

Newsletter March 2008

Bourne Valley Riding Club

incorporating Woodhay District Riding Club
(Affiliated to the British Horse Society)



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We now have dates for all of our domestic competitions & all the BRC Area 17 qualifying competitions for the rest of the year. Please put these dates in your diary. As always, we are unable to run all these activities without your help. Please volunteer to help. Just phone or send a quick email to let us know your availability. Remember if we need 10 helpers we need to make a minimum of 10 phone calls, whereas, if you volunteer, it takes just one email or phone call. LKH.

Email addresses

Increasingly, we are relying on email as our primary form of communication to our members. We are able to email Newsletters and schedules and also use email as a system of reminders for forthcoming events. If you would like to receive Newsletters via email or would like to continue with the postal service but would like email reminders please let us know. PLEASE REMEMBER to notify us if your email address changes or if you are on email and haven't received anything for a while.

Forthcoming Events



BVRC Show Jumping Judge Training – Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 29th March 2008, 3.30–5pm.

Experienced BSJA judge, Tony Bott, has agreed to come and provide some training on how to judge a round of show jumping. We have taken the opportunity to arrange this the day before our show jumping at Castle Farm, so we will have a course of jumps to play with. Please come along if you would like to learn how to judge - this might be with a view to helping us later in the year at one of our other events. Alternatively, if you are a competitor you might like to come and refresh your memory on the rules and find out how and where you might incur faults. So we can get an idea of numbers, please let Sandra know if you would like to attend (01264 396390 or email: secretary@bvrc.co.uk).

Please remember to drive very slowly along the lane into Castle Farm and through the yard.



BVRC Winter Show Jumping on Sunday 30th March, 2008 at Castle Farm, Over Wallop

The arenas at Castle Farm provide excellent jumping surfaces for competition & warm up both all weather. Jumping classes will be run at heights from 2' 3" to 3' 3", with clear round jumping at 2'. Please call organiser, Susie Pool (01980 671523), to check availability of late entries. Susie would welcome your call with offers of help to set up the day before at 2pm or on the day. If you are not competing are you available to help? Volunteers for jobs will be warmly welcomed. More helpers mean less work! Refreshments provided. Jobs required are SJ Judge, Timekeeper/ Commentator, Steward, Arena Party, Traffic Control, or anything!
PLEASE give Susie a call (01980 671523).



BVRC Novice Show, Saturday 12th April 2008 at Amport Riding Centre at 1pm. (schedule enclosed)

This is the first of two Novice Shows we are organising this year. This is an ideal opportunity if you are nervous, haven't competed for a while or are intimidated by the 'big guns'. Come and have a go in a quiet relaxed atmosphere. There will be plenty of help around if you are not sure what to do or where to go. For more information or to volunteer help call Rosie Mathias (01264 365003).



BRC Area 17 Winter League, 2007/2008 (schedules from Sandra, Peter Buist or www.area17-brc.fsnet.co.uk)

BRC Area 17 Winter League has returned to Sparsholt EC. These are very good competitions against members from other riding clubs in the area. The shows are well organised with limited entries – so there is no hanging around for hours between classes. Members placed in each class accrue points for the club and for themselves in the individual competition. At the end of the series there is a prize for the club with the most points, and the individual with the most points who has taken part in both dressage & show jumping (but not necessarily placed in both).

The final date is as follows:

Sunday April 13th – Dressage

Entries secretary: Mr P Buist, Silverlea, New Road, Timsbury, Romsey, Hants SO51 0NL (01794 368061).



Residential Camp at Stockland Lovell, Somerset 14-17th April 2008

We have almost reached our maximum capacity for camp. We have filled nearly every bed & every stable. All we have to do now is arrange the tuition groups & instructors. Not too difficult, only about 40 sessions to arrange (35 people @ 6 sessions each in groups of 5).

Seriously though, we are thrilled to have had a great response. Pleasing that some are returning for the third year and others venturing to Stockland Lovell for the first time. I am sure they won't be disappointed with the experience.



BRC Area 17 Cross Country Qualifier – Saturday 19th April 2008 at Tenantry Farm, Rockbourne.

BRC Area 17 Novice, Pairs & Open Team & Individual Cross Country Qualifier is being held at Rockbourne this year. The championships take place at Aston le Walls, Nr Daventry on Saturday 31st May / Sunday 1st June.

