

Old Berkeley Hunt Riding Club

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Newsletter

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Welcome to the OBHRC

Welcome to the Old Berkeley Hunt RC November Newsletter.

To keep in touch with all the News, schedules, events, activities and dates see the monthly event planner by visiting the website: www.obhrc.org.uk Regular updates are sent out to members via the emails & there is an open OBHRC facebook page or a closed facebook for OBHRC members only with dates, events, clinics, photos & results. All fully paid members are welcome to join OBHRC members only facebook please click on "Join box".

AGM and Awards Presentation and Awards Evening

We had a very good turnout of members and friends on Monday 4th November at the Cholesbury Village hall.

The evening started at 7.30pm with annual general meeting with reports from the Chairman Diane which covered the showing show in April, Summer evening dressage series, horse knowledge club evening talks, training for dressage & jumping.

The financial reports from Peter our Treasurer & Area teams report from Area team manager Nicky.

Presentations of gifts & vouchers were made to retiring committee members Ricky Dutton who has been on the committee for over 12 year, in that time she has organised the showing, jumping shows & helped with sponsorships for the club over the years & also been the membership secretary for many years.

Nicky Waters who has done a excellent job as Area team manager for nearly eight years & to Lynne Priest Club vice chairman who has stepped down from the committee for awhile.

We would like welcome our new group of committee members: Jani Modder, Seffi Lundy, Lorna Roberson & Elizabeth Rollinson.

Lynne and her daughter Bethan kindly cooked & served an excellent supper for everyone.

Thank you to everyone who supported the raffle by buying tickets & donated various & interesting prizes for the raffle, which raised £75 on the evening.

Presentation for the Summer Dressage Series Points League Championships



Restricted Intro:

Champion: Paula Wynn & Puzzle 11 pts
Reserve Champion: Lorna Roberson & Jack 5 pts

Open Intro

Champion: Antonia Thoday & Bobby 23 pts
Reserve Champion: Anne Jermey & Lilly 21 pts

Restricted Prelim tests

Champions = Alison Moody & Comet 19 pts
= Antonia Thoday & Bobby 19 pts
Reserve Champion: Paula Wynn & Puzzle 17 pts

Open Prelim tests

Champion: Liz Rollinson & Splash 14 pts
Reserve Champion: Anna Smallwood & Buddy 10 pts

Open Novice tests

Champion: Anna Smallwood & Jack 13 pts
Reserve Champion: Liz Rollinson & Splash 11 pts

Challenge Trophies awards



The Valhalla Cup – highest points gain at Summer Dressage series

Trophy winner: Antonia Thoday & Bobby 42 pts

RC Award: Anne Jerney & Lilly 36 pts.

Rosslare Show Jumping Trophy

Trophy winner: Sally Mawer & Suffolini won the Area 6 Winter Novice 80cm individual at BCA in early March & qualified for Championships at Arena UK.

Addams Catering Trophy – Showing Show points.

Trophy winner: Janine Modder & Toby won both the ridden novice WHP & M&M classes, were Reserve Champion in the WHP Championships. Finishing with a total of 35 points.

RC Award: Rosalind Goose & Nelly won the in hand Cob class and gained a special in Coloured class – finishing with a total of 11 points.

Maurice Essex Dressage Trophy

Trophy winner: Tamsin Morris & Cullawn My Way – Who won the Area 6 Summer dressage Elementary, qualified for Nationals where they came 3rd in their arena.

RC Award: Jillie Luff came 2nd in medium test at the Area Q at Tweseldown.

Jillie was placed 6th – Medium at Winter Area 6 intermediate dressage.

Winter's Tale Trophy

Trophy winner: Bethan Heaton jumped a double clear round at Arena eventing at Cherwell on Fanta Buddy in 70 cm class & came 5th.

RC Award: Ellie Rose & Luciano also jumped at Cherwell were placed 7th in 70 cm class.

One day Event Cup – Area 6 Horse Trials 90 – 100cm

Winner: Nikki Allen who competed Ricky Dutton's horse in the HT 90cm class in May & finished in 7th position.

RC Award: Amy Kearney rode Nicky Waters horse in 90cm & finished in 9th position.

