

British Riding Clubs 2019 Rule Amendments and Rule Changes

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Key:

Error/Update in Rulebook
Guidance/Directive by Disciplines
New competition
From member feedback

Rule Amendments

Date change made	Page	Rule Number	Section	Amendment	Effective From	Notes
17/12/18	Appendix 1 Page 92	Dressage Tests	Tests	Winter Dressage Championships should read National Championships – Riding Test, pairs and Junior Dressage are all ridden at the National Championships.	Immediate	This is not a rule change but a printing error
17/12/18	D1: Dressage Page 37	Veteran Horse and Rider eligibility	Dressage	All Veteran Rider and Horse eligibility should be taken from close of entry not 1 January. Please refer to the Eligibility Table on page 99 for full eligibility criteria.	Immediate	This is not a rule change but a printing error
20/12/18	Appendix 2 &3	Eligibility	Dressage	<p align="center">British Dressage Groupings are as follows:</p> <p>Group 1 - Riders who have competed at CDI (Small, Middle or Big Tour)</p> <p>Group 2 - Riders who have gained points at Inter II, Inter A/B or U25 Grand Prix or Grand Prix in national BD competitions and riders who have competed in the National or Winter Championships (Excl Music) at PSG level or above in Gold (or previous open) sections</p> <p>Group 3 - Riders who have gained points at PSG or Inter I in national BD competitions (inc FEI YR classes nationally or in a CDIYR) except as described for Group 2</p> <p>Group 4 - Riders who have gained points at Advanced Medium level (inc FEI Junior classes nationally or in a CDIJ)</p> <p>Group 5 - Riders who have gained points at Medium level (inc FEI Pony classes nationally or in a CDIP)</p> <p>Group 6 - Riders who have gained points at Elementary level (inc FEI Children on Horses classes nationally or CDICH)</p> <p>Group 7 - Riders who have gained points at Novice level</p>	Immediate	This is not a rule change, but clarification following the removal of groupings from the BD website

				Group 8 - Riders who have gained points at Prelim or not gained any points		
02/01/19	Appendix 2 & 3	Eligibility	Arena Eventing	90 Horse Eligibility – ‘Horses may not have completed a BRC CH100, BRC HT100 in the same competition year. All horses may be currently registered with BE but must not have been placed in the first six in any BE100 or completed a BE105 or higher in the current or previous calendar year at the close of prelim entry.’ 100 Horse Eligibility should be empty	Immediate	This is not a rule change but a printing error
02/01/19	Appendix 2 & 3	Eligibility	National Championships Style Jumping	Rider eligibility (not permitted) for 75cm Style is ‘FBHS, BHSI, BHSII (a) Rider eligibility (not permitted) for 85cm Style is (c)	Immediate	This is not a rule change but a printing error
05/02/19	Appendix 4	Tack and dress	Dressage	At the bottom of the spurs section it should read ‘Swan neck spurs are permitted subject to this restriction. All spurs are measured from the back of the boot/inside of the spur	Immediate	This is not a rule change but a printing error
05/02/19	Appendix 4	Tack and dress	Dressage	In the spurs section for dressage the length restriction on dummy spurs is incorrect. There is no length restriction other than the spurs must not exceed 4cm for Horse Trials.	Immediate	This is not a rule change but a printing error
26/02/19	CH1.6.2 Page 79	Challenge Time	Challenge	Every commenced period of 1 second in excess of optimum time..... 0.4 penalties Every commenced period of 1 second under the optimum time 0.4 penalties If any Challenge 80 competitor exceeds the Challenge 90 speed (450mpm) - Every commenced period of one second over the Challenge 90 speed.....1 penalty If any Challenge 90 competitor exceeds the Challenge 100 speed (475mpm) -Every commenced period of one second over the Challenge 100 speed.....1 penalty	Immediate	This is not a rule change but the table dropped out of the 2019 Handbook

				If any Challenge 100 competitor exceeds 520mpm - Every commenced period of the second over 520mpm speed.....1 penalty		
19/03/19	G26	Judges	Ownership, Relationship and Training	These sections apply to dressage judges	Immediate	
19/03/19	Appendix 2 &3 Page 95	Eligibility	Senior Novice Points and Junior Novice	Remove restriction in horses column, add strike through Horses cannot have competed in elementary or above in the same competition year BD or BRC	Immediate	
19/03/19	Appendix 2 &3	Eligibility	Junior Prelim	Add restriction in horses column: Horses cannot have competed in elementary or above in the same competition year BD or BRC. No horse may have been placed first to third in DTM Novice or above in the current or previous calendar year.	Immediate	
19/03/19	Appendix 2 & 3	Eligibility	Senior Novice 0 Points	Change to horses column: Horses cannot have competed in elementary or above in the same competition year BD or BRC. No horse may have been placed first to third in DTM Novice or above in the current or previous calendar year.	Immediate	
19/03/19	Appendix 8C	110 Winter SJ	Water Tray	Change NO in Area and Champ columns to YES	Immediate	