



Patron Her Grace the Duchess of Beaufort

December 2008

Reflecting by Ian Adsetts

I do hope everyone will have a Happy Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

Many thanks for my wonderful olive tree given to me at the AGM. Sadly I couldn't be there as I had to make a visit to my Aunt, who was 99 years old. As she lives in Derbyshire, where I originally come from, I was unable to get back in time for the meeting, but driving up there gave me time to reflect on the years gone by and how we first formed the Club. It was one Wednesday evening 9 years ago, when about 20 people came around and squeezed into my kitchen and formed the Kings Leaze Riding Club. The name was derived from Elmleaze and the Kings Arms pub, where we had the next few meetings. I asked the Duchess of Beaufort to be our Patron, which she is to this day. We started with Dressage at Elmleaze, ran by Kath Vince and Angela Grunwell and followed it by a visit to Highgrove to see the gardens, the Prince's private stables and to partake of tea afterwards, organised by Mary Tidmarsh and myself.

The following year we ran a trip to the Royal Mews and a Theatre in London. It was amazing to see all the state coaches and the Coronation gold coach and the entertainment by The Blood Brothers, rounded the day off very well. Other trips have included visits to Robert Oliver's, Carl Hester's and a look around Badminton Stables. We had a hilarious demonstration by Mathew Lawrence followed by a fish and chip supper, a polo day at the Beaufort Polo Club, and an Air Day at Nick and Annette Mason's, where we looked at all those famous cars, driven in so many films, and some lucky ladies were kindly given a ride in Annette's helicopter. Every one enjoyed the Casino Night and the Who wants to be a Millionaire at Whatley Manor.

On the horsey front, we ran 2 hunter trials at Shipton Moyne, in glorious weather and followed it by a complete wash out at the Leyland Court Hunter Trial! (Never have I seen so much rain!) The Worcester Lodge and the Manor Shows have given much pleasure to many people.

We have had some successes, Lucy Cartwright won the junior Dressage to music at Addington, the Quadrille team won at Olympia with 'The Teddy Bears Picnic', which was even shown on television, and the eventing team made the finals at Offchurch.

There were BBQ rides in Cirencester Park and at Elmleaze, followed by music and once by a comedian.

What wonderful memories! It's been a privilege and great fun to be a part of most things. The club goes from strength to strength and I am still intending to have a lot to do with it, although I have stepped down from the committee. I think it's time for a change and for new ideas from others coming onto the team.

Who knows.... I may put myself up for election again another year! (shudder the thought!)

Best wishes to you all for the future

Ian Adsetts

Congratulations to our 2008 Members

Awards which were presented at the AGM to:

Chairman's Award Anna Macdonald; Vivian Arthur award - Toni Butler; Most Rallies attended - Lizzie Donaldson; Most Improved Member - Mary Griffiths; Summer Dressage Champion - Chris Ticehurst; Summer Dressage best Grassroots - Fiona Hicks; Best KLRC hunter trial member - given to Novice horse trials team as no HT this year - Lizzie Donaldson, Anna MacDonald, Clare Lomas and Hannah Wickenden and Best Camp Member – Jill Carless

2008 Team Members were awarded a Special Team Member Rosette

Miranda Baker; Siobhan Cann; Alice Collishaw; Nicola Coombs; Lauren Darby; Lyn Davidson; Lizzie Donaldson; Sam Doyle; Mini Dumus; Hayley Godwin; Mary Griffiths; Liz Harding; Alicia Hawker; Sandra Hayward; Clare Holt; Karen Joynson; Elinor Lee; Tania Lee; Anna MacDonald; Lynda Painter; Helen Russell; Chris Ticehurst; Gemma Todd and Hannah Wickenden.

A happy new year and welcome to all new and rejoining members.

Looking back over the last quarter, the most memorable item seems to be the weather! Earlier on, a group of four of us went to Cirencester Park. The ground was so slippery, that we decided not to do our favourite trip around Pinbury Park. We went, instead, along broad ride and ten rides to three mile bottom and worked our way to the polo grounds and back around, via Daglingworth Cross Roads to broad ride again and back to Frampton Mansell. The heavens opened, but undaunted, we cantered on at every opportunity, despite not being able to really see where we were going, and arrived back at the pub soaked to the skin. Never had hot baguettes and homemade chips tasted so good! Later on we had that wonderful Indian summer, followed by frosty, sunny days, until last week when we had to cancel a ride around Alderly and Tresham as it was too slippery with ice.

