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MARCH 1993 NEWSLETTER

Dear Members.

AREA COMPETITIONS

We now have the dates of this years Area Competitions :-

DRESSAGE - 13th June at Shillingstone, Dorset.

OPEN HORSE TRIALS - 4th July at Tweseldown.

SHOW JUMPING - 18th July organisers Purbeck Riding Club, Dorset.

NOVICE HORSE TRIALS - 25th July at Warminster.

Anyone interested in joining a team and participating at one of the above events, please contact Liz White on tel: 0672 810559.

For those of you who are not sure of what is required for the Area Competitions, here is an idea of what is required.

DRESSAGE - The team is made up of 4 members, each member riding a different test, the tests this year are: Prelim 4, Novice 12, Novice 15 and Elementary 22.

We may also send a team for the Riding Club Riding Test.

OPEN AND NOVICE HORSE TRIALS – Once again a team will be made up of 4 members, for the Open Horse Trials the Dressage test will be Horse Trials test C, the Show Jumping will be a maximum of 3'7" in height, (there will be no water jump or treble combination) and finally the Cross Country Phase will have a maximum height of 3'6".

For the Novice Horse Trials, the Dressage test is Horse Trials test A, the Show Jumping is 2'9" and the Cross Country is also 2'9".

SHOW JUMPING - In the first round the maximum height will be 3'3" and in the second round the maximum height will be 3'5".

So if you feel you and your horse are capable of any of these, please contact Liz, who will be pleased to hear from you.

CROSS COUNTRY RIDE - 3rd April

We will be holding a Cross Country session at the UK Chasers Course at Headbourne Worthy, Nr. Winchester. This course is 7 miles long with 31 jumps, the jumps are flagged 'Green' for 2'0"-2'6" and 'Blue' for 2'6"-3'0". The fences are well constructed and very inviting, it is a ideal course for young or novice horses and riders, or for the more experienced to have fun!!

The cost is £7.00 for B.V. Members and £12.00 for non-members, this includes a years membership to UK Chasers. (Which entitles you to ride any of their courses at the reduced course fee - the normal subscription for this is £17.00). Please complete the reply slip and return to Lindsay Hills.

INSTRUCTION

Two more instruction sessions have been arranged, both with Shena.

SATURDAY 01.05.93 Cross Country at Larkhill cost £14.00 SATURDAY 08.05.93 General Instruction at Bluebell Farm. cost £12.00

(both these prices will be reduced if there is sufficient interest).

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As usual, please complete the attached reply slips and return to Lindsay Hills with payment, as soon as possible.

PUB RIDE IN CHUTE FOREST - 16th May

We now have more information on the Pub Ride. Parking will be at Crawlboys Farm, which is between Faberstown and Biddesden. It is suggested that members and their guests should ride in groups of 4-8 and start to leave Crawlboys Farm between 10.30 - 11.00pm. The overall ride is approximately 10 miles.

The ride is open to all B.V. Members and their friends and relations over 16 years of age. We will make a nominal charge to non-members of £1.00.

Please ring and let Lindsay Hills know if you plan to go, so she can advise the pub of numbers.

DRESSAGE SHOW - 28th February

The entries for this competition were brilliant and there was even a waiting list on all classes.

The day dawned cold and windy with snow on the ground, several people including a judge rang to see if we would proceed. On arrival at Catherston we were met with the sight of our well prepared arena under at least an inch of snow. This did not deter the earlier competitors.

The standard of competition was high and all results were close, especially in the last class where the top three horses all had the same mark!! To add to the excitement, work on the new indoor school was noisy and gave some horses something very interesting to look at!!

My thanks to all my helpers, some who braved the elements all day, also to the judges, although it must have been slightly warmer tucked up inside their cars. Also thanks to Jennie and Anthony Loriston-Clarke for allowing us to use their wonderful facilities.

RESULTS.

CLASS 1 - PRELIM 4 JUDGE: L. Loriston-Clarke 1st Welton Picasso E. Clapcott 2nd Pisces S. Austin 4th Theodore S. Anderson 3rd Admiral Lysander C. Storey =5th Keston Caliburn =5th Gus L. Clapcott

Best B.V. and Special Prize for Novice Horse and Rider was Theodore with Sam Anderson.

CLASS 2 - PRELIM 9 JUDGE: V. Mace El Khamsin E. Fitches L. Hills 1st 2nd Catalin Tiger Sue L. Kemble 4th Welton Picasso E. Clapcott 3rd Pisces 5th S. Austin 6th Kentchurch Liberty L.Loriston-Clarke

Best B.V. Member - Lindsay Hills

CLASS 3 - NOVICE 15 JUDGE: Mrs. Bates 1 s t Sam Pete T. Weal 2nd Al Mahdi M. Tomkins 3rd Black Magic L. Bruce 4th First Folds R. Stockdale 5th El Khamsin Fuzzi L. Kemble 6th E. Fitches

Best B.V. Member - Monica Tomkins

CLASS 4 - NOVICE 17 JUDGE: L. King 1st Fuzzi L. Kemble 2nd First Folds R. Stockdale 3rd Monkshead Montgomery 4th Al Mahdi M. Tomkins G. Waterman 5th Ice Cold in Alex E. Elderton 6th Royal Crusade B. Lawson

Best B.V. Member - Lindsay Kemble

QUIZ - 2nd March

The annual Quiz was held in the spacious new conference room at the Red Lion, Clanville.

