



TREC GB SUMMER COMPETITIONS 2022

Newbrook Farm

Equestrian

British TREC competition

Qualifier for the National & Grassroots Championship 2022

Organised by WESSEX TREC Club

Saturday 11th & Sunday 12th June 2022

To be held at

NEWBROOK FARM EQUESTRIAN, ULEY ROAD, ULEY, DURSLEY,

GLOUCESTERSHIRE, GL11 5AL

By Kind permission of Landowner – Fred Hill and Newbrook Farm Equestrian – Kat Ives and Cherayln Willcox-Ives

Technical Delegate – Jenny Snowdon and Zara Lawlor

Level 1 / 2 / 2A Affiliated British TREC Competition – Everyone welcome.

This competition gives you the chance to ride across picturesque countryside along a route that has been checked for accessibility. The area has steep hills, quiet lanes and bridleways. You may encounter cattle, sheep, mountain bikers and walkers. Level 2's will have to ride on or beside a short section of a B road, which could have larger vehicles on it. Level 2 and 2A riders will need to dismount and lead their horses for 25m, please note there will not be a mounting block for remount. There is an airfield nearby, so there could be gliders and hand-gliders overhead. Classes for individuals and pairs.

There are classes available to those who have little or no TREC experience.

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

All classes carry points for the TREC GB Summer League. No Dogs please

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Opening date for entries will be 1st May 2022 and will only be accepted on a fully completed form with payment. Entries will close when competition is full, on or before 4th June 2022. Late entries will be accepted at the discretion of the organiser and may be subject to a surcharge. Please enter early as places will be limited. In the event the competition is full, a waiting list will be kept.

Entries and schedules: Entries will be via Wessex TREC website <https://wessex trec.com/online-entries/> or via the form at the end of the schedule. Entries Secretary – Fran Huckle membership@wessex trec.com

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 central 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.

For more information visit our website www.trecgb.com

Classes:

- Class 1 **Level 1 Individual**, suitable for first timers
- Class 2 **Level 1 Pairs**, suitable for first timers
 POR route length up to 15km, PTV Obstacle height up to 60cms
- Class 3 **Level 2 Individual**
- Class 4 **Level 2 Pairs**
- Class 5 **Level 2A Individual**
- Class 6 **Level 2A Pairs**
 POR route length up to 20km, PTV Obstacle height up to 70cms

Competitors at Level 2A may be asked to navigate part of their route using bearings and / or grid references only.

Classes 1-2 will be qualifying classes for the 2022 Grassroots Championship. (Riders DO NOT have to be a TREC GB member at time of qualification but will be required to join as a Red or Blue member before the closing date for entries for the Championships). Full details about eligibility and qualification criteria can be found at www.trecgb.com.

Classes 3-6 will be qualifying classes for the 2022 National TREC GB Championships. Full details about eligibility and qualification criteria can be found at www.trecgb.com.

Classes 1-6 will count towards the 2022 TREC GB Summer League. Full details about eligibility and the calculation of league placings can be found at www.trecgb.com.

To be eligible for the league points or L2-4 qualification places, riders (both riders in the case of a pair) must be Red or Blue tier TREC GB members before the start of the event. To join TREC GB please visit the TREC GB website and join online or download a membership form.

Riders who are under the age of 14 must ride in one of the pairs classes, with a pair who is over 18 on the day of the competition. Parents/guardians of competitors under the age of 18 on the day of the competition will be required to complete a Parental Consent Form (available on the Wessex TREC website to download or complete online: <https://wessextrac.com/online-entries/>).

There will be special rosettes for those with the Best POR, MA and PTV Scores

Entry fees (per rider):	Wessex TREC Club members	TREC GB Red members/ members of any other TREC GB club	Non-members
Classes 1 to 6	£60	£65	£70

Non-member entry fees include day *membership of Wessex TREC Club*. TREC GB Red and Blue members must quote a TREC GB or club membership number or pay the non-member rate.

