

Bourne Valley Riding Club

incorporating Woodhay District Riding Club

(Affiliated to the British Horse Society)

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NEWSLETTER

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I am pleased to announce that BVRC Badges are now available and every club member will receive one (free) with this Newsletter. The Badges incorporate with British Riding Clubs' Logo with our own club name. Royal blue Sweatshirts, also with the British Riding Clubs' Logo & club name will be available shortly, at a cost of £12. Bring your pennies to the next club function & purchase your own club Sweatshirt. Please watch the Diary Dates page. The Diary dates section contains all the major events for the year, but other dates for instruction, non competitive rides and socials are continually being added, so make sure you don't miss anything!

Instruction

We are trying some weekday instruction sessions, and if these prove popular they will be extended. These are as well as and not instead of the weekend instruction. Two sessions have been organised with Shena Kozuba Kozubska. The first session will be held at Bluebell Farm, Penton Grafton, Nr Weyhill and will be general instruction (mainly flat work with some optional grid work or small jumps to finish). The second session is show jumping, grid work followed by jumping a course.

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| Sunday 4th February | Shena Kozuba Kozubska | 1 - 4pm | Cost £12 (2 sessions) |
| Sunday 3rd March | Shena Kozuba Kozubska | 1 - 4pm | Cost £12 (2 sessions) |

Three general instruction dates have been organised with Diana Fitzsimmons at Lucinda Green's school in Appleshaw

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| Tuesday 6th February | 10.30am | Cost £9 (one session only) |
| Tuesday 20th February | 10.30am | Cost £9 (one session only) |
| Tuesday 5th March | 10.30am | Cost £9 (one session only) |

All instruction is of 1 hour 30 minutes duration in groups of 4 to 6 riders.

If you wish to attend any of these sessions, please fill in the attached reply slip & return with remittance to Lindsay Hills (01264 772388).

For the Shena sessions please ring Lindsay 2 or 3 evenings beforehand to find out which group you have been allocated to.

For Diana's instruction just arrive ready to start at 10.30am. unless you hear otherwise.

Hunting

Several members have taken advantage of our club subscription to the RA Hunt and have had a whale of a time. Why not have a go? Ring Sam Hart on 01980 843378 for details of meets, parking etc.

Don't forget your Membership card, your £10 cap & £1 for the horse box watcher, & have fun.

Hunt Secretary: Nick Hornby, Paddocks, The Cartway, Wedhampton, Nr Devizes, Wilts. Tel: 01380 848117.

Area 17 Novice Indoor Show Jumping Team Competition

After several years absence, we are entering a team in the competition this year. Good Luck to the team representing us. Details of the team and how they fared will be in the next Newsletter.

Quiz at the Red Lion, Clanville, Nr Weyhill on Thursday 18th January 1996, 7.30-8pm

Riotous as ever, this year's quiz proved to be a clear victory for the 'Village Idiots' - Clare Heald, Liz Potter & Paula Plaster. Congratulations to them for their extensive & diverse knowledge - or was it just a succession of lucky guesses? This must be the first year in living memory that Sue McGrath was not in the winning team. Thanks to Sue (Kerrison) & Monica for some fiendish questions.

Unaffiliated Dressage at Hoplands on Sunday 18th February.

Schedules for this competition are enclosed. There are plenty of tests to choose from so do have a go. Failing that, Caroline Stevens (01264 323729) would welcome offers of help.

Unaffiliated Show Jumping at Hoplands on Sunday 10th March

Schedules for this competition are also enclosed. Again there is plenty for everyone. Even if you don't feel ready to compete, there will be clear round jumping all day. Helpers, Sue Fentiman (01264 350236) is awaiting your call.

Talk by Equine Nutritionist Deborah Lucas,

Tuesday 5th March at Red Lion, Clanville, Nr Weyhill 7.30 for 8pm.

Deborah is returning to give a talk on Equine nutrition. This is a fascinating and informative subject. If you haven't heard Deborah's talk before, this is a must. For those of us who have, how many remembered every piece of information. I certainly need a recap.

Cost £2.50 for members, £4 for non members.

Subscriptions

If you haven't received a Membership card with the last Newsletter or this; if you haven't received a smart new BVRC Badge with this Newsletter; if you have received a Membership Renewal form; could it be that you have forgotten to pay your subscription????

