

LEDBURY HUNT PONY CLUB

Another month comes to an end and it has certainly been a busy one. Lots of rallies, training and competitions. Members have been out representing the branch at a variety of locations and in different disciplines this month. Our members committee held their first event, the table top sale and on the back of a successful night have quickly organised another to hit the Christmas market. In this newsletter there will be reports from the Croome show at Hartpury, Arena Eventing held at Allens Hill and our very popular mini Christmas Show that was held at Moores Farm.

Diary Dates December

6th - Zoom C test training

7th - Pizza and Quiz evening at Berrow Village Hall

10th – Eventing Training at Burtons Farm, Wellington Heath

10th - Zoom D+ & B test training

13th - Flatwork with Jo Winfield at Moores Farm

14th - Student lessons with Hartpury supervised by Jo Winfield 16th – Junior Members Christmas Party at Bushley Village Hall

17th - Winter Christmas lessons at Moores Farm – Fancy Dress optional

27th - Zoom C test training 28th – Introduction to Coaching Course, Level 1

28th – Mounted Games Training at Moores

30th – Christmas Rally at Hartpury College

6th – Winter lessons for all members at Moores farm

7th – Eventing Training at Burtons Farm, Wellington Heath 10th – Zoom C test training

14th - Zoom D+ & B test training

17th - Zoom C test training 21st – Eventing Training at Burtons Farm, Wellington Heath

21st - Zoom D+ & B test training

24th - Zoom C test training

28th - Zoom D+ & B test training



Bonfire Celebrations

Unfortunately the weather wasn't kind to us so our planned events at the end of October had to be cancelled or postponed. The usual bonfire night was one of these events and a much quieter affair was held at the start of the month with a great bonfire helping to clear up some of the old jumps and poles that could no longer be used. The families that went had a lovely evening.



Croome Pony Club Show at Hartpury College

There were quite a few of you that braved the horrible weather at the beginning of the month to take part in the Croome Pony Club show at Hartpury.

Results:

50cm - 5th Olivia K, 6th Bonnie B, 10th Emily W, 20th Eleanor H Team 4th for the Mixed Bears - Olivia K and Eleanor H 60cm – 13th Evie H, 14th Emily W, 19th Toby B, 20th Lily S, 25th Olivia K, 28th Charlotte B

Team 7th for the Leopards – Evie, Charlotte and Lily 70cm - 11th Toby B, 17th Lily S, 20th Evie H, 31st Charlotte B, 39th Lucinda F Team 5th - Lily S, Evie H, Lucinda F





Show Jumping, Wyre Forest PC at Kings EC

Some of our members went off to Kings to compete at the Wyre Forest Pony Club Show. I haven't been able to track down results but well done to those that went. In the 60cm Ben O was competing, the 70cm – Alice B, Mimi v-U, Ben O, 80cm – Alice B, Mimi v-U and in the 90cm – Georgie P, Henny P.

Spring Festival Arena Eventing Worcestershire Pony Club at Allens Hill

In February 2024 the Pony Club will be holding the Spring Championships at Arena UK. At these champs there is dressage, show jumping and arena eventing. To gain a qualifying place you have to compete at shows held in your area. The dressage was at Burrows Court and this year the Worcestershire branch were hosting the arena eventing. We had a brilliant number of members competing across the classes. Results are as follows:

Class 1 60cm	Class 4A 90cmQ
Isabel E – 11 th	Alice R – 1 st & Qualified for Spring Championships
Class 2A 70cmQ	Georgie S – 7 th
Isabel E – 10 th	Lucy D – 9 th
Florence D – 25 th	Alice K – 12 th
Seren W – 29th	Ellie H – 16 th
Class 3A 80cmQ	Hattie S – 17 th
Hattie S – 14 th	Henny P – 20 th
Sophie C – 25 th	Georgie P – 22 nd
Georgie S – 26 th	Class 5A 100cmQ
Ellie H – 28 th	Lucy D – 2 nd & Qualified for Spring Championships
Florence D – 29 th	Alice K – 5 th
Seren W – 33 rd	

Teams
Ledbury Reds
Alice R, Alice K, Georgie P, Lucy D – 4th
Ledbury Blues
Georgie S, Hattie S, Ellie H, Henny P – 10th

Presentation Evening

Thank you to all that came along to the AGM and Presentation evening at Corse Village Hall. It was lovely to see so many there and the members collect their awards. It was also a good opportunity for a social with you over the great food and the ever popular raffle organised by Hilary Barfoot-Saunt. Audrey Brewer was there to give out the awards and one of our senior members took photo's of the prize winners.





Mini Christmas Show at Moores Farm

Thankfully this years show did not fall fowl to the weather and even though it was a little damp at times it certainly did not dampen spirits. We had a brilliant number of entries across all the classes, from poles on the ground to 60cm, fancy dress and handy pony. Many of our Ledbury members were taking part and I'm sure you all saw the full results posted on our Facebook page. I have to thank all the helpers on the day and for those who had to step up when my co organiser took a tumble form her horse the day before and could not attend the show.



Curre PC Triathlon

We had three members take part in the Curre Pony Club triathlon. Seren W in the junior section where she got best shoot of 920. Seren was placed individual 4th and team 2nd. In the minis Lexi W was competing, she followed in her sisters' footsteps with best shoot of 960, taking individual 7th place. In the intros section Isabel E was individual 8th and part of the team taking 2nd place.

Competitions

December

16th – CVFH Triathlon – Dean Close

23rd – NHHPC Fun Christmas Show at Bromyard

29th - Show Jumping, OBH at Unicorn

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January

7th - Area 9 Training – tbc, Unicorn

14th – NHHPC Mounted Games Competition

21st -Triathlon, Malvern

February

4th - Winter Tri Qualifier - Beaufort

4th - Mounted Games National Study Day, Bury Farm Equestrian

8th - Coaching Conference - Confidence is Crucial On Line

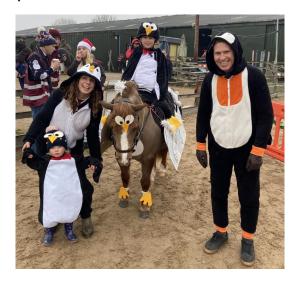
11th - Area 9 Training – tbc, Unicorn, GL54 1JZ

11th - Show Jumping - Cotswold Vale at Hartpury 18th - NHHPC Mounted Games Competition

In next months newsletter there will be a report on the successful Christmas show we held at Hartpury College as well as the junior Christmas party and the members tack sale. There are lots of rallies and training going on throughout December so get yourselves book in!

January will see the start of our new 100 Club so make sure you buy your lucky numbers to be a part of it.









LEDBURY HUNT PONY CLUB 100 CLUB 2024

New for 2024, help the club to raise some funds by taking part in our

Membership to the club will cost £30 per number for 12 months or £15

You choose a number from 1 to 100 and that will be your number for the year (or 6 months). You can purchase multiple numbers

Every month there will be three prizes and if your number is drawn you could win £50, £30 or £20. The more numbers you have the more

The December draw prizes will increase to £100, £50 and £50.

Numbers will be on sale at the presentation evening and up until the first draw, which will take place on 15th of every month

You have to be in it to win it!