

Offa's Dyke Dressage competition Sunday 14 March

A fabulous day was had by all competitors in our first ever Offa's Dyke Dressage competition with 16 competitors entered – several of which had never taken part in a dressage competition in their lives.

This was the brainchild of Fiona Griffiths, who thought it would be a good way to follow on from the series of lessons we arranged over winter at Huntley School of Equitation with Carole Broad FBHS. Most of the participants, but not all had taken part in some of the winter lessons and so our horses were used to the indoor school. Carole very kindly agreed to judge the completion for us free of charge, for which we are very grateful.

Fiona's idea was to have relaxed rules, allowing us to ride in our normal endurance tack and clothing and this was the factor which persuaded several people to have a go. Everyone enjoyed the day and asked us to arrange another competition next winter.

Results

Class 1 Intro Walk and Trot test

1 st	Carolyn Edwards	Oakways Patchwork Girl
2 nd	Delwyn Hall	Duette
3 rd	Jo Williams	Spinway Blackthorn
4 th	Fiona Griffiths	Dear Kate
5 th	Lesley Dunn	Chiana
6 th	Suzanne Garlick	Shushi

Class 2 Prelim 7

1 st	Sam Owen	Oliver Twist
2 nd	Delwyn Hall	Duette
3 rd	Carolyn Edwards	Oakways Patchwork Girl
4 th	Lesley Dunn	Chiana
5 th	Janet Dobbyn	Faline
6 th	Fiona Griffiths	Dear Kate