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Coming soon

- > Skittles 19th March 2010
- > Area 18 winter dressage and showjumping competitions throughout February and March 2010
- > KLRC winter dressage series 14th Feb & 9th Mar
- > Monthly rallies with William Mfilin, Tom Buckland, Janet Macdonald, Sam Rahmatalla, Sara Miflin John Green and new instructor to KLRC, Lynda Smith.
- > KLRC quiz, 9th April 2010 at The Old Ship, Luckington.

See www.klrc.co.uk for a full diary of forthcoming events.

All KLRC schedules are available on the website.

From your chairman

I hope you all had a good Christmas and New Year and not too much struggle with the bad weather and dark nights. This quarter has been fairly quiet with people attending rallies to gear up for the forthcoming season. The dressage series has been proving very popular again with many entries from younger members, so we will be running a special class for them at the Burroughs Court Dressage Festival. You can qualify for the Badminton Dressage festival at this event. There will be another chance at Elmleaze, Didmarton on Saturday April 3rd. Also, on Sunday the 4th April there will be an In-hand show at Elmleaze Stud, Didmarton in aid of the Macmillan nurses, to which we are cordially invited. KLRC members are offered a £1 discount on the entry fees. A bargain!

The programme is looking nice and full next quarter, so we are expecting lots of entries, especially from those trying something new to them! As usual, if there is anything not on the programme that you would like to do, contact Liz, the rally secretary or any other committee member and let them know and we shall endeavour to arrange it.

Celia Horner

KLRC Christmas Dinner

Many thanks to everyone who came to the Christmas meal at the Ship in Luckington, a great time was had by all and I'm sure there were a few sore heads the next day! Please keep your eyes peeled for further social events.

Liz Harding

Skittles Night

Autumn skittles at the Beaufort in November was a great success due to the efforts of so many club members and their families. Martin Horner organised the competition and awarded the prizes, the Joynson family decorated the alley with fair trade exhibits and provided the skittles stickers. Helen Russell ran the raffle with great enthusiasm which raised £55 for Macmillan Cancer Support. Do join us for our next skittles at the Beaufort on the 19th March 2010.

George Shattock

New committee member wanted!

Have you ever wanted to help shape your riding club? Well now is your chance! There is currently one space left on the Kings Leaze Riding Club committee. As a committee member your role is to attend regular committee meetings of which there is a minimum of four a year and attend where possible the AGM. The meetings are usually held in a friendly pub, are always in the evenings (to allow for normal life, children, horsey time etc) and never last more than two hours. As a committee member you can help shape how your club is run, what social events or horsey sessions are organised as we always like new ideas brought forward. You do not have to be a rider or be overly competitive to join the committee, anyone is welcome. If you are interested and would like more information or just want to nominate yourself than please contact Samantha Doyle, samanthadoyle17@yahoo.co.uk and hopefully we will be welcoming someone new into the committee at our next meeting held on Tues 9th March in Sherston.

Sam Doyle

Club funds

We are in the fortunate position of having a surplus of club funds this year, and would like suggestions from members on how we might spend this. Ideas so far have included reduced membership costs, vouchers for rallies or club events, training up more first aiders and improving our set of club show-jumps. We have already reduced our junior membership fees to £15 from £25. Please send your suggestions to jenny_lomas@yahoo.com or by phone, 01454 218423.

Jennv Lomas

Dressage to Music

I was very fortunate to be asked to be a guinea pig at Hartpury for the area 18 dressage to music demonstration. Stan and I had to walk, trot and canter around the arena with two other people from neighbouring clubs. While we were working, different styles of music were played to suit the different paces. The audience were asked to decide which music matched the horses best. This was a very interesting experience and has given me some idea of music choices I could use in competition.

Liz Hardina



SKITTLES

Friday 19th March 7.30pm
The Beaufort, Hawkesbury Upton

Enjoy a good social evening, a game of skittles and a sausage and chips supper for just £5.

Raffle prizes welcomed!

*To reserve your place, send a cheque for £5 payable to KLRC to:
George Shattock, 29 Overhill Road, Downend, Bristol BS16 5DS.*

Area Qualifiers and Team competitions

I have decided that after 3 enjoyable years as being team manager for all disciplines for the riding club it is time I cut down on the amount of activities I am involved with and spend a bit more time with my own horses and family! As such from now on Lyn Davidson has agreed to take on the role as team manager for the dressage qualifiers and Karen Joynson and Amanda Darby for the junior teams. I will continue to be team manager for senior show jumping, cross country and horse trials.

