



NORTH EASTERN DRIVING TRIALS LIMITED

Newsletter December 2024



Dear Members,

Your Committee would like to wish all our members, their families, our supporters, stewards, volunteers and friends a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Membership

Just to remind everyone that membership renewal is due from the 1st January 2025, so if you are not a member of BC or ICD and you want to compete at any event (indoor or outdoor) you need to make sure you have renewed your membership by the first competition you enter to make sure you are insured. Please see the website for our online membership form. <https://www.nedtl.co.uk/get-involved/members/online-membership-form/>

Or if you prefer the paper form then you can find it here https://www.nedtl.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2024/12/membership_form_2025.pdf

We hope you will all re-join, as this money helps us to organise our events and maintain equipment. It will also be great to see you all at events in 2025.

Yearbook

The 2025 Yearbook will be sent out to all members at the end of January via email and put on the website. If you require a printed copy, please let us know and we will pop one in the post for you.



Dressage Judges Training

A dressage judge training has been organised by Kim Usher with Philippa Thomson who is an extremely experienced British Carriage Driving Judge. This training is for anyone who would like to learn more and perhaps become a dressage judge in the future.

The training will take place on Saturday 18th January 2025 from 10:00 – 14:00 at Bardsey Village Hall, Woodacre Lane, Bardsey, Leeds LS17 9DG (what3words offers.spicy.blunders)

Please contact Kim Usher on 01325 730022 if you would like to attend. Drinks will be provided just bring your lunch.

Many thanks to those of you who have provided videos for the session.



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Indoor Competitions

We still have the following competitions scheduled.

Catterick

Sunday 23rd February 2025

Sunday 23rd March 2025

Askham Bryan

Sunday 12th January 2025

Sunday 9th February 2025

Sunday 9th March 2025



Next Year's Outdoor Competition Dates

- Feedale Farm 26th-27th April 2025
- Nidd 17th-18th May 2025
- Frickley Park 14th-15th June 2025
- Allerton 19th-20th July 2025 will be a 2 day National event
- Newby 9th-10th August 2025
- Escrick 20th-21st September 2025

Training at Thornton House

Training has been organised in the fantastic indoor arena at Thornton House just outside of York (what3words – Reminder.thrashed.recording). There are 3 sessions left –

- Sunday 26th January 2025 - with Tara Wilkinson, can be dressage, cones or a combination
- Saturday 22nd February – with Angela Flanagan, can be dressage, cones or a combination
- Sunday 15th March – with Tara Wilkinson, this is scheduled to be obstacle training

Each session is 45 minutes and costs £60 and with a £20 deposit to secure your space.

Please contact Melody Jones on 07967041325 or melody.jones77@googlemail.com



Committee Members

At the AGM the following members were voted back onto the committee Pat Cooper, John Wilkinson, Charmian Haigh and new to the party is Peter Carter.

At the AGM Sue Oddie stepped down as Club Secretary after 41 years . We would like to thank Sue for all her hard work and dedication to the club over the years and still hope to see her at our events.

Charmian Haigh has agreed to become the new Club Secretary and we wish her all the very best in this role.