Non-members – why not join *Wessex TREC Club* and save up to £10? Membership form available at <https://wessextrac.com>

All entries must be in writing and accompanied by the correct entry fee. All classes are subject to sufficient entries and the organisers reserve the right to cancel or amalgamate classes, as necessary.

Entries will NOT be taken before the opening date on 1st May 2022 and both entry form and payment must be received to secure a place. Entries will be on a strictly first come basis, so enter early to secure a place. If entries are full before the closing date, a waiting list will be held based on the date the entry was received. All valid entries will be treated equally.

Entry closing dates and refunds/withdrawals

Entries close on 4th June 2022 or before, if full. Withdrawals up to this date will receive a full refund. Any refunds for withdrawals after the closing date will be entirely at the discretion of the organiser. For full details on Wessex TREC Clubs refund policy, please see the Club’s website. Any eligible refunds will not be made until after the competition.

Start times and directions

These will be available by email the Wednesday before the event. If you do not have access to the internet, please enclose a first-class SAE with your entry. [Please only telephone for times if you have not received them by the Thursday immediately before the event, in which case call the organiser Susan Hargreaves on 07800 550544]

Camping and corralling

Ground conditions permitting, overnight parking and corralling are available on Friday / Saturday / Sunday nights at the venue at a cost of £5 per horse per night including a vehicle/tent used for human accommodation. Please book in advance. Please note that you must provide your own electric fencing and charger and your 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.

Tents being used as overnight accommodation must be pitched in the separate area provided for health and safety reasons. Any person found to have pitched a tent in the corralling field will be asked to move it immediately. Awnings on horseboxes and caravans are not permitted.

Stables can be hired by contacting Kat Ives in advance, once you have a confirmed competition place. Contact Kat direct on Tel: 07930 117255

Toilets

There will be 4 portaloos on site.

Water provision

Water for horses/ humans will be available on site and in corralling field - look for signage.

Muck heap

Will be in field with corralling - look for signage.

Dogs

No dogs at this event please, due to resident dogs on site.

Catering

There will be a caterer on site on Saturday evening.

A social will be held at 7:30pm on Saturday night in the barn with catering by Claire Booth Cooks. Tickets will cost £12 and menu choices should be selected from the list on the entry form. Non-competing judges/ stewards who volunteer all weekend will be offered a free meal ticket, which should also be booked via the entry form.

Farrier

A farrier will be on call in case of an emergency. Riders needing the services of the farrier should contact the organiser to confirm where and when he will attend. Riders must pay the farrier for any required shoeing at the time. [Please note – it is advisable to have suitable shoes for your horse with you particularly if your horse wears an unusual size or type. A set of shoes that has some wear left in them when they are removed is ideal to keep as an emergency set.]

Vet

The local veterinary practice Waterlane Equine at Stroud will be on call in case of emergency. Their number is 01452 770 268 and out of hours 07796 338 979, and the organiser should also be informed if the vet is required during the event.

Photographer

Charlotte Jenner Photography will attend the event on Sunday. Photographs may be purchased via their website at <https://charlottejennerphotography.mypixieset.com/>

Outline provisional timetable

<i>Day</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Location</i>
<i>Friday</i>	<i>5pm</i>	<i>Venue open. Please phone the organiser if you need to arrive before this.</i>	<i>Corralling field</i>
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>8.30am</i>	<i>Judges' briefing</i>	<i>Barn</i>
	<i>All day</i>	<i>POR (levels 1 2 & 2A,)</i>	
	<i>7.30pm</i>	<i>Evening social</i>	<i>Barn</i>
	<i>8.30am</i>	<i>Judges' briefing</i>	<i>Barn</i>
	<i>AM</i>	<i>MA and PTV (level 2 & 2a)</i>	<i>PTV Field</i>
	<i>PM</i>	<i>MA and PTV (levels 1)</i>	<i>PTV Field</i>
	<i>5.30pm</i>	<i>Prizegiving</i>	<i>Barn</i>

Helpers

All TREC competitions rely on the support of volunteer judges and helpers. Can you or anyone coming with you lend a hand?

