

# Bourne Valley Riding Club

incorporating Woodhay District Riding Club

(Affiliated to the British Horse Society)



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## NEWSLETTER

### January 1999

*After the changeover at 1998's Annual General Meeting your new Committee are :-*

<b>Chairman</b>	Lindsay Hills	01264 772388
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	Sam Mawer	01264 334892
<b>Members</b>	Sue Fentimen	01264 391550
	Milly Brotherwood	01264 782242
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	Sue Hodgson	01980 653031
	Brenda Harman	01264 772853
	Lindsay Devine	01980 863166

### AGM Report

At our recent Annual General Meeting, marking the end of the club's 32<sup>nd</sup> year, chairperson Lindsay Hills told members that the club now had a record 200 members. 30 members in 12 teams represented the club in Area Competitions.

There has been a lot of hard work completed by the committee helped by many non-members.

During the year we have had training sessions in all disciplines, dressage, show jumping and combined training competitions, a hunter trial and we also hosted the Area 17 One Day Event for Riding Clubs in Hampshire, Dorset and the Isle of Wight.

Treasurer Brenda Harman reported that the club was in a good financial position and it would not be necessary to raise subscriptions for 1999.

In the absence of any other nominations Lindsay Hills was elected to the chair, and Brenda Harman elected as treasurer for another two year term. Secretary Sarah March still has to serve another year and did not need to be re-elected.

The Chairman thanked all the hard working committee members especially mentioning those who were retiring after a lengthy period of office. Pressure and proposals from the floor soon filled the vacancies. (See above for details of your new Committee members).

In National Competitions, Area 17 representatives figured very strongly with team & individual winners and places in all disciplines. BVRC made their own contribution with Serena Potter and Folkin Philomel placed second in the National Novice Horse Trials Championships and Lucinda Burtenshaw and Silver Clay winning the Medium Dressage Championships.

Lucinda brought the magnificent Medium Dressage Trophy, won for the second year in succession by a BVRC member, and winners sash to the AGM for us all to admire. For many it will be the closest we will ever get to a National Trophy.

The Caballine trophy for the best helper of the year was won by Clare Heald. The Rose bowl for the highest placed non committee helper was awarded to Caroline Stevens. Rosettes were presented to tenth place as follows: Clare Heald, Maggie Miller, Milly Brotherwood, Caroline Stevens, Sam Hart, Monica Tomkins, Sue Stevens, Dee Hodson, Jenny Thorpe, Shelagh Forder, Jill Vallis and Di Symes.

The Be Fair Cup for the most competition points throughout the year was won by Liz Potter with rosettes presented to tenth place to Liz Potter, Amy Cooper, Marty Johnson, Zandra Forder, Jill Vallis, Gail Perren, Carole Perren, Sally Gall, Carole Glover, Jenny Brown and Jacquie Rigby.

## Be Fair Cup & Cabaline Trophy - Results for 1998

### Cabaline Table

1 <sup>st</sup>	Clare Heald	40	Deborah Symmonds	9	Judith Jameson	4
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Maggie Miller	33	Dawn Elderfield	8	Tessa Malyon	4
=3 <sup>rd</sup>	Melissa Brotherwood	28	John Hughes	8	Jennie Miller	4
=3 <sup>rd</sup>	Caroline Stevens	28	Mandy Poulton	8	Karen Nimmo-Scott	4
5 <sup>th</sup>	Sam Hart	27	Linda Rawlings	8	David Turner	4
6 <sup>th</sup>	Monica Tomkins	26	Carole Glover	6	Lena Bond	3
7 <sup>th</sup>	Sue Stevens	24	Sheppard Sam	6	June Bush	3
=8 <sup>th</sup>	Dee Hodson	22	Angela Wilson	6	Sally Colley	3
=8 <sup>th</sup>	Jenny Thorpe	22	Nicky Winham	6	Louise De Boulay	3
10 <sup>th</sup>	Shelagh Forder	21	Myra Bennett	5	Janie Jenkins	3
	Jill Vallis	20	Maureen Burford	5	Lindsay Hills	2
	Diane Symes	19	Claire Ingram	5	Carole Perren	2
	Liz Derbyshire	17	Louise Worthington	5	Madelaine Southey	2
	Josie Saiers	17	Mary Bell	4	Trisha Badham	1
	Jemma Lowe	15	Pippa Bowen	4	Natasha Bruce	1
	Samantha Woodhouse	15	Sarah Butler	4	Lindsay Devine	1
	Gail Perren	12	Sheenagh Carter	4	Roy Southey	1
	Jackie Bench	10	Ella Collins	4		
	Peter Pell	10	Sue Fentiman	4		

