

Horsham & District Riding Club Report

Area 13 Outdoor Showjumping Qualifier

LOCATION:	Goring, West Sussex	DATE:	12 th June 2011																								
<p>We arrived in the pouring rain, jumped in the pouring rain and went home in the pouring rain!</p> <p>There were 2 teams for the L&SE. The Horsham Highlights, with Karen Maurice on Queens Council, Ann Black on Sporting Billy and Jenny Elgey on Oscar. This was the first time in team qualifiers for some and they did very well, sadly just missing out on placings. Watch this space though as I know there is some serious training planned. The second team, the Horsham Honky Tonks came 1st with Jenni York on Blaze, Kellie Hounslow on Gipse, Denise Pembrey and myself on Oli.</p> <p>Our Style Team, The Horsham Hoytie Toyties, with Isobel Lee on Flynn, A.J. Harwood-Stamper on Lucifers Star, Tiffany Tasney on Oliver and Ruth Burgess on Bollo, qualified for Lincoln and AJ came 1st individually. The Style Jumping is judged on presentation, a canter left and right, the approach, the jump and landing, how you ride your lines and plan your turns. The course includes a narrow fence and a "dog leg", particularly dodgy when so wet!</p> <p>We had 2 teams entered in the Novice National qualifier:</p> <p><u>The Horsham Hippies</u></p> <table><tr><td>Kellie Hounslow on Gipse</td><td>Ind 1st</td><td>Team 1st and qualify for Lincoln!</td></tr><tr><td>Mandy Hammond on Ned Kellie</td><td>Ind 4th</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>Jennie York on Blaze</td><td></td><td></td></tr><tr><td>Denise Pembrey on Smurf</td><td>Ind 3rd</td><td></td></tr></table> <p><u>The Horsham Hankie Pankies</u></p> <table><tr><td>Tiff Tasney on Oliver</td><td>Ind 5th</td><td>Team 2nd</td></tr><tr><td>Isobel lee on Flynn</td><td>Ind 2nd</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>Ruth Burgess on Bollo</td><td></td><td></td></tr><tr><td>Pami Nixon on Oli</td><td></td><td></td></tr></table> <p>Our Intermediate Team, The Horsham Hooligans, also qualified for Lincoln and won the South Coast Championships! They were AJ Harwood-Stamper on Louie, Claire Hamshaw on Marshalls Law, Sonia Marfleet on Bilwood Tom Putt and Sam gates on Footman Franke.</p> <p>Finally the Open Team, The Horsham Highhopes, with Jane Silcock on Temple Oracle, Sam Gates on Trojans Tern, Penny Tanebourne on Meikle Lucky Lady and Rachel Morley on Back in Action. By the time they went the rain was so heavy they could hardly see the fences! We asked if they could only jump one round to save the horses but Goring were adamant about jumping two, lest we should encounter similar conditions at the Championships! Jeepers, I hope not!</p> <p>Well done to everyone, it was a big ask on such a horrid day, but well worth it!</p> <p>Pami Nixon Chef d'Equipe</p>				Kellie Hounslow on Gipse	Ind 1 st	Team 1 st and qualify for Lincoln!	Mandy Hammond on Ned Kellie	Ind 4 th		Jennie York on Blaze			Denise Pembrey on Smurf	Ind 3 rd		Tiff Tasney on Oliver	Ind 5 th	Team 2 nd	Isobel lee on Flynn	Ind 2 nd		Ruth Burgess on Bollo			Pami Nixon on Oli		
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