

B.S.P.S. Area 4B Ltd.



NEWSLETTER 5/09

DIARY DATES.

A.G.M. - 30th October 2009 at The Dovecote, Swinderby.

Points Party: Saturday 21st November 2009 at The Abbey Lodge.

Winter Show 21st March at Laughton Manor.

JUNIOR SHOW:

It was a very wet day but all those who attended enjoyed themselves. Many thanks to the course builder Fiona Johnson and all the wonderful stewards for their cheerfulness on what was a very miserable day!

POINTS CARDS:

Please send your cards in by 14th October at the latest to me Sue Williams, The Elms, Rowston, Lincoln LN4 3LU. If you are eligible for other awards please fill in the enclosed form and return it to me at the same time. Next years Points Rules are enclosed; they can also be downloaded from the web - site. *After much discussion at the recent Committee meeting it was decided to revert to our old points system for 2009-2010.*

SUMMER CHAMPIONSHIPS SHOW:

I hope you all enjoyed yourselves, any feed back that I can give to the office will be gratefully received. Let me have results to put on the web-site.

POINTS PARTY:

Details will be sent out nearer the time. Once again there will be a tombola, this year run by Lynne Rocks and her family. Please bring along prizes for this to the A.G.M. It is very difficult to number up prizes on the

night, so sending in the gifts beforehand is much appreciated.

A.G.M. NOMINATIONS:

Please find enclosed details with regard to Director and Committee elections. If anyone wishes to stand for the Committee please send in your nomination to Julia Woodland, 6, St. Andrew's Close, Clifton Campville, Tamworth, Staffs B79 0BB.

We meet on average five times a year and need new blood with new ideas for the Area.

A.G.M:

This year's A.G.M. will be held on 30th October at The Dovecote (on the A46 between Lincoln and Newark) by kind invitation of Jo Towle. *At the new roundabout turn right for Swinderby, then turn immediately right into Halfway House Lane. The Dovecote is 50 yards on your left.* Children are welcome to attend. Food will be available, please come in time to order it before the meeting.

TRAINING DAYS:

If anyone is interested in W.H.P. or Flat training please contact me with ideas of who you would like to do this training. The training is likely to take place next February prior to the start of the Summer season.

WINTER SHOW:

This will take place on 21st March 2010 at Laughton Manor with a similar format to this year's show.

HERITAGE YOUNG JUDGES

COMPETITION:

This will take place at the Heritage Championships, if anyone is interested please contact me on 01526 320080.

You will need to have a good understanding of breed types, conformation and way of going.

BURSARIES:

Once again there are two bursaries on offer. The Junior bursary is open to all 4B members 11 years and under and the Senior one for those 12 years and over. Please write in your own words about you and your pony and your hopes for the future within the equine world. You may illustrate your piece, as presentation will be taken into account. The entries will be judged by someone not associated with the Area. Your entries should be received by me, Sue Williams, no later than 30th October 2009. Good luck!

POINTS PARTY CUPS:

These should be returned to Kate Pitcher at the A.G.M. or by 6th November at the latest. Please make sure that they have been cleaned!

THANK YOU:

I would like to say a big thank you to all those who have helped at the shows this year. Your help is much appreciated.