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NEWSLETTER APRIL 2002 second edition

Just a short Newsletter has been prepared on this occasion. There are a few reminders and details of some additional Cross Country Schooling sessions in preparation for the One Day event. To help your competition performances we have organised Show Jumping and Cross Country course walks and a demonstration / talk on how to ride a Dressage test. We are doing our best to help.

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Coach Trip to Badminton Horse Trials – Saturday 4th May, 2002

There are still seats available on the coach trip to Badminton Horse Trials for Cross Country day. The coach seats 51 people and tickets will be on a first come, first served basis. Entrance tickets may be purchased at the gate for £11 per person (12 years & under are free). The cost, just for the coach travel, will be £7 each for members or children 12 years & under, and £10 each for non members. Meet at Safeway's car park at 7.45am in order to leave Andover at 8am. The coach will leave Badminton to return home after the last horse has completed the Cross Country, which will be about 5:30-6pm. To book your seats or any other enquiries please ring Sue Fentiman 01264 391550.

One Day Event Course Walk with Diana Burgess on Saturday 18th May, 2002.

Diana will be conducting two course walks at Larkhill on Saturday 18th May. Following the success of the autumn XC walk, we have asked Diana to include a Show Jumping Course walk too. Come and find out from an expert how it should be done. Even if you are not riding the following day, come and get some tips on approach to fences, how to ride a corner, drop, coffin or water. Maximise your chances of jumping a clear round.

Novice/Intermediate Course

2pm at Show Jumping Arena & 2.30pm at Cross Country Start Box

Open Course

3.30pm at Cross Country Start Box & 4.30pm at Show Jumping Arena.

Cost £4 members £5 non-members (numbers permitting) Ring Lindsay if you need more information (01264 772388).

One Day Event at Knighton Down, Larkhill on Sunday 19th May, 2002. (schedule sent out before Easter)

Entries are already filling as this is a very popular event. We would hate to turn anybody away because entries were full. The ground at Larkhill is always good. So get your entries in asap and give it a go.

Helpers are needed in abundance, both on the preceding morning, at 10am, to set up, on the day itself and to clear up at 4pm on the event day. If you can help, then please ring Lindsay (01264 772388) and offer your services or fill in the attached reply slip.

Dressage Tests

New Dressage tests, introduced this year are known as the 2002 series. The following are the tests we will be using in 2002:

Prelim: 4, 7, 10, 16, 17, 18

Novice: 21, 23, 24, 29, 32, 33

Elem: 44

Medium: 61

BRC HORSE TRIALS HN1, HO1

The BD tests & BRC HN1 & HO1 (for One Day Event) are now available and may be obtained from the BHS Bookshop, British Horse Society, Stoneleigh Deer Park, Stoneleigh, Warwickshire CV8 2XZ. Tel: 01926 707700. Send 30p per test + an SAE.

Medical Armbands

Medical armbands are now compulsory for any Area Competition involving Cross Country jumping. Our schedules, this year, state that Medical armbands are highly recommended, but they will become compulsory for next years' events.

Medical Armbands are obtainable at £3.99 + 50p SAE from BRC, British Horse Society, Stoneleigh Deer Park, Stoneleigh, Warwickshire CV8 2XZ. Tel: 01926 707700.

How to Ride a Dressage Test. Demonstration & discussion with Elizebeth Peerless on Thursday 23rd May at Greenacres, Winterslow, 7.30pm.

Are you thinking of riding your first dressage test? Do you need help with the protocol, or help with what to do when the dressage steward tells you that it is your turn? How many times have you lost Dressage marks because your circles are square or oval rather than round, you have overshot the marker or meandered down the centre line?

Come to Greenacres and see a demonstration of Prelim tests 4 & 7, with tips on riding shapes and movements at all levels.

For more information ring Elizabeth on 01980 862809

Directions to Greenacres, Tytherley Road, Winterslow, SP5 1PZ:

From Andover: From A30, after Lopcombe Corner, take first left. After ¼ mile bear left into Mill Lane. Turn right onto Easton Common Hill. Turn left onto Gunville Hill, continue straight ahead into Tytherley Road. Greenacres is on rhs.

Novice Show at Amport Riding Centre Saturday 25th May 2002 at 1pm. (Schedule sent out in April)

This is a novice show aimed at the true "Novice" rider or horse. We hope to encourage riders who have never competed before or who have not competed for a long time. If you feel that some of the usual BVRC competitions are a bit too high powered for you this is an ideal outing. It is also a suitable opportunity to bring out young horses or anyone just needing a confidence boost as everything will be fairly low key and relaxed. Help will be on hand on the day if you are not sure of any of the procedures. We hope you will come and have a fun afternoon. There are lots of rosettes available to be won. For more information or help before the day ring Lindsay 01264 772388.