Question 'Master' was Lindsay Kemble who had a bizarre mixture of equestrian and general knowledge teasers to tax most peoples brains. During the interval the bar did a roaring trade as contestants strived to get some inspiration ready for the onslaught of the second half.

This started with a picture quiz designed for Pony Club children, which quickly confirmed they are definitely brighter that many adults.

The evening concluded with a draw, for which many prizes were kindly donated.

The winning team members all received bottles of wine, they had over twice as many points as the last team, whose members prefer to remain anonymous.

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 ${\color{red} {WANTED}}$ - David Turner, a B.V. Member is looking for shared transport in the Monxton area to any Riding Club or Novice Competition. If you can help please ring David on 0264-333147

<u>WANTED</u> - Second hand clippers in good working order. Tel: 0264-333147

REPLY SLIP TO BE RETURNED TO L. HILLS, THE RIDINGS, DAUNTSEY LANE, WEYHILL, ANDOVER, HANTS. TEL: 0264 772388
I WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND THE CROSS COUNTRY RIDE AT HEADBOURNE WORTHY ON 3RD APRIL
I ENCLOSE MY CHEQUE FOR £7.00 / £12.00 (BASED ON 10 PEOPLE GOING)
NAME TEL NO
ADDRESS

REPLY SLIP TO BE RETURNED TO L. HILLS, THE RIDINGS, DAUNTSEY LANE, WEYHILL, ANDOVER, HANTS. TEL: 0264 772388
I WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND THE CROSS COUNTRY SCHOOLING WITH SHENA AT LARKHILL ON 1ST MAY
I ENCLOSE MY CHEQUE FOR £14.00
NAME TEL NO
ADDRESS

REPLY SLIP TO BE RETURNED TO L. HILLS, THE RIDINGS, DAUNTSEY LANE, WEYHILL, ANDOVER, HANTS. TEL: 0264 772388
I WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND THE GENERAL INSTRUCTION AT BLUEBELL FARM ON 8TH MAY
I ENCLOSE MY CHEQUE FOR £12.00 (BASED ON 4-6 SHARING)
NAME TEL NO
ADDRESS

Diary Dates

MARCH	
20.03.93	JUMPING INSTRUCTION at Bluebell Farm.
	Please return reply slip to Lindsay Hills.
28.03.93	B.V.R.C. OPEN UNAFFILIATED SHOW JUMPING COMP.
25.00.70	at Catherston Stud, Hurstbourne Priors
	Sec : Mary Perren tel: 0264 772814
APRIL	•
03.04.93	CROSS COUNTRY RIDE at UK Chasers Course,
	Headbourne Worthy, Nr. Winchester.
	Please return reply slip to Lindsay Hills.
25 04 07	B.V.R.C. OPEN UNAFFILIATED DRESSAGE COMPETITION
25.04.93	
	at Tidbury Farm, Bullington Cross.
	Sec : Elaine Elderton tel: 0962 761200
MAY	
01.05.93	CROSS COUNTRY SCHOOLING at Larkhill.
	with Shena.
	Please return reply slip to Lindsay Hills.
08.05.93	GENERAL INSTRUCTION at Bluebell Farm.
	Please return reply slip to Lindsay HIlls.
16.05.93	PUB RIDE IN CHUTE FOREST TO CROSS KEYS INN.
	Park at Crawlboys Farm (between Faberstown and
**	Biddesden).
~	Contact Lindsay Hills tel: 0264 772388
JUNE	
06.06.93	COMBINED TRAINING AND RIDING CLUB HORSE COMP.
	at Blue Bell Farm, Penton Grafton.
	Schedule with this Newsletter.
	Sec : Julie Newman tel: 0264 889721
	ter: 0204 007721

JULY	
11.07.93	B.V.R.C. UNAFFILIATED SHOW JUMPING COMPETITION
	VENUE TO BE CONFIRMED.
	Contact Lindsay on 0264 772388
	Schedules will be available nearer the time.
SEPTEMBER	
	CUDEDCTARC COMPETITION
05.09.93	SUPERSTARS COMPETITION
	at Amport Riding School, Amport.
	Sec : Peter Hills tel : 0264 772388
19.09.93	B.V.R.C. HUNTER TRIALS
	at Knighton Down, Larkhill.
	Organiser: Lindsay Hills tel: 0264 772388
1	Sec : Mandy Vigg tel : 0264 366264