Please contact Helen Curley by e-mail helen.curley@gmail.com if you can assist us with judging or stewarding on the day. Competitors can also help us with setting up, clearing equipment away, collecting scores etc. No judging experience necessary – we are grateful for all offers of help and you will learn lots from the inside! Even a couple of hours help can make a difference and there are lots of jobs suitable for non-horsey mums/dads/partners. We provide all judges with free refreshments and a free ticket for the Saturday night social for those volunteering all weekend.

Health and Safety

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.

Trained First Aiders will be present at the event and should be summoned through an official in the event of an accident. The event manager/organiser may provide contact telephone numbers for emergency veterinary and farriery services.

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

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

What is TREC?

TREC is a fun riding event usually comprising three phases. The competition involves the skills and situations a rider might encounter on a hack, including map reading (usually using Ordnance Survey maps usually 1:25 000 scale)

For more information about TREC, please visit the TREC GB website <https://trecgb.com/>

Competition Rules

All competitors must comply with the TREC GB Rules as per the 6th edition TREC GB rulebook (plus subsequent amendments), which can be found at <https://trecgb.com/rules/>

In addition, pay particular attention to the following:

- 1) Horses must be a minimum of four years old to compete at Level 1, 2 and 2A and five years old to compete at levels 3 and 4 (i.e. for levels 1, 2 and 2A, a horse born in 2018 may compete in 2022). Mares more than four months pregnant may not compete.
- 2) The welfare of horses competing in British TREC competitions is paramount. No horse may compete if it is unsound or unfit to carry the rider for any reason. Any rider who continues on a horse that they know to be unsound or that has been definitively stopped by the veterinary surgeon or designated competent official on fitness and/ or welfare grounds will be eliminated from the competition.
- 3) Riders under the age of fourteen on day of competition may only compete in Pairs classes and must be accompanied by a rider of **18 years or older**. Pairs ride together for POR and separately for the MA and PTV. Parents/guardians of competitors under the age of 18 on the day of the competition will be required to complete a Parental Consent Form (available on the TREC GB website <https://trecgb.com/wp-content/uploads/5.-TRECGBParentalConsent-form-v1.2-1.docx> or online on the Wessex TREC web site <https://wesextrec.com/online-entries/>).
- 4) All riders competing must be members of either Wessex TREC Club, TREC GB or a club affiliated to TREC GB. Non members will pay an additional **£10** to become members of Wessex TREC Club for the duration of the competition.
- 5) Clearly visible coloured tail wraps/ribbons should be worn to advise other riders of a potential hazard – Red = kicker, Green = young/inexperienced horse, Blue = stallion. If the horse/pony is a stallion then stallion discs must also be worn on both sides of the bridle.

It is your responsibility to familiarise yourself with the basic rules. The TREC GB Rulebook (6th edition 1 April 2022 and the changes to it) can be found on the TREC GB website, <https://trecgb.com/rules/>

Required Equipment

Tack and equipment will be checked. Please see Appendix 3: Equipment List starting on page 62 in the 6th edition TREC GB rulebook.

Safety Helmet Standards

A safety helmet conforming to one of the following standards must be worn, with the chinstrap fastened, at all times when mounted.

The approved standards for British TREC are

- PAS 015 (1998 or 2011) provided it has a BSI Kitemark OR an Inspec IC Mark
- VG1 01.040 (2014-12) provided it has a BSI Kitemark OR an Inspec IC Mark
- SEI ASTM 95
- SEI ASTM F1163 (2004a or 04a onwards), providing it has an SEI mark
- SNELL E2001 OR E2016, providing it has a SNELL label and number
- AS/NZS 3838 (2006 onwards), providing it has an SAI Global mark

Any hat used must conform to one or more of these standards.

Please note that from the 31st December 2022, the following hat standards will no longer be accepted. This is due to the age of hats made to these standards:

1. PAS 015 1998
2. SNELL 2001
3. SEI ASTM 95

Hat cameras

A camera may not be worn on the hat when mounted.

