



**Date** 3.5.17, via conference call

**Present:** Ellen Brimble (EB), Freija Glansdorp (FG), Jemimah Adams (JA).

### Agenda

Qualification of Breeding horses for WCs  
Plans for the year/AOB

#### Qualification of Breeding Horses for WC's:

- Still to be finalised

#### AOB:

- Following comments from people who'd like to come to a GK - It would be nice to organise a GK again this year, but perhaps combine it with a seminar/Have-a-go show on Saturday in order to make it financially viable.
- Jem will find out if we can run it at Connegar Farm, if Baddi would be interested in coming (and if yes, how much he would charge us and when he would be available).
- The idea is to have a seminar on Saturday as well in order to attract more people without horses. Perhaps Baddi could prepare a speech about old breeding lines in Iceland, how to find the best stallion for a mare, how to prepare a horse for a breeding assessment, Jem will also speak with Andrew and the horse chiropractor to see if they would be willing to participate as speakers. We can then put together a seminar including evening social event with food. On the riding part, we could have a Have-a-go show with instructions from Baddi on Saturday morning.
- Alternatively, if Baddi is interested, we could offer a week of horse training by Baddi prior to the show, then on the Saturday private tuition and then Have-a-go-show, followed by the seminar.
- In order to minimise the admin work for horse entries, we can operate with handwritten starter and results lists. Mike has indicated to Jem that the Sports Team might be able to help with the event if we require support.
- Ellen will also enquire about the cost of using the Mendip Plains Equestrian facility south of Bristol – this might attract more people from the North and Wales, as it would save approx. 1 hour drive.

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**Date of next meeting:** 7<sup>th</sup> June 2016 at 8.30pm via powwownow

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