



FLINT AND DENBIGH HUNT BRANCH OF THE PONY CLUB



FIXTURE LIST January 2008

NOTICES:

Mounted Games: Eleri Jones and Sophie Toogood will be sent to Team Trials.

Hat Rule: Jockey skull cap with no fixed peak MUST be worn for cross country riding over fences 80cm high and above.

Website adverts. If you have placed an advert on the website could you please inform Barry when it is sold so that it can be removed from the site.

Race Card Sellers: Wanted for Point to Point 13th April. Names to Bethan please.

Retired: Nicky Ray has stepped down from the Mini Camp committee. Nicky has been involved with mini camp for many years and we would all like to say a big THANK YOU to her for all her time and hard work over the past years.

Sits.Vac. Wende Arundale is stepping down as minute's secretary and fixture list editor. These jobs require time 3 to 4 times a year, mainly typing and emailing out to the committee. Anyone who would like a back stage job then this is the one for you either minutes or fixture list or both. Contact the DC. *(Wende happy to hold your hand until you get the hang of it.)*

Email adverts. . Anyone NOT wishing to receive email adverts for 'ponies for sale' please let Iona know so that she can remove you from her mailing list:

garethion@hotmail.com

Fluorescent clothing. These high viz garments are part of The Riding and Road Safety Test and should be worn whenever out on the roads. This time of the year especially riders are extra difficult to see with dull days and twilight evenings. For you own and your pony's safety please wear it and follow the R & R Safety rules.

Rallies. Remember that whichever district you are in that you can also attend any other rally in any other Flint and Denbigh District just contact the relevant District Secretary and they will be pleased to help and give you directions to unfamiliar venues.

Membership Subs. Anyone not having paid their subs in full before 30 Jan 2008 will be deemed a new member and be subject to a £1 joining fee and any rallies you have attended will **not** be counted towards your '4' for eligibility for Area Competitions and PC Camp – you have been warned!

Telephone calls: PLEASE do not ring your District Secretary's or event organisers/trainers after 9pm in the evening. They are all volunteers with lives outside PC and they also need their beauty sleep!

MUSICAL RIDE: We need a large flat field for practice during the summer months. Do you know one? Contact Meg

CLASSIFIEDS:

Branch Sweat Shirts etc. Available from Iona Pierce she also sells World Beater equestrian products 01824 790327.

Second Hand Tack, Horse wear & equestrian clothing bought and sold. Many saddles now in stock 14" to

18 ½" Part Exchange welcome on all items other than saddles. Wendy Rees Tel. 01745 582990 St Asaph

Rug Repairs and Washing. Contact Dawn Wright on 07795161974 or 01745 582473. Tyn Y Ffordd Bach, Cefn, St. Asaph, (opposite Wendy Rees' house)

Ford Cargo 813, C Reg. Stalled for 4 (4th stall used as loo and tack storage) Horse area with rubber matting, telescopic partitions, hydraulic ramp, outside lockers. Sleeps 4, full cooker & hob, fridge, water pump, CD player, re-upholstered in 2005, good range of cupboards & bags of room. A good sound lorry, owned by us for 5 yrs. It has always taken us where we want to go and back! Reconditioned engine fitted in 2005, sold with 6mths tax and 12mths test. Regularly serviced. £5,750 ono contact Tracey 01745 860370 or 07909 883171

F'n'D Young Hunt Supporters. Clothing, shirts, etc with F'nD YHS logo on. All sizes and many colours contact Lorna Rees for catalogue and details 077954 22802

Small Field Maintenance: Do you need help with keeping your fields in trim. Ewan Mitchell has his own equipment for topping, strimming, hedge cutting, rolling, weed management, mowing, turning and fencing. Please contact Ewan to discuss your requirements. 01824 780230 or jeanette@gwerydlakes.co.uk

PONIES FOR SALE:

Bouncer. 6yr bay gelding 14.2 cob type, Nebo bloodlines, sensible and well schooled, all round PC type £2,000 tel. 01352 780210

Black Flame. 3ys black Sec. A gelding. Lovely character, well handed bitted and saddled, lovely Childs pony £800 tel. 01352 780210