The Novice & Pairs competition is set at a height of 84cm (2'9") and the Open height is 1m (3'3"). Teams comprise of four members with the best 3 scores making up the team total. Two Novice teams, two pairs and an Open team are representing BVRC on 19th April. Come along and see our team members in action.

HELP NEEDED - BRC Area 17 Hunter Trial Qualifier – Saturday 19th April at Tenantry Farm, Rockbourne.

We have entered two Novice & one Open team into the Hunter Trial qualifier on 19th April. In order for them to be able to compete, we need to supply at least 6 helpers all day or 12 helpers for half a day (8.30-1pm / 12.30-5.30pm approx.). If anyone fancies coming to support the teams and fence judging, then please contact Lindsay asap. Tel: 01264 772388 / email: chairman@bvrc.co.uk.



BVRC Dressage, Sunday 27th April 2008 at Amport Riding Stables (schedule enclosed)

With Larkhill unavailable due to live firing, we are returning to Amport for our Spring Dressage. Tests range from Prelim to Medium, using one short & one long arena. If you want to be stretched a little, try a different test, perhaps the same level test in a long arena, or a more difficult test in a short arena. There is plenty to choose from.

Help Needed for Dressage – Amport Sun 27th April 2008.

Help is required on the day to ensure this event runs smoothly and the numbers in () below, show how many jobs need to be covered. Although we would love to see you all day, help for a morning or afternoon would be great.

Jobs up for grabs are: general dogs body / steward (2-3) / writer (up to 6 total) / scorer (2, calculators provided!) / score sheet collector (1) / score boards & prizes (1). Please specify the time you would be available. **PLEASE** complete the slip below (deleting as appropriate), or ring Sarah Butler (01980 621143) – contact early and book your preferred job.

Inter Club Team & Individual Competitions

Our club is one of twenty designated to British Riding Clubs Area 17. Geographically the area covers the central south of England, stretching from Petersfield in the East to Blandford and Purbeck in the West & includes the Isle of Wight. Our club sits on the northern edge of the area.

Each year inter club team competitions are organised in Show Jumping, Horse Trials and Dressage & Dressage to Music. The winning teams and individuals from these competitions and from all other Areas around Great Britain go forward to National Riding Club Championships at the end of the summer.

The Horse Trials Championships is held at Offchurch Bury, Nr Leamington Spa between 7th & 10th August. The Novice Championships becomes a 2 day event, including roads & tracks & steeplechase, and the Intermediate, like Open Championships, is a full 3 day event.

The Championships for all Dressage & Show Jumping will be returning to the Lincolnshire Showground on Saturday 6th September.

Dressage to Music Championships is provisionally scheduled to be held at Addington Manor EC, Bucks on 4th & 5th October

The BRC Area 17 qualifying competitions this year are as follows:

Monday 26th May at Sparsholt College EC organised by Hampshire Rural RC

Novice Dressage to Music

BRC Novice Freestyle to Music (2004)

Elementary Dressage to Music

BD Elementary Freestyle to Music (20x40) (2006)

Pairs Dressage to Music

BRC Pairs Dressage to Music (2003)

There is a requirement for riders to be BD music members.

Sunday 22nd June at Hampshire Showground, Pinkmead Farm, Botley organised by Solent RC

Novice Team Show Jumping

A two round competition with the first round at 80cm (2'6") & the second round at 85cms (2'9")

Intermediate Team Show Jumping

A two round competition with the first round at 90cm (3') & the second round at 1m (3'3")

Open Team Show Jumping

A two round competition with the first round at 1.10m (3'6") & the second round at 1.15m (3'9")

Style Jumping (formerly equitation)

One round at 85cms (2'9")

Sunday 13th July at Knighton Down, Larkhill organised by BVRC

Novice Team Horse Trials

Show Jumping 85cms (2'9") & Cross Country 85cms (2'9")

Intermediate Team Horse Trials

Show Jumping 1m (3'3") & Cross Country 1m (3'3")

Open Team Horse Trials

Show Jumping 1.10m (3'6") & Cross Country 1.10m (3'6")

Sunday 27th July at Shillingstone, Nr Blandford organised by the Shillingstone RC	
Novice Team Dressage	each team member rides Prelim 13(2006)
Open Team Dressage	each team member rides a different test (Novice 20(2007), 27(2007) & 36(2002) & Elementary 48(2007))
Individual Medium Dressage	(Medium 64(2006))
Pairs Dressage	BRC Pairs 4 (2004)
Riding Test	(two members to ride test RT6 (2005) & and two ride RT8 (2005))

Teams comprise four members, with the best three scores accrued to give the team total.

