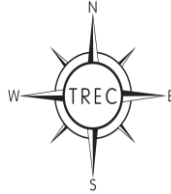


Barwell Court Farm BHS TREC

20th and 21st August 2011



At

**Barwell Court Farm
Racecourse Field
Common Lane
Claygate
Surrey
KT10 0HY**

By kind permission of Mrs Daphne Barker, the Trustees of the Barwell Estate, Karen Wilson, the Miller family, Kingston and Elmbridge Borough Councils and the Crown Estate.

This is an Affiliated BHS TREC Competition. Everyone is welcome!

Level 1 Non Qualifier Individual and Pairs classes to be held on Sunday 21st August only

Level 2 Non Qualifier Individual and Pairs classes will be held over both days

Level 2 and Level 3 Individual and Pairs classes and also Level 4 Individual class are Qualifiers for the BHS TREC Championships of Great Britain being held on Dartmoor in September 2011 and invitations to those who qualify will be issued by the BHS in good time.

In aid of Epsom RDA and St Raphael's Hospice

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The Venue

Barwell Court Farm is partly residential as some of the original farm buildings have been converted into living accommodation and partly equestrian, having a number of tenants offering part or full livery and DIY. Winey Hill, which we are very fortunate to be able to use for the CoP and PTV, is a Nature Reserve now owned and managed by the Royal Borough of Kingston. Barwell is situated in the semi rural village of Claygate in Surrey which boasts many excellent pubs and restaurants. There is also easy access to fantastic riding.

The Proposed Competition Schedule

Friday 19 th August	Vetting of horses competing in the Qualifier classes
Saturday 20 th August	Level 2,3 and 4 — POR (Orienteering) only
Sunday 21 st August	Level 1 — All phases, Control of Paces, PTV and POR Level 2, 3 and 4 — Control of Paces and PTV

Classes

Class 1	Level 1 Individual	POR Route length up to 12kms
Class 2	Level 1 Pairs	PTV obstacles up to 60cms in height

Sponsored by Balanced TREC Training

Classes 1 & 2 will be strictly limited and there will be a waiting list if oversubscribed

Class 3	Level 2 Individual	POR Route length up to 20kms
Class 4	Level 2 Pairs	PTV obstacles up to 70cms in height

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Class 5	Level 2 Individual Qualifier	POR Route length up to 20kms
Class 6	Level 2 Pairs Qualifier	PTV obstacles up to 70cms in height

Class 7	Level 3 Individual Qualifier	POR Route length up to 32kms
Class 8	Level 3 Pairs Qualifier	PTV obstacles up to 80cms in height

Class 9	Level 4 Individual Qualifier	POR Route length up to 40kms PTV obstacles up to 90cms in height
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This class will only be held if entries are sufficient.

Competitors at Level 3 and 4 should be prepared to use 8 figure grid references and /or bearings for the purposes of navigation. These routes will require more advanced skills than Level 2.

All competitors should be aware that they will need to cross major roads using high sided bridges which have been especially designed for equestrian use. Any other major road crossings will be marshalled.

To be eligible to qualify in a qualifier class (Classes 5–9), you must be a BHS Gold member or a member of an Affiliated British Riding Club and the relevant membership number must be supplied with your entry.

If you are not a BHS Gold member or a member of an Affiliated Riding Club, your entry is very welcome, but you must supply a copy of your insurance policy, showing that you have suitable 3rd party and public liability cover for the days of the competition.

Everybody is very welcome — please do not be put off because it is a qualifier.

Entry Fees per rider:

Class	BHS & RC Members	Non Members
1 & 2	£40.00	£50.00
3 & 4	£45.00	£55.00
5,6,7,8,9	£50.00	n/a
Teams	£12.00 per team of up to 4 competitors, with the best 3 scores to count. Competitors may be entered in any class.	

