

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



## NEWSLETTER 4/08

### DIARY DATES.

14<sup>th</sup> November - A.G.M. at The Abbey Lodge.

22<sup>nd</sup> November - Points Party at The Abbey Lodge.

8<sup>th</sup> March 2009 - Winter Novice Show, Laughton Manor.

### A.G.M.

The A.G.M. will be held at the Abbey Lodge, Kirkstead near Woodhall Spa on 14<sup>th</sup> November at 8p.m. As usual we will get the room free if people have a meal afterwards. Come along in time to pre-order your food. This is a good opportunity for you to find out about the work your Committee is doing and to catch up with friends. Children are welcome.

### POINTS SHOWS

Please read the enclosed information, because the points system has been *changed* for the 2008 - 2009 season. Points cards can be obtained by sending an S.A.E. to Sue Williams.

### BURSARY

There will be two bursaries available this year. The categories are 11 & under and 12 & over. Any Junior member may enter. Please send the entries to Sue Williams by 30<sup>th</sup> October 2008. The entry should tell us about you, your pony and your equestrian hopes for the future and why you feel that you would benefit from the bursary. The entry should be presented neatly and can be illustrated.

### SHOWS

Please try to support area and local shows. The Committee is trying to get shows to affiliate to the B.S.P.S. but in turn we must support the shows or they won't put the classes on again.

### TRAINING

Despite the cost we have put on plenty of training sessions this year. Very few have taken advantage of the opportunities to have lessons with top producers so where do we go next?

### SUMMER CHAMPIONSHIPS

We had some wonderful results, which we have put on the web-site. But I would particularly like to congratulate the Dressage teams (1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>) and Lucy Glover who was Champion Best Rider. For a very small Area we do so well.

### POINTS PARTY

You will be sent details of this separately but do keep the date free. We have booked the same Disco as last year.



### SPONSORSHIP

We are trying to get our sponsorship a little earlier this year so that schedules carry appropriate acknowledgements. Please contact Helen Parkes (01673 838848) if you know of anyone who she could approach for class, ring or schedule sponsorship. I know that the economy has taken a down turn but we can only run our shows if we have sponsors, so get your thinking caps on.

### WEB-SITE

The site designer is very keen to keep upgrading the web-site. He would like you to send a photograph of child and jockey via the link to put in the gallery. He will then be able to add results to the picture as you send them in. Don't be shy make the 4B web-site the BEST by contacting him now!  
If you have any ideas for things you would like including please let us know through the links.

### AREA CALENDAR.

We would like to produce an Area calendar in time to sell at the A.G.M. If you have a picture of your child and pony you would like included please e-mail it to [paul-rocks-uk@supanet.com](mailto:paul-rocks-uk@supanet.com) as soon as possible. It doesn't have to be in showing mode. If we get more than twelve pictures we can always use more than one to a page. Please help make this venture a success.

### POINTS CARDS.

Please send your completed points cards to me by 15<sup>th</sup> October so that they can be collated and rosettes ordered. If you only have a few points it doesn't matter everyone gets a place and a rosette.

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