Enough of reminiscing, I've caught it from Ian, our founder member, who as you might know has sadly retired from the committee. He will be sorely missed, as will all the other retiring members. We wish them well for the future. But we do welcome a gang of new members who are already bursting with fresh ideas; these include Karen Joynson, Toni Butler, Clare Holt, Chris Ticehurst, Lynne Davidson and Sam Doyle. Lynne is our new Vice Chairman, Sam our secretary, Clare is the web master and Chris is the bridle paths officer. Others are continuing in their current roles. **Nicola Coombs** continues to organise the teams, so email her at **robandnickie@bitinternet.com**, if you would like to be part of one.

We also look forward to seeing you at the events organised for this quarter. Please remember to contact any of the committee at any time to tell us what you enjoyed didn't like or would like us to run in future, and we'll do our best to organise it for you. **Liz Harding at liz-harding@hotmail.co.uk** and **Celia Horner at celia.c.turner@btinternet.com** will be delighted to hear from you with requests for training and pleasure rides, respectively.

There will also be social events to enjoy starting with a Quiz evening in the New Year.

This last quarter has also seen a variety of well supported events, including rallies, quadrille, pleasure rides and a skittles evening and we look forward to next quarter's events being equally well supported by you, our enthusiastic members, without whom the club wouldn't function.

Celia Horner – Hon. Chairman

Dressage Report

Well I can't believe that we are halfway through the Winter Dressage Series! So far we have had a wonderful lot of entries, which makes all the hard work very rewarding. I am pleased to see that one or two of you have progressed to Novice level, with great results. Well done!

The December competition was a bit difficult as we had all of the frosty weather to contend with, and the warm up arena was frozen solid. Thank you all so much for being so understanding about this hiccup!

Let's hope the series goes from strength to strength, and is well supported in the future. It is encouraging to see new members competing and enjoying the competitions.

Look forward to seeing you at Elmleaze in January, and have a Merry Christmas everybody.

Daphne Smith

Rally Report

Rallies have been well supported recently, Tom rallies as always, have been very successful. I have asked Hayley Watson – Greaves to do some dressage training for us as I received very positive feedback from members who attended the 'have a go' dressage rally. Becky James will be also leading some rallies so keep an eye out for those dates.

William and Sara Mifflin will continue to run training clinics in dressage, show-jumping and cross country. Sam Rahmatalla is running dressage rallies, she is a very successful competitor and an excellent trainer, and these are worth a try.

I'd like to thank everyone who came along to the Christmas meal at the Ship, the food was lovely and a good time was had by everyone (I have the photos to prove it!!) I would encourage members who would like to be considered for teams to attend some of the rallies provided, as this will help with selection.

Please contact me with any ideas you may have on venues and trainers. I wish you and your families a very Merry Christmas and look forward to seeing everyone in the New Year

Liz Harding

Team Report

It's the quiet time of year for Riding Club Team competitions as all the National Championships have now taken place. It is a good time for us to reflect on the club successes of 2008. Winning the area Novice Horse Trials Qualifier was certainly a highlight along with individual Show Jumping, Dressage and Cross Country wins for our members at area level and winning our own team competition at Burrows court dressage festival for the second year running! Let's see if we can make it a hat trick!

Area qualifiers start again in Feb 2009 with indoor SJ and Winter Dressage for both seniors and juniors. The show jumping is for Novice teams of 4, max height in the second round is 85cm. The Winter dressage is also teams of 4 with 2 competitors riding a Novice test and 2 a Prelim. If you would like to be considered for a team please complete the team information sheet (enclosed with this newsletter – it can also be downloaded from the website) and return it to me with a full copy of your horses flu certificate. We are holding several rallies in all disciplines in the run up to all the qualifiers so please ensure that if you are interested in competing for the club you attend as many of these as possible. We will also be arranging specific training sessions for the teams nearer the qualifier dates.