The Coney Spurs Trophy – Dressage to Music.

Winner: Scilla Lown & Codar who is 17 years old were 2nd in the Medium DTM BCA in June. Scilla was given a wild card from the BRC to compete at the DTM Championship in September at Bury Farm. They rode a brilliant music test and took 2nd place in the Medium Championships.

Best Area Team Award

Winter Area 6 intermediate Dressage team.

Lindsay Corrigan, Antonia Thoday, Sally Mawer, Tamsin Morris. They all rode different tests during the day & finished in 4th place out of 18 teams.

Danesbrook Dragonfly Trophy – Most improved combination.

Winner: Lynne Wilson has started jumping Nicky Water's pony Bell at jump clinics. They competed in their very first Area competition at Summer show Jumping in 70cm at BCA. The pair did very well with only 4 faults over two rounds, finishing in 7th place out of 27 riders.

RC Award: Janine Modder also started this year with a new young pony bringing Toby to the pole & jumping clinics to gain his confidence. The pair competed in our Showing show and did very well, especially in the WHP classes.



The Phipps Trophy

Winner: Liz Rollinson & Splash who have competed in nearly all the events including camp, Showing show, Treasure hunt, evening dressage, SJ & dressage clinics & some the Area teams.

RC Award: Penny Doyle who has been an active member this year at both Club events and some of the Area competitions.

Ian Crippen Horse Head Trophy.

This is awarded to the horse or pony who has had a go at all sorts of disciplines at Area & club training & events.

Winner: Rolo (Owner / Rider: Penny Doyle)

Rolo is only 13.2hh but he has been very active in the club this year & is happy to have a go at any event or activity including attending camp, evening dressage, Jumping & flatwork clinics & competing in the horse trials & SJ Area competitions.

Heather Edwards Trophy – Best contribution to Area teams.

Winner: Ellie Rose & Derry have competed in the Area showing Jumping, CT & Arena ET this year.

RC Award: Sally Mawer who has competed in most of the Area competitions with 3 different horses.

Chairman's Cup

Winner: Liz O'Donnell who has helped the club throughout this year as Area helper, passport checker at Shows, dressage writer, Treasure hunt time keeper & the L&SE Championships Secretary.

Special Award: Lindsay Rose for being a brilliant supporter of club activities, helper at shows and supporting riders at Area competitions.

Portwin Cup – Helpers Cup

Winner: Jillie Luff for her help at shows, fence judging at the BRC HT Championships & the incredible job she did as co-ordinator of the L&SE Championships at Snowball Farm in September.

The training bursary raffle prize was won by Liz O'Donnell this year.

Natasha Pirie Morrell who is our trainer for regular jumping clinics offered 3 x £10 vouchers to the members who had attended the most Jumping in 2019, these were awarded to Alison Moody, Lorna Roberson & Janine Modder who all attended 6 clinics.

Jumping Clinics

We had 8 members attending the Jumping clinic on Sunday 20th October at Chiltern Cottage.

Sunday 24th November was our pre Christmas clinic with 5 riders attending and everyone having a good time. Sally provided hot mulled wine & mince pies for us all making it a social event as well.

Thank you to our members for supporting these jumping clinics during the last 12 months & to Natasha for all her expertise & knowledge which is really helping members to improve their jumping skills.

New dates for 2020: Sunday 19th January & 23rd February these dates will give everyone some practice before the spring season or the Winter Area Jumping competition on 7th March.



Dressage Training

Gail Allum gives OBHRC a special discount for lessons on the first Saturday of the month at her livery yard – Hill Green Farm, Wigginton.

Details on booking see Training heading on the website.

Christmas Dinner



The annual OBH social evening is on Wednesday 11th December at the Greyhound Pub, Chesham road, Wigginton, HP23 6EH.

Membership 2020

Don't forget to renew your membership & continue support the club please.

Veronica has taken over as the new membership secretary from Ricky.

The 2020 Membership application form is on the website you can save the form, fill in & email to Veronica Mash: veronica@optionsearch.co.uk then pay by online banking - see all the bank details on the form or you print out form & post with cheque.

Unfortunately we have had to put the member fees up to £30 for 2020 to cover the extra raise in BRC affiliated payment costs per member.

