



West Cork TREC One Day Event

Venue: Bantry Bay Pony Trekking

Sunday 28th July 2019

Competition Information:

This 3-phase competition will be held at Bantry Bay Pony Trekking. The competition is open to everyone. Entries will only be accepted on the official entry form (see page 4 of this schedule).

The POR will be very short in comparison to regular POR phases, as we will not be going off-site. The purpose of this One Day Event is to act as an introduction to the orienteering phase for those who have never done a POR before (especially younger riders) but is also to introduce compass bearings for those who wish to try this aspect of a POR for the first time. We are therefore asking all those with experience of POR / compass bearings to please make themselves available to pair with newcomers / young riders.

It is not the responsibility of West Cork TREC to find a pair for any rider – two riders must enter as a pair in the pair classes. A rider may post a comment on the Facebook post for the event if they need to find someone to pair (please state level required) – once a pairing has been agreed please submit your entry form.

This event will take a few hours to complete, so everyone should please bring his or her own refreshments (e.g. a drink and a light lunch).

All riders are required to report in for the start time, and would be expected to stay until the ridden aspect of the competition is completed (and longer if you can, to help put away and to see the scores). Depending on the number of non-riding volunteers we get, we may need to utilise riders to help us run the competition. Riders with TREC judging experience may be asked to judge other levels, and those without judging experience may be asked to assist judges or to perform tasks for which judging experience is not a requirement.

Rosettes will be awarded to the winners of each class.

The officials for this event are:

- Technical Delegate: Winfried Bastian (prior to event)
- Assistant TD: Elaine Dolan Crowley (will be acting as TD at the event)
- Traceur: Adèle Connor
- Event Secretary: Jill Davies email: westcorktrec@gmail.com tel: 087 218 9890

Entry Requirements

Please submit your entry on the accompanying entry form on page 4 (send as a scanned document or photo to Jill via email, messenger or WhatsApp). The closing date for entries is Sunday 21st July 2019. We may not be in a position to accept late entries, so please book by the closing date to avoid disappointment.

Entry fees

€15 TREC Ireland members only (must have valid TREC Ireland membership – Adult/Family/U21)
€22 for everyone else (fee includes temporary insurance)

Entry fees are payable by cash on day of event. Please sign in and pay on arrival.

Time Schedule:

Times will be confirmed when all entries have been received. Initially we are proposing the first competitor should present for tack check at 10:00am and enter map room 10:15am, but we may have to adjust times slightly if necessary.

Classes

Class 1	Level 2A – Individual *	Max height PTV 80cm	Route <u>will</u> contain compass bearings
Class 2	Level 2A – Pairs	Max height PTV 80cm	Route <u>will</u> contain compass bearings
Class 3	Level 2 – Individual *	Max height PTV 80cm	Route may contain compass bearings
Class 4	Level 2 – Pairs	Max height PTV 80cm	Route may contain compass bearings
Class 5	Juniors Pairs (age 16-18)	Max height PTV 70cm	Route may contain compass bearings
Class 6	Level 1 – Individual *	Max height PTV 60cm	
Class 7	Level 1 – Pairs	Max height PTV 60cm	

** Restrictions regarding Individual classes*

Riders will not be permitted to ride a POR as an individual unless they have completed a minimum of 1 POR event run by TREC Ireland or an affiliated group.

Junior Competitors (under 18s)

- A junior competitor may only ride as an individual if they have reached or will reach the age of 16 years in the year of competition (i.e. before 31.12.19)
- The Junior Pairs class is for riders age 16-18 only
- Any rider under 16 must ride as a pair with an adult (18 years and over) in the pair classes.

Handicap

As there is no Level 3 route available in this event, the standard TREC Ireland handicap rules will apply. Therefore, riders who qualify as Level 3 riders (i.e. have competed two full 3-phase competitions at Level 3 or above) may ride as Level 1 Individual but may only compete HC; they may ride as part of a Level 1 Pair but shall incur a 15 point penalty in the POR phase or they may ride Level 2 as individual or part of a pair without incurring any penalty points. Level 2 riders may compete at Level 1 as individuals or part of a pair without incurring any penalty points.