Please remember that the horse must have valid up to date Passport / Flu Vaccination Certificate, which must comply in every respect to the rules shown below.

It appears that there is no longer a requirement for horses to be owned by a BVRC member or on long term lease or loan

Susie Pool (Dressage & Horse Trials) & Sally Lewis (Show Jumping) are sharing chef d'équipe duties this year. Please make sure you contact & send information to the correct person for the each competition.

There are some restrictions in the eligibility of horses and riders for the various competitions. If you wish to be considered for a place in any of the competitions, please fill in and return the attached team forms to Susie Pool / Sally Lewis, together with two photocopies of the horse's Passport / Flu vacc certificate (one copy for each competition for which you would like to be considered + one extra for Susie / Sally). **Please make sure you copy every section (front, back & middle) of the certificate – including the name & address of the owner, the horse's name, silhouette, markings & every single vaccinations entry.**

The team application forms give details of the latest date for them to be returned.

ONCE YOU HAVE RETURNED YOUR FORM PLEASE LET SUSIE / SALLY KNOW IMMEDIATELY IF YOU ARE NO LONGER AVAILABLE. The team competitions cost the club a lot of money, which we do not want to waste.

The team selection policy is as follows:

On the basis of the response to the team forms, a decision is made about how many teams to enter. Details of how many teams and individuals we want to enter are sent, **with an entry fee**, to British Riding Clubs (3-4 weeks before the competition).

Anyone applying for team places will be notified if their application has been successful.

Entries detailing who is in which team is sent to the Area Competition Organiser (**with another entry fee**) about 7-10 days before the competition is held.

It is with great reluctance that the committee has decided to ask team members to make a contribution to entry fees to area qualifying competitions. In the last couple of years, team costs have been running at around £2500-£3000, the price of being successful & attending BRC National Championships. Although in these terms a contribution to area competitions is a drop in the ocean, it will provide 30-50% of the area expenditure. We are requesting £10 for each team / individual place for Dressage & Show Jumping & £15 for each team / individual place for Cross Country & Horse Trials. The money is to be enclosed with the application form. A refund will only be made in the event of injury / illness to horse or rider which prevents them from participating in the competition.

The club pays all entry fees to Championships.

Selection for team places is based on performance at club competitions or other known events.

It is normally the case that, subject to eligibility, anyone keen to take part will be offered the opportunity to ride for the club.

The area competitions are great events giving us the opportunity to meet and compete against other clubs in the area and participate in a team environment. We want to encourage any one interested to have a go, but in the event of teams or individuals qualifying for National Championships, we need to know in advance if you are prepared to go the Championships.

There may be many reasons why you can't or don't want to attend the Championships. It will not stop us asking you to represent the club, but it may just affect who goes in which team.

If you think you would like to have a go but are not sure then ring Susie (01980 671523) / Sally (07771 888036) for a chat.

Even if you stated on your membership application that you were interested in teams, please fill in and return the team application forms.

PLEASE READ THE FLU VACC RULES SHOWN BELOW AND MAKE SURE YOUR HORSE'S Certificate COMPLIES WITH THE RULES IN EVERY RESPECT.

Equine Influenza - Valid Certificates – Vaccination procedures

*Each horse must have a valid vaccination certificate, which undeniably relates to that horse, completed, **signed and stamped** on each line by a veterinary surgeon, who is not the owner of the animal. It must state that the horse has two injections for primary vaccination against Equine Influenza given no less than 21 days and no more than 92 days apart. (Only these two injections need to have been given for the horse to compete). In addition a first booster injection must be given no less than 150 days and no more than 215 days after the second injection of the primary vaccination. Subsequently, booster injections must be given at intervals of not more than 1 year apart, commencing after the first booster injection. None of these injections must have been given within the **preceding 7 days**, including the day of the competition or entry into competition stables.*

Horses foaled before 1st January 1980 need not have had the first booster injection (no less 150 days and no more than 215 days) after the second injection of the primary vaccination – but must have had an annual booster (given within 12 months) thereafter.

