

THE BURTON HUNT BRANCH OF THE PONY CLUB
RALLY NEWS
End 2003/Start 2004

This Rally News provides details of rallies taking place between December 2003 and February 2004. You will receive the full Rally Programme covering rallies from March 2004 onwards early next year.

A few general points about these rallies:

Rally vouchers

2004 vouchers will be sent to you when you pay your 2004 subscription. These vouchers can be used in full or part payment for rallies taking place in 2004.

Late bookings and Cancellation

Late Bookings - If you are late with your rally returns, or wish to see if there are still any places available on a rally after the rally deadline, please call Angie Hayes (01673 861893). She will add your names to a waiting list which will be passed on to Rosie Newsam, who will call you if a place becomes available.

Cancellations - If you wish to cancel your place before the rally deadline please call Angie - your rally fee will be refunded in full.

If you wish to cancel your place after the rally deadline - please call Angie who will pass your name on to Rosie and the rally organisers. Your rally fee can only be refunded at this stage if your place is filled by a late booking.

MONDAY 16th FEBRUARY 2004

WHITE HOUSE FARM, EAGLE

Cross-country rally, with some showjumping and other activities, for all ages and abilities.

11.30am-1.30pm or 2pm-4pm

Turnout: Cross-country rally

Fee: £10

Returns by: Monday 2nd February

Check for times: from Thursday 12th February on www.pcuk.org/burton, then click on Activities and scroll down to Rally Times and press Go

Or, *only if you have no internet access*, phone Lindsay Fell 01652 678264 or Sue Bingham 01427 788306

Directions: Take A46 from Lincoln towards Newark. At Whisby X roads (Pride of Lincoln Pub) turn right and follow signs to Eagle. White House Farm on right.

FRIDAY 20TH FEBRUARY 2004

REDNIL EQUESTRIAN CENTRE, LINCOLN ROAD, WELTON

by kind permission of Mr and Mrs P Linder

Unmounted Achievement Badge Rally suitable for members who have not yet taken their C+ Test

This rally will cover training followed by assessment of skills and knowledge to enable you to achieve your badge for simple equine first aid and general handling and grooming. The day is informative and fun and you could get a badge to show you have good skills in these subjects at the end.

1.30pm – 4pm

Fee: £5

Returns by: Monday 2nd February

Directions: From Lincoln take the A46; at Centurion Garage (just before hill) turn left towards Welton. Rednil Equestrian Centre is on the left past William Farr School.

TUESDAY 30TH DECEMBER 2003

REDNIL EQUESTRIAN CENTRE, LINCOLN ROAD, WELTON
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Unmounted rally for members of all ages and abilities, and parents, covering points on feeding, and buying a horse or pony.

We have a representative from Saracens Feed Company - who is highly recommended - coming to talk about aspects of feeding your horse or pony. On selling or buying an animal, there will be a vet giving advice on conformation and what is covered by different levels of vetting. Rosie Newsam will then talk about what to do when trying a new horse or pony and will provide a checklist of what questions to ask a current owner. This rally is of interest to anyone - parents and members - involved in keeping a horse or pony or looking to buy or sell one some time in the future, so do come along and give your support!

10am-12.30pm

Fee: £5 for each Pony Club member; voluntary donations from parents

Returns by: Friday 19th December

Directions: From Lincoln take the A46; at Centurion Garage (just before hill) turn left towards Welton. Rednil Equestrian Centre is on the left past William Farr School.

SUNDAY 11th JANUARY 2004

HILL HOUSE EQUESTRIAN CENTRE, SAND LANE, OSGODBY

Dressage Rally for all ages and abilities

The rally will cover dressage skills and preparing for and riding a dressage test. Riders will be sent a dressage test* in advance, and then will have group training plus the opportunity to perform the test, with feedback, in front of their instructor.

*Different tests will be selected for different ages and abilities, and the normal Pony Club tests will not be used.

10am-12 noon, 12noon-2pm or 2.00 - 4.00pm

Turnout: Standard Rally Turnout.

Fee: £12

Returns by: Friday 19th December 2003

Places for this rally are limited and will be allocated on a "first come first served" basis.

Times and tests: Please send a stamped addressed envelope with your return. Your test and rally time will be sent back to you.

Directions: Hill House is signposted off the A1103, which runs from the A46 north of Market Rasen to Caenby Corner