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Message from Meon Riding Club: We held our Spring show at Mayhill Stud on Sunday 21st May, and the weather was terrible!! A BIG THANK YOU to ALL the Judges, Stewards, Sponsors and volunteers who helped make this show successful, and a HUGE THANK YOU to all the brave competitors who came out and supported us!!! Everyone had a really good day, and the weather didn't dampen any spirits!!!

What's On:

Portchester Horse & Pony Association

Thurs 1 June: Flatwork & Jumping Rally with Mark Riley. 2-5pm Dundry, nr Bishops Waltham. £12.50.

Sun 4 June: Inhand & Ridden Show, specialising in Mountain & Moorland, Danes Road, Portchester

Sat 17 June: Car Boot Sale, Danes Road, Portchester. Equestrian and non

Sat 24 June: Cross-Country Schooling at Fair Oak, Rogate. Mini Novice 2', Novice 2'3", Intermediate 2'6"-2'9"

Sun 9 July: Sponsored Pleasure Ride, Compton Cross Country Course

Sat 15 July: Show Jumping the Full Course at Crofton Manor EC. 1.5 hours/group with Amanda Napleton

Sun 6 August: Showing Rally, In-hand and Ridden at Crofton Manor EC with Amanda Napleton. Spectators welcome

Sun 20 August: Main Show, Portchester Castle Recreation Ground

Rallies to be held at Crofton Manor Equestrian Centre, Titchfield Road, Stubbington (nr. Fareham) with Amanda Napleton

Rallies are for members only. New members always welcome.

For further details please contact Jo or Corrie on 023 9261 7841

Fri 2 June: Unaffiliated Show Jumping every Friday night from 6pm. Cedar Stables, Medstead, Alton GU34 5LU, tel 01420 564169, www.alternativehorsesolutions.co.uk

Understanding Equus - www.understandingequus.co.uk

Debbie Reilly, Equine Trainer & Behaviour Specialist, Oak Tree House, Hightown Hill, Ringwood, Hants BH24 3HE.

Tel/fax: 01425 473151, mobile: 07715 732278. Email: info@understandingequus.co.uk

Workshops: (Each workshop is unique and is tailored to the needs and requirements of the participants and horses attending)

Fri 2/Sat 3 June: Introduction to Long Lining to develop balance and self-carriage (2 days)

Sun 4/Mon 5 June: Understanding Equus: Ground to Ridden Communication (2 days)

Mon 19/Tue 20 June: Understanding Equus & Equine Behaviour (2 days)

Mon 19-Fri 23 June: Partnership Course (5 days)

Mon 26-Fri 30 June: Intensive Training Week at Oak Tree House (5 days)

Fri 7 July: Ground Manners: When and how to use a training halter

Sat 8 July: Ground Work Problem Solving: Inc. leading, loading, farrier prep. etc.

Sun 9/Mon 10 July: Understanding Equus: Ground to ridden communication (2 days)

Mon 17-Fri 21 July: Intensive Training Week at Oak Tree House (5 days)

Debbie is also available to visit you for coaching sessions, group workshops etc.

Sun 4 June: Winchester Riding Club Open Hunter Trial, Dene Farm, Nether Wallop, nr. Stockbridge. SAE to Show Secretary, 28 Gatcombe Gardens, West End, Southampton SO18 3NA. www.winchesterridingclub.co.uk

Sun 4 June: Titchfield Show, SAE to Events Secretary, Hound Hill Farm, Segensworth Road, Titchfield, Fareham PO15 5EA. Tel 01329 847304. Schedule available at www.ridingdiary.co.uk

Sunday 4th June - Sponsored Horse Ride - Bereleigh Estate, East Meon

£10 entry fee, £15 minimum sponsorship. Entry forms can be downloaded from www.rockyride.co.uk.

Entries received after 31st May will incur an additional £5 entry fee.

Trade pitches available: Do you have merchandise or services that would be of interest to entrants at the event?

