

NPS AREA 7 NEWLETTER

OCTOBER 2011



Firstly well done to all Area Members who have achieved during the 2011 season. For many of you HOYS is the ultimate goal and I know a number of our members qualified and were placed last week.

Aimee Hoare – Kilmannan Kilty/Townend Candyman
Frazer Atherden – Stirlingdene
Dain Atherden – Castle Hill Duke
Katie Pope – Glenwood Lancelot
Jessica Pope – Peasedown Postman Pat
Bobby Bright - Waxwing Rheel/Mosside McLaren
Rachel Bright – Penclose Passion
Rebecca Norris – Dolellog Ceris
Madeleine Plum – Withwait Juliet
Jack Bowlby – Shroughan Mairin/Kentchurch Charity/Giggles O’Shea
Lucinda Stockley – Townend Tom/Misty Blue/No More Mr Nice Guy
Rosie Skier – Mister Bosley

If you have been missed from the list I apologise and let me know so we can get it on the Website.

Area Website

With regard to the website we will shortly have a new website “www.npsarea7.co.uk”. We will let you know when it goes live so you can all have a look.

Committee members will have access to edit we hope to keep this more up to date - please take a look and don’t be afraid to supply us with photos and stories we would love to put them on!

Well we have some exciting news so here goes:

Young Judges

For those of you who don’t know our Area Young Judges team (as pictured above) won the Team Competition for the second year at the NPS Summer Championship Show. The team consisted of:

Dain Atherden
Georgia Tubb
Charlie Jones
Fawn Surman
Trilby Surman
Hannah Ward Burton
Ella Morris
Katie Pope
Jessica Pope
Joe Smith

Winter Show

Our winter show will be held at Bury Farm Equestrian on Saturday 28th January 2012 and we are delighted that we will be holding one of the first if not the first 2012 NPS PRP ROYAL INTERNATIONAL WORKING HUNTER PONY QUALIFIER

For those of you not familiar with Bury Farm it now has excellent indoor facilities and we will have the opportunity of using all the surfaces, however the WHP classes will be in the indoor arena and our appointed course builder is Nick Snelling

A provisional schedule will be available by the end of October and will be e mailed or posted on request. There will be the usual range of Winter NPS qualifiers, Ponies UK winter qualifiers and we will put on some SHP/SP classes.

Training

Alison and Tracy have arranged two clinics -

WHP session with Suzi Roberts to be held on Wednesday 26th October

Flat Session with Sam Roberts to be held on Sunday 20th November.

These clinics will be held at Manor Farm, Kingsey Thame by kind permission of the North Family. Please contact either Alison (07866892187) or Tracy (tracey.north0@gmail.com)

Please keep an eye on the website for updates and further training.

2011 AGM VENUE: ADDINGTON EQUESTRIAN CENTRE ADDINGTON

Formal invites for this will be out by end of October as the date is Saturday 26th November at 11AM. We hope that Addington will prove a popular location and most of our members should know where to go!. We will be holding the AGM in the Pavillion and will be followed by a hot buffet lunch and we also would like to have an interactive session debriefing of the 2011 season – items for discussion in advance please to Debbie Spears (debbiespears@btinternet.com)

SUMMER SHOW 2012

Date Sunday 1st July - Addington Equestrian Centre

Schedules will be available early 2012

Winter Dressage 2011/12

Area 7 would like to enter a dressage team/teams to compete at the NPS/Fodder Solutions Supreme Dressage Championships. These will take place at Addington Manor on the 14th and 15th April 2012.

To be eligible to compete as part of the team ponies and riders need to qualify as individuals. The NPS website has a list of venues holding qualifiers and more info on this great event.

A training day with Lucinda Sims for all those competing will be held at Brackenhill Stud, Fawley, nr Henley-on-Thames, date to be confirmed.

You only need to be an NPS Dressage member to take part in the championships.
Anyone interested in joining the team please contact Sam Rees on 07554-883238.

If you have incorrectly received this e mail please accept our apologies and if you reply to that affect we will remove you from the list