All the qualifier dates for the 2009 season can be found in the diary along with training dates. Looking forward to a successful 2009 and Happy New Year to you all.

Nickie Coombs

Outdoor Show Jumping team.... July 08

The weekend of the outdoor show jumping was summer itself, neither before or after that weekend has the weather in the UK been so nice or so hot in 2008!! Fortunately for the KL team we were drawn last to go in the first round of the novice jumping, so the trip to Worcester wasn't the earliest of starts. One member of our team (Anna MacDonald) had already competed at the Worcester Lodge Show that morning, where she & Ben qualified for the Retraining of Racehorses championship (I'm sure you will hear more on how they fared at the championships). I arrived last but in plenty of time (well 5mins) to tack up & warm up for the round. Everyone jumped well, with only 1 stop between the four of us which meant we had qualified for the next round... where again we were the last team to compete. There was a short break where horses & riders could try & stay out of the heat & I could rather hurriedly try & plait my horse ready for the style jumping. Many thanks go to Jenny Lomas for helping me & pulling together a wonderfully neat tail plate in less than 5 minutes, not sure what I would have done without your help!! Next was the style jumping, which is a combination of dressage & show jumping with two judges looking at horses going & riding ability. The team had 1 down (sorry) and two wrong turns (sorry again) but we still managed to come 5th, so that was a result. Anna came a credible 2nd/3rd, but just missed out on a place at the championships in Lincoln. Now it was time for a rest for the horses & lunch for us, our supporters on the day & the dogs. Clare Lomas provided a lovely spread & we were all quite relaxed by the time we had to go & jump the second round. There is only one good thing about a show jacket in the sunshine that is you don't get burnt! Unfortunately our second round wasn't as successful as our first with only Clare jumping clear. Clare was last to go in the individual jump off and never have there been such a surprised audience as when Clare shaved 10+ seconds off the fastest time to win... the round was amazing to watch as every angle & shortcut was used with **Indie** still producing a lovely flowing round! The team also ended the day in 3rd place so a good day out had by all! Thank you to everyone who helped both on the day & the run up especially Nickie & William for putting us through our paces.

Sam Doyle

Janet Macdonald Rallies

There is a hard core of 5 of us that attend these rallies. We have lots of fun, not noticing that we are really working rather hard! We do lots of different activities at a level that we feel comfortable with. This is one of Janet's great strengths that she gently extends you and encourages you, whilst not being intimidating, or making you feel out of your comfort zone. How she manages to achieve that when dealing with such a diversity of abilities and attainment levels, I have no idea, except to say that she is an outstanding teacher.

We choose our activity on the day, sometimes doing flat work to which she often adds a twist and has us bending round cones, other times having fun with poles or doing grid work leading into jumps. She also has a cross country course that she is keen to teach us over, but we have yet to take her up on that. Perhaps there is someone out there who would like to have a go? We never do anything massively big in jumping; there are other rallies for the competitive ones amongst us! But we do enough to feel confident and proud of ourselves. In fact one pole work lesson, I was disappointed not to have cantered on both leads. It turned out that I was concentrating so hard that I hadn't noticed that I'd done it! That's the way of Janet Rallies.

So do join us, particularly if you have yet to take part in a rally, as fun will be guaranteed and you will be looked after. Experienced people also gain a great deal from these lessons and they seem to favour pole work!

Celia

Rally at Tan House Farm with Janet McDonald

Saturday was a frosty morning, but sunny so a lovely day to ride if well wrapped up, so I was looking forward to the Rally, however as I drove along the lane to Tan House Farm, I saw some horse boxes parked in a gateway, and then overtook a group of riders dressed for hunting, hacking up to the meet at Ham Green. My heart sank, as Harvey was hunted with the Berkeley by my daughter and gets quite excited at the thought of hunting, and I get very nervous at the thought of riding him when he is on his toes.

Harvey, of course, hadn't seen either the horse boxes or the hunt followers, so was still calm and quiet when we started, but Sue, on Oz had driven past the meet on her way and Oz was raring to go. She too was nervous, understandably, as he was so fidgety that he wouldn't stay still for long enough for her to mount. She had to walk him in hand for about 10 minutes until she was able to mount up.

