

CHNPC TEAM SELECTION CRITERIA 2015

Area 5 Winter League Show Jumping

Any member can represent the branch, providing the pony and rider has done 3 working rallies. Team selection is based on commitment to the Winter League series and not only performance. Members willing to jump regularly, including travelling to the North Wales competitions, will take priority over those wishing only to compete at the local venues. However there will be team or individual places for any member who wishes to enter, providing they are at the required standard.

Triangular Show Jumping

Any member can represent the branch, providing the pony and rider has done 3 working rallies. We usually require seven teams of four at various heights. Team places are filled on a first come first served basis. In the case of over subscription, priority will be given to those who represented the branch in the Area 5 Winter League show jumping series.

Triangular Dressage

Any member can represent the branch, providing the pony and rider has done 3 working rallies. We require three teams of four with members being in four different age groups. Members interested in being on a team should submit their name to Gail Cooper. Teams will be selected from the list based on availability. In the case of over subscription, priority will be given to those who have ridden at our branch dressage competitions.

Cheshire Show Inter Hunt Relay

The Cheshire Show Inter Hunt Relay team is primarily for 15yrs and overs. The team is first selected from those members who did their final year of mounted games in the previous year. Any spaces available after that are given to those members who help at our Mini Camp. All ponies and riders must have done 3 working rallies. If any further places are available, they are offered to members who help in the branch. Please note this competition is not for the faint hearted and riders MUST be competent riders.

Nantwich Show Inter Hunt Relay

Primarily for 14yrs and overs, the Nantwich Inter Hunt Relay team is selected from those members who helped at our mini camp and did not get to do the Cheshire Show. Any spaces available after that are given to those members who have helped at one or more of our other events. All ponies and riders must have done 3 working rallies. This competition is not as full on as The Cheshire Show hunt relay, however it is performed in the main ring. Therefore riders do still have to be confident.

Gatcombe Show Jumping

The team for Gatcombe is selected primarily on age, with the more senior members having priority. If spaces, members will be invited to represent the branch at this prestigious event, if they have a fit and able mount. Past performance will be taken into consideration. All horses/ponies and riders must have done 3 working rallies.

Mounted Games

Teams are selected from those who wish to take part. If there are more members than places, then selection will be based on attendance at practices, in addition to performance throughout the season. All ponies and riders must have done 3 working rallies.

Tetrathlon and triathlon.

Teams are selected from those who wish to take part. Attendance at Area 5 shooting practices, in addition to performance throughout the season will be taken into consideration for Area competitions. All ponies and riders must have done 3 working rallies.

Musical Ride

Teams are selected following an audition in the spring for the competition later that year. All ponies and riders must have done 3 working rallies.

Polocrosse

Teams are selected from those who wish to take part. If there are more members than places, then selection will be based on attendance at practices, in addition to performance throughout the season. All ponies and riders must have done 3 working rallies.

Area Horse & Pony Care

Teams are selected from those who wish to take part. We quite often send more than one team.

Area Quiz

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Area Dressage

Area dressage teams are selected from a selection evening that we hold outdoor on grass around June time. There are three levels at Area (Novice, Intermediate & Open) and teams are selected based on performance at the selection evening and eligibility. Eligibility rules can be found in the discipline rule books at www.pcuk.org All ponies and riders must have done 3 working rallies.

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Area Eventing

Area Eventing teams are selected based on performance and experience. Hopefuls are asked to submit their results throughout the season. There are three levels at Area (Novice, Intermediate & Open). Eligibility rules can be found in the discipline rule books at www.pcuk.org All ponies and riders must have done 3 working rallies.

Area Tetrathlon and Triathlon. See above.

We are looking forward to 2015 and hope to offer members as many opportunities to represent our branch at whatever level and discipline they choose. Training is offered in every discipline throughout the year, in addition to specific competition training.