Note: Where Passports are used as the flu' vaccination record, the horse description must be verified by a vet or authorised member of a breed society.

Instruction

A new system for flatwork sessions is being tried. Sessions will be for 1 hour with a maximum of 4 riders per group. The cost will be reduced to £15.

Instruction with Diana & Rosie will remain at 1½ hours but with a maximum of 5 riders per group at a cost of £20.

We would like some feedback as to whether the instruction meets your requirements. Please email or call.

Instruction organised with Diana, Elizabeth & Rosie as follows:

Instructor	Type of Instruction	Venue	Cost	Date	Time
Diana Burgess	General Instruction	Castle Farm, Over Wallop (2 groups)	£20	<i>Wednesday 9th April Wednesday 23rd April Wednesday 7th May Wednesday 21st May</i>	all at 10am or 11.30am
Diana Burgess	Cross Country	Downlands EC, Tytherington, (1 group) Downlands EC, Tytherington, (2 groups)	£35 £35	<i>Wednesday 30th April Monday 5th May</i>	10.30am 10am or 12pm
Elizabeth Peerless	Flatwork	Castle Farm, Over Wallop (2 groups)	£15	<i>Sunday 20th April Sunday 4th May Saturday 17th May Saturday 31st May</i>	all at 2pm or 3pm
Elizabeth Peerless	Flatwork	Castle Farm, Over Wallop (2 groups)	£15	<i>Thursday 3rd April Thursday 24th April Thursday 8th May Thursday 22nd May</i>	all at 6.30pm or 7.30pm
Rosie Moss	Gridwork / Show Jumping	Castle Farm, Over Wallop	£20	<i>Thursday 10th April Thursday 1st May Thursday 15th May Thursday 29th May</i>	all at 6.30pm

General instruction sessions consist of some flatwork and, time permitting, some optional gridwork or a small course of jumps at the end. Each session will last 1½ hours.

Cross Country Instruction Body protectors are compulsory. The sessions will last for 2 hours.

The instruction sessions are aimed at all levels of horse and rider – 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).

If there is more than 1 group, please ring 2 days beforehand to find out to which group you have been allocated.

Safety Evening – Equishop, Wilton, 26th February 2008

Kate Wilkinson and her staff at Equishop put on a very informative evening on the topic of safety and in particular hats and body protectors. The talks given by Kate on hats and Roger Cooper (proprietor of the Rodney Powell body protector company) were real eye openers on the technical side of things. Kate explained the standards relevant to hats - BS EN1384 and PAS: 015 - and how the foam inside a hat acts like tiny bubbles of air absorbing the shock when the hat hits a hard object. Astonishing, we learned that you should really replace your hat every two years (or before if you've had a fall or dropped your hat considerably) as the foam degrades and may not be as effective. The current level of body protector (BETA 2000, Level 3, purple label) is very different to those made and used originally as Roger demonstrated with several previous models. Again as with hats, the foam used in a body protector degrades and it's advisable to change yours every five years, unless again, it has taken a severe knock – in which case, you can get that part of foam tested and replaced. It's also important to remember that both hats and body protectors need to be fitted correctly. The object of the evening was safety and not hard sell, though several purchases were made and having gone with the clear view that I didn't need a new hat or body protector, I came away with definite doubts about the current body armour I use and needless to say have been back to make a purchase! As we often say – you can't put a price on safety. Thanks to Kate, her staff and Roger.
Sandra Groves

BRC Area 17 Novice Indoor Show Jumping Qualifier on Saturday 1st March 2008 at Kingston Maurward EC

To say chef d'équipe, Sally Lewis, had a baptism of fire was an understatement. Team selection was reasonably straightforward, with six applicants (one with two horses & one with three) to fill eight team places (two teams of four), until one person pulled out. A slight dilemma arose about who should fill each team together with the added task of finding a last minute replacement. Sally hastily posted a second set of Flu Vacc copies to the organiser on finding the first set had gone astray.