Beatrice. 14yr grey mare 14hh all round safe PC pony, bombproof hack, snaffle mouth, worked in riding school. Suit novice or more experienced rider £1,600 with good tack tel. 01352 780210

High Flyer. 17.2hh dark bay, 14 yr ID cross. Gentle giant, novice or experienced ride, schools well and hacks out tel. 01352 780210

Alfie. Companion pony, 13.2hh 12yr old gelding. Non ridden due to injury, very sweet nature. Free to good home. tel. 01352 780210

15.3hh 5yo TB Mare. Loves jumping, lovely nature and easy to do £3,000 inc. rugs etc. Contact Debbie Miller or Jo 07817 229341

Welsh section B Gelding– liver Chestnut – 13HH. 19 Years young – low mileage! Lives in or out. Safe all rounder – good on roads & out hunting – done all PC activities inc. camp. No vices - good to catch, shoe, box & clip. Loves jumping – esp. XC – won at Plas-yn-Cwm this year & will go clear at 3ft. He has been on both Senior & Junior mounted games teams recently. Sad sale as jockey is moving up. Good home needed for this super little guy. Ring 01824 790500

"Mr Tiddles" superstar pony, 32 inches mini Shetland, great little character, done all pc rallies, pc mini camp, local shows, this pony has given my daughter tons of fun but is very sadly outgrown and i would love him to give another family the pleasure he has given us, he is 14 years old lives in or out (but he likes his stable) he has had laminitis so needs an experienced home to monitor this, i cant fault him in any way, he has been in my kitchen a few times and lets my daughter pick his feet out and generally pull him around!! 5 star home wanted for him as this is a heartbreaking sale. £500 tel Beth 07881850622

DATE	ORGANISER	DETAILS
Spring	Triathlon Branch	Feb. 10 th - York Mar 9 th & 30 th Mold May 4 th (Tetrathlon one day) Northop. Shooting practice – please book Swimming on Tuesdays 6.40pm at Ruthin. Contact Meg for all of the above
Spring	Musical Ride Branch	Practices: Friday 7pm, Sunday 6pm Alternate weeks to begin with. Contact Meg.
Spring	Mounted Games	Practices: Ystrad Farm. 1pm on Sundays. Contact Gwil
Spring	Area 5	Winter League SJ dates: 20 th Jan Chesh. Hunt North, Alsager 17 th Feb F & D and Waeny-Llyn , Northop 23 rd Feb Ches Hunt S and Crewe. Southview
JANUARY TBA	Llysfaen	Beginners Show Jumping – any age. We are aiming to run a series of show jumping rallies for members who are learning to jump or who need extra confidence. They will be open to all ages. Please note that this is for true beginners so we ask you not to put your name down if you have competed in Winter League SJ etc. Dates and venues to be arranged when we have names. Debbie Hughes 01492 680214
23 Jan	Branch	Rally at Celyn. 6.30 – 8.30pm. No lead rein. Complete booking form.
Jan 22 Feb 5 & 19 Mar 4 & 18 April 1	Show Jumping	Senior Show Jumping Training. Celyn. 6.30 – 9.30 alternate Tuesdays. With Ian Olding. £10 per session, max. 6 riders per session. Priority to Winter League competition participants. Riders need to be competent over jumps of 2ft9in. Send chq. Made out to Flint and Denbigh Hunt Pony Club with dates you require to Chris Leahy see contact sheet.
Jan 24 Feb 7 & 21 Mar 6	Branch	Junior Show Jumping training. Fferm. 6pm. Members must be jumping course of at least 2ft 3in. 1 hr session at £5 per session. Send chq. Made out to Flint and Denbigh Hunt Pony Club with dates you require to Chris Leahy see contact sheet. No chq no date!
26 Jan	Llandog	Working Rally. Gweryd Lakes. Llanarmon. Names to Iona asap
27 Jan	Cefn	Endurance Riding Talk by two junior Cheshire Hunt members. At Parc Postyn, Prion, Denbigh (thank you Kate Williams) Contact Jane Grindal
Jan 27 Feb 3/10/17/24 Mar 2/9	Llysfaen	B Test Stable Management. Cost £20.00 for the course. At Laura Owen's house in Llangernwy, 5pm until 6.30 Test at Easter and in the summer so if you are not ready at Easter we will put on some more lessons in the summer. Please make sure you have renewed your membership and phone to confirm your place even if your name is already down ASAP on 01492 680311 (leave a message if no one is in) Christine Williams

