



**WELLINGTON  
RIDING**

# Pony Club Calendar 2010

---

<b>15<sup>th</sup> January</b>	Pairs Show-Jumping All Welcome NPSE Followed by Annual Prize-Giving and Buffet (trophies will be given out).
<b>22<sup>nd</sup> January</b>	Group A Dressage
<b>29<sup>th</sup> January</b>	Group B Dressage
<b>5<sup>th</sup> February</b>	Test Training
<b>12<sup>th</sup> February</b>	Group A Show Jumping
<b>19<sup>th</sup> February</b>	Test Training
<b>26<sup>th</sup> February</b>	Group B Show Jumping
<b>5<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Group A Combined Training
<b>12<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Test Training
<b>19<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Group B Combined Training
<b>26<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Groups A & B Team Event
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> April</b>	Easter Quiz
<b>9<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Test Training

<b>11<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Pony Club Camp
<b>30<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Test Training
<b>7<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Group A Cross Country
<b>14<sup>th</sup> May</b>	C Test
<b>21<sup>st</sup> May</b>	Group B Cross Country
<b>4<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Test Training
<b>11<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Groups A & B Team Event
<b>25<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Test Training
<b>9<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Test Training
<b>23<sup>rd</sup> July</b>	Parent vs Child Event
<b>30<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Test Training
<b>20<sup>th</sup> August</b>	Test Training
<b>27<sup>th</sup> August</b>	Dressage Clinic
<b>10<sup>th</sup> September</b>	Group A Show-Jumping
<b>17<sup>th</sup> September</b>	Mock Exam
<b>24<sup>th</sup> September</b>	Group B Show-Jumping
<b>1<sup>st</sup> October</b>	Group A Prix Caprilli
<b>8<sup>th</sup> October</b>	D Test
<b>15<sup>th</sup> October</b>	Group B Prix Caprilli
<b>19<sup>th</sup> October (Sunday)</b>	Hunter Trials INVITATION ONLY Back Protectors and long sleeved shirts must be worn. (Sunday afternoon).
<b>22<sup>nd</sup> October</b>	D+ Test Exam
<b>12<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Group A Dressage

<b>19<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Group B Dressage
<b>26<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Groups A & B Team Event
<b>10<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Xmas Fun Jumping
<b>18<sup>th</sup> December</b>	Christmas Fancy Dress Fun All Welcome (ltd spaces).

Please ensure that you book early as places at all these events will be limited. The majority of events are on a Friday and start at 5.30pm unless otherwise stated.

Points awarded are as follows: 1<sup>st</sup> = 6, 2<sup>nd</sup> = 5, and so on until 6<sup>th</sup> = 1 point. All competitors will receive 1 point for attendance, whether place scoring or not (except for test training and trips).

Please note that for all dressage events only competitors are required to phone for their times between 7 and 9pm the night before (i.e. the Thursday before the event). Please call Tracy on 07738 872 053, if the line is not answered please try again (rather than leave a message) as it will be busy with other pony Clubbers collecting their times!

### **2010 Dressage Tests**

Unless otherwise notified we will be using the following Pony Club Dressage Tests this year (for dressage only and the same test for Combined Training).

(Please check Pony Club Board for this years tests)

The same test will be ridden all year by each league, and copies of the tests can be collected from Wellington Riding, from the envelopes below the Pony Club Notice Board. PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE make sure that you pick up a copy of the correct test! Upper Intermediates and Major Owner Riders **MUST** learn their tests, but Novices, Upper Novices, Intermediates and Mini & Int Owner Riders may have their tests called.

Copies of all the tests can be found at: [Dressage Tests - The Pony Club](#)  
Please remember to call Tracy on 07738 872 053 for times, between 7 & 9 pm the night **before** the competition. This applies for Dressage and Prix Caprilli Competitions – not Combined Training.

### **PONY CLUB ACHIEVEMENT BADGES**

The achievement badges are designed to fill in the gap years between the D and the C Efficiency Tests and to give Pony Club members the opportunity to improve their general knowledge. On passing each test they are awarded a cloth achievement badge which they can sew onto their Pony Club sweatshirts. The idea is to cover the 'C' Test Stable Management syllabus without the children realizing they are doing it! Some of the badges cover basic countryside knowledge as well as horse related topics. There are 29 badges in total to collect, and the Pony Club will award a special gold badge to anyone who completes 21 of the badges on the list.

This year Dani will be running through a selection of the Achievement Badges on Saturdays at 1pm for an hour.

There will be an initial training session followed 2 weeks later by the test session. These sessions are open to any Wellington Riding Pony Club member. They will consist of a mixture of equine and non-equine subjects, covering a wide range of the available badges including how to care for a pony, how to map read and bird watching.

Cost: 1 Voucher. Price includes 1 training session + 1 Test + badge. Please ask at the office to book a place – places are limited so please book early to avoid disappointment.