If you do fulfil all these criteria, but you have paid up, please forgive the clerical error & politely let us know.

If this is the parting of the ways it would be nice to know so that we don't continue to hound you.

Either way, this is the last call. No subs, no more Newsletters!! Hope to hear from you soon.

Ring Lindsay (01264) 772388.

Adverts

For Sale

Palomino Filly, 19 months PBA x ID/TB to make 15.2hh. Lovely temperament, very good conformation. Well Handled. Good home essential. £700 ono.

Sharon Hockey 01249 822258 (Wilts)

Horse on Loan

16hh TB/Irish aged schoolmistress. Competed successfully at RC level in all spheres. Well mannered & well schooled. Currently wasted due to owner's illness. To caring knowledgeable home only. Period of loan negotiable.

Gail Wright 01794 390723.

Hoplands Equestrian Centre

Hoplands have organised an exciting series of training sessions with top instructors in all disciplines, together with practical evening talks in all aspects of equine care.

For more information contact Jon or Celia Stanwyck (01794) 388838

Transport

Can anyone in the Tidworth area help with transport to club functions?

Please ring Arabella Mayo 01980 633105.

Diary Dates

February

- 04.02.96 BVRC General Instruction with Shena Kozuba Kozubska at Bluebell Farm, Penton Grafton.
Send reply slip to Lindsay Hills.
- 06.02.96 BVRC General Instruction with Diana Fitzsimmons at Lucinda Green's school, Appleshaw.
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- 11.02.96 Area 17 Indoor Novice Team Show Jumping Qualifier at Priory Equestrian Centre, Frensham, Nr Farnham.
Organiser: Wey Valley RC.
- 18.02.96 BVRC Winter Dressage Competition at Hoplands Equestrian Centre, King's Somborne, Nr Stockbridge.
Organiser: Caroline Stevens 01264 323729 (schedules enclosed).
- 20.02.96 BVRC General Instruction with Diana Fitzsimmons at Lucinda Green's school, Appleshaw.
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March

- 03.03.96 BVRC General Instruction with Shena Kozuba Kozubska at Hoplands Equestrian Centre, King's Somborne.
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- 05.03.96 BVRC General Instruction with Diana Fitzsimmons at Lucinda Green's school, Appleshaw.
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- 05.03.06 BVRC Talk by Equine Nutritionist Deborah Lucas at Red Lion, Clanville, Nr Weyhill at 7.30 for 8pm.
Organiser: Lindsay Hills 01264 772388.
- 10.03.96 BVRC Winter Show Jumping Competition at Hoplands Equestrian Centre, King's Somborne.
Organiser: Sue Fentiman 01264 350236 (schedules enclosed).
- 31.03.96 North Hants Horse Show at Newbury Showground.
Large sae: Mrs S. Little, Tower House, Micheldever Station, Winchester, Hants SO21 3AL.

April

- 04.04.96 BVRC Hot Cross Bun Ride on Salisbury Plain starting from Shipton Bellinger.
Organisers: Maureen Burford 01264 781499 / Sue Kerrison 01264 710370.
- 21.04.96 BVRC Dressage Competition.
Organiser: Di Symes 01980 652272.

May

- 12.05.96 BVRC Combined Training Competition.
Organiser: Maggie Miller 01264 781633.

June

- 02.06.96 BVRC One Day Event at Larkhill.
Organiser: Lindsay Hills 01264 772388.
- 22.06.96 Area 17 Novice & Open Team Show Jumping Qualifier at Langford Farm, Cadnam.
Organiser: Chilworth Riding Club.
- 23.06.96 BVRC Summer Show at Newbury Showground.
Organiser: Sheila Forder 01488 668664.
- 30.06.96 Area 17 Novice & Open Horse Trials Qualifier at Rockbourne, Nr Salisbury.
Organiser: Shillingstone RC.

July

- 21.07.96 BVRC Show Jumping Competition at Hoplands Equestrian Centre, King's Somborne, Nr Stockbridge.
Organiser: Sue Fentiman 01264 350236.

August

- 04.08.96 Area 17 Riding Test & Dressage Qualifier at Forest Lodge Equestrian Centre, Motcombe, Nr Shaftesbury.
Organiser: Stour Valley RC.

September

- 22.09.96 Novice Show

October/November

- BVRC Hunter Trials at Larkhill.
Organiser: Lindsay Hills 01264 772388.

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