28 Jan	Branch	Dressage Training. Gweryd, Llanarmon, with Jo Lloyd-Aylett. £15/hr for 2 people sharing. Please email Jeanette and she will arrange a suitable time with you.
31 Jan	Llandog	B Rally at Ystrad 6.30pm. Names to Iona asap
31 Jan	Cefn	Cefn AGM. Venue to be arranged. 7.30pm Adults only please.
FEBRUARY 1	Llysfaen	Party Night. Professional DJ Fun & Games evening at Betws-yn-Rhos Village Hall. 7-10pm Open to all F&D members. Please come and support us & have a great fun evening. Free of charge but please give names to Gwenda 01492 680344 or Nicky 01492 580989
1 Feb	Llysfaen	AGM whilst your children party the night away downstairs (under supervision of course!) we will be running our AGM upstairs. Please come and discuss your future events, actions & plans ... its your chance to have say in the planning of 2008. A presentation of awards will follow in the hall with the members. Your attendance would be most appreciated. Contact Tracey 01745 860370 or email tlw@uwclub.net if you will to include anything on the agenda.
2 Feb	Llandog	Working Rally at Ystrad LR to C+. Names to Iona asap
6 Feb	Branch	BRANCH A.G.M. White House, Rhualt. 7.30pm. Refreshments, presentations to members who have represented the Branch at Area Competitions (members must be present to receive awards). Guest speaker: Jennie Killilea – Sports Psychologist, accredited by the British Ass of Sport and Exercise Sciences. Jennie has competed at major 3 day events and represented GB at the European Young Riders Champs. Recently featured in the Horse and Hound.
Feb 8	Area	Area 5 Quiz. Nantwich Football Club. Pls contact Chrissie Mayes chrissie.equus@orange.net or 01824 790621 or 07886 809501 asap if you are interested in being on the team
Feb 9	Llandog	Working Rally at Gweryd Lakes. Names to Iona asap
Feb 9 March 15 April 12 May 10	Cefn	Dressage Clinics. Paul Davies. Due to the popularity of these there is to be another course. Sessions 45min at £15 per session. Chq & dates to: Rosemary Clarke. Pistyll Farm, Fachallt Rd, Whitford, Holywell, CH8 9AL. Chqs to: F & D Hunt Branch of the PC
Feb 11	Llanasa	Mini Badge Day: Tack. 10 til 12pm. Under 8's. £5.00 Contact Sharon
Feb Half Term	Llandog	B Test Rally. Gweryd Lakes. Date to be arranged. Contact Iona asap
Feb 12	Branch	Pony Club Meet at Gwaenynog, Denbigh. All members taking their Hunt Certs must attend this meet. 11a.m. Contact Lucy or DC
Feb 12	Branch	Rally at Celyn. 6.30 – 8.30pm. No lead rein. Complete booking form.

