



National Schools NSEA Combined Training Qualifiers

Venue Greenlands' Arenas, Wreay, Carlisle, CA4 0RR

Date 27th September 2025

Organiser Katharine Martin northernequineevents@gmail.com

1st & 2nd placed team & 1-4th placed individuals will qualify for the
NSEA National Schools Championships 2025
October 2025

Entries to: <https://equusinnovation.com/northernequineevents> Entries Close: 24th September at 10pm

Class 1 Combined Training Individual Novice Qualifier

Prelim = BD Prelim 2 (2024) SJ 80cm

Class 2 Combined Training Intermediate Qualifier

Prelim = BD Prelim 2 (2024) SJ 90cm

Class 3 Combined Training Open Qualifier

Prelim = BD Prelim 2 (2024) SJ 1m

Teams 3 or 4 riders, jumping two different heights. Best 3 scores to count.

1 & 2 Novice Teams (2 x 80 & 2 x 90 riders)

2 & 3 Open Teams (2 x 90 & 2 x 1m riders)

Entry Fee £ 25.00

Medical cover £ 5.00 per rider

NSEA Rules 2024-25

For 2025, there will be TWO team mixed height sections and THREE Individual qualifying sections.

Teams are made up of 3 or 4 riders

1 Combined Teams Intermediate/ Novice (2 riders jump 80cm and 2 riders jump 90cm)

2 Combined Teams Open /Intermediate (2 riders jump 90cm and two riders jump 1m)

Team riders will automatically count as individuals.

All riders will ride the same test BD Dressage Test Prelim 2 (2024) before jumping in 3 height sections 80, 90 and 1m.

Inter-Schools Grass Roots Showjumping Qualifiers 40-70cm & RPL Show Jumping classes 70-90cm

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Including

Grass Roots Qualifiers for the Grass Roots Regional Championships (see website for dates) as well as the NSEA Grass Roots Festival at Hickstead in August 2026

Regional Points League Classes

Team Points- towards the regional points leagues, calculated at the end of the academic year, where the highest 4 schools will qualify for the NSEA Championships at **Addington in October**.

Individuals placed in the top 6 in the RPL 70, 80, 90 classes qualify to compete at the RPL Individual Championships at NSEA GR RPL Championships at **Hickstead in August**.

This competition is open to schools from all counties and regions.

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Entry Fee £ 18.00

Medical cover £ 5.00 per rider

Classes 4 – 8 NSEA Grass Roots Rules apply

*Horse/rider combinations may compete in two consecutive height qualifying classes on the same pony
40 & 50 or 50 & 60 or 60 & 70cm*

A GR rider may not jump in 70cm and 40cm

A rider is not eligible for GR if they are jumping 90cm and may only jump 60 and 70 GR classes if horse/rider have completed 5 x 80cm classes.

Class 4a/b 40cm Team & Individual Grass Roots Qualifier (may be led/assisted) Judged on jumping penalties, placings separated on style marks. Not timed, although the maximum time in the arena is 4 mins.

40a) led, unled and running in close proximity with the pony.

40b) assisted- in the ring but does instructor not move with the pony

Top 6 individuals in each section to qualify. Top 6 teams to qualify, which can be made up of riders in either section

Class 5 50cm Team & Individual Grass Roots Qualifier (may be assisted) Optimum time

Class 6 60cm Team & Individual Grass Roots Qualifier (may not be assisted) Single phase

Class 7 70cm Team & Individual Grass Roots Qualifier (may not be assisted) Single phase

Classes 8 - 10 NSEA 30cm Rule applies

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Class 8 70-75 cm RPL Teams & Individuals Open to all Single phase

Class 9 80-85cm RPL Teams & Individuals Single phase

Class 10 90-95cm RPL Teams & Individuals Single phase

1st & 2nd placed team & 1-4th placed individuals will qualify for the NSEA National Schools Championships 2025 Addington Manor, October 2025

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DRESSAGE

Tests at Championship Qualifiers 2024 (Team & Individual) all in 20x40m arenas as follows..

Class 10 BD Prelim 2 (2024)

Open to horse & rider combinations that have not competed at British Dressage Elementary level or above

Class 11 BD Novice 2 (2024)

Horse / rider combinations which have ever competed at Medium level or above may not compete in Novice classes. However, riders may compete on a different horse.

Class 12 BD Elementary 1 (2024)

No restrictions on horse or rider

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Entries close 14th September at 10pm

Teams

Teams shall be made up of 3 or 4 riders (best 3 scores to count) with up to two riders to compete in the prelim test and up to two riders in the novice test.

All team riders will automatically count for individual placings providing they are eligible (see NSEA 'Additional rules)

The top 2 teams & 4 Individuals will qualify for the Championships

If there is more than one section, a ride off will determine who qualifies, (or 1 team & 2 individuals per section)

Start Times will be available on Northern Equine Events Facebook page and the NSEA website 2 days before the competition www.nsea.org.uk

Disclaimer... Full T's and C's can be found on the booking site. It will be deemed that upon arrival, you will have read, understood and agree with the Terms and conditions on the booking site.

Your Responsibility

All persons attending the event must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents and must obey instructions given by the Organiser or by officials and stewards on its behalf.

All competitors and those associated with their school are the responsibility of the Team Manager whilst at the competition
The NSEA will not be held responsible for any financial loss incurred by the attendee as a result of a cancellation.

Child Protection & Safeguarding

If you have any concerns, please contact the NSEA on tel 07552 836032 / competition@nsea.org.uk to be put in contact with our designated Child Protection Officer. If you have immediate concerns, you can contact Childline tel 0800 1111 or NSPCC tel 0808 800 5000

TV & Photography

Please note that professional photographers will be present at the Qualifiers and there may also be TV cameras at the Championships. Please indicate on the entry form if you do not wish to appear in press coverage/ TV or photos taken by our official photographers.

HEALTH CHECK BEFORE YOU LEAVE

PRACTISE GOOD HAND HYGIENE