



STONELEIGH RIDING CLUB NEWSLETTER OCTOBER 2022 No 99

I love this job! Every two months I have the opportunity to sing the praises of our fantastic members! We may be only a relatively small club in Area 5, but we certainly get huge results, and we just go on clocking them up, time after time. Since the last newsletter, we have had the National Championships at Lincoln and the Intro and Dressage to Music Championships at Bury Farm. As I write, Bury Farm has not yet taken place, but publication of this newsletter is being delayed until after the event and the results will be seen further on. Suffice to say, the results at Lincoln left our riders with numerous much coveted sashes and even more rosettes, so many congratulations to everyone and huge thanks to Jo Marston, Val Malka and Karen Bennett for going as our club volunteers. The results will have been seen by many on Facebook and are detailed again below.

Qualifiers for Arena Eventing and Novice Winter Dressage take place during October and, sandwiched between the two, on Wednesday 19th October, is the Club's AGM, which takes place at Harbury Village Hall at 7.30 p.m. Please do come along and air your views (and have tea/coffee and cake!).

Now that Covid-19 has receded a little further into the background (still grumbling along but less obvious these days) we have decided to re-instate our Christmas "Do" and Presentation Evening. This will be in the form of a quiz, supper and the presentation of rosettes and trophies for riders with the most points accumulated during the year. Optional Christmas fancy dress, with a prize for the best. Members and supporters welcome. The club will be subsidising the evening, but there will be a small charge of £5 per person, to include supper and a raffle ticket. See below for full details and how to obtain your tickets. If you are the proud holder of a trophy from last year, please ensure that it is suitably engraved, polished up and returned on the night or handed to a committee member beforehand if you are unable to attend.

Finally, not everyone competes and the club also provides for those who want to enjoy their riding and learn as they go along. Marion and Jo do a fantastic job of organising the popular instructional flat and jumping rides on alternate Tuesday evenings at Moreton Morrell for competitive and non-competitive members alike. We look forward to seeing you at the AGM and good luck to everyone competing in the upcoming qualifiers.

Bud Jackson (Chair)

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

Our AGM is scheduled to take place on Wednesday 19th October at 7.30pm, located at Harbury Village Hall, South Parade, Harbury CV33 9JE.

Tea and cake will be available, with donations going to the Air Ambulance.

Any questions or if you would like to join the committee, please contact secretary.stoneleighrc@gmail.com

We look forward to seeing lots of you there.



Annual General Meeting 2022

Date	19/10/22	Time	20.00
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The Annual General Meeting of Stoneleigh Riding Club will be held on Wednesday 19th October at Harbury Village Hall, commencing at 20.00.

Written nominations for vacant positions must be with the Secretary prior to the meeting. (Katherine Morton, Wee MacBrae, MacBrae Farm, London Road, Stretton on Dunsmore CV23 9JB)

Section

Action

1.0 Apologies

2.0 Minutes from 2021 AGM

3.0 Chairman's Report

4.0 Treasurer's Report

5.0 Elections

5.1 The following committee members are due to retire but are eligible and willing for re-election -
Wendy Bell
Jo Hayward
Tracey Malka

6.0 Proposed Update to Autumn Membership Fee

7.0 Any Other Business

IMPORTANT DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

STONELEIGH RIDING CLUB

CHRISTMAS QUIZ & 2022 AWARDS PRESENTATION!

Join us for a festive quiz evening, supper and the 2022 annual awards presentation.

The club will subsidise this evening so tickets are just £5 each and include a free raffle ticket!

SUPPORTERS WELCOME.

FRIDAY 9TH DECEMBER • 7.30PM
STONELEIGH VILLAGE HALL
OPTIONAL FESTIVE FANCY DRESS
(PRIZES FOR THE BEST INDIVIDUAL & BEST TABLE)

FOR TICKETS PLEASE EMAIL: JO.STONELEIGHRC@GMAIL.COM

DRESSAGE POINTS COMPETITIONS

We are pleased to announce that our points dressage competitions incorporated within Moreton Morrell's unaffiliated dressage competitions have re started.

These are especially aimed at our grass roots riders and gain points towards awards at our end of year presentation evening.

Entries are already open for 5th November see the link below

**Unaffiliated Dressage
at
Warwickshire College
2022 - 23**

**Next Stoneleigh RC points dressage on 5th November 2022
Classes from Intro to Elementary
https://horsemonkey.com/equestrian_event/35922**

**Other dates for your diary are: Saturday 3rd December 2022
Saturday 14th January 2023
Sunday 5th February 2023
Saturday 18th March 2023
Saturday 22nd April 2023**



TUESDAY EVENING SHOW JUMP SESSIONS

MORETON MORRELL

Sessions run at :

- 6.15pm (90cm)
- 7pm (70cm - 80cm)
- 7.45pm group if we have enough interest.