Rules and Participation Conditions

This competition is organised according to TREC Ireland rules. Registration means participants accept the rules of TREC Ireland. Participants register under their own responsibility or their legal representatives (if under 18). Queries and objections will be dealt with in accordance to TREC Ireland rules, and competitors are required to familiarise themselves with these rules. Any query or complaint on the day must be lodged with the Technical Delegate for the event.

It is a legal requirement to carry a passport when a horse is being used for competitions. If a horse is transported without a passport when being used for competition purposes, an offence is being committed and prosecution is a possibility.

Code of Ethics

TREC Ireland's 'Code of Ethics & Good Practice for Children's Sport' will be adhered to for this event, and in signing any of the required documents participants do so on the understanding that they agree to abide by TREC Ireland's Code of Ethics (available to download from www.trecireland.com).

- All participants must send in a completed entry form.
- Anybody involved in any way with the event on the day, including competitors and helpers, must sign in using the provided attendance sheet/sign in form.

It is the policy of TREC Ireland and affiliate groups to take and use photographs for the purpose of promoting the sport on the internet and any newspapers (such as The Irish Field). Permission to use these photographs is sought when signing in on arrival and everyone should indicate on the sign in sheet if permission is granted or withdrawn.

Equipment

A list of the mandatory and other equipment required for each of the three TREC phases is detailed in the TREC Ireland Rule book. A copy of the equipment required for this POR competition can be found in the appendix on page 5 of this schedule.

- *Riding Hats & Body Protectors:* All riders must wear a riding hat that conforms to the safety standards outlined in the current TREC Ireland Rule book. All under 18s must wear a body protector for the PTV phase.
- *Level 1 POR equipment concession:* A special concession was introduced by TREC Ireland which allows Level 1 riders to participate in local POR competitions with a slightly reduced equipment list (as marked in our appendix on page 5)

Directions to Bantry Bay Pony Trekking, Hollyhill, Bantry, P75 H019

It is opposite the junction of N71 Bantry-Cork road and R591 road to Durrus/Crookhaven (entrance is approximately 20m on the Cork side from the junction)

Distances: approx. 3.7km from Bantry town square or 15.2km from Drimoleague

Volunteers

As with all TREC events, we rely heavily on the generosity of volunteers. Any offer of a volunteer will be gratefully received. Please contact the event secretary Jill Davies by email, phone or text if you are able to volunteer for this competition (experience is not a necessity but if you have had any experience at other TREC events please include this information). Details required are name, email address, contact number (and age if helper is under 18). Please note that all helpers under 18 years of age who are not competing must complete a junior participant's form (please contact Jill if this form is required).

Thank you for your support!



ENTRY FORM
Bantry, Co. Cork

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ENTRY DETAILS

Rider Name:		Age (if under 18):	
Rider email:		Phone #:	
TREC Ireland Membership Number:		and expiry date:	
Horse Name:			
Equine Premises #:		Please indicate if riding a stallion:	
Class/Level Entered: (please tick)	(1) ____ Level 2A Individual *	(2) ____ Level 2A Pair	
	(3) ____ Level 2 Individual *	(4) ____ Level 2 Pair	
		(5) ____ Juniors Pair	
	(6) ____ Level 1 Individual *	(7) ____ Level 1 Pair	
If riding as a pair, please advise name of pair rider:			

* NOTE: Riders must have prior experience of riding in a POR to be able to ride as an Individual at this event.
RIDERS SHOULD BRING THEIR OWN REFRESHMENTS FOR BOTH HORSE AND RIDER

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

The following information is required by organisers to be used solely in event of an emergency. If the usual emergency contact for any participant is also a competitor, please consider giving an alternative. You must also ask your contact(s) for their permission to enter their information here.

Emergency Contact:	Phone #:
Any allergies, conditions, medications and/or special directions that would be helpful for the organisers to know about in case of emergency?	