Body protectors

The approved standard for body protectors for British TREC is

BETA Level 3 (with purple **2009** label or **turquoise/ blue 2018** label).

It is recommended that body protectors are replaced every 3-5 years, even if they are apparently undamaged.

Appendix 1 - Safeguarding Code of Conduct

As a member or a volunteer for TREC GB you must;

- Anyone at a TREC GB event can report any concerns about or allegations of abuse or poor practice to the Designated Safeguarding Officer [Wessex TREC Club Safeguarding Officer – Yvonne Allen] 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



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Competition Entry Form

11th-12th June 2022



Class: 1 /2 /3 /4 /5. /6 (please circle)		Level: 1 2 2A (please circle)		Individual / Pairs Pairs Partner:	
Riders Name					
Address					
Postcode					
Email					
Telephone No / Mobile					
Date of Birth					
Wessex TREC Membership No					
Other TREC GB Club Membership No					
TREC GB Membership No					
International Rider (please circle)		Yes / No			
Horse		Name:		Age:	
		Breed:		Height:	
My horse is registered on the TREC GB Flu Register		Yes / No		If Yes TREC GB Reference No: FC	
		If no, please send a copy of your horse's registration details and vaccination certificate from their passport with your entry to membership@wessextre.com			
					FEE £
Classes 1 - 6	Wessex TREC Members £60 fee TREC GB Red or club Members £65 fee Non Members £70 (includes day membership of Wessex TREC Club)				
Corralling each night	£5 per horse per night				
Number of meal tickets required	£12 per ticket Free for non-competing judges who volunteer all weekend Any special dietary requirements (please state) Menu below please tick choices				
Total					£

Your name, membership number and contact details will be passed to TREC GB. TREC GB may contact you but they will not share your details with other organisations (unless for instance an insurance claim is made). Please contact TREC GB if you do not wish your details to be kept by them.

I understand that photographs and videos may be taken during the event and may be used for press releases, printed publicity and published on the TREC GB (and affiliated clubs) website and Social Media pages.

I give / do not give permission for any photographs or videos of me taken at the event may be used for the above purpose.

Please make a BACS payment to Wessex TREC Club sort code 77-50-11 account number 50401668 quoting the reference Newbrook

OR

Send a cheque payable to Wessex TREC to: M Bowers, Wessex TREC Treasurer, 48 The Green, Quenington, Glos, GL7 5BS

I have paid by BACs/I have sent a cheque

I have read and agree to abide by the Club and TREC GB Rules including current Covid 19 guidelines. Any competitor not complying with National Government Guidelines may be asked to leave the venue.

SIGNED: _____ DATE: _____

Emergency Contact details in case there's an accident during the competition:

Name:	Telephone:
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If the competitor is under 18 on the day of the competition a parent or guardian must sign. A Parental Consent form must also be sent for any riders under 18. The form is available on the TREC GB website. <https://trecgb.com/wp-content/uploads/5a.-TRECGBPARENTALCONSENT-form-v1.2-1.docx>

Starting times and full directions will be emailed to competitors by the Wednesday prior to the competition. If you do not have internet access, please enclose a SAE with your entry for this information. If you have not received your info by 9th June 2022 please phone the organiser on 07800550544.

To help us with planning and catering if you are bringing a helper with you please give their details below:

Name:	Level of Experience:
Email:	Mobile:
Will have a vehicle available (please circle)	No Car 4x4
Any special dietary requirements:	

MENU CHOICES	No. required
Chicken Stir Fry, veg with Noodles	
Vegan Veg Stir Fry with Rice Noodles	
Chocolate and Raspberry Tart	
Fruit Salad	

If possible, please complete the online form at website <https://wesextrec.com/online-entries/>. If not, scan and send form (photograph versions not accepted) to Fran Huckle (membership@wesextrec.com) or post to Fran Huckle, The Limes, Springfield Road, Quenington, Cirencester, GL7 5BU