We have some excellent pitch sizes available. Please ring Nicky to discuss.

Contact info: email shinernicky@aol.com Tel: 07917 897143 Web site: www.rockyride.co.uk

Sun 11 June: (Unaffiliated) UK Chaser Qualifier: Woodington Training Centre, Woodington Road, East Wellow SO51 6DQ. Tel 01794 324172. SAE to same address.

Sun 11 June: WRC Open Hunter Trial, Nether Wallop, Stockbridge. SAE to Events Secretary, 28 Gatcombe Gardens, West End, Southampton SO18 3NA, tel 01962 774823

Sun 11 June: Fleet Lions Sponsored Fun Ride, Tweseldown Race Course, Church Crookham, Fleet. Approx. 5 miles with 25 obstacles. Tel 0870 2863804, www.fleetlions.org.uk

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31 Bulls Copse Lane, Horndean, Hampshire PO8 9QX

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Sun 11 June: Stubbington Open Horse Show, Peak lane, Fareham. 9am start, In-hand showing, Children's ring, Ridden showing and Mountain & Moorland. 8 championships, trophies in all classes. Beautiful rosettes up to 6th place. Hampshire Horsewatch in attendance, Chess photography, First Aid in attendance and catering. For schedules SAE Tracy Brown, Secretary, 76 Rothesay Road, Gosport, Hampshire, PO12 4PX.

Wed 14 June: Clear Round Show Jumping, 3-7pm, Hurn Bridge EC, Parley Lane, Hurn, Christchurch, Dorset BH23 6AD, Schedules and further details available at www.hurn-bridge.co.uk

Fri 16 June: Unaffiliated Dressage, Quob Stables, Durley Brook Road, Durley SO32 2AR. www.quobstables.com

Heather Lewis Clinics, Crofton Manor Equestrian Centre, Titchfield, nr Fareham

Friday 2 June: Loose Jumping – 15 minute sessions, from 4.00pm, £8.00

Saturday 10 June: Dressage – Lateral Work – First group starting with the basics, up to the last group working on travers and walk pirouettes, from 9.30am, £12.50

Wednesday 14 June: Jumping – Gridwork – First session suitable for beginners, from 5.00pm, £12.50

Saturday 24 June: Dressage – 2 hour special workshop. Training on a 2006 dressage test, followed by riding the test which will be videoed and judged. Only 4 spaces per group, from 9.30am, £30

Friday 30 June: Show Jumping – Unusual and spooky jumps, including water tray and stile filler, from 5.00pm, £12.50

For more details go to www.hlewistraining.co.uk, email hlewis@onetel.net or phone Heather on 07968 257558

Sun 18 June: Cadnam Show Society Spring Driving Show, Terry's Lawn, Petlake Farm, Ringwood Road, Bartley, Southampton. Tel 023 8077 6854, email hazellong@yahoo.co.uk

Sun 18 June: Affiliated and Unaffiliated Show Jumping, Pinkmead Farm, Botley, Southampton SO30 2HA. Events Secretary 01489 797954. Schedule/further details/Entry form available from www.hampshirehorseshow.co.uk

Sun 25 June: Pleasure Ride, organised by Hants & West Sussex Borders Bridleways Group. Fir Piece show field, Forestside, nr Rowlands Castle. Approx. 8 miles, set off between 9am and 12 noon. Entry fee £7, entries to Ride Secretary, 77 Farringdon Road, Havant PO9 2LP.

Sun 25 June: Unaffiliated Dressage, Pinkmead Farm, Botley, Southampton SO30 2HA. Events Secretary 01489 797954. Schedule/further details/Entry form available from www.hampshirehorseshow.co.uk

Little Leigh Farm Equestrian Centre, Prospect Lane, nr Rowlands Castle, Havant

Fun Day: Sun 18 June. Clear Round Jumping 9.30-11.00am. Ridden/In-hand classes, 10.00/10.30am start. Gymkhana games, 1.30pm. 12.30-1.00pm Dressage to Music Demo, Ben St. John James riding Le Duc. Entries available on the day (£2 extra) Schedule/entry form, SAE please to address above.