We were anticipating an exciting day's competition with two very competent teams.

On initial inspection of the course, several problems were encountered. The back rail of the first fence was lower than the front. On landing over the third fence, riders were confronted with the wing of the double, and distance in the double & between other fences were very suspect. Sally, with her BSJA course building expertise, was aghast. Nobody remembered to mention that the course builder hadn't actually looked at or adjusted the course & it wasn't ready to be walked. It was finalised 5 minutes before the start of the competition, with Elizabeth first to go.

Our course walk was interrupted by the organiser who informed us that the second set of Flu Vacc copies hadn't arrived either & all certificates needed to be checked before our riders could jump. Karen, our last minute replacement, arrived at this juncture, and announced she had forgotten Wispa's Flu vacc, but her husband was on route with it. Just as we were finalising the remainder of the certificates, Sally received a call from Charlotte to say she was still in her yard (with her two horses) and had a blow out on one of her lorry tires. Help was on the way, but she was unsure of her departure time. A quick shuffle of team jumping order allowed more time for Charlotte's arrival. We were beginning to wonder what else could go wrong.

Aside from a forgotten jacket and forgotten girth, things ran fairly smoothly. After several panicky phone calls (thank goodness for mobile phones) for directions, Wispa's Flu Vacc arrived two minute before Karen was due to jump. Several updates from Charlotte, she had left, she was stuck in traffic, she was 10 minutes away, left us all tense & harassed – would she make it in time to jump either of her horses – would she be allowed to jump in the second round if she missed the first? It is no wonder my hair is getting whiter by the day.

Meanwhile, all the other team members were doing an excellent job. Elizabeth & Petal started the competition off with a copybook clear round. Frances had an unlucky 4 faults, Karen, despite the Flu Vacc traumas, followed with a clear round, Elizabeth & Bode followed Frances' example and knocked the last fence, Julia was clear but had 3 time faults, Sherrie also fell victim to the 4 fault gremlin. We were waiting with baited breathe for Charlotte's arrival. She appeared with about 15 minutes to get ready & warmed up. The organisers couldn't have been more accommodating. Charlotte was permitted to jump last and then was given time to prepare and jump her second horse. She too fell victim to the 4 faultitis. Nevertheless, everyone had done a great job, no disasters.

The course was changed and the height raised. The second round followed much the same pattern as the first. Clear rounds were achieved by Frances, Karen & Julia while the others had a smattering of 4 faults. Charlotte was very unlucky with hers. The First aiders, in their fluorescent jackets, were in direct line with the first fence. As Charlotte approached, one dropped her flask & proceeded to leap up, flapping her fluorescent jacket vigorously. Needless to say Gretna was somewhat distracted!

Two teams, the New Forest Pony Enthusiasts (NFPE) & South Wilts finished on a zero score. After an exciting jump off they still couldn't be separated on jumping faults. Time became the decider & South Wilts couldn't match the speed of the nippy Forest ponies and NFPE were the victors again & represent Area 17 at the Championship at Hartpury in April. Much to our surprise and delight our White team on a final total of 7 penalties finished in third spot. Well done to everyone who took part and a big thank you to Sally for all the preparation work & her calm, efficient & knowledgeable help on the day.

White		1 st	2 nd	Blue		1 st	2 nd
Elizabeth Peerless	Good as Gold (Petal)	0	4	Frances Hall	Dunlewey Semi	4	0
Karen Duggleby	Wispa Gold	0	0	Charlotte Springall	Folds Gretna Vow	4	4
Julia Luce	Nordic Thunder	3	0	Sherrie Cooper	Carsons Legacy	4	4
Charlotte Springall	Magenta	4	4	Elizabeth Peerless	Bo d'Hei	4	0

Winter Dressage on Sunday 9th March, 2008 at Castle Farm, Over Wallop

The move to Castle Farm proved to be a great success. Using only one competition arena inevitably meant time between tests was longer than we would have liked, but we were able to accommodate all entries from club members. Thanks to Elizabeth, Kelly & everyone who helped to make the day successful & enjoyable.