Corralling — per horse for 2 nights £10.00

Evening Social, to include a sumptuous

Indian banquet provided by Khasturi,

Finest Indian Take Away www.khasturi.co.uk,

per head £12.00

Ploughman's lunch on Sunday £3.00

All classes will be held subject to having sufficient entries in which case, the organisers reserve the right to cancel or amalgamate classes as necessary. We anticipate that Classes 1 & 2 will be oversubscribed and advise early entry to avoid disappointment.

Special Awards — Please indicate on the entry form if you are eligible for any of the below:

Veteran — combination of ages of horse and rider to be 65 years and over on the day of the competition.

Pony — Adult aged 18 or over riding a pony of 14.2hh or less.

Sponsors and Prizes — will be awarded as available. Rosettes to 6th place in classes 1–4 and to 10th place in classes 5–9 kindly sponsored by the British Horse Society.

Closure of entries and refunds/ withdrawals policy — The entries will close on Monday 8th August 2011 or earlier if the event is fully subscribed. Refunds for withdrawals up to and including this date will be made in full. Refunds made after this date will be made at the discretion of the organising committee, except where a Doctor's or Vet's Certificate is received and may be subject to an administration charge of £10. All entries must be received in writing and accompanied by the correct entry fee. Entries will not be accepted by e mail or telephone.

In the event of cancellation, all entry fees will be refunded less a small administration charge to cover unavoidable costs.

Vetting — All horses and ponies in the Qualifier classes 5–9 will undergo a brief health check on Friday afternoon/ evening and competitors should report to the vetting area area, which will be marked, as soon as they are ready. More accurate times will be advised with the start times. Competitors will also need to be checked again on Sunday morning. Level 3 and Level 4 horses will also be checked during the POR phase to be held on Saturday.

First Aid Cover — is provided courtesy of Epsom Riding for the Disabled .

Farrier — There will be a farrier available on Saturday afternoon for emergencies only.

Photographer — Susan Young, www.syimages.com

Start Times and Directions — will be available on the South East TREC website www.setrec.org.uk and www.cradlocks.co.uk on the Wednesday before the event and we will also endeavour to e mail you directly as well. If you do not have access to the internet, please enclose a 1st class SAE with your entry.

Access to the corraling field is only from Claygate which is not in the Low Emission Zone. Please do not attempt to gain access to the venue from Leatherhead Road, Chessington, which is in the LEZ!! **There will be no access to the Racecourse field from the Leatherhead Road entrance!!**

Pubs and Restaurants in Claygate — There are many good pubs and restaurants in Claygate where you might like to go on Friday evening. Here are a few:

The Foley Arms, Hare Lane, Claygate, KT10 0LZ. Large garden, Mediterranean type food.

The Griffin, 58 Common Lane, Claygate, KT10 0HW

Hare & Hounds, The Green, Claygate, KT10 0JL. Part of the l'Auberge chain

The Greek Vine, Address as above — needs to be booked well in advance

Il Corallo, Address as above. Italian food

Bengal Lancer, Address as above. Indian food.

Bed & Breakfast Establishments:

The Albert Mews Hotel, 82 High Street, Esher, KT10 9QS

The Bear Hotel, 71 High Street, Esher, KT10 9RQ

Sandown Bed & Breakfast, Sandown Gate, Esher 01372 467555

Rosemead Guest House, 16 Hare Lane, Claygate, KT10 9BS

Camping and Coralling — Corraling costs £10 per horse per weekend. Droppings, hay and haylage are to be placed on one of the existing “muck heaps” within the field. Competitors are responsible for providing their own fencing stakes, tape and energisers. No camping is allowed in the corraling field for Health & Safety reasons. There will be separate camping areas. There is no extra charge for camping.

Dogs — You are welcome to bring pets, however they must be kept under strict control, due to the close proximity of a local bridle path where many local people walk their dogs.

Water — There is water provided for horses only by means of water troughs. Please bring plenty of water for yourselves.

Toilets & showers — There will be portable toilets situated around the site, but no shower facilities.

Refreshments — Khasturi, a local and excellent Indian restaurant will be providing us with a banquet at the Saturday evening social. There will be a choice of dishes to include meat, fish and vegetarian options and also from mild to hot to suit all tastes. www.khasturi.co.uk

A Ploughman's lunch will be available on Sunday and it is hoped that hot drinks and snacks will also be available all day on Sunday.

