



Dear Members,

As the new year is upon us it is time to reflect and plan your Reining goals for 2020. Congratulations to all our members on their many achievements in 2019! British Reining Council would also like to take this opportunity to thank you, our members and supporters for your continued and valued support.

2020 Show Dates

British Reining has again collated an action-packed calendar of events featuring FEI, NRHA & BR competition, supported by International and UK clinicians, this year there will be a focus on providing a series of clinics to encourage further competitive participation. A list of competition and clinic dates are below and will be posted on our Facebook page and website shortly.

March 1st 2020 - Winter Reining Show, Bodiam
March 7/8th 2020 - Sherwood Spring Slide, Oakridge
April 2nd - 5th 2020 - Sherwood Easter Show, Oakridge
May 27-31st 2020 Garden of England International Show, Bodiam
June 25th - 28th 2020 - Sherwood Summer Sizzler, Oakridge
July 6th - 11th 2020 - NRHA European Affiliate Championships, Tuse Creek Ranch, Denmark
September 18th - 20th 2020 - AQHA UK Breed Show, Oakridge
October 8 – 11th 2020 British Reining Championships in conjunction with the Sherwood Halloween Show, Oakridge

New for 2020

Youth & Para Fund

British Reining youth and para members can now apply for funding from British Reining to help them participate in the sport of Reining. There will be 3 awards made, please complete and return your application (form attached) to council@britishreining.co.uk by 31st January 2020.

Clinic Subsidies

British Reining are offering a subsidy of £20 per member to attend our upcoming clinic series.

Non Quarter Horse Hi Point Award

A Hi Point plaque will be offered for 2020 - any non-registered Quarter Horse who competes in BR classes in 2020 will be eligible for the award.

Volunteer with British Reining

If you are unable to attend events with your horse we are always looking for volunteers to help run our events, offers of help are most appreciated. If you would like to volunteer at any events please contact council@britishreining.co.uk

We will also be looking to appoint new Council members at the AGM. Please contact Francesca with expressions of interest and for further information on joining the BR Council. britishreining@aol.com

Drug Testing Fees

Once again, the sport of Reining has been a leader in clean sport participation. In line with the ever increasing BEFAR testing program advances and capability it has become necessary to increase drug testing fees in 2020 the new drug testing fee will be £10.

British Reining Western Coaching Certificate & Professional Coaches

2019 saw the re-launch of the British Reining Western Coaching Certificate with the certification of new Level 2 coaches. British Reining has some great incentives and professional development planned for coaches in 2020. We will be introducing a Coach of the Year Award in recognition of the hard work and dedication our professional coaches give to our sport. More details to be released on this soon. If you would further information about professional coaching qualifications, please contact us.

British Reining Calendar

If you weren't lucky enough to receive the BR calendar in your stocking for Christmas – they can still be purchased at Oakridge, Sterling and Valley View or can be posted out to you. Please contact Bruce to purchase council@britishreining.co.uk



Membership Renewals

Membership renewals are due by 01/01/2020 - Please contact Jane if you have a query regarding your renewal.

Renewal forms are available on the website to download and complete.

<http://www.britishreining.co.uk/membership/>

Finally, we wish you all a Happy New Year! We look forward to seeing you in 2020.

British Reining Council

British Reining Youth & Para Support Fund: Application 2020

The Youth & Para Fund is designed to help support BR fulfil its mission to promote the sport of Reining by looking to better support Youth & Para participation. This program in conjunction with BR's Clinic series will support BR's focus on increasing competitive participation in the sport of Reining.
The fund is £500 to be split between 3 British Reining members (£200, £200, £100).

- **Please complete all sections of the form before returning it to Emma Darwood council@britishreining.co.uk**
- **If you are under 18, all sections should be completed by a parent or guardian.**

Eligibility Criteria:

British Reining Youth or Para member

Submission of fully completed application and agreement on or by 31/01.2020.

Applicant must **not** be a Parent, Child, Aunt, Uncle or Cousin (incl Step) or an employee of a Council member

Must agree to submit small written report 200 words about how the assistance has helped them participate in the sport of Reining.

SECTION 1: Participant Details

Full name:	
Date of birth:	
Your current address:	
British Reining Membership Number:	

SECTION 2: Parent/Guardian Personal details (if under 18)

Full Name:	
Address (unless same as above):	
Your telephone number(s):	Your email address:

Please give a short statement as to your 2020 goals, your long-term goals and how you plan to achieve them along with a brief riding/competition history. Please also tell us what you would spend the funding on and why and why you feel you should be considered.

I have checked the details on this application form. I confirm to the best of my knowledge that they are accurate and correct.

Date:

Name (printed):

Signature:

If you have any further queries relating to the fund, please contact us:

Email: council@britishreining.co.uk