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Bord Oideachais agus Oiliúna
Chill Dara agus Chill Mhantáin
Kildare and Wicklow
Education and Training Board



Coláiste Bhríde Carnew

CONDITIONS FOR COMPETITORS

1. Entrants in ALL classes; 1, 2, 3 and 4, must also be receiving full time instruction at the same second level school in the Spring Term 2014. Competitors from third level/Agricultural Colleges, Institute of Technologies and Primary Schools may not compete.

CLASS 1 – SENIOR TEAMS OF 3 (3 RIDERS)

Open to riders who are under 19 on 1-1-2014.

CLASS 2 – SENIOR INDIVIDUAL

Open to riders who are at least 15 and under 19 years inclusive on 1-1-2014.

CLASS 3 – JUNIOR INDIVIDUAL

Open to riders that are at least 12 and under 15 on 1-1-2014.

CLASS 4 – NOVICE PAIRS (2 RIDERS)

Open to riders that are at least 12 and under 19 on the 1-1-2014. This class will be run over the same course as the Junior Individual Class.

2. Classes 1 and 2 will be over the same course. Classes 3 and 4 will be over same course. In the event of faults, the faster time wins.
3. There is no height limit on pony/horse. No rider/horse/pony may compete more than once in class 1, or twice all day. Each animal must be four years old or over and suitably prepared for the event. It is highly recommended that all competitors walk the course beforehand.
4. In the interest of safety, we have ruled that **no racing saddles** may be used in this competition. There will be no exceptions to this rule.
5. Entry fees: Class 1 €60 per team
 Class 2 & 3 €20 per rider
 Class 4 €40 per team

6. ALL ENTRIES must be sent in writing on the attached forms or photocopies (NO FAXES ACCEPTED) accompanied by the **Entry Fee** and **SIGNED WAIVER FORMS**, on or before Wednesday, 29th January 2014 to: Mary Rothwell, Coláiste Bhríde, Carnew, Co. Wicklow. Each entry and waiver form must bear the school stamp/seal and the signature of the principal. NO REFUNDS AFTER 29th JANUARY.
7. All teams and individuals will have a TACK INSPECTION at an appointed time. The Chef d'Equipe must be present with the team and the individuals when this inspection is being made. Please read and adhere to the attached tack sheet. Should the tack inspection stewards deem the tack or attire unsafe competitors will not be allowed compete and no refund will be given. The decision of the tack inspector is final.

CRASH HELMETS (PAS 015/BSEN 1384), BACK PROTECTORS AND STOCKS MUST BE WORN.

MEDICAL ARMBANDS WITH PHOTO ID ARE COMPULSORY.

8. The course will be open for inspection on Friday 28th February from 2.30pm and not before this date. Breach of this will result in disqualification.
9. We reserve the right to restrict the number of participants from each school should a class be oversubscribed. Early entry is advised.
10. In the event of an appeal/objection, only the School/Parent Rep nominated on the entry form may lodge the appeal. The objection must be accompanied by €80 (Cheque payable to Coláiste Bhríde Carnew) which will be refunded if the objection is upheld. There will be 30 minutes from the time the final results are posted in which to lodge an appeal/objection.
11. **THE ORGANISERS/LANDOWNERS WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY INJURY, DAMAGE, OR LOSS TO RIDER, HORSE, PONY OR SPECTATOR.**
12. Competitors will run in strict numerical order. Any late arrivals will have to wait until the end of the group.
13. Any competitors who do not show respect for **organisers** or **fence stewards** or **horses** will face automatic elimination and no refund of entry fee; this will include excessive use of the whip or foul language. Persons associated with a competitor in breach of the aforementioned will also cause the competitor to be eliminated. Poor behaviour will not be tolerated.

If all of the above 'Conditions for Competitors' are not followed individual riders or teams will be eliminated.