



# South Wilts Riding Club Newsletter

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June/July 2009



Chloe Poolman and Charlie Perrot set off on cross country course at BRC Festival of the Hunter Championships



Ellie-May Hart, Keri MacNamara and Chloe Poolman at Area 17 SJ Qualifier



Sarah Mitchell, Dawn Slater-Bosley, Roy Southey and Jo Pearson (camera-shy behind Basil!) - also at Area 17 SJ qualifier

## Chairman's Report

It seems such a very short time since Rockbourne, and here we are already immersed in summer competitions, qualifiers and championships. In the last letter I reported on the success of our Junior Pair, Charlie Perrott and Chloe Poolman who won their qualifying class in the Festival of the Hunter Challenge. This meant a long trip to Aston-le-Walls to represent the Club at the Championships. It's a lovely venue and the weather was glorious. Both riders had great show jumping rounds but the very hard ground unfortunately took its toll on the XC section, resulting in a couple of stops which put them out of contention for this year. However, I hope they both feel enormously proud of their achievement in making it to the national championships.

At the recent show jumping qualifier near Botley, our Juniors were again in a competitive mood, coming third in their section. Thanks to Ellie-May Hart, Keri MacNamara, Chloe Poolman and Debbie Tibble for doing so well. Two senior teams were also in action: Jo Pearson, Sarah Mitchell, Dawn Slater-Bosley, and Roy Southey came 6th and Jo Pearson came 5th as an individual in the Senior Novice Show Jumping. Next up will be the Horse Trial Qualifier at Larkhill on 5th July and the Dressage Qualifier at Moreton on 19th July.

Our own dressage and combined training competition at Warminster was a great success with nearly 70 entries. The next competition is on the evening of 30 June, and it would be lovely to see lots of you there whether competing or helping. Warminster SC did a great job in preparing both the dressage arenas, the SJ course and the lovely weather! I hope that we will also see a good turn out for the Camilla Brogaard demonstration on 3rd July (see next page).

Instruction continues to be well supported, but don't forget that if there is anything different you would like to propose for the programme, we'll always give it a try. Just contact any committee member with your ideas. It's not too early to start planning some events for the winter months.

Look forward to seeing most of you at some time during the coming months.

With very best wishes,

Judy

## Dressage to Music Demo Evening



Ever thought of doing dressage to music but just didn't know where to start?  
Come and join SWRC for an evening demonstration with Camilla Brogaard

at Little Wishford Equestrian, Stoford, Salisbury SP2 0PS

on Friday 3rd July at 6.30pm

Nineteen year old Camilla has been riding since before she could walk. She currently has three dressage horses and trains with Pammy Hutton and Olympic Dressage rider Carl Hester. She will be bringing her top young horse stallion Zilver Prince to this demo. He is by the prestigious Sandreo. Camilla has owned him for just over a year. She competed him as a four year old in all the young horse championships - these include: Badminton Young Horse Champs, Shearwater Young Horse Champs and Regionals. He was unbeaten in all his qualifiers.

In 2009, they have contested in five year old young horse classes and won the majority. They also won the Addington Winter Regionals and qualified for the Dressage Winter Nationals, where they finished 2nd.

As well as giving a demonstration with her own horse, Camilla will be working with a couple of "guinea pigs" to show how riders might get started in Dressage to Music.

**EVERYONE WELCOME, BUT TICKETS ARE LIMITED TO 30**

**SO BOOK EARLY**

Entrance : £5 per person to include a glass of wine or a soft drink

Tickets in advance only

Bring a picnic or BBQ available during the evening (please let us know if you would like BBQ)

To book tickets contact Lisa Kimber on 07585 629737

or Sophie Clotworthy on 07855 484432

# Dates for the Diary

as at 22/06/09

Thurs 25 June	Gridwork and Flatwork with Di Burgess 11.00 (JN)	Manor Farm, Teffont
Sat 27 June	XC team training with Tammy Weal (SC)	Downlands
Tues 30 June	SWRC Evening Dressage and CT (JN)	Warminster SC
Fri 3 July	Camilla Brogaard DTM Demonstration + BBQ 18.00 (LK/SC)	Little Wishford Farm
Sun 5 July	Q Horse Trials	Larkhill
**Thurs 9 July	Gridwork and Flatwork with Di Burgess 11.00 (JN)	Manor Farm, Teffont
Thurs 16 July	Jumping for Fun with Lisa Kimber (JN)	Little Wishford Farm
Sun 19 July	Q Dressage	Moreton
Thurs 23 July	SWRC Evening Dressage and CT (JN)	Warminster SC
7/8/9/August	Ch Horse Trials	Offchurch
Sun 6 Sept	SWRC Dressage and Combined Training 9.30 (JN)	Warminster SC
Wed 12/13 Sept	Ch SJ and Dressage	Lincoln

\*\* provisional date

Team training

Area 17 Qualifiers and Championships

SWRC instruction and competitions

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Please keep an eye on the website for full details and the latest on events, instruction, times etc

## HELP!

With the last newsletter I included a form inviting members to sign up to a few hours' help at Club competitions. I received 2 replies!! This very disappointing response means that the loyal few end up doing all the work. Without helpers we can't begin to put on competitions, and if everyone in the club offered to help once in the season, the work load would be spread much more evenly.

We need stewards, arena parties, dressage writers and scorers. In addition, every time we send a team to an Area qualifier we have to send at least one helper per team.

So please, please volunteer to help at least once during the year. I need 2 writers, a steward and helpers in the SJ arena on the evening of Tuesday 30 June - this is your chance!! Competition will start at approx. 5pm depending on entries. I look forward to a flood of calls!

Judy

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### XC TRAINING REMINDER

There is XC training with Tammy Weal at Downlands on Saturday 27th June for those who want to be in teams at the Horse Trial Qualifier at Larkhill on 5th July. The cost is £25 per head which includes hire of facilities and 1 hour 15 min session in group of 4. To book, call Sophie Clotworthy on 07855 484432

## Welcome

to Sarah Mitchell from Fovant who has joined SWRC since the last newsletter, and has already proved a valuable team member for the Club at the Area 17 show jumping qualifier



Jo eventually manages to stop Basil from hogging the camera!

### Committee 2008/2009

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