

FITZWILLIAM HUNT

News and Information

(October to end of year)

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PLEASE CAN WE ASK THAT ALL PARENTS TAKE A FEW MINUTES TO READ THROUGH THE CONTENTS OF THIS NEWSLETTER. HOPEFULLY IT CONTAINS ALL THE INFORMATION YOU NEED REGARDING ACTIVITIES, VENUES AND BOOKING INTO RALLIES AND TRAINING. ONCE YOU HAVE DECIDED WHICH RALLIES ETC YOU WISH TO ATTEND IT IS VERY EASY TO BOOK

- GO TO THE FITZWILLIAM PC [WEBSITE](#) CALENDAR PAGE.
- FIND DATE RALLY/TRAINING IS ON
- CLICK ON “BOOK NOW”
- THIS TAKES YOU STRAIGHT TO THE CORRECT BOOKING FORM ON HORSE EVENTS

Training

Bookings: All Rally and Training bookings are on-line. If you have any problems when making your booking please contact the event Organiser listed on the on-line booking web page

Late bookings will only be accepted if there are places in groups of suitable ability – please book well before cut off dates to avoid disappointment.

Rally/Training timings will be advised where necessary by email/website
Branch cancellation policy and refund form is on the website

Mini training with Lizzie Robinson/Karen Gow is aimed at our younger members including leadrein - This is group training sessions taking place regularly including both mounted and unmounted stable management sessions. Riding sessions to include pole work, dressage, show jumping and XC together with information on the rules and dress code for these disciplines. Members can work towards Pony Club badges and Progressive PC Awards.

Show Jump Training will be available to all ages that are able to jump 50 cm confidently (or lowest height stated) and Dressage Training will be available for all ages looking to improve their dressage work and ride tests confidently

Fun Rallies and Clinics will run along side the above training and wherever possible rallies/training etc is based on ability and not restricted to age. If you are not sure which sessions to book into please ask the training/rally organisers – they are there to help and answer any question

See rally sheet below for dates and venue details of all training/rallies

Pony Club Hunting

There will be a Pony Club meet during the Autumn half term, Christmas break and February half term for dates and venue details please contact Sylvie on fitzwilliam@pcuk.org

Dates to be confirmed shortly

- Camps 2025
- Competitions 2025
- New Year Rally
- Awards Night

TEST TRAINING

Test Training for D+, C and C+ and Riding & Road Safety is being re-arranged and dates will be notified to members in due course

DRESS CODE REMINDER FOR RALLIES/TRAINING/CLINICS (this applies to all age groups across the Branch)

MOUNTED

- Cream/Beige or plain dark coloured jodphurs.
- Fitzwilliam Pony Club (green) polo shirt and/or Fitzwilliam Pony Club (green) sweatshirt.
- Fitzwilliam PC XC colours and Long sleeves for XC.
- Either Fitzwilliam Jacket or Warm coat suitable for riding in cold or wet weather.
- Plain black/brown boots.
- If worn plain black/brown chaps – no tassles – to match boots
- No Jewellery.
- Hair tied back neatly.
- Plain dark coloured hat silk no bobbles).
- Hat tagged with PINK tag.
- Body protector for all XC jumping activities up to PC standard
- Whips must have flat padded end for any jumping – see PC Standards.

UNMOUNTED

- Trousers or jodphurs
- Fitzwilliam Pony Club (green) polo shirt and/or Fitzwilliam Pony Club (green) sweatshirt.
- Suitable footwear for venue
- Warm coat in cold weather
- Riding hat and boots must be worn– if handling ponies involved in training

Rallies, Training and Activities

All Rally bookings now on-line only – for more details contact for event organisers shown on on-line booking.

| Date | Activity | Venue | | Cost | How to Book/Cut off Date |
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| 6 October | FITZWILLIAM PONY CLUB TEAM SHOW JUMPING | Milton Park | Classes for All | | Book via Horse Events |
| 13 October | AREA 6 - MINI CHAMPIONSHIPS – Dressage, Show jumping and Eventing | White House Farm, Eagle Moor, Lincoln LN6 9DP | Contact Lizzie when entered so she can do teams | Schedule | Link to Book here |
| Wednesday 16 October | Juniors and Minis - Flatwork (Kirsty is having a break away from PC coaching so Pip will be taking over this training session) | New Pasture Stables Middle East Farm, The Causeway, Thorney PE6 0QH | Please state earliest you can be at venue. If a Mini please state if lead rein | £20 | Book on line by 9 October |
| 18 October | Unmounted MINI BADGE rally for younger members – Mini Poisonous Plants | Hall Farm, Abbots Ripton PE28 2PG | 5.00 – 6.15 pm Bring mug for hot chocolate. | £10 | Book on line by 12 October |
| 20 October | Show Jumping Rally for all ages and abilities – poles upwards with Pip King | Halefield Stud , Woodnewton, Peterborough, PE8 5EG | State height combination jumping confidently | £20 | Book on line by 13 October |
| 27 October | Spooktacular Halloween Rally younger members including lead rein. Rally will start with fancy dress competition followed by Halloween themed gymkhana games and ride round spooky woods to find the Halloween witch in her den | Barnwell Wold PE8 5RE (indoor arena for games) | Groups from 10.00 am | £15 | Book on line by 20 October |
| 31 October | NEW VENUE XC Rally for all ages and abilities Exclusive hire of both XC areas booked for Fitz Members. Groups will be from 11.00 am | Milton Keynes Equestrian Centre Castlethorpe Rd, Hanslope, Milton Keynes MK19 7HQ | Mini XC Course – 15cm-60cm Main XC Course – 70 cm upwards Senior Clinic for those jumping 90 cm + State height combination jumping when booking | £15 per horse £25 per horse £25 per horse | Book by 21 October – after this date bookings will only be accepted if suitable group |

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| 8 November | Unmounted MINI BADGE rally for younger members. Badge to be confirmed | Hall Farm, Abbots Ripton PE28 2PG | 5.00 – 6.15 pm Bring mug for hot chocolate. | £10 | Book on line by 1 November |
| 10 November | Instructional Clear Round jumping with Pip King. Jump a round and then instruction and jump again. Combinations jumping 40 cm up | Flegg House Turningtree Road Whittlesey Cambs PE7 2HB | State height wanting to jump | £20 | Book on line by 3 November |
| 16 November | Mini Training Groups from 10.15 am | Barnwell Wold PE8 5RE (Indoor arena) | Lizzie will be taking younger minis Older minis will be with Anna Koch | £15 | Book on line by 10 November |
| 17 November | Arena XC Training with Tricia Price Combinations jumping 70cm plus | Lodge Farm Little Staughton MK44 2TA | Please state height combination jumping | £20 | Book on line by 10 November |
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| 1 December | Mini Training Groups from 10.15 am | Barnwell Wold PE8 5RE | Lizzie will be taking younger minis Older minis will be with Anna Koch | £15 | Book on line by 25 November |
| 1 December | Instructional Clear Round jumping with Pip King. Jump a round and then instruction and jump again. Combinations jumping 40 cm upwards | All Weather Arena, Home Farm, Alconbury | State Height jumping | £20 | Book on line by 25 November |
| 6 December | Christmas Unmounted MINI Badge Rally – Fun Quiz based on badges already undertaken | Hall Farm, Abbots Ripton PE28 2PG | Christmas Jumpers and Hats a must !!! Festive treats for parents and members | £10 | Book on line by 30 November |
|  Saturday 14 December | Fun Xmas Show  | Barnwell Wold PE8 5RE | Schedule to follow |  | All entries on day (cash only) |