DECLARATION OF CONSENT: I hereby agree to abide by TREC Ireland's code of ethics and good practice. A copy of TREC Ireland's code of ethics can be downloaded from www.trecireland.com

Signed: _____ Date: _____
Participant

PARENTAL/GUARDIAN CONSENT: I hereby consent to the above child participating in the activities of the organisation in line with the Code of Ethics and Good Practice. In the event of illness, I give permission for medical treatment to be administered where considered necessary by a nominated first aider, or by suitably qualified medical practitioners. If I cannot be contacted and my child needs emergency hospital treatment, I authorise a qualified medical practitioner to provide emergency medical treatment or medication.

Signed: _____ Date: _____
Parent/Guardian of Junior Participant (under 18)

*Data Protection Notice: TREC Ireland and affiliated groups undertake to collect and use your personal data in compliance with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR). Our legal basis for processing this data is our legitimate interest as an equestrian club; we use the data for the communication of information and the organisation of this event and thus any information on this form may be shared with the event organisers. Your full name may be used in various competition paperwork and publications for event records, scoring purposes and promotional reasons. The information gathered on this form will be securely stored by the event organisers. **This form will be destroyed within one month of this event.** Further information on our policies can be found at www.trecireland.com*



APPENDIX: EQUIPMENT LIST

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Compulsory Equipment <i>(Penalties: see Rulebook 3.11.6 and 4.17.1)</i>	Phase	** Level 1 Concession
Approved protective hard hat complying with current standards, PAS015, SEI ASTM 95, ASTM F1163, SNELL E2001, AS/NZS 3838 2006 and Interim European Standard VG1.040 2014-12 Where a rider wears a different hat for different phases, all hats must be presented for inspection at the equipment check.	All phases	L1 Minimum
Horse ID with rider number and emergency phone number attached to the bridle	All phases	L1 Minimum
Medical armband	All phases	L1 Minimum
Body protector (Beta Level 3 standard) for competitors under 18 years (& GB Qual.)	PTV	L1 Minimum
Head collar, lead rope or combination bridle.	POR	L1 Minimum
Fluorescent / reflective high-vis. clothing. The minimum requirement is clearly visible fluorescent strips on the area of the rider's torso.	POR	L1 Minimum
Lights, attached somewhere to the rider's body, with a white light to the front and a red light to the back	POR	
First aid kit for both equine and human. The main purpose of the first aid kit is to help stop blood loss and therefore must include: • 6 sterile swaps • 1 pair of round ended scissors • 1 elastic bandage, around 10cm wide • 1 disinfectant or antiseptic solution	POR	
<i>Recommended item only for Levels 1 and 2, compulsory item for Levels 3 and 4:</i> For shod horses, emergency farrier's tools suitable for the removal of shoe and nails (one set of tools between a pair is sufficient) and correctly sized hoof-boot or similar (per horse).	POR	

Additional Equipment <i>(Penalties: see Rulebook 4.17.1)</i>	Phase	** Level 1 Concession
Hoof pick	POR	L1 Minimum
Whistle (<i>recommend keep on person, not in saddlebag</i>)	POR	L1 Minimum
Mobile phone, sealed for all levels (<i>recommend keep on person, not in saddlebag</i>)	POR	L1 Minimum
Torch (lightweight but sufficient to read a map; a head torch is ideal)	POR	
Waterproofs (waterproof jacket as a minimum)	POR	

Recommended Equipment <i>(No penalties will be incurred if riders do not have Recommended Equipment)</i>	Phase	** Level 1 Concession
Emergency telephone numbers (<i>supplied by the event organisers</i>)	POR	<i>Supplied</i>
Markers / pens for the map and for making notes	POR	L1 Minimum
Map case	POR	
Digital watch or stopwatch	POR	
Saddlebag or suitable alternative	POR	
Drink and snack	POR	
Compass	POR	

**** Concession for Level 1 Riders ONLY:** At **local** competitions, a Level 1 competitor may avail of the Level 1 Concession rule and may bring a shorter list of equipment (marked in the table above as L1 Minimum). The rest of the items on the list will be regarded as *Recommended Equipment* list only for Level 1 riders, and therefore will not incur penalties. This concession was introduced to encourage riders to participate in TREC POR competitions without having to purchase expensive items of equipment. **This concession rule will not apply at National events.**