### Be Fair Table

1 <sup>st</sup>	Liz Potter	59	Jill Bendinger	15	Sally Colley	9
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Amy Cooper	56	Louise De Boulay	15	Clare Berry	8
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Mandy Johnson	55	Chica Herbert	15	Diana Frankham	7
=4 <sup>th</sup>	Zandra Forder	48	Jane Ward	15	Clare Heald	7
=4 <sup>th</sup>	Jill Vallis	48	Sarah Moss	14	Jill Richardson	7
6 <sup>th</sup>	Gail Perren	46	Caroline Stevens	14	Kate Tarn	7
7 <sup>th</sup>	Carole Perren	45	Penny Hall	13	Veronica Wallace	6
8 <sup>th</sup>	Sally Gall	44	Carol Wright	13	Clare Anderson	5
9 <sup>th</sup>	Carole Glover	42	Johanna Rolfe	12	Sarah Jones	5
=10 <sup>th</sup>	Jenny Brown	35	Jessica Kingsley-Jones	11	Jemma Lowe	5
=10 <sup>th</sup>	Jacquie Rigby	35	Lena Bond	10	Annette Smith	5
	Sarah Butler	30	Jo Booth	10	Gill Trickett	5
	Natasha Bruce	28	Kay Budgen	10	Nicky Winham	5
	Claire Ingram	28	Lucinda Burtenshaw	10	Fiona Burgess	5
	Roy Southey	28	Joanna Farrington	10	Joan Winch	4
	Fiona Manning	25	Janie Jenkins	10	Madelaine Southey	3
	Rachel Fraser	24	Danielle Lloyd	10	Vicky Hill	3
	Brenda Harman	23	Julie Newman	10	Ann Beard	2
	Julie Baker	20	Serena Potter	10	Corry Huntley	2
	Mary Bell	20	Annabel Slater	10	Anna Kay	2
	Trisha Badham	18	Abigail Wood	10	Tabitha Alderson	2
	Lindsay Hills	18	Sofia Woyka	10	Rosie Mathias	1
	Chantal Hutton	17	Tory Jowett	10		
	Jennie Rolfe	17	Louisa Clarke	10		

### End of 1998

After the Annual General Meeting in November, club members enjoyed a less serious fun evening.

The annual skittles at the “Queen’s Head” was well organised by Caroline Stevens and was well attended by members and friends. The team event was won by the “Perrens” and the “Sudden Death” individual by Liz Derbyshire. Perhaps we should have a trophy for this competition!!

The “Queen’s Head” also do a nice line in chips with scampi, chicken, sausage or fish. Everyone agrees it was a great social evening.

The Christmas fun ride from the Bustard was also well attended and it is beginning to rival the Easter "Hot Cross Bun" ride in popularity. Both give riders the chance to enjoy the open grassland of Salisbury Plain. Riders fear of frozen ground was soon allayed when they got onto the thick grass. Group leaders Sam Shepperd and Roy Southey found some lovely going and were last seen by envious car followers racing over the horizon. After a two hour ride they all arrived safely at Orcheston where hosts Sam and Sally Shepperd and Mads and Roy Southey had hot toddies and hot sausage baps waiting for them. They had ridden as far west as the "German Village", half way to Chitterne. A new member was heard to ask "When can we do that again?". S.H.