All TREC competitions rely heavily on the support of volunteer judges and helpers. Can you or anyone coming with you lend a hand if only for a few hours? No experience is necessary and there are many non horsey jobs which need to be done as well! Please call Jenny if you are interested or want further details. 07958 407594 or jenny.snowdon@btopenworld.com or complete the relevant section on the entry form. Lunch is provided if you can help all day and if you help on both days then you are invited to the evening social on Saturday evening.

2011 BHS TREC Rules

The Show Organisers, Judges, Stewards and any other officials on the day of the Show, accept no responsibility for any loss of or damage to property belonging to competitors, their servants and spectators. Rules as per the current BHS TREC Rulebook (fifth Edition) and general rules detailed below:

The BHS TREC Rulebook is available to purchase from the British Horse Society Bookshop, Abbey Park, Stareton, Kenilworth, CV8 2XZ. www.britishhorse.com

- 1 BHS TREC Competitions are open to all horses and ponies provided that they are a minimum of four years old in 2011 (ie a horse born in 2007 may compete in 2011).
2. Mares that are more than four months pregnant should not be competing.
3. Competitors must hold suitable third party public liability and personal accident insurance or be a BHS Gold member or BRC member.
4. Riders under the age of fourteen on the day of the competition may only compete in Pairs classes and must be accompanied by a rider of 16 years or older. Pairs ride together for the POR and separately for CoP and PTV. Parents/ guardians of competitors under the age of sixteen will be required to complete a Parental Consent Form.
5. Competitors competing in BHS TREC Qualifiers or the Championship of Great Britain must either be a BHS Gold Member or a BRC Member.
6. Clearly visible coloured tail wraps/ ribbons should be worn to advise other riders of a potential hazard — Red = Kicker, Green = young or inexperienced horse, Blue = stallion. If the horse/ pony is a stallion, then a stallion disc should be worn on both sides of the bridle.
7. For Level 1 and Level 2 competitions any riders who have represented Great Britain at TREC in the last two years will be ineligible to compete as individuals. They may compete as part of a pair but will be penalised 25 points per phase for both the POR and PTV.
8. No rider will be permitted to start any phase of the competition unless wearing a hard hat, which meets a standard currently recommended by the BHS — PAS 015, EN1384, ASTM F 1163, SNELL E2001. All of the above should have the BSI “KITE” mark and/ or the American equivalent, the “SEI” mark securely (non-removable) attached to the hat.
9. Riders may choose to wear a body protector during any phase of the competition. If worn, BETA 3 standard is strongly recommended.
10. Riders must wear suitable footwear, or use enclosed stirrups.
11. Standing martingales and other fixed reins are forbidden.
12. Whips must not exceed 75cms (1m for side-saddle). Spurs, if worn, must be rounded, not exceeding 3cms in length and pointed downwards.
13. Mobile phones may be carried for use in an emergency during the POR, but must be declared prior to entering the map room and be switched off.
14. During the POR phase, riders must wear fluorescent/ reflective hi-viz clothing. The minimum requirement is clearly visible fluorescent strips on the riders torso. It is strongly recommended that this is also reflective and is supplemented by a fluorescent/ reflective hatband and hi-viz clothing on the horse.
15. Medical armbands or equivalent ID are compulsory and must be worn for all three phases of the competition. The medical armband should include basic information to help any First Aid staff to assist you and should be easily visible. Information should include: Name, Address, Next of Kin and contact details for them, any relevant medical information e.g. allergies or current medication. Medical armbands can be purchased from the BHS Bookshop priced £5.99. Tel: 02476 840541.
16. Separate ID is also required to be carried on the horse and rider. The information on this should be your name, competitor number, the organiser's name and emergency telephone number for the event.
17. A horse losing a shoe (or boot) during the POR must be fitted with appropriate footwear before continuing on the route. Such horses will not be permitted to leave a checkpoint until this has been carried out and time penalties will be incurred if the rider cannot leave a checkpoint at their allotted time.

