

# ABINGER FOREST RIDING CLUB NEWSLETTER

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*We hope you and your horses had a good Christmas and wish you a very Happy 2018!!*

### Annual Subscriptions

The Riding Club membership subs should have been paid by November 1st 2017 to be included on 2018 list and to receive this January newsletter. Please remind any members if they have not received this newsletter, to contact Membership Secretary Lianne Tadd - details above.

**New Year Pub Lunch** for members at Scarlett Arms, Walliswood on Thursday 18th January 1pm.  
See you there.....

**Also Spring Pub Lunches** details as above on Tuesday 20th February, Wednesday 14th March and Thursday 26th April

**AFRC TEAMS** - If you would like to compete in RC teams, please contact:-

- Sally Scrase - Dressage, Riding Test or Dressage to Music
- Amy Barton - Show Jumping/Horse Trials

### TEAM RESULTS Autumn 2017

**National Novice Winter Dressage Qualifier** at Sands Farm. Three teams competed - Blue Team Gail Stephens (1st), Gail Brownrigg, Nikki Selby and Linda Deslandes. Green Team Gail Stephens, Sally Allison, Stephanie Trafford and Sarah Lane (3rd). Yellow Team was made up of Rosie Milne, Sue Walker and Sarah Lane (4th). Our Green Team came 2nd.

### Blenheim RC Eventers Challenge

8th Sept. Our team of Catherine Heilbron, Naomi Kitchener, Emma Godwin and Amy Barton competed in the 90cm section again this year and had a fabulous fun day and managed to finish a whole 10 places better than last year in 16th out of a very competitive 45 teams!

### London & South East

**Championships** at Munstead 24th Sept. The horse trials team of Rosie Andrews, Gail Stephens, Camilla Marshall (4th) and Sue Walker didn't have a great day apart for Camilla who came 4th in her arena.

The Show Jumping team of Rosie Andrews, Sally Allison, Sam Smith and Amy Barton (1st) managed to win the championships out of 16 teams competing. Well done to Sam who plucked up the courage to jump her new mare really well, and to Amy and Solo who showed the crowd how to jump a jump off winning individually as well!

**FOH Qualifiers - Combined Training & Challenge** at Heath Farm 16th Oct where 3 teams competed. The Combined Training team of Becca Harvie (2nd), Sam Smith (5th), Sam Harvey and Sally Allison (5th) did well to come 2nd. The Challenge 80cm team of Sam Smith, Sue Walker, Camilla Marshall and Amy Barton

(3rd) came 4th. The Challenge 90cm team of Becca Harvie (7th), Jazz Whitby (8th), Emma Godwin (9th) and Sue Jefferies (HC) also came 2nd but sadly neither 2nd place teams qualify directly, unless the first team cannot go, but Congratulations to Becca who qualifies individually in the CT as highest placed not in the winning team.

**SJ Teams of 3 friendly at Elstead** on 10th Nov. Team of Zoe Horton (3rd), Ashleigh Hyde and new member Sebastian Smith (8th) came 5th as a team and had an enjoyable day.

**Area 11 RC Quiz** on 11th Nov. Team of Susanna O'Reilly Hyland, Brenda Carlisle and Zoe Harding had a fun evening competing in the annual quiz at the Watermill, Dorking and managed a very respectable 5th this year!

**FOTH Combined Competition Qualifier** @ Highbrook Farm, Liss on 2nd Dec. Rosie Andrews (4th) and Amy Barton (3rd) in the 90Q with 75cm jumping and Sally Allison (2nd) and Sue Walker in the 100Q with 85cm jumping combined as a team of 4 to Win the Area 11 qualifier and will be heading to the Festival of the Horse Championships in May.

*Thank you and well done to all our above team competitors.*

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Please do let us know if you want to be included for club competitions, everyone is welcome, seniors/juniors, first time/100th time competing, young horses and the more experienced! We will endeavour to make space for everyone who wishes to be part of the AFRC teams. Special thanks also goes to the club members who have helped at events over the year. We couldn't do it without you! Further news always available on the Area 11 Website: <http://www.brcarea11.org.uk>.