Janet decided that we needed to keep the horses busy and working and listening to us their riders rather than thinking about the exciting time they could have been having if they were hunting. She made us work on two 20 metre circles, with cones at the compass points, to help us with accuracy, trotting in a good forward rhythm (the forward part wasn't a problem), and then we went large, coming back to walk for 3 steps at the end of the long side and doing a 10 metre circle at the end of the short side, on both reins. This exercise had a good effect on Harvey and Oz, as it made them both think about what they were being asked to do and steadied them up a bit too. Sue and I were both feeling a bit more confident as the horses had calmed down, and then the whole hunt went along the skyline of the hill in the park, so the horses' ears pricked up and they both got very fidgety again, Janet made us turn away and face the river, so they weren't watching the hunt, and then set up cones for us to do accurate serpentines. Getting Oz and Harvey working with lots of changes of bend was really good as it distracted them; they were both still very forward, but listening and being obedient. Sarah on Jupp had a different problem. Jupp wasn't interested in the hunt, but he wouldn't really work forward, so she had to energise him, -I lent her my whip as I really didn't need it on Harvey - .

The horses were just settling into the exercise when a lone hunt follower came down the drive to ask Janet if he could borrow a stronger bit as he needed some brakes! Janet left us for a few minutes doing serpentines initially in walk, doing a leg yield into the bend and a turn on the forehand out of the bend and going through the narrow pair of cones on the straight lines so we stayed on the right line and kept it accurate and the horses going where we directed them. Then we varied it by doing circles at the bends and then on the straight lines.

After that we went back on to two 20metre circles doing half a circle in trot and coming back to walk for 3 steps and then back into trot again, and then changing ends and rein. We also went large and did 10 metre circles in the corners and a 10 metre loop on the long side. By the time we finished, all of us were feeling much more confident. The horses had calmed down, and had worked well despite the distractions of the hunt, they had listened to us, their riders, and been obedient. I had a huge feeling of achievement in that I hadn't wimped out, and had had a safe, controlled, and enjoyable rally, and had felt in control and that, for once, I wasn't just a passenger on Harvey, but had actually managed to ride him and influence his way of going. So very many thanks to Janet, and looking forward to the next rally at Tan House Farm.

Felicity Lawson

KLRC SUCCESS AT SENIOR HOME INTERNATIONAL 11TH - 12TH OCTOBER 2008

(The view from the commentary box)

The Senior Home International Dressage Championships were recently held at the Hand Equestrian Centre, Clevedon. Teams from England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales were made up of 4 members riding at six different levels from Preliminary to Prix St George. KLRC member Jo Lees with Sir Nario (Chunky) represented England at Novice level.

The event started with the trot up on the Friday afternoon starting at 3pm. The horses were all stabled on site so that they were there for the duration of the event. The best laid plans were disrupted by road works on the M5 which meant that some missed their appointed time. Over 100 horses presented for the trot up, which took until 7pm, some were referred for reinspection the following morning when they were passed as fit for action. Only after the vets inspection did riders have their first chef d'equipes briefing and get their times for the following day.

Saturday morning dawned bright and sunny. Slight panic very early on as Chunky had let himself out of his stable and had been found making a tour of the showground. I heard about this as I was leaving home at about 6.30am and said that we should not mention it to Jo yet!

The first horses were on the centre line at 8am in three arenas, two outdoors and one indoors, with warm up classes for the main event. Action continued throughout the day with the individual championship classes also counting toward team scores. Jo was on at 2pm and the wait for me after being in the commentary box since before 8am was almost unbearable! Chunky looked absolutely fantastic and the English rose stencilled on his hind quarter was unique to the event. Credit and endless thanks to Vics Bailey, who rode Chunky to success at the BD 2006 Preliminary National Championships; looking after Chunky before and during the event, including sleeping in the horse box.

On day one, Jo and her team - England's South West Region "Clubs" Team won all four of their individual classes and were off to the best possible start. Jo's score, from two judges was an impressive 74%.

The long first day was not finished until after that days briefing from chef d'equipes briefing and prize giving for the days classes. The evening's entertainment included a dressage to music demonstration and an unusual pas de deux! We eventually got home at about 9pm.

