

## **Royal Windsor Horse Show Qualifier**

Sunday 28 March will include a Club Qualifier (in the morning) and an Area 12 Qualifier (in the afternoon) for the Royal Windsor Horse Show Riding Club Championships on 12-16 May, sponsored by AmTrust Equine Insurance. There are two classes: Junior Riding Test and Senior Riding Test. Riding Test 6 (2005) will be used for all rounds. Horses/ponies are allowed 0-60 BD points. Riders who have attained their Pony Club A Test in the last 10 years, BHSAI, BHSII, BHSI and FBHS are ineligible to compete.

There will be four rounds. Round One (Club Qualifiers) will be open to all riders, including non-BRC members. Those who qualify in Round One will be required to become a BRC member (if not already) before taking part in Round Two (Area Qualifiers).

In Round One, one Junior and one Senior rider will qualify to go forward to Round Two. In Round Two, one Junior and one Senior rider will qualify to go forward to Round Three.

Horses/ponies do not need to comply with equine influenza requirements for Round One, but for Round Two they must have had at least the first primary injection at least 7 clear days prior to the competition. Those who qualify for Round Three must have a complete vaccination certificate.

Riders who qualify at the Area Qualifiers will then be invited to the Finals at the Royal Windsor Horse Show. The two Champions at Royal Windsor will be invited back to Windsor for additional presentations at the European Championships in August.

On top of all that, the two Champions will experience a trip to Lexington to see the Alltech FEI World Equestrian Games in September 2010, during which they will take centre stage when presented with their Champions' trophies at the Lexington Civic Centre. The five-day trip includes flights, transport, hotel accommodation and meals for each Champion plus tickets to the Games.

Junior Champions (under 16 years of age) can take a parent or guardian with them at no extra charge.