-form/>

Safeguarding

TREC GB has adopted a Safeguarding Policy and expects every adult working or helping at, or taking part in, TREC GB events to support it and comply with it. The TREC GB Safeguarding Policy is available at <https://trecgb.com/wp-content/uploads/TREC-GB-Safeguarding-Policy-V1.1.pdf>

The Safeguarding Code of Conduct is available at [Appendix 1](#)

If you have a Safeguarding concern the TREC GB Designated Safeguarding Lead can be contacted by email safeguarding@trecgb.com or telephone 07926 980022

Helpers

All TREC competitions rely heavily on the support of volunteers and helpers. If you can assist us over the weekend, please follow the link below to register via the TREC GB website.

Packed lunches are provided and those judging on both days will receive a free Saturday Night Meal.

<https://trecgb.com/championships-volunteers/>

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Entry Form please follow the link below to fill in the electronic entry form and payment.

<https://trecgb.com/national-championships-entry/>

There will be PayPal options which will be provided to you once you have completed your entry form and are based on whether you opt to have the Saturday evening meal(s).

If you have any questions regarding the Championships, please contact admin on admin@trecgb.com

Clothing

If you wish to order Commemorative Clothing this must be purchase separately from your entry using the following link:

<https://trecgb.com/product-category/national-championship-clothing/>

Appendix 1 - Safeguarding Code of Conduct

Anyone at a TREC GB event can report safeguarding concerns, allegations of abuse or poor practice; however, as a TREC GB member or a volunteer for TREC GB you must:

- Report any safeguarding concerns, allegations of abuse or poor practice to the Designated Safeguarding Officer Amy Ransley or the TREC GB Designated Safeguarding Lead – safeguarding@trecgb.com
- Respect your position of trust and maintain appropriate boundaries and relationships
- As an organiser of an event, ensure that officials, volunteers, and trainers/coaches are never placed out on course alone if out of sight of other people
- Not engage in any behaviour that constitutes any form of abuse
- Respect everyone's trust and rights whilst being honest and open with them
- Not discriminate against anyone, regardless of gender, race, sexual orientation, or ability
- Call for help when necessary and if an injury occurs
- Challenge and address instances of poor, negative, aggressive, or bullying behaviour
- Help make TREC GB a friendly and welcoming organisation

As a member or volunteer, we understand you have the right to:

- Enjoy the time you spend with us and be supported in your role
- Be informed of our safeguarding procedures and what you need to do if something is not right
- Have access to ongoing training and support
- Be listened to
- Be respected and treated fairly
- Feel welcomed, valued, and not judged based on your race, gender, sexuality, or ability
- Be protected from physical or emotional abuse and be supported to resolve conflict