Feb 13	Llandog	Badge Day. British Native Breeds. Contact Iona asap
Feb 14	Cefn	Show Jumping for younger members, and nervous riders, or anyone with a novice pony. Northop 10am onwards. Contact Jane Grindal
Feb 14	Branch	XC Training at Somerford Park. Mobile jumps will be put on the ménage. Max 5 per group. £15 each for 1 hour. Names to Bethan with payment pls.
Feb 15	Cefn	Valentines Disco (belated!) St George Village Hall, 7-9.30pm. Hot dog and drink £5 per child. This was a huge success last year don't miss out. Contact Jane Grindal
Feb 16	Llandog	Working Rally at Ystrad. LR – C+. Names to Iona asap
Feb 16	Area	Indoor XC competition at Southview. Schedules available from Bethan or off the Area5 website.
Feb 17	Area	Winter League SJ competition. F&D and Waen-y-Llyn. Celyn College, Helpers required on the day pls contact Bethan
Feb 23	Llandog	Working Rally at Gweryd Lakes. Names to Iona asap
Feb 28	Llandog	B Rally at Ystrad. 6.30pm. Names to Iona asap
March 1	Llandog	Working Rally at Ystrad LR – C+. Names to Iona asap
March 2	Area	Area 5 Horse and Pony Care Competition. At Gelli Farm, Nercwys. Pls Contact Chrissie Mayes. see Feb 8 th for contact no.
March 8 & 22	Branch	XC training at Marian Bach. Names to Louise asap
March 8	Llandog	Working Rally at Gweryd Lakes. Names to Iona asap
March 9	Cefn	Working Rally, for those of you who have your names down on the list, this has been re-arranged for March 16 still at Ystrad
March 9 & March 15	Llysfaen	Working Hunter Rallies with Sarah Challinor at Sirior Goch, Betws-yn-Rhos. Learn the in's and out's of WHP jumping, perfect your ridden show etc. ready for the summer season. Contact Tracey
March 10	Branch	Rally at Celyn. 6.30 – 8.30pm. No lead rein. Complete booking form.
March 12	Cefn	The Big Race is not at Cheltenham this year it's at St George! We hope you will join us for a bit of a flutter on the gee gees at our own Race Night for GROWN UPS ONLY. First race is at 8pm and the cost of the evening is £7.50 which inc. a glass of wine, cheese and some spends! Tickets available from Jane Grindal, Neil Williams or Rosemary Clarke.
March 13	Llandog	B Rally at Ystrad. 6.30pm Names to Iona asap
March 15	Llandog	Show Jumping Competition for all ages. Ystrad. Names to Iona asap
March 18	Llanasa	Mountain Ride. Under 10's. 10 til 12pm. £5.00 Contact Sharon. Limited places.
March 21	Llysfaen	Easter Combined Training at Ystrad. Our annual dressage & SJ competition together with an Easter bonnet class, Easter eggs galore to be won. Great fun event. Book early this one is always popular. Entries to Sioned by 7 th March. Entry forms and test will be posted on the website. Sioned 01492 650034
March 24 & 25	Area 5	Event Training. Open training at Somerford Park. Contact Bethan. Limited places.

March 25	Llandog	Mini Badge at Hendrerwydd Farm. 8 and under. Pony Behaviour Badge. Names to Iona asap
March 26 & 27	Area 5	Intermediate Event training. Somerford Park. Contact Bethan. Limited places
March 26	Cefn	Riding on Road Safety Mini Badge 5 – 9 year olds. At 11am. Venue TBA. Contact Rosemary
April 1	Llandog	C & C+ Stable Management Day at Hendre. 10.30am Names to Iona asap
April 2	Cefn	Working Dogs Badge. Venue and time TBA. Contact Rosemary Clarke
Easter Hols	Llandog	B Rally at Point House, Chester Date tbc. Names to Iona asap
April 5	Llandog	Easter Fun Day. Names to Iona asap
April 6 April 13	Llysfaen	Working Hunter Rallies with Sarah Challinor at Sirior Goch, Betws-yn-Rhos. Learn the in's and out's of WHP jumping, perfect your ridden show etc. ready for the summer season. Contact Tracey
April 10	Llandog	D & D+ Stable Management at Clwydfro. 6.00pm Names to Iona asap
April 12	Cefn	Working Rally at Ystrad. Names to Jane Grindal
Dates To Be Arranged Soon	Branch	Area Horse Trials Training: Members interested in competing should send names to Katy asap. Members must be actively involved with ODE's and be prepared to attend F&D training days. Selection sessions will be held during May dates TBA. Contact Katy
April 16	Branch	Rally at Celyn. 6.30 – 8.30pm. No lead rein. Complete booking form
April 19 & 20	Area 5	Novice Event Training. Smallwood. Contact Beth. Limited places
April 24	Llandog	D & D+ Stable Management at Clwydfro. 6.00pm. Names to Iona asap
R & R S 'Reminder'	Branch	C Tests. Members wishing to take their C Test MUST have their Riding and Road Safety Test. (see May 26 th) Names to Katy for C Test 07977062265 asap
May 10	Llandog	D & D+ Tests at Clwydfro. Names to Iona asap
May 13	Llandog	C & C+ Stable Management at Hendre. Names to Iona asap
May 18	Llysfaen	X Country Plas Uchaf, Glan Conwy. Event run in partnership with Llandudno Riders Club. Classes: Lead rein to Open. Open to non members please spread the word. Contact Tracey or Christine 01492 680311L. FENCE JUDGES NEEDED.
May 21, 28 June 4,11,18,25, Jul 2	Llysfaen	Course of instructional rallies every Wednesday evening. Plas Uchaf, Glan Conwy. To include SJ, XC, and flat work training. 7pm til 8.30pm. (tiny riders will ride for 45 mins – 1 hr as suits) Contact Rebecca 01492 650624 bookings must be confirmed by 18 th May to allow time to confirm instructors
May 29	Llandog	Working Rally at Clwydfro. Names to Iona asap
May 26	Branch	Riding and Road Safety evening 7-9pm. Theory and video. Cost of course and test is £20. Clwydfro. Contact Debbie Miller
May 27 & 28	Branch	Riding and Road Safety Training 10-4pm both days, ending with test on 28 th Clwydfro. Contact Debbie Miller