These sessions are taken by UKCC level 3 coach Jo Hayward and are relaxed, flexible sessions working on confidence and technique.

Please contact Jo if you would like to join.

£15 a session or block book 4 sessions to get your 5th free.

MORE INFO

Email Jo;
jo.stoneleighrc@gmail.com



The jump sessions run alternate weeks to flat work so the next block of dates are: 4th Oct, 18th Oct, 1st Nov, 15th Nov, 29th Nov.

Tuesday evening Instructional Rides

Rides are going well but if you would like to come, please contact me. We are starting earlier so even if we run 3 rides the last won't be very late. The times are 6.00pm, 6.45pm and 7.30pm

For those new to the club here are dates and information about these Tuesday evening rides with Liz Neal. They are held at Moreton Morrell in the indoor school. £15.00 a lesson, pay in advance for 4 and get 5th one free. Minimum 48 hours cancellation for refund. Payments in advance either bank transfer reference FIR and your surname, sort code 20 48 08, account number 40842397 or cheques to Stoneleigh Riding Club: to Marion Smith, 9 Savages Close, Bishops Tachbrook, CV33 9RL. Booking forms to this address too.

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Please mark on chart which rides you wish to attend, paid and free

Tuesday Evening Instructional Rides 2022

OCTOBER	11th	25th
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NOVEMBER	8th	22nd
DECEMBER	6th	20th

Name

Address

Email

Emergency contact name and number

I have paid £..... by transfer/cheque/cash

EQUINE FLU VACCINATION UPDATE

The equestrian world is in the midst of an unprecedented equine influenza vaccination shortage which has been caused by supply chain issues with one of the major vaccine manufacturers. There are simply not enough doses available to meet the demand of the equestrian population. Action must be taken now to preserve doses to protect those equines most at risk from influenza, until more doses of the vaccine are produced, and availability once again meets demand.

As such, The British Horse Society (incorporating British Riding Clubs), will be acting on scientific advice from BEVA and the BEF with regard to flu vaccination guidance for horse owners and riding school proprietors. This will also impact the mandatory regulations for BRC members attending qualifiers and/or championships.

From 1 September and for the duration of the shortage, the BHS and BRC will be allowing a 15-month interval instead of the usual 12 months for the annual booster vaccination. This 15-month booster must be followed by another booster, no more than 9 months later. Essentially still ensuring 2 annual boosters are given in a 24-month period.

Vets should stamp the passport of the horse to indicate that the delay in the booster was due to the vaccination shortage. This will act as dispensation for future BHS and BRC competitions and ensure that the vaccination schedule does not need to be re-started.

A GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR OUR MEMBERS





MSc Veterinary Physiotherapy
RAMP accredited

Busy season competing?
Championships coming up?
Why not treat your horse to a
physiotherapy session to keep
them performing at their

best!

**10% off for all
Stoneleigh Riding
Club members!**



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PLEASE NOTE NEW HAT STANDARDS FOR 2023

On 1st January 2023 two hat standards will be dropped and no longer acceptable for competition, these are PAS 015 (1998) and SNELL E2001



**BHS Event
Hat Rules 2022 v1**

Only hats to the following specification are acceptable at any BHS activity. Hats must meet ALL of the requirements of one of the following rows:

	Standard and Date	Quality Assurance Mark	Examples		
1	PAS 015 (1998* or 2011)	AND MUST HAVE BSI Kitemark Or Inspec IC Mark 			
2	VG1 01.040 (2014-12)	AND MUST HAVE BSI Kitemark Or Inspec IC Mark 			
3	ASTM F1163 (2004a or 04a onwards)	AND MUST HAVE SEI mark 			
4	SNELL E2001* or E2016	AND MUST HAVE Official SNELL label and number 			
5	AS/NZS 3838 (2006 onwards)	AND MUST HAVE SAI Global mark 			

IMPORTANT INFO FOR CROSS COUNTRY ACTIVITIES: Only a "Jockey Skull" of an even round or elliptical shape with a smooth or slightly abrasive surface, having no peak or peak type extensions should be worn for any XC activity. Noticeable protuberances above the eyes or to the front, not greater than 5mm, smooth and rounded in nature are permitted. A removable hat cover with a light flexible peak may be used.

HEAD CAMS: When hats are tested against the requirements of a standard, they are done so with no extra additions on the hat i.e. with no head cam attached. Therefore, it is currently not known how the addition of a protuberance such as a head cam, effects how the hat would respond during an impact. Therefore, the use of HEAD CAMS are not recommended at any BHS activity. This includes use on the head, chest, bridle or any other part of the horse or rider.