### **Aloe Vera Talk at the Red Lion , Clanville, Nr Weyhill, on Tuesday 26th January, 1999 at 7.30-8pm.**

Aloe Vera , a plant grown in Tropical countries, has been used for 4000 years for its therapeutic & health giving properties. Its uses are many and varied and can help cuts, bruises, skin disorders, digestive problems, inflammatory complaints and many more. Aloe Vera products are widely used for both humans and animals. The talk given by Jenny Leighton, a member of the Guild of Complementary Practitioners, includes a 30 minute video produced by an Equestrian Vet. This talk comes highly recommended by one of our committee members. Come along, have a drink and meet some of the other members. All members and friends are welcome. Cost £2.00 for members, £2.50 for non-members. For more information ring Lindsay (01264 772388).

### **Annual Quiz at the Red Lion , Clanville, Nr Weyhill, on Wednesday 10th February, 1999 at 7.30-8pm.**

Come to our popular annual quiz. Bring as many people as you like. The questions are non horsey as well as horsey, so families won't be left out. Four or five people can make up a team, or if you want to come on your own then just turn up. Under 16's are welcome at our socials, so there's no reason to leave them home. The cost is £2.50 each for the quiz. Come early, order a drink and some food for the interval, ready for the quiz to start at 8pm.

### **Area 17 Novice Indoor Show Jumping Qualifier at HMS Dryad, Southwick, Nr Fareham on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> February, 1999.**

This is the first of the Area 17 qualifying competitions for 1999. Teams of four compete over two rounds with jumps 2'6" and 2'9" in each round, the best three scores count. The competition is at HMS Dryad EC, Southwick, Nr Fareham. If you are interested in being part of a team ring Nicky Winham (01264) 860138 or Sam Mawer (01264) 334892 as soon as possible. Please remember that you will need a fully up to date flu certificate and a hat to the standard PAS015 or EN1384.

### **Instruction**

The weekday instruction sessions continue with Diana Burgess at Lower Chute and weekend and evening sessions with Sorrel Warwick, at Cholderton House EC indoor school.

Diana's sessions will be held at Virginia Chamber's outdoor school in Lower Chute. Parking is courtesy of the Chute Club, but please park towards the front of the car park and please ensure that the area is left tidy (no litter or droppings). Ring Lindsay (01264 772388) if you would like more detailed directions to any of the venues.

#### **The Instruction dates with Diana are as follows:**

Tuesday	19 <sup>th</sup> January	10:30 am
Tuesday	2 <sup>nd</sup> February	10:30 am
Tuesday	16 <sup>th</sup> February	10:30 am
Tuesday	2 <sup>nd</sup> March	10:30 am

#### **The Instruction dates with Sorrel are as follows:**

Sunday	10 <sup>th</sup> January	2 pm
Thursday	21 <sup>st</sup> January	6:45 pm
Sunday	31 <sup>st</sup> January	2 pm
Thursday	4 <sup>th</sup> February	6:45 pm
Sunday	7 <sup>th</sup> February	2 pm / 3:30 pm
Thursday	18 <sup>th</sup> February	6:45 pm

The instruction sessions are of a general nature which consist of a some flatwork with some optional gridwork or a small course of jumps at the end. The instruction on 7<sup>th</sup> February will be Show Jumping with 2 groups. Each session will last 1 hour 30 minutes. Groups of 4-6 people. Cost £10 per session.

The instruction is aimed at all levels of horse and rider - so do come and have a go. If you wish to attend, please send the attached reply slip to Lindsay Hills **AT LEAST 3 DAYS BEFORE** the due date (separate cheques for each session with date marked on the back of the cheque please).

For the Show Jumping on 7<sup>th</sup> February please ring Lindsay 2 to 3 days beforehand to see the group to which you have been allocate

### **Hunting**

The hunt meets every Wednesday and Saturday at 11.00 am. Ring Sam Hart (01980) 843378 / Di Symes (01980) 652272 / Nick Hornby (01380) 848117 for details of meets, times, parking, dress, protocol etc etc.

The hunting cap is £15 per day. You should make yourself known to the treasurer of the hunt on arrival, rather than waiting for them to find you and you will need to produce your BVRC membership card, so do not forget to take it. You will also need £1 for the chap who watches the horse boxes whilst you are out having fun.