If you are interested in representing KLRC in any area events can you please contact the relevant team manager: Lyn Davidson – lyn.davidson@hotmail.co.uk / 01454 218541. Karen Joynson – karenjoynson@fsmail.net / 01454 261175. Amanda Darby – Amanda.darby@btinternet.com / 01454 299009. Nickie Coombs - robandnickie@bitinternet.com / 01249 782772.

The start of the new season for riding club qualifiers is rapidly approaching with the novice indoor show jumping and winter dressage qualifiers taking place at Hartpury in Feb 2010 so please look out for the training sessions in the diary section of the newsletter and make sure you attend as many as possible. All the area qualifier dates are given below:

Qualifier	Date	Venue	Team Manager
Eventers Challenge (FOH)	27-Mar-10	Swaycliffe, Moreton in Marsh	Nickie Coombs
Senior Indoor Dressage	27-Feb-10	Hartpury	Lyn Davidson
Junior Indoor Dressage	20-Feb-10	Home Farm, Cheltenham	Karen Joynson / Amanda Darby
Senior Indoor Show Jumping	21-Feb-10	Hartpury	Nickie Coombs
Junior Indoor Show Jumping	21-Feb-10	Hartpury	Karen Joynson / Amanda Darby
Horse Trials – Seniors & Juniors	13 –Jun-10	Broadway	Nickie Coombs
Junior Show Jumping & Style Jumping	29-May-10	Cleeve Prior, Evesham, Worcs	Karen Joynson / Amanda Darby
Junior Dressage & Riding Test	11-Jul-10	Leyland Court, Winterbourne, Bristol	Karen Joynson / Amanda Darby
Senior Show Jumping & Style Jumping	30-May-10	Three Counties Showground	Nickie Coombs
Senior Novice Dressage & Riding Test	27-Jun-10	Manor Farm, Longley	Lyn Davidson
Senior Open Dressage	11-Jul-10	Leyland Court, Winterbourne, Bristol	Lyn Davidson
Dressage to Music	12-Jun-10	Home Farm, Cheltenham	Lyn Davidson
Windsor Qualifiers Topscore R1	6-Jun-10	Tbc	Nickie Coombs
Windsor Qualifiers Topscore R2	21-Feb-10	Hartpury	Nickie Coombs
Windsor Qualifiers Riding Test R1	TBC	TBC	Lyn Davidson
Windsor Qualifiers Riding Test R2	06-Mar-10	Worton Park Equestrian Centre, Cassington, Oxon	Lyn Davidson
FOH Style Jumping & Riding Test	TBC	TBC	Nickie Coombs

RESULTS

Winter dressage 18th October 2009

- Class 1 (Walk & Trot): 1 - Poppy Richardson (Tilly); 2 - Lily Richardson (Timmy); 3 - Beth Harding (Whizzy)
- Class 2 (Prelim 7): 1 - Zoe Willis (Honey); 2 - Rebecca Edwards (Goran); 3 - Toni Butler (Bob The Cob)
- Class 3 (Prelim 13): 1 - Natasha Bailey (Frizzbee); 2 - Janet Nevitt (Oliver); 3 - Zoe Willis (Honey)
- Class 4 (Novice 28): 1 - Carol McDonogh (Jake); 2 - Janet Nevitt (Oliver); 3 - Victoria Bailey (Bling)

Winter dressage 18th October 2009

- Class 1 (Walk & Trot): 1 - Jan Gibbons (Cookie); 2 - Liz Webster (McVitie); 3 - Stephanie Hunter (Sky)
- Class 2 (Prelim 12): 1 - Julia Zorab (Mr Smithers Jones); 2 - Julia Stockley (McVitie); 3 - Felicity Lawson (Wednesday)
- Class 3 (Prelim 10): 1 - Jess Bennett (Wind in the Willows); 2 - Jill Carless (Mastermind); 3 - Janet Nevitt (Oliver)
- Class 4 (Novice 28): 1 - Janet Nevitt (Oliver); 2 - Jill Carless (Mastermind); 3 - Dawn Richardson (Mini)