18. Those competitors competing in Hoof-Boots are not expected to carry emergency farriers tools for shoe removal but should instead carry the relevant tools to adjust the sizing of their brand of Hoof-Boot in case a replacement boot needs to be fitted. Horses competing unshod at Level 3 and above must still carry a spare hoof boot in case of damage to a hoof.

19. The decisions of the BHS Technical Delegate and the Judges are deemed to be final and must be complied with at all times. Competitors may be eliminated from the competition for any of the following reasons:

- Excessive use of the whip
- Dangerous riding
- Abusive language/ rudeness

20. For the commencement of every minute that a competitor stays over their allocated departure time at all checkpoints, including the map room, but excluding grid reference sections, 5 penalty points will be awarded.

Health and Safety — The event manager/ Organiser takes all reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of all those 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 over the weekend and should be summoned through an official in the event of an accident.

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

Required Equipment — No rider will start the POR phase unless they are fully compliant with rule numbers 8, 14, 15 and 16.

Lack of any of the following equipment will incur a 2 point penalty per item up to a maximum of 10 points.

Compass

Map Marking Pens

Torch in working condition

Headcollar and rope or combination bridle

Waterproofs (jacket is the minimum requirement)

Basic 1st Aid Kit for Horse & Rider

Whistle

Emergency Farrier's Tools and hoof boot (only required at Level 3 and above)

Helpful equipment for the POR phase:

Map case, Drink/ snack for the rider, digital watch or stopwatch, mobile phone (switched off)

NB: Pairs competitors may have all the required items between them unless advised otherwise. However, they should EACH have a hard hat, waterproofs, headcollar/ rope, whistle, competitor and horse ID, Medical Card and fluorescent clothing. They are each encouraged to carry the full list if possible.

A hard hat and medical armband are required for ALL phases of the event. The tack used must remain the same for all three phases.

Barwell Court Farm BHS TREC competition 20th and 21st August 2011**Entry Form****Entries close on Monday 8th August 2011****Class:** _____ **Level: (1,2,3 or 4)** _____ **Individual/ Pairs** (*delete as appropriate*)

First Rider's Name: _____

Address: _____

Postcode: _____ BHS/ BRC number: _____

E mail address (*please write clearly*): _____

Rider DOB if under 18: _____ Telephone: _____

Horse Name: _____ Height: _____

Breed/ Type: _____ Year of Birth: _____

Eligible for: Veterans (combination age 65 & over) Yes/ No
 Adult riding a pony 14.2hh & under Yes/ No

Second Rider's Name: _____

Address: _____

Postcode: _____ BHS/ BRC number: _____

E mail address (*please write clearly*): _____

Rider DOB if under 18: _____ Telephone: _____

Horse Name: _____ Height: _____

Breed/ Type: _____ Year of Birth: _____

Eligible for: Veterans (combination age 65 & over) Yes/ No
 Adult riding a pony 14.2hh & under Yes/ NoNow please complete the section below. Non-members must send a photocopy of their 3rd party public liability insurance with this form:

Entry fees	@ per rider	£
Corralling	@ £10.00 per horse for the weekend	£
Tickets for the Saturday Evening Social	@ £12.00 per head How many vegetarian?	£
Team Entry	@ £12.00 per team please list team members on the back	£

I am willing to help with judging/ stewarding over the weekend Yes/ No

I will be bringing someone with me who is willing to help with judging/ stewarding Yes/ No

Are you or anyone you are bringing with you a qualified First Aider? Yes/ No

Name _____ Contact number _____

I/we have read, understood and agree to abide by the rules for the competition. I enclose a cheque payable to The Balanced TREC.

If pairs entry, both riders must sign and for competitors under the age of 16, parent or guardian must sign):

First Rider: _____ Second Rider: _____

Please send your completed entry form to Pauline Humphries, 9 Tintagel Close, Epsom, Surrey, KT17 4HA.