Sunday morning started misty but with the promise of sunny weather to come. Action again started early in the morning and after the previous day's success, nerves were starting to show. The microphone for the day's action was held by our own Ian Adsetts. The outdoor arenas had been changed around so that the sun was behind the judges and Jo was in the outdoor arena which was the furthest away from the audience at the "clubhouse". Sir Nario again looked amazing. So polished that Jo had a bit of a problem hanging on and she thought that Chunky did not do so well as the arena was away from the limelight. The judges thought so too and his score of 66% was disappointing, especially as he regularly scores over 70%. The runner up in Jo's Saturday class was relegated to 17th in the Sunday class whilst 22nd in the Saturday class won on Sunday! Ah well judges eh!

A nervous wait followed for the result of Jo's championship, but all was well and with an average of 70% over the two days, she was the WINNER! Added to which her team were the best at the Championships! Not only that, the South West region produced the top three teams.

Team spirit took a while to develop, partly because our chef d'equipe was also the main organiser of the event. However, after prize giving, the bubbly was opened in the stable yard and among others to be toasted was team mascot, Max Lees, who had lasted the whole event. The Irish team made a point of saying goodbye to Max who spent much of Saturday and Sunday greeting passersby from his vantage point in the horsebox.

Michael Lees

Have a go Dressage!

Up until now Ollie and I have only ventured as far as the Walk Trot tests, as I have always felt that we were not yet ready for the controlled canter required by a prelim test!

When I read the last newsletter and saw 'Have a go Dressage' I thought what a good idea, it will give me a chance to ask a few questions and see if we are working in the right direction! But my heart sank when I saw that they were not doing a Walk Trot Test. After speaking to a fellow KLRC friend and saying but I can't do a prelim! She replied 'Why not? It's not a competition and you will get feedback and a chance to find out if you are capable of it or not! Best situation to give it a go!'

My encouraging friend was right!

The environment was cool and calm with no stresses of a competition and comparison to other riders. Quietly Ollie and I trotted into the school until we heard the beep and then we were off down the centre line into our first prelim.

First attempt was not brilliant! Lines not straight, small 20m circles and not quite using the corners of the school! But the judge Hailey was great; she gave me pointers on what we did well, which bits needed improvement and where we could gain marks, letting me know exactly what she the judge was looking for. She then sent us off to do some exercises and practice movements. Some bits and pieces were instant improvements others we would need to work on. After a good 20 minutes lesson where we practiced and improved each part of the test, Hayley wished me luck as she went back to judge us on our second attempt at the test.

The 2nd test went much better, our marks improved throughout the test! I now knew what I was aiming for and I had the knowledge to make it happen!

I felt £15 for 30 minutes expert advice was brilliant, I found this a great opportunity to take the next step up and to pick the judges brains! We are now booked in to do our first Prelim at the KLRC Winter Dressage Series.

Rebecca Edwards

PLEASURE RIDES AND QUADRILLE:

If you would like to ride in company or join small groups for planned rides, sometimes including pub stop or lunches this may be of interest to you. Rides can be arranged weekdays or weekends. Recent rides have include Gatcombe, Nailsworth, Badminton, Hawkesbury Upton, Acton Turville and Frampton Mansell.

The quadrille group meets on a regular basis at Elmleaze Stud – this is a fun activity with one of the top Mounted Police Instructors. The cost is approximately £9 - £12 per hour (depending on numbers).

Please contact **George Shattock** if you are interested.

Area 18

Once again the Area is organising the Area Cross Country at Crown Farm on 25th April 2009. We are looking again for a band of helpers to fence judge – those of you who kindly volunteered last year know how much organising goes into running such an event. The organising committee are again asking for as many volunteers as possible – if you are able to give up your time please kindly let Sandra Hayward know on e-mail Sandra.Hayward@BTInternet.Com.

Kings Leaze is also running a Cross Country Team Event – this is being run to encourage members of Riding Clubs to participate in Team Events but at a slightly lower level. We shall be running this at Leyland Court and it is specifically run by Kings Leaze on 17th May. Sandra Hayward is organising this and would welcome as many Club members to offer help in running this event – please let her know if you are available.

