

## SPRING DRESSAGE

Sunday 17 April 2011 at Woodington Training Centre

We all must have done something good as the weather this year was great compared to last year – it was “T” shirts and sun, not jumpers and hot chocolate. Lots of smiles to be seen and the atmosphere was enthusiastic.



Maurice had, as usual, prepared everything for us. Beautifully written score boards and the arenas perfectly harrowed. Our thanks, as usual, go to Woodington for allowing us to use such lovely facilities, and also to our band of helpers who always come up trumps on the day. Not forgetting the Judges and their writers.

Entries had been slow to arrive but on the day there were over 77 entries which made for good competitive classes. Most of the competitors were Members too, which is so nice for the Committee to see, as the support is like a “pat on the back” for them.

The success of the day must have been the Pairs Class. I was absolutely delighted to have six entries, the first time it has been a proper competitive class. As a BD Intro Test it was more encouraging for pairs to “have a go” which was the original idea.

All six Pairs performed extremely well, one pair only getting together on the day due to the original other half being lame. The Judge was very impressed and thought each pair had the potential to compete as a pair at the Area Dressage Competition in July.



So get in touch with Nina and put your names forward. We will run the class again as a BD Intro in October, so start looking for your pair partner; you don't have to be a perfect match.



The Novice restricted class has been introduced to encourage those Prelim competitors to aim a bit higher, which it did, and the Pick your Own Elementary /Medium Class has been included for the Novice riders to aim higher too. Again entries were encouraging as that is the point of our Club Dressage Competitions, to give you something new to try in a friendly informal atmosphere.

The winning Members of our Dressage Competitions earn points towards an Overall Dressage Prize which will be announced at the AGM.

We were lucky to have Andrea from Vive La Images taking photos and they can be viewed on her website at [www.vivelaimages.co.uk](http://www.vivelaimages.co.uk) We do hope that you will look and perhaps buy a print. It was a long day for her too. Our next competition provisionally 16th October 2011 - sign up for our future Flatwork Training Sessions in preparation. We do try and provide different Trainers and Venues so please come and support our efforts.

Anne Pearce

After taking my First Aid for the club, my first attempt at First Aid was used at the Dressage competition. Rather unusual as Kelly had a fly fly into her ear. We soon realised the fly was not going to fly out and very worried for Kelly as her test was about to start and we didn't want the Judge to think Kelly was a head shaker!!!

The only way to stop this was to put warm water into ear, and it worked. I think may be riders need ear covers as well as the horses!!!

Janet Sheen

## NFRC DRESSAGE RESULTS - 17 APRIL 2011

CLASS 1	BD INTRO B 2009	NFRC Member	Score	%	Place	Best Member
Ardlenys Dancing Dymphna	Caroline Thrower	*	146(64)	63.5	4th	
Treflan Huw	Lucy Talbot		144(62)	62.5		
Vanilla Fudge	Ella Ritchie		137(60)	59.6		
Malisse	Belinda Swanborough	*	139	60.4		
BallerayRazzamatazz	Abi Schoenmakers	*	149	64.8	2nd	BM
Khan	Cayley Tuxworth		152	66.1	1st	
Millifords Ebony	Nikkie VanGeffe		wd			
Leo	Rebecca Sheen	*	144(64)	62.6	6th	
Harry	Kate Lock	*	140	60.9		
Serenade	Julie Marsden	*	146(64)	63.5	4th	
Brambridge Pride	Ellen O'Brien	*	137(60)	59.6		
Knavesash Bowman	Bernadette Tully	*	147	63.9	3rd	
CLASS 2	PRELIM 7 (2002)Rest	NFRC Member	Score	%	Place	Best Member
Ardlenys Dancing Dymphna	Caroline Thrower	*	116(46)	58		
Harry	Kate Lock	*	129(54)	64.5	2nd	BM
Serenade	Julie Marsden	*	113(46)	56.5		
Khan	Cayley Tuxworth		134	67	1st	
Lukan	Kay Dymock	*	117	58.5	6th	
Jack	Katie Bayford		115(48)	57,5		
Choccy	Amy Challis		121	60.5	5th	
Jumping Jack Flash	Jane Patz		106	53		
SALSA	Kathy McDougall	*	111	55.5		
Molly	Kate Burrige	*	116(46)	58		
Taylor	Vicki Blick	*	129(54)	64.5	2nd	BM
Gremlin	Alice Francis	*J	124	62	4th	BJ
Trex	Gina Christopher	*	113(48)	56.5		
Frosty	S. Rendall	*	115(48)	57.5		
Majestic Opposition	Jane Reeves		115(48)	57.5	-	