Results

Class 1 - Prelim 7			SCORE	%	
1 st	Jackie Clothier	Calimero	135	67.5	
2 nd	Julie Newman	Hunters Dilemma	131	65.5	Best BV
3 rd	Gemma Edwards	Blu Equinox	128	64.0	
4 th	Frances Hall	Trowan Max	127	63.5	
5 th	Pip Crosby	Turose Tomatin	127	63.5	
6 th	Janet Burnett	Flashlight	125	62.5	
Class 2 - Prelim 14					
1 st	Kelly Davenport	Shaniko Nashka	150	62.5	Best BV
2 nd	Frances Hall	Trowan Max	150	62.5	
3 rd	Krisia Jones	Grand Jesture	147	61.3	
4 th	Janet Burnett	Flashlight	147	61.3	
5 th	Clare Norton	Furisto	146	60.8	
6 th	Jill Young	Slieve Bloom	146	60.8	

Class 3 - Novice 25					
1 st	Vanessa Martin	Dublin	167	66.8	Best BV
2 nd	Karen Duggleby	Wispa Gold	160	64.0	
3 rd	Diana Ross	Cookie	159	63.6	
4 th	Lynn Mead	Wallace	156	62.4	
5 th	Lindsay Hills	Catalin	148	59.2	
6 th	Jen Devine	Mistletoe	143	57.2	
Class 4 - N38/E43/M64					
1 st	Vanessa Martin	Dublin	208 (N38)	67.1	Best BV
2 nd	Karen Duggleby	Wispa Gold	198 (N38)	63.9	
3 rd	Lynn Mead	Wallace	197 (N38)	63.5	
4 th	Diana Ross	Cookie	177(E43)	61.0	
5 th	Elizabeth Potter	Folkin Clarity	176(E43)	60.7	
6 th	Charly Fulton	Mikado	184(N38)	59.4	

Hot X Bun Ride on Friday 21st March 2008

Nineteen of the original twenty five riders, who booked to come, braved the wind, sunshine and showers (snow & hail) to meet at 'F' range. We all thought we must need certifying, but with 5 dozen buns buttered & several flasks filled there was no going back. At the meeting time of 10am the sky blackened, hailstone, sleet & then snow fell. We cowered in our lorries & trailers, which were being buffeted by the wind & storm. Extra clothes were found, realising the instruction to bring arctic clothing hadn't been a joke. The thought occurred that we might just eat our Hot X Buns, drink coffee & return home without ever unloading the horses. At the stroke of 10.15am, our proposed departure time, the skies cleared revealing brilliant blue cloudlessness. We hastily leapt on our horses and set off in two groups, a fast & a slow.

The ride was brilliant. After the first ¼ mile all the horses settled and enjoyed the ride as much as the riders. The wind was a bit strong out in the open plain and made conversation a little difficult, but the scenery and peace of the surroundings were amazing. Only our faces suffered from the cold. Aside from the odd rabbit hole the going was perfect. Crossing the 9 mile river was a bit of an adventure, but an enjoyable one.

After riding for 1½ hours with several long trots & a few controlled canters we arrived at the sheltered Hot X bun spot to find the fast group already consuming the welcomed buns & coffee. Refreshed & invigorated we continued for another ½ hour to complete the circle & return to the starting point. After our initial fears, there was not a shower in sight for the whole ride – weren't we lucky. Thanks to Helen for safely leading the fast group. Thanks to Pete, Karen, Liz & Peter for meeting us in the middle of nowhere & dishing out plenty of buns & drinks and to Sandra for her buttering skills.

Diary Dates 2008

MARCH

29th **BVRC Show Jumping Judge Training at Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 3.30-5pm** *Sandra Groves 01264 395277*

30th **BVRC Unaffiliated Show Jumping, Castle Farm, Over Wallop** *Susie Pool 01980 672523*

APRIL

3rd **BVRC Flatwork Instruction, Elizabeth Peerless, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 6.30pm or 7.30pm** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

9th **BVRC General Instruction, Diana Burgess, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 10am or 11.30am** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

10th **BVRC Show Jumping Instruction, Rosie Moss, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 6.30pm** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

12th **BVRC Novice Show, Ampport Riding Centre at 1pm** *Rosie Mathias 01264 365003*

12th **RAPC Hunter Trial, Knighton Down, Larkhill (adult classes) 2'6"-3'6"**
*Emma Clarke, Riverside Cottage, Hurstbourne Tarrant, Andover, Hants SP11 0AX www.pcu.org.uk
Mr P Buist 01794 368061*