SUMMER CAMP 2009 PUT THE DATE IN YOUR DIARY

Just to get all of you to put an important date in your new 2009 diaries, Kings Leaze Riding Club Summer Camp from Monday 15th to Friday 19th June. This year myself and my band of fellow helpers aim to make this the best camp ever, so if any of you have any ideas or requests please let me know as soon as possible. For those of you who like me, never had the chance to do Pony Club as a child, then this is your chance to experience camping away with your horse. My first camp was in 2007, it was the first time I left my husband at home with our two young children and let him see just what it's like to run around like a mad thing, let's just say I was more appreciated by the time I returned home and he let me go again this year!!! So go on book the time off with your employer, start hinting to the husband or wife, or better still bring them with you and come along and join in the fun. It does not matter if you don't want to ride and just want to enjoy exploring the local area or support your partner. Whether you are only just learning the basics, to those budding superstars there is something to suit everyone, from beautiful hacks around the stunning landscape, just spending time with your horse, to joining in lessons in dressage, show jumping and cross country. Last year we had riders who had never jumped a show jump let alone cross country and by the end of the week, were jumping a small course in both, We had riders that just enjoyed hacking for the week and joined in the lessons if they wish, no pressure just freedom to choose, to riders that wanted to push on and do things more challenging to stretch themselves or their horse. So whether young or old, beginner or experienced **YOUR RIDING CLUB NEEDS YOU!!!**

We are hoping camp will have the option of either three nights (arrive Monday pm and leave Thursday am) or four nights (arrive Monday pm and leave Friday am) so let me know what you would prefer. The aim this year is to have a ridden dressage display on the Monday evening showing what all the dressage movements look like and advice on how to ride them. We are also hoping to have some optional stable management lectures/demonstrations, a video night, games and quizzes and of course a theme, any ideas of this year's theme would be good??? We hope to have archery & shooting (ideal for those non riders) maybe a game of rounder's for the energetic!!!! we are going to have pony club games and for those who would like too, on the Friday morning a pick-your-own height clear round and have-a-go dressage test to put your training into practice, rosettes for everyone. The prices depending on the number of days includes stabling and all straw and hay/haylage and use of all facilities, for the rider a shared cabin with lovely new shower block, Full board meals which are just fantastic, a full english breakfast or continental, full lunch, afternoon cakes, then full evening meal with desert, ad-lib tea, coffee, juice, biscuits and cakes! All tuition with top instructors for a bargain price of approximately £160-£200 depending on numbers attending and no of days etc.

For those of you keen to put your names down for camp in 2009 we require a deposit of £25 payable by the 1st February 2009 to secure your place, this is non-refundable. So ask around friends, family and anyone else who may be interested in joining in the fun and return the form attached. Hope to see you there Karen Joynson
Email karenjoynson@fsmail.net

RIDING CLUB STABLE MANAGEMENT AND RIDING EXAMS

Would anyone be interested in training towards their Riding Club exams levels 1-4 these can be done in stable management only or with riding, when you pass you have a lovely certificate and hopefully much more knowledge. It's a great way to learn about caring for your horse and having a greater depth of knowledge of the horse in general. You will learn all about bone spavin, splints, curbs, bog spavin, navicular to name but a few, to feeding and types of feed for horses, grassland care, stable construction and design, signs of good and bad health, worming, fittening programmes, bandaging, breeds, tack, biting, clipping etc etc. The stable management training sessions will be mostly classroom based and with practical sessions on a yard and will run for approx 8-10wks. Each session will be approx 1 - 2 hrs and cost around £5 to £10 depending on numbers taking part probably held on a Monday/Thurs or Sunday evening, please state your preference. The riding sessions will be done on your own horse in small training groups costing around £10-£15 for 1 hour. Copies of tests can usually be found on the British riding club website. Please contact Karen Joynson BHSII at karenjoynson@fsmail.net to put your name down if you are interested.

Thank you to everyone who contributes towards the newsletter – please keep sending in your articles – please e-mail to Sandra Hayward Sandra.Hayward@BTInternet.Com.

Coming Events - See KLRC Diary –Winter/Spring 2009 which is enclosed with this newsletter. Training has been arranged with Janet Macdonald (Flat work and/or Jumping), William Miflin (Show Jumping), Tom Buckland (Show Jumping), and Hayley Watson Greaves, Sam Rahmatalla, Becky James and Sara Miflin (Dressage).