Dressage, Combined Training & Show Jumping at Lains Equestrian, Quarley, Nr Andover on Sunday 9th June, 2002. (schedule sent out in April)

Following the popularity last year, show, jumping will be included with all dressage tests again this year. There should be classes for everybody – those who Dressage, those who jump and those who do both. So, no excuses, we hope to see you there on the day.

Sandra is organising this year's combined training. Anybody that can help on the day or the day before at 2pm to set up, or at 4pm on the day to clear up should call her on (01264) 395277 and offer your help.

Instruction

Weekday instruction with Diana Burgess and weekend sessions with Elizabeth Peerless have been organised at Castle Farm, Over Wallop. Evening Instruction sessions have resumed with Sorrel Warwick, at Cholderton House EC. In addition 2 XC sessions have been organised with Diana at Dene Farm, Nether Wallop.

Dates with Diana at Castle Farm, Over Wallop:-

Cost £14	(2 groups)
Tuesday	14 th May 10/11.30am
Tuesday	28 th May 10/11.30am
Tuesday	11 th June 10/11.30am
Tuesday	25 th June 10/11.30am

Dates with Sorrel at Cholderton House EC:-

Cost £12	
Wednesday	8 th May 6.45pm
Wednesday	22 nd May 6.45pm
Wednesday	5 th June 6.45pm
Wednesday	19 th June 6.45pm

XC Schooling at Dene Farm, Nether Wallop

Cost £22 (2 groups) (Body protectors to be worn)

Monday	6 th May 10am/ 12pm
Thursday	9 th May 10am/12pm

Dates with Elizabeth at Castle Farm, Over Wallop:-

Cost £14	
Saturday	11 th May 2.30pm.

All the General instruction sessions consist of some flatwork with some optional gridwork or a small course of jumps at the end, each session will last 1 hour 30 minutes. Cross Country sessions will be for 2 hours.

The instruction is 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.

Spring Dressage at Knighton Down, Larkhill on the 21st April, 2002

It was great to be at Larkhill on such a bright sunny day- this made a big change. Unfortunately, the wind got up as the day progressed and it became a bit of an effort to remain upright, but at least it was dry. Entries for the Prelim tests were excellent, many taking the opportunity to try riding in a long arena. Entries for all classes at Novice level and above were very disappointing. We hope it wasn't the new Dressage tests that put people off. The Prelim 7 class was divided into those not placed before and an open section. As we have experienced before the "Novices" in section A really showed the "Open" competitors how it should be done.

Well done to Mike Tennick and June Verity in their first role as Organiser / Secretary. It was a very efficiently run show. Thank you also to all the helpers who made it possible.

LKH.

Results

Class 1A – Prelim 7				
1 st	Best BV Nelke Cup	Jenna Plank	Hamewith Callum	149
2 nd		Jena Hromadkova	Chancellor	144
3 rd		Camilla Hankinson	Bertie	143
4 th	BV	Charlotte Ainsworth	Victor Charlie	142
5 th	BV	Maggie Miller	Bey D'Aio	135
6 th	BV	Jessica Kingsley-Jones	Milly	135
Class 1B – Prelim 7				
1 st		Helen Casey	Perrotts Brooke	133
2 nd	BV	Julie Davis	Wayland True Blue	128
3 rd	BV	Emily Collins	Snowman	128
4 th	BV	Caroline Macclay	Highland Dancer	124
5 th	BV	Mary Wyatt	Seamus	124
6 th	BV	Vanessa Martin	Dublin	123
Class 2 – Prelim 10				
1 st =		Camilla Hankinson	Bertie	146
1 st =	Best BV	Jessica Kingsley-Jones	Milly	146
3 rd =	BV	Sarah Butler	Annagh Trendy Velvet	145
3 rd =		Gemma Morris	Harry VI	145
5 th		Jill Bendinger	Storm Arrival	144
6 th		Tamara Weal	Polar Opposition	144
Class 3 – Prelim 16 (long arena)				
1 st		Denise Brown	Luke	133
2 nd	Best BV Sapphir Cup	Andrew Parsons	Whelpy Opposition	132
3 rd		Sharon Paul	Jasper Carrot	125
4 th	BV	Howard Kirby	Ronnie	123
5 th	BV	Jill Vallis	Mr Moonlight	117
6 th =	BV	Gail Perren	Oliver	116
6 th =	BV	Limara Killuran	Camden Market	116

