Minutes of Shipton Riding Club AGM

22nd March 2019

A presentation from Ros Kemp took place where she spoke of her work with Lorenzo “The flying Frenchman”.

**Apologies:** Charlie and Charlotte

**Chairs Opening Speech**

Sharon thanked the current committee members and asked attendees if they would be interested in joining the committee, encouraging them to speak to any committee member if they wanted to find out more.

Sharon also briefly spoke about the wide range of clinics that had taken place during the year but also invited members to suggest new ideas.

**Matters Arising** from last years minutes – No matters arising.

**Treasurer Report –** Rally receipts are up on last year. Clinic with Sam Griffiths helped with this.

Membership down on last year.

Fundraising is down on last year but poor turnout at table top sales has contributed to this.

Afilliation fees are based on prior membership year.

Area Entries are down.

Fees spent on Instructors are up but again this is due to Sam Griffiths Clinic.

Venue hire is down as have been trying to use some venues who do not charge so much.

Chard Equestrian is now VAT registerd so charges have gone up 20% this year.

£521.25 loss this year.

Total Assets £5885.82

**Teams Report –**

Numerous members have competed on behalf of the club and Sharon spoke about some of the achievements throughout the year. These included:

Isobel Chubbs 1st and 6th place at Dressage to Music Championships.

Sharon Chubb 2nd at Area Dressage.

Charlie Bailey 9th in Prelim test at BRC Championships at Lincoln.

Emily Chubb 5th Novice, 6th Prelim and 8th Riding test at BRC Championships at Lincoln.

Minnie Atherton 6th at Arena Eventing

Emily Chubb – 2nd in 2 Novice tests and 2nd in Elementary at Intermediate Winder Junior Dressage

Other members who have competed are:

Freedom of the Horse – Celia Cohen

Bicton Horse Trials – Charlie Bailey, Celia Cohen, Charlotte Bailey and Monty Willis.

Summer Area Dressage – Pip Bailey, Charlie Bailey, Emily Chubb and Eva Murless.

Summer Area Show Jumping – Minnie Atherton, Emily Chubb and Isobel Chubb.

Intermediate Senior Winter Dressage – Sharon Chubb.

Arena Eventing – Charlie Bailey and Isobel Chubb

Sharon also informed members that anyone wishing to take part in Area Competitions are welcome to have a chat with her later. She reinforced that it’s a lot of fun and going to Championships is even more fun if going as a group.

Paul reminded everyone that that the Club pays half of area and national entry fees.

**Membership Secretary Report** – Gill informed everyone that there are currently 38 members. 2 or these are honorary, 3 are non riding members. 14 are Juniors and 19 are Seniors. Membership is up on same time last year.

Gill asked everyone to let her know if not receiving emails from the club. Her email address is on the club website or can use the club email address.

**Election of Committee Members** –

Paul, Tracey and Nicola have served their 3 year term but have all agreed to stand again. All 3 were proposed by Sharon Chubb and Emily Chubb Viv Bailey agreed to second all 3 and have therefore been re-elected for another 3 year term.

AOB – None raised.

**Tropies Awarded for 2018**

Junior Points League –

1st – Charlotte Passmore

2nd – Emily Chubb

3rd - Eva Murless, Minnie Atherton and Isobel Chubb

4th – Lucy Devire Hunt

5th – Flors Devre Hunt

6th – Eliza Peters and Scarlet Glover

Senior Points League –

1st – Celia Cohen

2nd – Tania Gibbs

3rd – Julie Larcombe, Charlie Bailey, Abbie Collins

4th – Sharon Chubb

5th – Pip Bailey, Charlotte Bailey, Kerry Gale and Ann Fairwether

Bertie Bouncer – Nicola Gosney in recognition for all she has done for the club this year.

Matthew Bailey Trophy - Isobel Chubb

Before the meeting closed, Paul on behalf of the committee thanked Sharon for all of time and effort she put in to the club in her role as Chair.

Meeting closed