13th **BRC Area 17 Winter League Dressage at Sparsholt EC**

14-**> BVRC Camp – Stockland Lovell**

19th **BRC Area 17 Novice & Open Hunter Trial Qualifier at Tenantry Farm, Rockbourne** **South Wilts RC**

20th **BVRC Flatwork Instruction, Elizabeth Peerless, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 2pm or 3pm** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

20th **Ampport Horse Show**

*Mrs M Hale, Ampport Riding Centre
Furzedown Lane, Ampport, Hants SP11 8BE
Tel: 01264 772972*

20th **Tedworth Hunter Trials at Knighton Down, Larkhill**
*Dr R Andrews, Huntleys, Manningford
Abbots, Pewsey, Wilts SN9 6HZ
www.tedworthhunt.co.uk*

23rd **BVRC General Instruction, Diana Burgess, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 10am or 11.30am** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

24th **BVRC Flatwork Instruction, Elizabeth Peerless, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 6.30pm or 7.30pm** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

27th **BVRC Dressage at Ampport Riding Stables** *Sarah Butler 01980 621143*

30th **BVRC XC Instruction, Diana Burgess, Downlands EC, Tytherington, 10am** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

MAY

1st **BVRC Show Jumping Instruction, Rosie Moss, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 6.30pm** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

4th **BVRC Flatwork Instruction, Elizabeth Peerless, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 2pm or 3pm** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

5th **BVRC XC Instruction, Diana Burgess, Downlands EC, Tytherington, 10am or 12pm** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

7th **BVRC General Instruction, Diana Burgess, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 10am or 11.30am** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

8th **BVRC Flatwork Instruction, Elizabeth Peerless, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 6.30pm or 7.30pm** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

11th **BVRC Combined Training at Knighton Down, Larkhill** *Sandra Groves 01264 395277*

15th **BVRC Show Jumping Instruction, Rosie Moss, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 6.30pm** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

17th **BVRC Flatwork Instruction, Elizabeth Peerless, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 2pm or 3pm** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

21st **BVRC General Instruction, Diana Burgess, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 10am or 11.30am** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

22nd **BVRC Flatwork Instruction, Elizabeth Peerless, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 6.30pm or 7.30pm** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

26th **BRC Area 17 Dressage to Music Qualifier at Sparsholt** **Hampshire Rural RC / NFPE**

26th **RAPC Combined Training at Knighton Down, Larkhill (adult classes) 2'3"-3'6" + dressage only** *Sae: Emma Clarke, as above*

29th **BVRC Show Jumping Instruction, Rosie Moss, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 6.30pm** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

31st **BVRC Flatwork Instruction, Elizabeth Peerless, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 2pm or 3pm** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

31st **BRC Hunter Trial Championships, Aston le Walls, Daventry** **BRC**

JUNE

1st **BRC Hunter Trial Championships, Aston le Walls, Daventry** **BRC**

1st **Ampport Horse Show** *Mrs M Hale as above*

4th **BVRC General Instruction, Diana Burgess, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 10am or 11.30am** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

5th **BVRC Flatwork Instruction, Elizabeth Peerless, Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 6.30pm or 7.30pm** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

8th **BVRC One Day Event at Knighton Down, Larkhill** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

22nd **BRC Area 17 Show Jumping at Hampshire Showground, Pinkmead Farm, Botley** **Solent RC**

29th **BVRC Unaffiliated Show Jumping, Castle Farm, Over Wallop** *Sandra Groves 01264 395277*

JULY

13th **BRC Area 17 Novice, Int & Open Horse Trials at Knighton Down, Larkhill** **RAPC**

20th **BVRC Dressage at Castle Farm, Over Wallop** *Rosie Mathias 01264 365003*

27th **BRC Area 17 Dressage Qualifier at Shillingstone** **Shillingstone RC**

AUGUST

7-10 **BRC National Horse Trials Championships at Offchurch Bury, Nr Leamington Spa, Warks** **BRC**

31st **BVRC Dressage & Show Jumping at Knighton Down, Larkhill** *Susie Pool 01980 671523*

