



VIRTUAL REGIONAL QUALIFIER 2025

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Show Jumping classes are being run virtually this year.

Classes

CLAS S NO	CLASS	HEIGHT
Non-qualifying classes		
1	Level 1 - Led	Ground Poles
2	Level 1 - Unled	Ground Poles
3	Level 2 - Led	15 - 25 cm
Qualifying Classes		
5	Level 2 - Unled	30 cm
6	Level 2 - Unled Open	30 cm
7	Level 3 - Unled	60 cm
8	Level 3 - Unled Open	60 cm
9	Level 4 - Unled	70cm
10	Level 4 - Unled open	70cm

Class Sections

Each Class will be split into Junior and Senior sections:

- Junior Riders – May compete as Juniors until the end of the year in which they reach the age of 16.
- Senior Riders – Riders over the age of 16

The following riders should enter the Open classes:

- Riders who have been Overall Class Champion in the same class for 2 consecutive years at the RDA National Championships
- Riders who are an Own Horse Rider (formerly known as an Independent Rider) with their RDA group

Show Jumping Courses and Rules

These are available in the 2025 RDA Rule Book:

<https://myrda.org.uk/assets/RDA-Competition-Rules-2025.pdf>

Qualification

The following riders will qualify for the National Championships providing they score over 60%:

- The top 2 riders in each Junior and Senior Section.
- If any Sections have 10 or more riders, then the top 3 will qualify.

Horses/ponies

Horse Usage

The classes each individual horse takes part in must not exceed 8 points in any day based on the following:

- Show Jumping Level 2 = 2 points
- Show Jumping Level 3 = 3 points
- Show Jumping Level 4 = 3 points

A horse is only permitted to be entered in the same class a maximum of 3 times.

Please bear this in mind when filming

Although this is a virtual event, all horses/ponies must have a valid equine influenza vaccination record as the expectation is that any qualifying horse will then be attending the National Championships.

All equines must have a valid passport from which the equines identification can be verified. The passport must contain all vaccinations details which must be up to date, completely and clearly recorded, signed and stamped by a veterinary surgeon, who is not the owner of the animal. Passports with missing, altered, unclear or incomplete vaccine records will not be accepted and entry to events may be refused. The passport must travel with the equine at all times.

- All primary courses of injections and subsequent booster injections must fall within the timescales specified in the RDA rule book
- Equines competing in Regional Qualifier must have been vaccinated within the last 12 months.
- None of these injections can be given within the seven days before the day of competing
- Only the first two injections need to have been given before the horse may compete.

Relevant passport details must be provided for all horses taking part in this regional qualifier.

These should be submitted by the entry closing date of 5/5/25. Any entry submitted where the horse passport details have not been submitted will not be accepted.

Please submit this information using the North Midlands Passport Submission Form

<https://airtable.com/appu7zXQeCtiQSNVf/shrseAgm3WuzfqVfi>

Vaccination dates will be checked prior to the qualifier and you will be notified if there are any queries.

Please note that equines competing in the National Championships must have been vaccinated within the last 6 months of the date of the Championships.

Horse/rider combinations

- Please consult the RDA weight chart at to ensure horse/rider, horse / driver combination is suitable
<https://www.myrda.org.uk/assets/Weight-Chart-Guidelines-2018-1.pdf>
An excel calculator is available on the RDA website at
<https://www.myrda.org.uk/runningyourgroup/horses-and-rda/health-welfare/>
- RDA reserves the right to check any rider/horse combination considered not to comply with the limits set out on the weight chart. If a combination is found to be outside the parameters, action may be taken.
- The weight chart should be used for any rider, whether a participant, volunteer or coach.

For riders qualifying for the National Championship, they should be intending to compete at the Championships on the horse with which they qualify. If this is not possible they will need to contact the National Championship secretary with a horse substitution form as soon as possible.

Entries

Group Registration

Each RDA Group taking part will need to register at

<https://airtable.com/appu7zXQeCtiQSNVf/shrl1HUQuijxh1qpSw>

Only one registration will be required per group for all the 2025 regional qualifiers.

You will receive an email confirmation once your group has been registered.

Rider Entries

All rider entries are to be made using the online entry form at

<https://airtable.com/appu7zXQeCtiQSNVf/shrnU7gNdTQWPv5tM>

Entries close on 5/5/25. No entries will be accepted after this date.

You will receive an email confirmation for each entry made. This will be sent to the contact listed on the group registration form.

The entry fee for each class is £15

Groups will be invoiced for all their entries on 6/5/25 and payment must be received by 18/5/25 in order for their riders to compete. Payment method can be selected on group registration as above.

Results

The results of the competition will be announced at the Regional Countryside Challenge Qualifier on Monday 19/5/25. Rosettes for anyone not present at this event will be forwarded on to their RDA group.

The results will also be posted on the Region's website <https://www.northmidlandsrda.org.uk/>

Entry Checklist

Please ensure the following forms have been completed by Monday 5th May 2025

Group Registration Form	Form to be completed once per group	https://airtable.com/appu7zXQeCtiQSNVf/shrl1HUQuijxh1qpSw
Horse Registration	One form to be completed for each horse to be used. A horse only needs to be registered once regardless of how many qualifiers they are entering	https://airtable.com/appu7zXQeCtiQSNVf/shrseAgm3WuzfqVfi
Rider Entry Form	One form to be completed for each rider entry for the Show Jumping Qualifier	https://airtable.com/appu7zXQeCtiQSNVf/shrnU7gNdTQWPv5tM

National Championships Timetable

Please note that all showjumping classes will be held on Saturday 12/7/25 at the National Championships