***In order to ensure riders are wearing the most up to date riding hats, please note that from the 1 January 2023, the following hat standards will no longer be accepted, due to the age of hats made to these standards:**

1. PAS 015 1998
2. SNELL 2001

NAF British Riding Clubs Championships

Well, what a day for Stoneleigh at Lincoln!

By the end of the day, our amazing riders were festooned in rosettes and sashes. The Village open dressage team of Cat Griffiths, Naomi Cross (with Harberwain Cherokee) Elly Forbes and Marisa Allright, finished a brilliant second, with the Meadow team of Hannah Wolverson, Naomi (this time with Connor), Tina Kazmi and Bud Jackson coming close behind in fourth.



Elly, Cat, Marisa and Naomi



Elly

There were also lots of individual placings, with Elly 1st in the Elementary 43 and 5th in the Medium 61, Tina 3rd in the Elementary 43, Hannah 5th in the Novice 24 and 2nd in P18, Cat 9th in the Novice 30, with Naomi close behind in 10th and Marisa 5th in the Novice 39. Marion Smith and Star, our only individual in the Prelim 13 came 7th and Cat came 5th in her warm-up class.

Then to cap it all, the Style Jumping team of Naomi, Marisa, Amy Barker and Bud came 4th, with Bud coming 3rd individually. It was a fantastic day, but it would not have gone so smoothly if it hadn't been for Jo Marston sorting everything out for the dressage competitors, Val Malka looking after the style jumping and both of them, joined by Karen Bennett, acting as club volunteers - thank you all.

And finally.... Thank you to Tina for her very generous gift of wine for all the riders - I know that at least one of us has been celebrating after a very long but successful day! I hope that I haven't missed anyone but, if I have, my apologies as you were all wonderful.

INTRO and DTM CHAMPIONSHIPS

Our Stoneleigh riders were out in force and doing the club proud as always at the Intro and DTM championships held at Bury Farm

First up on Friday was Tina Kazmi who was 9th in the medium DTM and an amazing FIRST in the Elementary DTM 🏆🏆🏆.

On Saturday we had Laura Askew in the Novice DTM with points, coming 4th 🍊🍊🍊

And our Intro team : Katie Frost , Margaret Hughes, in the Intro both doing well but not placed this time . Then Marion Smith 5th and Naomi Cross 8th in the Prelim . Well done ladies 🍊🍊

And lastly: Naomi again in the DTM Novice no points coming 5th and Pam Rose in the DTM prelim, just missing out on a ribbon this time

Well done everyone 🍷🎉🍷🎉



Tina and Colour me Aftershock

AREA 5 PROGRAMME & NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2023

		DATE	VENUE
15 - 16 Oct 2022	Q	Arena Eventing Qualifier	Dallas Burston
22 - 23 Oct 2022	Q	Junior / Senior Novice Dressage	Solihull
27 Nov 2022	P	Show Jumping	Moreton Morrell
29 Jan 2023	P	Show Jumping	Moreton Morrell
12 Feb 2023	Q	Junior / Mixed Indoor SJ Qualifier	Solihull
19 Feb 2023	Q	Senior 80 / 90 cm SJ qualifier	Solihull
10 – 12 March 2023	C	Arena Eventing Championships	Washbrook Farm, Aston-le-Walls, Daventry, Northamptonshire. NN11 6RT
19 March 2023	Q	Combined Challenge	Swalcliffe
26 March 2023	Q	Intermediate Dressage Qualifier	Aston le Walls
1 – 2 April 2023	C	Winter Novice SJ and dressage championships	Arena UK, Allington Lane, Allington, Grantham, NG32 2EF
15 April 2023	Q	Combined Training	Solihull RC
22 – 23 April 2023	C	Winter Intermediate Dressage & Show jumping	Onley Grounds Equestrian Complex, Willoughby, Rugby CV23 8AJ
20 – 21 May 2023	C	Combined Championships (formally FOTH)	Washbrook Farm, Aston-le-Walls, Daventry, Northamptonshire. NN11 6RT
27 – 28 May 2023	P	2DE	Princethorpe
10 June 2023	Q	DTM	Moreton Morrell
18 June 2023	Q	Junior / Senior Horse Trials	Moreton Morrell
25 June 2023	Q	Intro Dressage Qualifier	Moreton Morrell
2 July 2023	Q	Junior / Senior dressage	Princethorpe
30 July 2023	Q	Junior / Senior Style & SJ	Solihull RC
4 – 6 Aug 23	C	National Horse Trials	Swalcliffe Park Equestrian, Grange Farm, , Oxon. OX15 5EX
2 – 3 Sept 23	C	National Championships	Lincolnshire Showground, Grange-de-Lings, Lincoln, Lincolnshire. LN2 2NAC
TBC	C	Dressage To Music / Quadrille / INTRO	Bury Farm Equestrian, Slapton, Bucks, LU7 9BT