Mogers Winter Dressage – 13th January 2009, 15th February, 10th March and Championship 12th April. Schedules available either by emailing Daphne Smith: border.line@virgin.net.

Schedules can be down-loaded from website when available – www.klrc.co.uk

Xmas Ride in Cirencester Park on Tuesday 30th December 2008 – Meet at The Crown, Frampton Mansell at 10.30 am – on return lunch in The Crown – see separate Diary for more details

Quiz Night – see website.

Thank you to Mogers Solicitors who are sponsoring our Winter Dressage Series 2008/09

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Results

Winter Dressage Series- 29th October 2008			
Walk & Trot 1		Prelim 7	
1st	Kelly Mills – Demakrat	1st	Natasha Bailey – Frizbee
2nd	Beth Harding – Taboo	2nd	Mary Griffiths – Samson
3rd	Rebecca Cox – Sailor	3rd	Hayley Bratton – Night Nurse
4th	Annie Cox – George	4th	Carol Lines – On a Misson
5th	Natasha Bailey – Frizbee	5th	Kelly Mills – Demakrat
6th	Sam Pyle – Clover Challenge	6th	Judy Barker – Bugsey
Prelim 13		Novice 28	
1st	Hayley Godwin – Mickey	1st	Elinor Lee – Wickhams Fancy
2nd	Elinor Lee – Wickhams Fancy	2nd	Hayley Godwin – Mickey
3rd	Lauren Darby - Aza Baba	3rd	Lauren Darby - Aza Baba
4th	Sandra Hayward – Misty Rivers	4th	Sandra Hayward – Misty Rivers
5th	Helen Russell – Oriana Point	5th	Jessica Hawes - Trilby
6th	Emma Lovell – Rolo		
Winter Dressage Series- 11th November 2008			
Saxon Walk & Trot B		Prelim 12	
1st	Chris Ticehurst – Goran	1st	Di Sealey – Pepper
2nd	Helen Russell – Olaf	2nd	Lynn Davidson – Silver Dollar
3rd	Dawn Richardson – Rumba	3rd	Matthew Lawrence – Torin of Croka
4th	Lynn Barrett – Black Jack	4th	Tania Lee – Mocician
5th	Katherine Hills – Able Sovereign	5th	Chris Ticehurst – Goran
6th	Ann Taylor – Damson	6th	Nickie Coombs – Scruffy
Prelim 10		Novice 28	
1st	Di Sealey – Pepper	1st	Beth Harding – Venus
2nd	Jane Jones – Mix & Match	2nd	Andrea Cox – James Dee
3rd	Julie Williams – George	3rd	Sadie Wallace – Foxglove
4th	Sara Cozens – Corbi	4th	Jill Carless – Mastermind
5th	Andrea Cox – James Dee	5th	Sara Cozens – Corbi
6th	Beth Harding – Venus	6th	Sandra Hayward – Misty Rivers
Winter Dressage Series- 7th December 2008			
Saxon Walk & Trot A		Prelim 4	
1st	Imogen Morgan – Miss Mayhem	1st	Claire Rudge – Irco Sam
2nd	Beth Harding – Mandarin	2nd	Sue Fewes – Rolo
3rd	Clare Skinner – Boldric	3rd	Imogen Morgan – Miss Mayhem
4th	Lauren Casewell – Ollie	4th	Tania Lee – Mosidan
5th	Tracy Koncher – Electric	5th	Mary Griffiths – Samson
6th	Dawn Richardson – Rumba	6th	Kay Webb – Sydmonton
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1st	Mary Griffiths – Samson	1st	Lyn Davidson – Silver Dollar
2nd	Hetty Hill – Casper	2nd	Beth Harding – Venus
3rd	Lyn Davidson – Silver Dollar	3rd	Clare Holt – Indian Gold
4th	Anna MacDonald – Rivertown	4th	Hetty Hill – Casper
5th	Beth Harding – Venus	5th	Lauren Darby – Aza Baba
6th	Sacha Taylor – Venus de Milo	6th	Danielle Mason - Mayleag