

**AREA 15/16 TETRATHLON COMMITTEE**  
**PONY CLUB INTER AREA TETRATHLON COMPETITION**

**Incorporating Area 15 and 16 Championship Qualifiers**

**Wednesday and Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

<u>Class</u>	<u>Age 1. 1. 19</u>	<u>Shoot</u>	<u>Run</u>	<u>Swim</u>	<u>Ride</u>
1 Open Boys	25 & under	10m turning targets	3000m	4mins	1.00m
2 Open Girls	25 & under	10m turning targets	1500m	3mins	1.00m
3 Intermediate Boys	25 & under	10m turning targets	2000m	3mins	1.00m
4. Intermediate Girls	25 & under	10m turning targets	1500m	3mins	1.00 m
5 Novice Inter Boys	25 & under	10 m turning targets	2000m	3 mins	0.90m
Novice Inter girls	25 & under	10 m turning targets	1500m	3 mins	0.90m
6 Junior Boys	14 & under	7m turning targets	1500m	3mins	0.90
7 Junior Girls	14 & under	7m turning targets	1500m	3mins	0.90m
8 Mixed Novice Juniors	14 & under	7m turning targets	1500m	3mins	0.80m
9 Minimus Boys	11 & under	7m turning targets	1000m	2mins	0.80m
10 Minimus Girls	11 & under	7m turning targets	1000m	2mins	0.80m
11.Mixed Minis	11 & under	7 m static targets	1000.	2 mins	0.70m Arena
12.Mixed Tadpoles	9 & Under	7m static Targets	1000	2 mins	0.60m Arena

**Wed 29<sup>th</sup> May**

**Shooting and Swimming at Exmouth Leisure Centre, Royal Avenue, Exmouth, Devon EX8 1EN** Shooting at 10 a.m. and Swimming at approximately 11 am

**Thu 30<sup>th</sup> May**

**Riding** 9.00 am starting with class 1 **At Bicton Arena, East Budleigh, EX9 7BL**

**Running** 10.00 am **At Bicton Arena, East Budleigh, EX9 7BL**  
Minis will run before their ride.

These times are approximate. Detailed times and directions will be sent at close of entries.

**PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL HORSES COMING INTO BICTON MUST HAVE AN UP TO DATE ANNUAL FLU VACCINATION**

## Notes

**Arena Jumping. New this year.** Classes 11 and 12 will have a course in the sand arena.

**Area Championship Qualifiers** for areas 15 and 16. Classes 1,2,3,4, 6 and 7  
See Tet rule book for details and numbers qualifying

**Novice Intermediate Boys and Girls** will do shoot, swim and run with classes 3 and 4 but ride the 0.90 course and will compete as one mixed sex class 5.

## Teams.

- **Branch and Inter Area Teams** of 3 or 4 (3 to count) may be entered as follows:
- Mixed gender branch teams can be made up from classes 1 and 2; 3, 4 and 5; 6,7 and 8; 9 and 10; 11 and 12. Only ONE Novice (classes 5 and 8) per team
- Teams can consist of any number of boys and girls – all all boys or all girls.
- Inter Area teams can be entered for classes 1,2,3,4,6,7,9,and 10 only. These must be all from the same class.
- One area team only in each class.

## Ride

- **The ride for class 1 and 2 will not be the same as classes 3 and 4. There will be different combinations and time allowed as per 2019 rule book**
- Medical Armbands must be worn for the Riding Phase for all classes.
- Hats must be tagged with the aquamarine PC, BE or British Riding Club tag. See PC Rule Book for standards.
- Body Protectors. All members must be wearing a body protector which meets the BETA 2009 Level 3 Standard (purple Label). The BETA 2000 is no longer permitted.
- Please provide your own BE type number bibs. (Number inserts will be supplied).
- **Horse sharing may be allowed at the discretion of the organiser and with a letter from your DC as to the suitability of the combination.**
- **Buoyancy aids will not be allowed in the swimming**
- This Competition will run to the rules of the 2019 Tetrathlon Rule Book.

**ENTRY FEE: £40 per competitor**

**Payable to Area 15/16 Tetrathlon**

**Either** send entry form with cheques payable to Area 15/16 Tetrathlon with your entry to Gill Whetman, Greenwith House, Perranwell Station, Truro, Cornwall TR3 7LT

**Or** you may email entries - ideally on the excel form to [gill.whetman@btinternet.com](mailto:gill.whetman@btinternet.com) and pay by BACS to our Nat West account. Sort code 60 23 05. Account number 71447555. Please reference with either your name or branch/BICTON

**Closing date for entries. Tue 14<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

**Entries and enquiries to:**

Gill Whetman, Greenwith House, Perranwell Station, Truro Cornwall TR3 7LT  
Tel: 01872 862815. email: [gill.whetman@btinternet.com](mailto:gill.whetman@btinternet.com)

**Rosettes:** Branch Teams to Fourth in each Class.  
Inter Area Teams to Third in each Class  
Individuals to Sixth in each Class  
Best opposite sex competitor in mixed sex classes.  
Best Shoot, Swim, Run and Clear Ride in each Class

**Refreshments.** There will be no catering provided at Exmouth but plenty of facilities nearby. There will be a catering at Bicton on Wednesday.

**Dogs.** To be kept on a lead at all times.

**Mucking out.** There are no tools provided so please bring what you need.

**Camping.** There is plenty of room for all on site. You will need 50p for the shower so it is a good idea to bring a supply of coins. Please note there will be a small charge per family for camping to cover the cost of the rubbish skip we have to provide.

### **Fence Judges**

**Each Branch entering is asked to cover the judging of a fence on the Riding day. Please could you fill in the Fence Judge form with a person responsible for the fence who will come to the briefing. Please send the form with your entries. Please include the fence judges contact details. They will be contacted by the ride steward.**

### **Legal Liability**

Neither the Organizers, nor any person acting on their behalf, accept any liability for any loss, damage, accident, injury or illness to horses, owners, riders, competitors, spectators or any person or property whatsoever; whether caused by negligence, breach of contract or in any other way whatsoever

### **Health and Safety**

The Organizers 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 organizer and all the Officials and Stewards.

**Diving Permission.** Please ensure you have signed on the entry form to give your assurance that each competitor who wishes to dive from the blocks has attained the level of the ASA Competitive Start Award

### **Photographic Rights**

Competitors and their guardians give permission for any photographic and /or film or TV footage taken of persons or horses/ponies taking part in Pony Club events to be used in any media whatsoever for editorial purposes, press information or advertising by or on behalf of The Pony Club and/ or official sponsors of The Pony Club. Please sign that you agree to this on your entry form