Class 4 – Prelim 18				
1 st		Denise Brown	Luke	166
2 nd	Best BV Streaker Cup	Jill Vallis	Mr Moonlight	163
3 rd	BV	Gail Perren	Oliver	161
4 th		Gemma Morris	Harry VI	151
5 th		Tamara Weal	Polar Opposition	150
6 th		Ruth Vienot	Moon Magic	149
Class 5 – Novice 24				
1 st	Best BV Jaunty Cup	Jessica Kingsley-Jones	Dhougar	172
2 nd	BV	Elizabeth Peerless	Good as Gold	169
3 rd	BV	Clare Heald	Flora	166
4 th	BV	Jill Vallis	Mr Moonlight	155
5 th		Alison Lailey	Ruby Tuesday	148
6 th	BV	Kerry Prewitt	Casper	146
Class 6 – Novice 33 (long arena)				
1 st	Best BV Pewter Cup	Clare Heald	Flora	178
2 nd	BV	Elizabeth Peerless	Good as Gold	176
3 rd	BV	Jessica Kingsley-Jones	Dhougar	168
Class 7 – Elementary 44				
1 st	Best BV	Roseanne Fitzgerald	Magic Moment	169
2 nd	BV	Julie Josephs	Fare Jasmine	130
3 rd	BV	Elizabeth Peerless	Good as Gold	124
Class 8 – Medium 61 (long arena)				
1 st	Best BV	Roseanne Fitzgerald	Magic Moment	197
2 nd	BV	Julie Josephs	Fare Jasmine	142

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THE HORSE BOX

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Fax: 01264 889235

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5% discount from Rugwash – 01926 651286

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10% at BHS Bookshop – 01926 707762

5% discount at Crewe Gardens Animal Feeds – 01926 852939

BE discounts

Day tickets £12.50

No joining fee, Horse registration £10

For Sale: Morris & Nolan (Walsall) "Badminton Event Saddle.

17.5" medium fit. Excellent condition. Dark Havana. Only for sale as it doesn't fit current horse and is surplus to requirement.
£400 ovno. Tel Roseanne Fitzgerald 01264 737213.

Eventers

Cross Country and Show Jumping Clinics
With International Trainers

Dag and Sam Albert
Lucinda and Clayton Fredericks
Rodney Powell
Marcus Reed

Every Monday / Tuesday afternoons throughout May
£40 per session max 6 people

For further information send an Sae to Milton stud, Milton Libbourne, Pewsey Wilts SN9 5LQ tel 01672 562924.

Clear Round Show Jumping at Hoplands EC, Kings Somborne

Every Tuesday afternoon / evening starting at 1.30pm.
Ranging from 3'6" at 1.30pm to 2'6" at 5pm with free for all at 6pm.

Diary Dates

MAY

- 4.5.02** **BVRC Trip to Badminton Horse Trials Cross Country Day**
Organiser: Sue Fentiman 01264 391550
- 5.5.02 Amport Horse Show
Sae: Mrs M A Hale, Amport Riding Centre, Furzedown Lane, Amport, Hants SP11 8BE.
- 5.5.02 Bluebell Ride. 15,6, & 3 miles with very little roadwork. In aid of Cancer Research, RDA & local church.
Sae: Miss M Handy, 47, Durweston, Balndford, Dorset DT11 0QA.
- 6.5.02** **BVRC XC Schooling** with Diana Burgess at Dene Farm, Nether Wallop, 10am / 12pm.
6.5.02 Abbotts Ann Sponsored Fun Ride in aid of Abbotts Ann Sports Field & Andover Riding for the Disabled
Sae: Mrs Penny Wilkins, Friary Cottage, Abbotts Ann, Hants SP11 7BG
- 8.5.02** **BVRC General Instruction** with Sorrel Warwick at Cholderton House EC, 6.45pm
- 9.5.02** **BVRC XC Schooling** with Diana Burgess at Dene Farm, Nether Wallop, 10am / 12pm.
- 11.5.02** **BVRC General Instruction** with Elizabeth Peerless at Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 2.30pm.
- 12.5.02 BRC National Hunter Trial Championships at Grange Farm, Peterborough
- 14.5.02** **BVRC General Instruction** with Diana Burgess at Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 10/11.30am.
- 18.5.02** **BVRC SJ & XC Course walk** with Diana Burgess at Knighton Down, Larkhill, 2pm /3.30pm.
- 19.5.02** **BVRC One Day Event** at Knighton Down, Larkhill
Organiser: Lindsay Hills, 01264 772388
- 19.5.02 Area 17 Dressage to Music Qualifier at Cedar Stables, Medstead, Nr Alton
Organiser: HRRC
- 22.5.02** **BVRC General Instruction** with Sorrel Warwick at Cholderton House EC, 6.45pm
- 23.5.02** **BVRC How to Ride a Dressage Test** with Elizabeth Peerless at Greenacres, Winterslow, 7.30pm.
- 25.5.02** **BVRC Novice Show** at Amport Riding Centre at 1pm.
Organiser: Lindsay Hills, 01264 77238
- 28.5.02** **BVRC General Instruction** with Diana Burgess at Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 10/11.30am.

