



Royal Navy Equestrian Association



By kind permission of Mr James Broome, the Royal Navy Equestrian Association Championships will run alongside the Cricklands'

Jumping Championships of Great Britain

Friday 15th to Sunday 17st August 2025



**The David Broome Event Centre, Mount Ballan,
Crick, Chepstow, NP26 5XP**

In addition to the Cricklands scheduled Showjumping (SJ) Championship classes the programme will feature:

- **Friday 15 August 2025 - The Loriners Inter-Services Team Showjumping Competition.** Rosettes and prizes very kindly donated by the Worshipful Company of Loriners.
- **Saturday 16 August 2025 - The London International Horse Show Qualifier.** Rosettes and prizes donated by the UK Armed Forces Equestrian Association (UKAFEA).

Outline timing for the Loriners Inter-Service programme of events on Friday 16th August:

Loriners Showjumping Course Walk	1045
Round 1 (100 followed by 115 course)	1100
Round 2 (105 followed by 120 course)	1130
Mounted Prizegiving	1200
Loriners Lunch (invited guests) Clubhouse	1230 for 1245

The Royal Navy Equestrian Association Championship classes embedded in the Cricklands show, take place over Friday 15th and Saturday 16th August 2025.



Administration¹

1. **Qualification / Attendance.** All Service riders who meet the criteria of JSP 660² Sport in the UK Armed Forces will be eligible to compete in the uniformed sections provided they have entered the main Cricklands Championship. Warranted Police officers are also invited to compete too. No prior jumping qualification is required for entry.
2. **Cricklands entries.** The full [Cricklands Show Schedule](#) covers everything that is included in the weekend show package price of £149. Competitors entering the Championship Show package must enter on Horsemoney. During the entry process uniformed riders **must include their rank and Service / Force** in the notes section in order that they can be easily identified and apportioned stabling with other uniformed competitors. Entries close **11 Aug 25**.
3. Competitors are to advise their Service / Regt / Corps / Force Team Managers of their Class entries to enable central co-ordination of Inter-Service Team and individual stabling and scoring of military sections. Single Service (sS) Equestrian Associations are to ensure the spreadsheet at Enclosure 1 is completed detailing their rider's entries and forwarded the RN Show Co-ordinator, Lt Cdr Sarah Taborda, by **11 Aug 25**. This should also include mobile telephone numbers for Team / Regt / Corps / Force Managers.
4. **Cricklands Championship Classes.** All competitors are automatically entered into all 5 classes included in the Cricklands weekend package. If they do not want to jump some of the classes, they need to advise the show office that they wish to withdraw. All classes are drawn order, some of which will be released the day before, and any clashes are to be brought to the attention of the show office as soon as possible. If riders enter more than one package with the same horse, they can only jump 3 classes a day on the same ride.
5. **London International Horse Show (LIHS) Qualifier Class.** There is an opportunity for eligible Military and Police combinations to gain points to qualify to compete in the LIHS 2025 Services SJ Final. This Class will be programmed to run first on Saturday 16 August and competitors can enter through [this link](#). Entry fees are £16 per combination and if stabling / hook-up is required, it must be booked through this same method.
6. Riders are to annotate the team info box with their rank / rate and Service / Regt / Corps / Force.³ Rosettes and prizes will be provided by the UKAFEA and the Class will be run under British Showjumping Table A7 (rule 192B) with the first round at 1.10m. UKAFEA Competition Policy applies to this class and can be provided on request from Team Managers.
7. **Rules and Regulations.** All attendees must read and follow the David Broome Event Centre's [rules and regulations](#) covering the Show, Showground, Lorry Park, and Stabling. Any concerns should first go to Service Team Managers, then to the Cricklands Show Secretary if needed. Uniformed personnel are representing their Service and must act respectfully and in line with Service values. Those competing under the military construct must adhere to UKAFEA² regulations. If unsure about uniform eligibility, riders should consult their Service Team Manager.
8. **Dress and Tack.** When mounted uniformed competitors will be expected to participate throughout the weekend in No 1 Service Dress (RN or RAF) / No 2 or Service Dress (Army or RMs), Police equivalent, but in the event of extreme heat or inclement weather Team Managers may seek agreement to relax jackets to short shirt sleeve order / wear uniform waterproof jackets. The agreement to this adjustment in Dress needs to be given by the SJ Judge in the arena the

¹ this information is complementary to Cricklands' core Show administration as laid out in their Jumping Championship of Great Britain Show Schedule, para 2.

² JSP 660.

³ If competitors enter the LIHS Class and the Cricklands Championship they will be required to pay twice on Horsemoney for First Aid cover; however one day of this will be refunded by the Cricklands Secretary if they e-mail direct requesting this.

competitor is competing in accordance with BS rules. British Showjumping equipment standards and hat regulations apply to the Inter-Service Loriners Showjumping Leg and the LIHS Qualifier. Combinations contravening this will be eliminated.

9. **Accommodation / Overnight / Stabling.** The temporary accommodation area (for tent pitches / trailer and lorry parking) specifically for the use of uniformed competitors, will be via the 4th exit off Crick Lane and close to the Pavilion. When parking lorries and pitching tents, it is crucial this is done in straight lines to allow for access and egress for emergency services. Electric hook-up is available at an additional charge £75 for the weekend and is to be paid for when entering. Any bespoke stabling / hook-up requirements (ie, for Loriners / LIHS Q competitors who are not entered into the overall Championship) are to be pre-paid using [this link](#). Arrivals on the Thursday are to be after 1200 and before 2000.