### **FUTURE RC TEAM**

#### **COMPETITION DATES 2018**

- 6th Jan **Dressage Team Friendly** @ Priory EC (run by Elstead)
- 3rd Feb **Intermediate Winter Dressage Qualifiers** @ Priory EC, Frensham (organiser Elstead RC)
- **National RC Indoor Novice SJ Qualifier** Sunday 11th Feb, Sands Farm, Warnham (run by AFRC). Becca Harvie organising it so please contact either Becca or Amy Barton if interested in being in SJ team. Helpers needed.
- 3rd March **Intermediate Winter SJ Qualifiers** (90cm, 100cm, 110cm) @ Berkshire Coll. of Agriculture (Area 6)
- **AFRC COMBINED TRAINING Sunday 4th March at Munstead.** **ALL members must be available to help at this event, PLEASE fill out the form at bottom of rally bookings or volunteer direct to Lianne Tadd for your slot. It is the only event we run as a Riding Club to fund raise so it is vital that EVERYONE helps. We are happy for you to compete and help - Becca is offering stables to horses of any competing helpers!**

- 30th March **Team Dressage** friendly @ Merrist Wood (run by West Surrey)
- 14th-15th April **Novice Winter Championships** @ Arena UK, Lincolnshire
- April TBC either 1st or 3rd weekend **FOTH Challenge Qualifiers** @ Maidstone (Area 10 and 13)
- 27th-28th April **Intermediate Winter Championships** @ Bury Farm
- 19-20th May **FOTH Championships** @ Aston Le Walls
- TBC May/June **National SJ and Style jumping Qualifiers** @ Elstead (run by Elstead)
- TBC May/June **National & L&SE Horse Trials** 80, 90, 100, 100+
- TBC 16th June **L&SE SJ Qualifier** @ Bookham RC Field
- TBC 21st July **National & L&SE Dressage and Riding Test Qualifiers** @ Pachesham EC (run by Chipstead)
- 29th July **Hickstead Teams of 3 SJ Competition**
- 3rd-5th Aug **National Horse Trials Championship** @ Swalcliffe Park Equestrian, Banbury, Oxon
- 1st-2nd Sept **National Championships** @ Lincoln SG
- 13th Sept **Blenheim RC Eventers Challenge** (90cm OR 100cm)
- TBC Sept **London & South East Championships**
- TBC **NEW Arena Eventing Qualifiers** after Oct 2018 for Championships in Spring 2019! Watch this space!

For further information visit BRC website: <http://www.bhs.org.uk/enjoy-riding/british-riding-clubs/brc-championships/other-brc-competitions> and let us know if you are interested in competing.

**HUNTING** - Riding Club vouchers for Surrey Union reduced cap of £60 will be available again from Ann Metson. Tel: 01306 731101.

### **The Heath Farm/Munstead Dates 2018:**

Full details [www.munsteadhorsetrials.co.uk](http://www.munsteadhorsetrials.co.uk)  
27th January BE Training Day  
10th February Janine Lamy Training Day  
11th February Sam Jennings/Wobbleberry training day  
17th February BE Training Day  
18th February Francis Whittington Training Day  
25th February Sam Champney Warrener Training Day  
**4th March – AFRC Munstead Dressage and Combined Training Comp**  
24th & 25th March – Munstead BE 1  
31st March – Surrey Union Hunter Trials – to include new 60cm course  
21st & 22nd April – Munstead Unaffiliated Horse Trials – to include new 60cm class  
15th & 16th September – Munstead BE2  
23rd Sept – HRRC Unaffiliated Horse Trials  
30th Sept – HH Hunter Trials

## WINTER/SPRING PROGRAMME 2018

Print and keep this page as your record. Either enter online, email or fill out and send in the Booking Form with the correct payment to - Brenda Carlisle, Upfolds House, Holmbury St. Mary, Dorking, Surrey RH5 6ND.  
Tel: 01306 621209 E-mail [brenda.carlisle@btinternet.com](mailto:brenda.carlisle@btinternet.com)

We hope you enjoy these rallies, **don't forget in bad weather check to see if rally has to be postponed/cancelled.**  
Please send booking form and payment in advance (post dated cheques are no problem). If you are unable to attend please find a replacement or phone Brenda as there is sometimes a waiting list - your replacement will pay you direct. If you can't attend and no replacement is available you must pay for your space as the Club still has to pay the instructor!!