May 29 & 30 tbc	Llysfaen	Event Training. We are hoping to run a two day event training course at Plas Uchaf with specific trainers of dressage, XC & SJ. This course is aimed at riders 10yrs and over and to include those aiming to compete BE this year. Please email Tracey to register your interest, this event will be expensive to run so we must have names before we can commit to it.
Future Dates June 7/8	Branch	Mounted Games Friendly at Llannerch Eq. Centre. St Asaph Contact Gwil.
28 Sep	Llysfaen	X Country Plas Uchaf, Glan Conwy. Event run in partnership with Llandudno Riders Club. Classes: Lead rein to Open. Open to non members please spread the word. Contact Tracey or Christine 01492 680311L. FENCE JUDGES NEEDED



F & D DISTRICT CONTACT LIST AND TEAM TRAINERS.

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Fixture List Temporarily contact Iona Pierce	

1. Llysfaen Area Summer Rallies, Plas Uchaf
Booking form (Wed eve's 7-8pm)



Date	Tick dates	Rider Name	Age	Tests achieved	Total £5.00 per rally
May 21					
May 28					
June 4					
June 11					
June 18					
June 25					
July 2					
TOTAL					

To: Mrs Rebecca Pritchard, Ty Capel, Pwll Terfyn, Maenan, Llanrwst, LL26 OYH
Chqs to: Flint & Denbigh Hunt Branch of Pony Club
To book your place on the rallies (all or specific weeks).
Please return this slip to Rebecca by the 18th May at the latest

2. SHOW JUMPING TRAINING:



Age Group	DATE	TICK DATES	RIDER NAME	AGE	TOTAL
14 yrs & over £10.00	Jan 22				
14 yrs & over £10.00	Feb 5				
14 yrs & over £10.00	Feb 19				
14 yrs & over £10.00	Mar 4				
14 yrs & over £10.00	Mar 18				
14 yrs & over £10.00	April 1				
					Sub Total
13yrs & under £5.00	Jan 24				
13yrs & under £5.00	Feb 7				
13yrs & under £5.00	Feb 21				
13yrs & under £5.00	Mar 6				
					Total

Please return with full payment to: Chq. To Flint & Denbigh Hunt Branch of Pony Club
Chris Leahy, Derwen Mawr, Milwr, Holywell, CH8 8HE,

3. CELYN INSTRUCTIONAL RALLIES
AT CELYN COLLEGE, NORTHOP

Please complete this form if you wish to attend any of the following rallies and send it with the correct remittance (£5.00 per rally) to Bethan Jones, Llys Ial, Mold Rd, Ruthin, Denbs. LL15 1SL

Please make cheques payable to *FLINT AND DENBIGH HUNT BRANCH OF THE PONY CLUB.*

Jan 23	£5.00
Feb 12	£5.00
March 10	£5.00
April 16	£5.00
TOTAL	£

NAME _____ AGE _____ Tel. _____