SEPTEMBER

6th **BRC National Championships, Lincoln Showground** **BRC**

7th **BVRC Novice Show & Riding Club Horse Competition, Ampport Riding Centre, 10am** *Clare Norton 01980 629355*

21st **BVRC Hunter Trial at Knighton Down, Knighton Down, Larkhill** *Lindsay Hills 01264 772388*

RETURN ATTACHED REPLY SLIP TO Lindsay Hills, The Ridings, Dauntsey Lane, Weyhill, Andover, Hants SP11 8EB. **Cheques payable to Bourne Valley Riding Club.** (Separate cheque for each)
I enclose £15 for General Instruction with Elizabeth Peerless at 2 or 3pm (mark preference) on Saturday 31st May at Castle Farm, Over Wallop.

Name Tel No

I enclose £20 for Show Jumping Instruction with Rosie Moss at 6.30pm on Thursday 29th May at Castle Farm, Over Wallop.

Name Tel No

I enclose £15 for Flatwork with Elizabeth Peerless at 6.30 or 7.30pm (mark preference) on Thursday 22nd May at Castle Farm, Over Wallop.

Name Tel No

I enclose £20 for General Instruction with Diana Burgess at 10 or 11.30am (mark preference) on Wednesday 21st May at Castle Farm, Over Wallop.

Name Tel No

I enclose £15 for General Instruction with Elizabeth Peerless at 2 or 3pm (mark preference) on Saturday 17th May at Castle Farm, Over Wallop.

Name Tel No

I enclose £20 for Show Jumping Instruction with Rosie Moss at 6.30pm on Thursday 15th May at Castle Farm, Over Wallop.

Name Tel No

I enclose £15 for Flatwork with Elizabeth Peerless at 6.30 or 7.30pm (mark preference) on Thursday 8th May at Castle Farm, Over Wallop.

Name Tel No

I enclose £20 for General Instruction with Diana Burgess at 10 or 11.30am (mark preference) on Wednesday 7th May at Castle Farm, Over Wallop.

Name Tel No

I enclose £35 for XC Instruction with Diana Burgess at 10am or 12pm (mark preference) on Monday 5th May at Downlands EC, Tytherington, Nr Warminster

Name Tel No

I enclose £15 for General Instruction with Elizabeth Peerless at 2 or 3pm (mark preference) on Sunday 4th May at Castle Farm, Over Wallop.

Name Tel No

I enclose £20 for Show Jumping Instruction with Rosie Moss at 6.30pm on Thursday 1st May at Castle Farm, Over Wallop.

Name Tel No

I enclose £35 for XC Instruction with Diana Burgess at 10.30am (mark preference) on Wednesday 30th April at Downlands EC, Tytherington, Nr Warminster

Name Tel No

I enclose £15 for Flatwork with Elizabeth Peerless at 6.30 or 7.30pm (mark preference) on Thursday 24th April at Castle Farm, Over Wallop.

Name Tel No

I enclose £20 for General Instruction with Diana Burgess at 10 or 11.30am (mark preference) on Wednesday 23rd April at Castle Farm, Over Wallop.

Name Tel No

I enclose £15 for General Instruction with Elizabeth Peerless at 2 or 3pm (mark preference) on Sunday 20th April at Castle Farm, Over Wallop.

Name Tel No

I enclose £20 for Show Jumping Instruction with Rosie Moss at 6.30pm on Thursday 10th April at Castle Farm, Over Wallop.

Name Tel No

I enclose £20 for General Instruction with Diana Burgess at 10 or 11.30am (mark preference) on Wednesday 9th April at Castle Farm, Over Wallop.

Name Tel No

I enclose £15 for Flatwork with Elizabeth Peerless at 6.30 or 7.30pm (mark preference) on Thursday 3rd April at Castle Farm, Over Wallop.

Name Tel No

Reply slip to be returned to Sarah Butler, Eldonwood, The Hollow, Shrewton, Salisbury, Wilts SP3 4JY. Tel: 01980 621143

I would be willing to help at the Dressage on Sun 27th April 08 at Ampport for the following time: all day / am / pm.
My preferred job would be: anything / steward (2-3) / writer (up to 6 total) / scorer (2, calculators provided!) / score collector (1) / score boards (1).

Name Tel No Email:.....