Winter dressage 6th December 2009

- Class 1 (Walk & Trot): 1 – Katherine Hills (Nacho); 2 (eq) – Natasha Bailey (Pudsey) & Imogen Morgan (Prince)
- Class 2 (Prelim 4): 1- Julia Stockley (Sky); 2 – Rachel Waine (Storm); 3 – Caroline Nash (Lazy Lemon)
- Class 3 (Prelim 18): 1- Julia Stockley (Sambuca II); 2 – Claire Jackson (Morse); 3 – Julia Stockley (Sky)
- Class 4 (Novice 30): 1- Julia Stockley (Sambuca II); 2 – Claire Jackson (Morse); 3 – Beth Harding (Venus)

Riders qualified for the winter dressage finals are:

Class 1:

Poppy Richardson (Tilly); Lily Richardson (Timmy); Beth Harding (Whizzy); Jan Gibbons (Cookie); Liz Webster (McVitie); Stephanie Hunter (Sky); Katherine Hills (Nacho); Imogen Morgan (Prince); Samantha Turner (Rufus)

Class 2:

Zoe Willis (Honey); Rebecca Edwards (Goran); Toni Butler (Bob The Cob); Julie Zorab (Mr Smithers Jones); Julia Stockley (McVitie); Felicity Lawson (Wednesday); Julia Stockley (Anegido); Rachael Wayne (Storm); Caroline Nash (Lazy Lemon)

Class 3:

Jess Bennett (Wind in the Willows); Jill Carless (Mastermind); Janet Nevitt (Oliver); Natasha Bailey (Frizzbee); Zoe Willis (Honey); Nicci Phelps (Solo); Julia Stockley (Sambuca II); Clare Jackson (Morse); Julia Stockley (Sky)

Class 4:

Carol McDonogh (Jake); Janet Nevitt (Oliver); Victoria Bailey (Bling); Jill Carless (Mastermind); Dawn Richardson (Mini); Nicci Phelps (Solo); Julia Stockley (Sambuca II); Clare Jackson (Morse); Beth Harding (Venus)

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This is a member run club. The Committee works to achieve what the members want. We welcome your thoughts, comments, suggestions and ideas. What works we want to build on; and what does not, we want to get better.

Please take the time to let us know your thoughts and please consider standing for the committee. Together we want to keep this an active, friendly and fun club to be part of.

Kings Leaze Online

The Kings Leaze website is kept up to date with the latest club news, schedules, results and calendars, as well as a whole host of other information.

If there is something you would like to see on the website, please email contact Clare Holt either by phone (01249 750577) or email (clare_lomas@yahoo.com).

The web address is: www.klrc.co.uk

Lynda Smith

Lynda is a new instructor for Kings Leaze this year, she is an experienced BHSAI who will teach all ages and abilities (DR/SJ/XC) she specialises in rider and horse confidence, with over ten years teaching experience. She recently passed a diploma in equine sports massage; massage increases suppleness/circulation/horses performance and muscle tone. Lynda has produced her own horse since just backed to novice level dressage, she has competed at the prelim regionals and has part qualified for novice. Please see the diary for rally dates if you fancy coming along, it would be lovely to see some new faces.