JUNE

- 1&2.6.02 NFPE 2 day Unaffiliated Le Trec at the Fortune Centre, Bransgore, Hants
Sae: Mrs S. Kempe, Bull Hill Farm, Bull Hill, Pilley, Lymington, Hants SO41 5RA.
- 2.6.02 Amport Horse Show
- 4.6.02 Chilworth RC Open Show at Langford Farm, Soton
Sae: Elaine Buist, Silverlea, New Road, Timsbury, Romsey, Hants SO51 0NL.
- 5.6.02** **BVRC General Instruction** with Sorrel Warwick at Cholderton House EC, 6.45pm
- 9.6.02** **BVRC Combined Training** at Lains Farm, Quarley, Nr Thruxton, Hants
Organiser: Sandra Groves 01264 395277
- 11.6.02** **BVRC General Instruction** with Diana Burgess at Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 10/11.30am.
- 16.6.02 Area 17 Novice & Open Team Show Jumping Qualifier at Langford Farm, Southampton
Organiser: New Forest RC
- 19.6.02** **BVRC General Instruction** with Sorrel Warwick at Cholderton House EC, 6.45pm
- 23.6.02 NFPE Open Show at New Park, Brockenhurst
Sae: Mrs H. Quinn, Penn Farm, Bramshaw, Lyndhurst, Hants SO43 7JL.
- 25.6.02** **BVRC General Instruction** with Diana Burgess at Castle Farm, Over Wallop, 10/11.30am.

JULY

- 2.2.02** **BVRC Show Jumping Instruction with Diana Burgess** at Blackburn Farm, Grateley, 10/11.30am. (Provisional)
- 3.2.02** **BVRC Clear Round** at Blackburn Farm, Grateley, 6pm. (Provisional)
- 7.7.02** **BVRC Show Jumping** at Blackburn Farm, Grateley (schedules with next Newsletter)
Organiser: Sue Fentiman, 01264 391550
- 20.7.02 Area 17 Novice & Open Horse Trials Qualifier at West Wilts EC, Holt, Nr Melksham
- 28.7.02** **BVRC Dressage** at West Woodhay, Nr Newbury (schedules with next Newsletter)
Organiser: Sandra Groves, 01264 395277

AUGUST

- 4.8.02 Area 17 Novice & Open Dressage Team Qualifier at Folds Farm, Gorley, Nr Fordingbridge
Organiser: NFPE
- 9-11.8.02 BRC National Horse Trials Championships at Offchurch Bury, Nr Leamington Spa
- 25.8.02 Amport Horse Show
- 25.8.03

SEPTEMBER

- 1.9.02** **BVRC Dressage & Show Jumping** at Blackburn Farm, Grateley
Organiser: Susie Pool, 01980 671523
- 14.9.02 BRC National Championships, Lincolnshire Showground, Lincoln
- 15.9.02 Amport Horse Show
- 22.9.02 Chilworth RC Hunter Trial at Dene farm, Nether Wallop
Sae: Juliette Pond, Dene farm, Nether Wallop, Nr Stockbridge, Hants SO20 8ER.
- TBA** **BVRC Let Trec** at Greenacres, Winterslow

OCTOBER

- 20.10.02** **BVRC Hunter Trial** at Dene Farm, Nether Wallop
Organiser: Lindsay Hills, 01264 772388

INSTRUCTION REPLY SLIPS return to Lindsay Hills, The Ridings, Dauntsey Lane, Weyhill, Andover, Hants SP11 8EB.
(Please circle preferred times where appropriate). **Cheques payable to Bourne Valley Riding Club.** (Separate cheques for each session.)

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Name Tel No

I would love to help at the One Day Event at Larkhill on 19th May

Please Reply by Wednesday 8th May

setting up I will be available Saturday 18th at 10am
dressage writing I will be available 8.30am-12.45pm / 12.15pm-3.30pm / all day.
Stewarding I will be available 8.30am-12.45pm / 12.15pm-5.30pm / all day.
fence judging I will be available 9.45am-13.30pm / 13.00pm-5.30pm / all day.
clearing up I will be available 4pm-6pm.

I will / will not bring an assistant.

Name Tel No