**TIMES WILL BE SENT OUT BY E-MAIL A FEW DAYS BEFORE EACH SET OF RALLIES START  
BUT MEMBERS MUST PHONE FOR THEIR TIME BEFORE IF THEY HAVE NOT RECEIVED THE E-MAIL.**

We cannot always give you the time you ask for and emails do not arrive sometimes!!  
PLEASE BE PUNCTUAL AND DO NOT TAKE DOGS TO RALLIES (unless they are left in your car)

**New Year RC Lunch at Scarlett Arms**, Walliswood, RH5 5RD, on Thursday 18th Jan. 1pm.

**Spring Pub Lunches** for members at **Scarlett Arms**, Walliswood, 1pm  
Tuesday 20th February   
Wednesday 14th March   
Thursday 26th April

**Sally Thurloway - Show Jumping Courses** - at Sands Farm, Mondays 15th, 22nd and 29th January, 10am and 11am. **£54 the course**

**Gary Hoult - Flatwork** at Kingsfield, Sheepphouse Lane, Abinger Common RH5 6JS on Thursdays Jan. to April half hour lessons. Book dates required and pay on day. **£25 each**

**Sally Andrews - Flatwork Clinic** at Bridgham Farm, Forest Green on **WEDNESDAYS** 24th January, 7th, and 21st February half hour lessons **£81 the course**

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**Sally Andrews - Flatwork Clinic** at Bridgham Farm, Forest Green on **Wednesdays** 2nd and 9th May **£54 the course**

**Sally Andrews - Flatwork Clinic** at Bridgham Farm, Forest Green on **SATURDAYS** 27th January, 17th February, 31st March, 14th April **£27 each**

**Ken Spencer - Show Jumping Grids and SJ Courses** at Saucelands, Saucelands Lane, Coolham RH13 8QG. NOTE: UNABLE TO BOOK DATES HOPEFULLY SOME WILL FOLLOW **£15 each horse - Pay on the day**

**Cross Country at Heath Farm**, Godalming (Munstead) GU7 1UN - with Rebecca Harvie on Friday 2nd March 10.30am **£25 per horse**

**Sophie Spear - Flatwork schooling** with poles at Cranleigh School on Tuesdays 27th February, 6th March 10am / 11am **£32 for course**

**Sally Thurloway - SJ** at Stubbetts Corner, Ockley Road, Forest Green on Tuesdays 13th, 20th and 27th March 10am / 11am **£45 for course**

**Sally Thurloway - SJ courses** at Heath Farm, Godalming on Tuesdays 10th, 17th April 10.30 / 11.30am **£32 for course**

**Equipilates ridden lesson with Lisa Hales** - at Bridgham Farm, Forest Green  
How to move with your horse focusing on improving balance, symmetry and posture in the saddle. Mondays 12th and 26th March 9th and 23rd April **£16 per half hour session**

Contact Brenda Carlisle for your rally times and bookings. Tel: 01306 621209 Email: [brenda.carlisle@btinternet.com](mailto:brenda.carlisle@btinternet.com) Upfolds House, Holmbury St. Mary, Dorking, Surrey RH5 6ND.

## BOOKING FORM - Winter/Spring 2018

NAME..... PHONE.....

MOBILE..... EMAIL.....

	<u>Amount £</u>		<u>Amount £</u>		<u>Amount £</u>
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				23rd April .....	
				<b>£16 per half hour session</b>	
				<b>TOTAL</b> £ .....	

### HELP for AFRC Combined Training at Heath Farm, Sunday 4th March 2018

Name..... I can help  ALL DAY  MORNING  AFTERNOON

Tel no..... AND/OR SET UP FRIDAY 2nd March Please mark which you can do

#### PLEASE book your rallies well in advance -

Approx. Jumping height required - under 2ft (60cm)  2ft 6in (75cm)  3ft (90cm)

Send this form and cheque(s), made payable to ABINGER FOREST RIDING CLUB, to Brenda Carlisle, Upfolds House, Holmbury St. Mary, Dorking, Surrey RH5 6ND. Tel: 01306 621209 Email: [brenda.carlisle@btinternet.com](mailto:brenda.carlisle@btinternet.com)