<b>CLASS 3</b>	<b>PRELIM 12 (2005)</b>	<b>NFRC Member</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>Best Member</b>
Carys	Maria Podmore	*	146	58.4	4th	
Molly	Kate Burridge	*	135	54		
Taylor	Vicki Blick	*	169	67.4		
Gremlin	Alice Francis	*J	145	58		
Trex	Gina Christopher	*	136	54.4		
WishUWereHere	Kate Bignall		WD			
Doris	Venetia Ward	*	WD			
Colour Sargeant	Sian Harris	*	146	58.4		
Fleetmead Faye	Chrissy Quilliam	*	144	57.6		
Remi	Racheal Martin	*	142	56.8		
Cally	Vicki Blick	*	143	57.2		
Jules Lee	Kate Bignall		WD			
Kuwait Cup	Chris Carpenter	*	131	52.4		
Farriers Fingerprint	Emma Hartley		WD			
Harvey	Judith Martin	*	135	54		
Ace of Spades	Becky Stephens	*	149	59.6		
Edward	Sue Roberts	*	152	60.8		
Willoway Sarasan	Louise Street	*	152	60.8		
Rushington Jade	Lisa Fairway		145	58		
Backley Blue Mist	Debbie Prince	*	193	77.2	1st	BM
LuckyLaneBellBoy	Sue Randall	*	144	57.6		
Dunlwey Magnus	Julie Plumber	*	148	59.2		
Vic	Rebecca Davis	*	168	67.2	5th	
Backley Basil	Debbie Prince	*	179	71.6	2nd	
Carnival News	Lizzi Boswell	*J	177	70.8	3rd	BJ
Renvyl Spirit	Karen Jones	*	162	64.8	6th	
Martha	Anna Bruce		wd			
<b>CLASS 4</b>	<b>HAVE A GO PAIRS BD INTRO "A"</b>	<b>NFRC Member</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>Best Member</b>
Doris	Venetia Ward	*	167	72.6	1st	BM
Frosty	S. Rendall					
Trex	Gina Christopher	*	157	68.3	3rd	
Majestic Opposition	Jane Reeves					
Harvey	Judith Martin	*	147	63.9	6th	
Remi	Rachel Martin					
Ace of Spades	Becky Stephens	*	151	65.7	5th	
Colour Sargeant	Sian Harris					
Brambridge Pride	Ellen O'Brien	*	158	68.9	2nd	
Longwater Nutmet	Lisa Pressey					
Choccy	Amy Challis		155	67.4	4th	
Jack	Katie Bayford					

<b>CLASS 5A</b>	<b>NOVICE 24 (2010)</b>	<b>NFRC Member</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>Best Member</b>
Longwater Nutmeg	Lisa Pressy		WD			
LuckyLaneBellBoy	Sue Randall	*	138	53	6th	
Fleetmead Fay	Chrissy Quilliam	*	150	57.6	3rd	
Edward	Sue Roberts	*	149	57.3	4th	
Willoway Sarasen	Louise Street	*	155	59.6	2nd	
Dunlewy Magnus	Jo Dodworth	*	146	56.1	5th	
Maris Piper	Holly Welton	*	160	61.5	1st	BM
<b>CLASS 5B</b>	<b>NOVICE 24 (2010)</b>	<b>NFRC Member</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>Best Member</b>
Vic	R. Davis	*	154	59.2		
Backley Blue Mist	Debbie Prince	*	157	60.3	6th	
Carnaval News	Lizzi Boswell	*	168	64.6	2nd	BJ
Backley Basil	Debbie Prince	*	162	62.3	3rd	
Renvyl Spirit	Karen Jones	*	160	61.5	5th	
Hectors Valentine	Kelly Jensen	*	170	65.3	1st	BM
Toffee	Alison Jenden	HC	185	71.1	HC	
Nelson	Sarah Stephens	*	167	64.2	4th	
<b>CLASS 6</b>		<b>NFRC Member</b>				
AZZI	Caroline Traies		155	62	3rd	
Hectors Valentine E	Kelly Jensen	*	164	65.6	2nd	
Nelson E	Sarah Stephens	*	147	58.8	5th	
Toffee E	Alison Jenden		172	68.8	1st	
AZZI	Caroline Traies		174	59.9	4th	