10. Where possible, uniformed competitors' horses will be stabled in a covered barn near the accommodation. However, some may be placed in the main stabling area with civilian competitors. Barn stable allocations are based on the average size of the uniformed equestrian contingent, as detailed in the Enclosure.

11. **Loriners Inter-Services Team Competition.** The RN leg of the Loriners competition will be Showjumping, run in accordance with the Loriners Trophy competition rules⁴. The event will comprise of sS Teams of 4 competitors undertaking 2 rounds of showjumping (1st round at a maximum of 100 or 1.15 and 2nd round adjusted to 1.05 or 120) judged under BS rules. Both rounds will be timed, and one team member's total score will be discarded to identify the winning team. There will be placings to third for individual riders within the Loriners class.

12. **Loriners Leg Declarations.** Provisional Loriner rider details must be submitted to Lt Cdr Sarah Taborda via Annex A by **6 Aug 25**, with final entries due by **COP 8 Aug 25**. Team Managers must indicate bronze or silver sections and verify BS records for eligibility. Any queries are to be sent to Lt Cdr Taborda in the first instance.

13. Provided the Cricklands Friday morning 1m Speed Class is in a different arena to the Loriners SJ phase, Inter-Service combinations should be able to compete in both the Cricklands and Loriners competition in order to gain points in their military section.

14. **Team SJ competition.** Cricklands run Team SJ Classes on the Friday afternoon (additional cost of £40 for team of 4) at 80cm and 90cm. It is hoped uniformed Teams will participate in these classes and rosettes will be awarded to the highest placed uniformed Team in these Classes. Team Managers are to co-ordinate entries and payment for these direct with the Cricklands Show Secretary on arrival. Mixed Service Teams are permitted and are to nominate a Team Manager.

15. **Military Sections.** In addition to the Cricklands Championship placings, Uniformed-only sections will be scored separately, with a league table tracking Service competitors across Friday and Saturday classes. Champions and Reserve Champions will be awarded based on combined points from the Friday Speed class, Saturday Speed class, and Saturday Heat.

a. Uniformed competitors entering the following Cricklands classes will automatically be competing additionally in equivalent uniformed sections.⁵ Points for 'Over 35' and 'Pony' Classes will be combined with the 'Open' and 'Horse' Classes respectively. Competitors entered in multiple classes at the same height will carry forward their best single score only—no double points will be awarded.

⁴ 2025 UKAFAEA Competition Policy, Annex A.

⁵ Riders must clearly identify themselves on Horsemonkey as uniformed (RN, Army, RAF, Police) in the 'Notes Section'.

Cricklands Classes	Uniformed equivalent Sections
Horse 70cm	Services Intro Championship
Horse 80cm	Novice Services Championship
Horse OPEN 90cm	Intermediate Services Championship
Horse OPEN 1m	Senior Services Championship

RN Personnel Only

All sections	Gieves and Hawkes Cup for the best performing RN combination
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League points for the military sections will be awarded as below:

Place	Fri Speed Class	Sat Speed Class	Sat Heat
1 st	100	100	150
2 nd	90	90	135
3 rd	80	80	120
4 th	70	70	105
5 th	60	60	90
6 th	50	50	75
7 th	40	40	60
8 th	30	30	45
9 th	20	20	30
10 th	10	10	15

- b. In addition to points awarded in the table above, military riders will also earn the following points:

Round	Fri Speed Class	Sat Speed Class	Sat Heat
Clear	30	30	30 (for Double Clear)

16. **Prizegiving.** Mounted Prizegiving for the Loriners Inter-Service Leg will take place on completion of the 2nd round jumping. Prizegiving for all military sections (incl Cricklands team SJ) will be on Saturday evening, venue and time to be advised through Team Managers.

17. **Competitor Objections.** Any objections with the Cricklands' Class judging should be addressed with the Cricklands' Show Secretary. Objections regarding the running of the Loriners Competition or the military sections are to be submitted via sS Team Manager to the RN Championship Co-ordinator.

18. **Security and communications.** A Royal Navy security lead will coordinate with Gwent Constabulary and on-site civilian security throughout the Championship. On arrival, Service Team Managers will receive a security brief to share with their teams. Uniformed involvement at Cricklands is not publicly promoted and must remain on a need-to-know basis—please limit any publicity to secure platforms and closed group social media. Team Managers must also provide a mobile number with the Rider Entry Spreadsheet for inclusion in the RN Champs WhatsApp group for key updates.

Annex:

- A. Loriners Inter-Service SJ Leg Rider entry and Commentator notes.

Enclosure:

1. RN Championships consolidated entry spreadsheet.

**Annex A to
RNEA SJ Championships Schedule 2025**

2025 Loriners SJ Leg – Rider Entry and Commentator Notes

NB: To assist the commentator, write all abbreviations in full.

Section	
Bronze (100 / 105)	
Silver (115 / 120)	
sS Team Manager declaration BS record checked (sign)	

Rider's Rank and Name		Horse's Passport Name Stable Name	
Rider's Order	Team Manager to allocate – Bronze section will jump first in both rounds.		
Rider's Current Unit and their role			
Rider's home area		Trade/ specialisation/ cap badge/corps	
Horse's Breed		Horse's Age	Horse's Height
Interesting Facts:	Between 6 & 8 bulleted facts about horse / rider / both:		
<p>If entered to compete in the Cricklands Championship this combination wishes to jump in the 1m Speed Class on Fri Morning: Yes / No</p>			
<p>If not competing in the Cricklands Championship accommodation / stabling requirements need to be pre-paid using this link.</p>			

Forward to RN Championship Co-ordinator, Lt Cdr Sarah Taborda QARNNS:
sarah.taborda519@mod.gov.uk by **8 Aug 25**.