KLRC diary – January – April 2010

Date & time	Details	Entries to
January		
Tue 5 th Jan from 2pm	Dressage rally with Sam Rahmatalla, Badminton Indoor School. Individual, £27.50 for ½ hour	Nicola Coombs
Sat 9 th Jan 10am	Flatwork and/or jumping rally with Janet Macdonald at Tan House Farm, Berkely. £10 per person, 1 hour session. Max 4 in group.	Celia Horner
Tue 12 th Jan all day	Winter dressage competition (see schedule)	Daphne Smith
Fri 22 nd Jan from 2pm	Dressage rally with Sara Mifflin at Wick Farm in Luckington. £12.50 + £2 school hire. 45 mins, groups of 2.	Nicola Coombs
Sun 24 th Jan 1pm & 2pm	Show jumping training with William Mifflin at The Old Kennels, Cirencester. £15, max 5 in group.	Nicola Coombs
Sat 30 th Jan. 10am and 11am	Tom Buckland Show Jumping Rally. Max 5 per group, 15 pound per person. Billow Farm, BreadStone GL13 9HF.	Liz Harding
February		
Tue 2nd Feb from 2pm	Dressage rally with Sam Rahmatalla, Badminton Indoor School. Individual, £27.50 for ½ hour	Nicola Coombs
Sat 6th Feb 10am	Flatwork and/or jumping rally with Janet Macdonald at Tan House Farm, Berkeley. £10 per person, 1 hour session. Max 4 in group.	Celia Horner
Sat 13th Feb 1pm & 2pm	Show jumping training with William Mifflin at The Old Kennels, Cirencester. £15, max 5 in group.	Nicola Coombs
Sun 14th Feb all day	Winter dressage competition (see schedule)	Daphne Smith
Sat 20th Feb all day	Junior team area 18 winter dressage competition at Home Farm, Cheltenham	Karen Joynson / Amanda Darby
Sun 21st Feb all day	Area 18 indoor SJ qualifier and Windsor topscore qualifier at Hartpury	Nicola Coombs (seniors) / Karen Joynson & Amanda Darby (juniors)
Sun 21st Feb 10.30am	Quadrille with John Green at Elmleaze Stud. Max 4 per group. £10.	Celia Horner
Fri 26th Feb from 2pm	Dressage rally with Sara Mifflin at Wick Farm in Luckington. £12.50 + £2 school hire. 45 mins, groups of 2.	Nicola Coombs
Sunday 27th Feb all day	Senior team area 18 winter dressage competition at Hartpury	Lyn Davidson
March		
Tue 2nd Mar from 2pm	Dressage rally with Sam Rahmatalla, Badminton Indoor School. Individual, £27.50 for ½ hour	Nicola Coombs
Sat 6th Mar all day	Area 18 Windsor qualifier riding test, Worton Park Equestrian Centre, Cassington, Oxon	Lyn Davidson

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KLRC diary – January – April 2010 (Continued)

Date & time	Details	Entries to
Sat 6th March 2pm and 3pm	Lynda Smith, group rally. Dressage and Show jumping. 15 per person. Smiths (Acton Turville GL9 1HB.)	Liz Harding
Sun 7th Mar 11am	Flatwork and/or jumping rally with Janet Macdonald at Tan House Farm, Berkeley. £10 per person, 1 hour session. Max 4 in group.	Celia Horner
Tue 9th Mar all day	Winter dressage competition (see schedule)	Daphne Smith
Sun 14th Mar 11am	Quadrille with John Green at Elmleaze Stud. Max 4 per group. £10.	Celia Horner
Sun 14th Mar 11am, 12pm	Simulated XC with William Mifflin at The Old Kennels, Cirencester	Nicola Coombs
Fri 19th Mar 7.30pm	Skittles night – The Beaufort, Hawkesbury Upton. £5 / person to include sausage and chips supper - please book in advance to confirm numbers	Celia Horner
Sat 20th March. 10am and 11am	Tom Buckland Show Jumping Rally. Max 5 per group, 15 pound per person. Billow Farm, BreadStone GL13 9HF.	Liz Harding
Fri 26th Mar from 2pm	Dressage rally with Sara Mifflin at Wick Farm in Luckington. £12.50 + £2 school hire. 45 mins, groups of 2.	Nicola Coombs
Sat 27th Mar all day	Area 18 Festival of the Hunter Eventers Challenge Qualifier	Nicola Coombs
April		
Fri 9 th April Evening	KLRC quiz at The Old Ship, Luckington. £6 per head including food. Raffle.	Jenny Lomas / Lizzie Donaldson
Sat 24th April. 10am and 11am	Tom Buckland Show Jumping Rally. Max 5 per group, 15 pound per person. Billow Farm, BreadStone GL13 9HF	Liz Harding

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Memberships

If you haven't already done so, your membership is due for renewal. We hope you will re-join the club. For those who don't re-join, this is the last newsletter we will send out to you. Our membership year runs from 1 November to 31 October each year.

KLRC Membership Form

Name:

Address:

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Tel No:

Membership type: Senior / Junior* (Juniors are 16 years & under on the 1st January of the year of membership)

Fee payable:

E-mail address:

Emergency contact name & no:

I would like to receive newsletters and schedules by email only: Yes / No

I consent to my name, address & phone number being distributed to other members of the club Yes / No

Membership fees

Full member:	£25.00
Junior riding member:	£15.00
Non-riding member:	£12.00

Completed forms should be sent to Jenny Lomas, Five Pines, Acton Turville, Badminton, Gloucestershire GL9 1HD with a cheque payable to KLRC.