

DRESSAGE UNDER 21s UK

FLEDGLINGS UK *Training our young riders for the future*

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All up to date U21s UK information may be obtained on our website.

You can download all Clinic and Show Forms from the website.

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HELLO MEMBERS & FRIENDS OF U21s UK

WINTER WEATHER. It was a hard winter for many - with training and competing suffering for us all. Hopefully we are getting back to normal and things are improving. Sadly we had to cancel the January Clinic due to lack of sufficient entries this time – however the **February Clinic** was very well attended and feed-back has been pleasing. Lots of new faces – and some truly inspiring young riders are emerging.

UNICORN TRAINING – The next Clinic will be on **2nd & 3rd April** open to everyone with Rob Lumb and Dan Greenwood as our Trainers. We hope lots of you will take advantage of this opportunity and come along to enjoy the Clinic - on one day or both if possible.

UNICORN ELITE ** SQUAD TRAINING 7th & 8th May – Booking Forms on the website. Roland Tong and Dan Greenwood – preparation for ALL TESTS up to FEI.

U21s WINTER DRESSAGE CHAMPIONSHIPS - ADDINGTON MANOR. SUNDAY 13th MARCH 2011.

Raising Money for OCCTOPUS Colon Cancer Research.

This is always a fabulous show – and usually draws masses of members from all around the country. With classes to suit all ages and abilities it has been popular for 10 years. Schedules have been available to download from our Website for 3 months.

However – despite inviting BYRDS and local Pony Clubs, sadly to date we have fairly small entries in the Preliminary - Novice –Elementary classes – mainly Junior riders – and almost the same in the Elementary and Medium classes – yet we have 11 riders in the Pony –Junior- YR FEI Class – the most ever, and with a further 8 riders in the Advanced/PSG/Inter 1/11 class. We have super **BD** listed Judges for all classes.

Fantastic Rugs, Rosettes, Sashes and Training Grants are on offer to our Winners.

With costs spiralling to run a Championship of this standard – we are ever wary of the need to cover these costs – and our entries need to do this. Whilst we are committed to the 2011 Winter Championships – lack of support would mean that the 2 day July 2011 Summer Championships would not be held.

Entries Close on 3rd March – Please note - you don't have much time left to enter!

Schedules - download from the website - www.dressageunder21s-uk.co.uk

U21s UK MEMBERS/ 2 Former Members at the BD WINTER REGIONALS.

2011 has seen a great many **U21s UK riders** taking part in the **BD** Regionals around the country and already we have **7 riders** through to the National Winter Championships at Hartpury College near Gloucester 13th -17th April. Their names go up onto our website as soon as we hear that they have qualified – as done all up to date news about members. We also have 7 riders through to the **PET PLAN FINALS** at Hartpury.

BD PRELIMINARY

1. Hannah Bates – Essentially M&S from Jersey – training with Roland Tong.
2. Sam Darvill – Vimone B from Leighton Buzzard, Beds – training with

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3. Hannah Bates – Essentially M&S from Jersey – training with Roland Tong.
4. Rose Hugh Smith – LG Augustus from Henley – training with Serena Pincus.
5. Lucy Pincus – Sheepcote Sandmartin – Freestyle – trains with Serena Pincus.
6. Beth Barnett – ** Zantino – from Hereford – trains with David Pincus.

BD RESTRICTED ELEMENTARY FREESTYLE – OPEN ELEMENTARY

7. Emma Sutton – Lyon – from Cardiff – trains in Warwickshire with Paul Friday.
8. **Olivia Oakeley** – ** Zolansky – from Malmesbury – trains with Gemma Green.

BD RESTRICTED MEDIUM

9. **Phoebe Peters** – Hillmen – Moreton in March, Glos. Trains with Peter Storr.

PET PLAN FINALISTS

PP. PRELIMINARY

Ashleigh Pittams – Frankie – from Northampton – Trainer Eva Green.

PP. ELEMENTARY

Lucy Pincus – Sheepcote Sandmartin – Restricted – trains with Serena Pincus.
Joanna Thurman-Baker – Highcliffe Apollo – Oxon- trains with Diane Thurman-Baker.

PP. MEDIUMS

Amy Nash – Hello Oscar – Bedford – Restricted- trains with Dan Greenwood.
Beth Barnett – Sheepcote Delight – Hereford - Restricted – trains with David Pincus.

PP. ADVANCED

Danielle Steed – Wulstan Pipsqueak – Northants. R. Adv M. Trains with Harry Payne.
Alice Krasno – Elite III – Old Basing, Hampshire – PSG – trains with Olli Barr.

MARLTON FRIENDLY INTERNATIONAL – WICKLOW, IRELAND – 1-2-3 JULY

Due to the rising costs of travel and the Euro it is unlikely that **Dressage U21s UK** will be able to send Teams in 2011 to this fantastic event. We have been travelling to Ireland for 7 years. In 2010 U21s UK won the Pony, Junior & YR Team Classes and a lot of the individual ones too. It will be very sad if it is not possible in 2011. More news later.....

REGIONAL TRAINING CLINICS are held in many parts of the Country, with many riders choosing to stay locally and beat the fuel increases. I am very much in debt to all out dedicated **Regional Trainers** and **Organisers** – and a list of Regions and Organisers names can be found and downloaded from our Organisers Page on the website.

My very best wishes to everyone.

Carol Hogg.

Chairman