Unaffiliated Summer Dressage Series: Sat 3 June, Sun 2 July, Sun 23 July, Sun 13 Aug (Championship)

Show Jumping Schooling: Saturday mornings £5

School for Hire: International arena and lunging pen available for hire £8/hour

Saturday Club for Kids & Children's Birthday Parties every Saturday

Tel: 023 9241 3687, email lozzie_lewisa@btconnect.com

Sun 2 July: Winchester Riding Club Summer Show, Mayhill Stud, Droxford. SAE to Show Secretary, 28 Gatcombe Gardens, West End, Southampton SO18 3NA. www.winchesterridingclub.co.uk

Sun 2 July: Park Farm Show: SAE to Secretary, Park Farm, Station Road, Oakley, Basingstoke RG23 7EH, or email jon@parkfarmoakley.co.uk

Sun 2 July: Cadnam Show Society Inhand and Ridden Show, Terry's Lawn, Petlake Farm, Ringwood Road, Bartley, Southampton. Tel 023 8077 6854, email hazellong@yahoo.co.uk

Sun 2 July: Meon Riding Club Hunter Trial, Combined Training, and One Day Event to be held at Fair Oak Estate, Rogate. Qualifier for the BHS XC Championships. S.A.Es to Mr R King, Wheelers Farm, Froxfield, Petersfield, Hants, GU32 1DR.

Denmead Shows:

Sun 16 July: Little Show

Sun 3 Sept: Horse Show

Sun 17 Sept: Fun Event & Show

SAE to Event Secretary, Seymour Cottage, Forest Road, Denmead PO7 6UA. Tel 023 9226 1977

Sun 16 July: Botley Horse Show, Hampshire Show Ground, Botley. SAE to Events Secretary, 12 Girton Close, Titchfield Common, Fareham PO14 4QZ. Tel 07921 818056.

Sun 23 July: Charity Horse Show, Hunters Race, Lavant, nr. Chichester. SAE to Events Secretary, 71 Wraysbury Park Drive, Emsworth PO10 7UU, tel 01243 431249

Sun 30 July: Hampshire Rural Riding Club Summer Show, Herriard Park, Basingstoke. SAE to Events Secretary, Paddock Lodge, Dummer, Basingstoke, tel 07887 747731

Sun 30 July, 20 Aug & 17 Sept: Oldwick Dressage, £10/class, Rosettes to 8th place (subject to entries). Entries to Show Secretary, Oldwick Farm, West Stoke Road, Lavant, Chichester, West Sussex PO18 9AA.

Mon 31 July – Fri 4 August and Mon 14 – Fri 18 August: Summer Pony Camps, The Dutch Stables, Headbourne Worthy, Winchester. www.thedutchstables.co.uk. Tel 01962 880550 / 07761 208876

Sun 13 August: Cadnam Show Society Summer Driving Show, Terry's Lawn, Petlake Farm, Ringwood Road, Bartley, Southampton. Tel 023 8077 6854, email hazellong@yahoo.co.uk

Sun 24 Sept: Wey Valley Riding Club One Day Event, Tweseldown. SAE to Events Secretary, Rosemary Cottage, Churt Road, Headley GU35 8SS. Tel 01428 722814.