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

### **Membership Cards**

Membership cards are enclosed for those who haven't already collected them.

If you haven't received a new card could it be that you haven't paid your subscription?????

Please let us know if the mistake is ours or ring to check.

## Diary Dates

### JANUARY

- 10.1.99      **BVRC General Instruction** with Sorrel Warwick at Cholderton EC 2pm.  
19.1.99      **BVRC General Instruction** with Diana Burgess at Lower Chute, 10.30am  
21.1.99      **BVRC General Instruction** with Sorrel Warwick at Cholderton EC 6.45pm  
26.1.99      **BVRC Talk on Aloe Vera** by Jenny Leighton at Red Lion, Clanville, Nr Weyhill, 7.30-8pm.  
31.1.99      **BVRC General Instruction** with Sorrel Warwick at Cholderton EC 2pm.

### FEBRUARY

- 2.2.99      **BVRC General Instruction** with Diana Burgess at Lower Chute, 10.30am  
4.2.99      **BVRC General Instruction** with Sorrel Warwick at Cholderton EC 6.45pm  
7.2.99      **BVRC Show Jumping Instruction** with Sorrel Warwick at Cholderton EC 2/3.30pm.  
10.2.99      **BVRC Annual Quiz** at Red Lion, Clanville, Nr Weyhill, 7.30-8pm.  
16.2.99      **BVRC General Instruction** with Diana Burgess at Lower Chute, 10.30am  
18.2.99      **BVRC General Instruction** with Sorrel Warwick at Cholderton EC 6.45pm  
21.2.99      Area 17 Novice Indoor Team Show Jumping at HMS Dryad, Nr Fareham

### MARCH

- 2.3.99      **BVRC General Instruction** with Diana Burgess at Lower Chute, 10.30am

## BVRC Competition Dates for 1999

Dressage	Hoplands	To be arranged for the end of February 1999
Showjumping	Hoplands	To be arranged for the end of March 1999
Dressage	Larkhill, Knighton Down	18 <sup>th</sup> April 1999
Combined Training	Larkhill, Knighton Down	23 <sup>rd</sup> May 1999
One Day Event	Larkhill	6 <sup>th</sup> June 1999
Dressage	West Woodhay	To be arranged for July 1999
Showjumping	Over Wallop	To be arranged for July 1999
Dressage & Showjumping	Over Wallop	To be arranged for September 1999
Hunter Trial	Larkhill	31 <sup>st</sup> October 1999

## Adverts

### For Sale

16.3hh Bay Gelding 13 yrs.  
Ideal Riding Club Horse.  
Snaffle Mouth. Good box, shoe, and clip. £1,200  
Tel: 01962 884013

### For Sale

15.2hh Quality Middleweight ID x TB Mare.  
13 years old. Retired Eventer.  
Previously jumped double clears BSJA, Foxhunters. Schooled to Novice Elementary. level. Genuine with a lovely nature. Would be ideal school mistress.  
Unfit, hence £2,000 for quick sale.  
Tel: 01962 776204

## Need Transport?

Phone Sue on Andover 391550 – (Trailer for hire).

**REPLY SLIPS to be returned to Mrs L Hills, The Ridings, Dauntsey Lane, Weyhill, Andover, Hants SP11 8EB.**  
**Please make cheques payable to Bourne Valley Riding Club.** (Separate cheques for each session.)

I enclose £10 for general instruction with Diana Burgess at 10.30am on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> March at Lower Chute,

Name ..... Tel No .....

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Name ..... Tel No .....

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Name ..... Tel No .....

I enclose £10 for General Instruction with Sorrel Warwick at 2 pm / 3.30 pm on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> February at Cholderton House EC. (*Show Jumping – 2 groups please specify preferred time*).

Name ..... Tel No .....

I enclose £10 for General Instruction with Sorrel Warwick at 6.45pm on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> February at Cholderton House EC,

Name ..... Tel No .....

I enclose £10 for general instruction with Diana Burgess at 10.30am on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> February at Lower Chute,

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