FFRC's Newsletter

Monthly newsletter jam packed with fun facts, games, information and news!



Welcome back to the newsletter.

By Acacia Ross

Welcome back to the Monthly FFRC Newsletter. I hope you all enjoyed the game, facts and most important of all the news!

Congratulations to our winner Rach for winning the £5 gift voucher

I really hope you all enjoy reading. If you have any ideas on what you want to read in the newsletter, please email at rossacacia2@gmail.com. Without further ado let's get on with the news!

> Now that Badminton is over and done with for another year and members took advantage of the heavily discounted ticket prices we had on offer, we want to hear from you about what else you would like to see from the club as members? Are there any clinic ideas you would like to see? Future events? Anything... We want to hear from YOU our members.

Please send any ideas to Suki Ross at suki.emery04@gmail.com

BRC Equilibrium IntermediateWinter Championships.

Congratulations to everybody who competed, you should all be very proud of your achievements.

In the 100 SJ - Our Area 9 team took 10th place - FFRC Kayleigh Scrivens riding Rioja, Abbey Read on Billy McIlroy, FFRC Kelly Clack and Agherlow Gold and FFRC Sheenagh Bragg with Star of Freedom. Now that's an achievement, well done ladies.

Senior 90 class - Ellie Batten with King Kashu, Kelly Clack and Agherlow Gold, Kayleigh Scrivens and Rioja, and Sheenagh Bragg riding Cor La Mischa placed 10^{th.} Fabulous stuff.

The lovely Sarah Love Jones with Ace faced the stiff competition of the Senior Prelim as an Individual and should be pleased with her effort. We know we are!

In the Senior Novice Dressage, Francesca Pearce with Waunoris Oliver Twist stepped it up a notch and gained a fab 8th place.

Carol Soormally with Faside Furst Revolution came an amazing 6th place in the Senior Elementary. Huge congratulations Carol.



Congratulations to the FFRC Senior Novice Dressage team who competed at the BRC Winter Championships at Arena UK on the 6th of April,

The team came 20th with Nicola Doubtfire individual 22nd, Susie Drake individual 18th, Rebecca Northover individual 27th, and last but not least Francesca Pearce who was individual 4th. Well done to our dressage divas!

Francesca also had her other horse in the Intro as a individual coming a individual 2nd and Rebecca also rode in the Prelim 12 as an individual coming 8^{th..} Well done ladies.

Overall, the FFRC dressage diva's and jumping stars did us incredibly proud. Please join me in a huge congratulations to them all! You really are all fab and we hope to continue our success throughout the year.

Future dates for your diary!

17th – 19th May – FFRC Camp at Rectory Farm Arena

Sunday 14th July – FFRC Open Showing and Dressage Incorp Mercian Team

31st May – 2nd June – BRC Top Spec Arena Eventing Championships at Aston le Wall

Saturday 15th June – BRC Area 9 Dressage & Riding Test Qualifers at Rectory Farm

29th & 30th June (TBC) BRC Area 9 Horse Trials Qualifiers at Howick

Saturday 6th July (TBC) BRC Area 9 Showjumping & Style Jumping Qualifiers at Recotry Farm

2nd – 4th August – BRC NAF Five Star Championships at Swalcliffe Park

31st Aug – 1st Sept - BRC NAF Five Star National Championships at Lincolnshire Showground

5th & 6th Oct– BRC NAF Five Star Combined Training Championships at Aston le Walls

More information on all the above events can be found on our website www.ffrc.co.uk

SPOT THE DIFFRENCE

There are five differences, can you spot them? Send your entries in to win £5 off any of our FFRC run shows.





Fun Facts!

- 1. There are fewer bones in a horse than a human, its only one bone less, but in total there are 205 bones in the skeleton of a horse.
- 2. The oldest horse lived over twice as long as he was supposed to. Horses that have been tamed typically live to be around 25, however the oldest domestic horse recorded was Old Billy who lived to the age of 62.
 - 3. Horses drink a minimum of 25 gallons every single day, in warmer countries the amount is even higher.
- 4. Horse hooves are made from the same protein as humans hair and nails.
- 5. Horses have very muscly ears, they have 10 muscles in they're ears while humans only have 3. This allows them to swivel they're ears round almost 180 degrees.

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