Sun 3 September: Charity Ride supported by Hampshire HorseWatch, Farleigh Wallop, nr Basingstoke. For further details please see www.nfed.co.uk/horsewatch or contact equine@hampshire.pnn.police.uk

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POLICING SOUTHALL HORSE MARKET – PC Sara Allmey

I would like to reiterate how important it is to have photographs of your equines, (if possible summer and winter ones without tack or rider on). I police Southall Horse market and regularly have enquiries about stolen horses/ponies and also those that have gone missing whilst on loan. Although I do possess a scanner for reading micro chips and I always check with Farmkey those that come in freeze marked regardless of any allegations, it is very difficult when someone tries to claim a missing animal is theirs without photos or identification. Also for me to try and trace a missing horse it is virtually impossible by description alone unless they have any unusual distinguishing marks or scars. If anyone does want me to have photos of their missing horses please send them to me with full contact details: PC 690XB ALLMEY, Southall Police Station, Ealing Borough, 67-69 Uxbridge Road, Ealing, W5 5SJ. Sara Allmey *Advice from Hampshire HorseWatch*

EQUESTRIAN ACCESS Everyone's help is needed (update):

The April 2006 issue of Hampshire Horse included details of attempts to improve equestrian access and suggested all horse riders write to Jim Knight MP. However, following the recent local elections and the re-organisation of the Cabinet Office, Barry Gardiner MP has taken over the role of Minister for the Horse. Therefore if you have managed to put together a letter, it now needs to be sent to Barry Gardiner MP, House of Commons, Westminster, LONDON SW1A 0AA, and a copy to your local MP. Alternatively you can send it by email to gardinerb@parliament.uk

Ragwort – It's that time of year again!!

Defra produce several leaflets on the control of dangerous weeds, including Ragwort. These can be found at :

www.defra.gov.uk/enviro/weedsact/default.htm or write to: DEFRA Publications, ADMAIL 6000, London SW1A 2XX and ask for leaflets PB7190 "The Weeds Act 1959," and PB4192 "Identification of Injurious Weeds".

NOTE: GLOVES should always be worn when handling Ragwort, to avoid absorption of poison through the skin.

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Peter Cox Photography

Are you organising an event in 2006? We still have one or two dates available in July and September. Please call for details of available dates.

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Equi safety Draw: Congratulations to the lucky winners who each received an item of high visibility safety wear for themselves or their horse: Nicky (Denmead), Pat (Wickham), Tracy (Gosport), Gaynor (Horndean), Caroline (Southsea) and Jane (Bordon).

A big thank you to Equisafety for donating the prizes. To see their full range of high visibility fluorescent wear, please visit www.equisafety.com

Little Leigh Equestrian Centre

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We are proud to own a happy, friendly and safe livery yard at Little Leigh, and home over 40 happy horses and ponies. We offer DIY livery as well as support when needed and part livery services for customers with little time. Dressage Clinics, lessons, club activities and shows are held here at Little Leigh. Holidays are available for you and your horse, you are invited to stay with us for B&B in our 300 year old cottage, and stabling and grazing is provided for your equine friend.

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An Evening in the company of Mary King Hosted by FeedThyme

FeedThyme, the animal feed and pet supplies shop in Froxfield is organising an equestrian evening on Thursday, July 6th at Froxfield Village Hall. Jo Martin, the owner of FeedThyme said "we are delighted that Mary King has agreed to join us for the evening and share her lifetime of Eventing experiences. Mary is a very entertaining speaker and together with video footage of her 'thrills and spills' it promises to be a really enjoyable evening.

In a career spanning almost 20 years Mary King has become one of British Eventing's icons and a regular member of the British team. The risks of riding were brought home to her in 2001 when she broke her neck in a fall, from which she fortunately fully recovered. For many young mothers that would have been a signal to hang up their boots but Mary fought her way back to fitness and back into the British squad for the World Championships in 2002. Her glittering career has brought four team gold medals at World and European Championships and the title of British Champion a record four times. She has also represented Britain at the last four Olympic Games winning a team silver at Athens in 2004.

The event will be supported by Allen & Page, Dengie, Dunlop, Falcon Equine Feeds and Verm-X. Each company will have their latest products on display with trial samples of feed and special offers. If you would like to join us for the evening tickets are £15 each and are exclusively available from FeedThyme. Tickets will only be available in advance by telephone or from the shop prior to the event. Directions to shop available on web-site.

To book your tickets or for more information call 01730 827151 or visit www.feedthyme.co.uk

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