

BUDLEIGH RIDING SCHOOL SUMMER TERM PROGRAMME 2026



IMPORTANT INFO ABOUT ALL COURSES - PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!

Courses will be available to those who are currently on them for priority booking until 12pm on **FRIDAY 13TH MARCH** - they will then open up for all to book the remaining spaces. Payment for the course is in full on booking other than Changing Lives Courses which have a 2 payment option. Sorry - we do not do refunds for courses or take waiting lists at the moment - thank you

CHILDRENS COURSES - EVENINGS AND WEEKENDS:

Tuesday Progressive Riding Test / Challenge Awards Course 8 week course @ £300

Learn towards British Horse Society progressive riding tests and challenge awards- all levels of experience - riders will be split into levels to work towards appropriate awards for their age and level of experience - includes riding and stable management weekly working towards achieve awards booklets.

Tuesdays 4-6pm -21st April-16th June. This club will break on Tuesday 26th May for half term week.

Wednesday evening saddle club -12 week course @ £385

Fun evening saddle club riding weekly - flat work, jumping and hacking - riders must be novice canter level or above

Wednesdays 6pm -7.45pm - 22nd April - 15th July.

This club will break on Wednesday 27th May for half term week

Friday after school mini pony club - 10 week course @ £260

A fun after school pony club - all levels of experience. This club alternates between riding and stable management weekly & includes a hot chocolate in the Oak Lodge

Fridays 4.30-6pm - 24th April - 3rd July

This club will break on Friday 29th May for half term

Friday evening show jumping course - £220

Five week show jumping course - Friday 5th June - Friday 3rd July 6-7.30pm. Perfect jumping skills at your

level - learn to correctly ride and build a course. Grid work and balance sessions.

Fridays 6-7.30pm - Friday 5th June - Friday 3rd July

FRIDAY Show jumping competition evening - £49

For this show riders must be 9 years and over and must be attending regular group jump lessons or have been having private jump lessons for

over 6 months. Back protectors **MUST** be worn. Classes to include
Clear round : Speed Class: Accumulator :Chase me Charlie (if time only)

Friday 17th July - 4pm preparation - 4.30 jump classes start

All bookings are taken online on first come first served basis - payment on booking please chrissy@devonriding.co.uk 07974 668728



Saturday Early summer Pony Club - 5 week course @ £205

A fun weekend pony club - riding will include lessons and hacks - includes riding and stable management weekly. All levels of experience welcome.

Saturdays 11am - 1pm - 25th April - 23rd May

Saturday Late summer Pony Club - 5 week course @ £205

A fun weekend pony club - riding will include lessons and hacks - includes riding and stable management weekly. All levels of experience welcome.

Saturdays 11am - 1pm - 6th June - 4th July

Sunday Pony Stars courses - 10 week course @ £310

Pony Stars and Horse explores are the British Horse Society's Junior and youth Challenge Awards. It is aimed at helping 4-17 year olds to discover, develop and nurture their love for ponies and the outdoors. With over 100 topics for children to explore, Pony Stars and horse explorers will ignite a passion for ponies, build knowledge and cement friendships that will last a lifetime. Pony Stars will cover topics such as grooming, welfare, mucking out and riding skills. Horse explorers is aimed at teenagers and young adults, these awards help to develop your confidence, skills and knowledge in a fun, supportive environment. Topics include horse care, riding fit, lungeing to name a few. It's not just about pony care and riding, the Pony Stars programme includes much more – covering valuable practical topics for children and young adults such as the countryside, farm animals, kindness, leadership & conservation. As part of the programme, each child will receive their very own Challenge Book to log their achievements. As they progress through the various challenges there will be stickers, badges, and rosettes too to keep them engaged and motivated. There are four key groups, Shetland Striders, Dartmoor Dazzlers, Welshie Wizzers and Connemara Champs. This allows for long-term progression with a range of activities that will develop knowledge, skills, and self-confidence.



Sundays 9am - 1.30pm (see time slots for differing levels) 19th April - 5th July

This club will break on two sundays - Sunday 10th May. Sunday 14th June

10.30am - 12pm - Connemara Champs - continuation of course - novice canter level for those who have achieved the Welshie Wizzers level award / part Connemara champs.

12-1.30 - Dartmoor Dazzlers - novice / Novice canter level - continuation of course - for those who have achieved Shetland Striders Award / or part of Dartmoor Dazzlers award

Sunday yard helper Club 10.30-12pm @ £13 per week

This is a non riding club - learn about and get involved in stable duties & pony handling

Weekly on Sundays 10.30 - 12pm — continuous - please go online to book weekly

Sunday kids club Club - 5 week course @ £200

A fun weekend pony club - includes riding and stable management weekly. All levels of experience welcome. Individual sessions can be booked @ £42 per session

Sundays 1.30 - 3pm - 26th April - 24th May //// Sundays 1.30 - 3pm - 14th June - 12th July

HOME ED CLUBS AND CLUBS DURING SCHOOL HOURS

Changing Lives Through Horses - 10 week course @ £310

We will be running a weekly club throughout term time. Includes stable management and riding and working towards curriculum key skill areas - please ask for our full information on CLTH by emailing chrissy@devonriding.co.uk

Wednesdays 1.30-3pm 22nd April - 1st July. This club breaks on Wed 27th May for half term

Thursdays 9.30-11am 23rd April - 2nd July. This club breaks on Thurs 28th May for half term

Home Ed pony stars course - 10 week course @ £310

Pony stars course - please see info above on Pony stars

Fridays 12-1.30pm - 24th April -3rd July This club will break on 29th May for half term

Adult Clubs for Summer 2026 & Additional Courses

Take back the reins course - 10 week course @ £340

Our popular Take back the reins courses are starting again - if you have had a break from riding - or just want an adult course to ride more regularly. A 10 week relaxed course. Learn or refresh your memory on how to prepare your own horse, have a ride and a coffee afterwards. We are running 3 courses in Spring term. Please note there will also be a Thursday morning adult group lesson for those who can't get a place on Take back the reins (Coffee always available after in the Oak Lodge)

Tuesdays 9.30-11.30am - Tuesday 21st April - Tuesday 30th June- this club will break for 1 week on Tuesday 26th May for half term

Tuesdays 6-8pm - Tuesday 21st April - Tuesday 30th June- this club will break for 1 week on Tuesday 26th May for half term

Wednesdays 9.30 - 11.30 - Wednesday 22nd April - Wednesday 1st July - this club will break for 1 week on Wednesday 27th May for half term.

BRITISH HORSE SOCIETY PROFESSIONAL COURSES

BHS stage one and two ride / Level two teach

We are planning on running BHS stages one and two and level 2 coach courses and assessments in the summer term after Easter - please email Chrissy if interested in any of these to go on the waiting list.

EXTRA SPECIALS

Cuppa and cuddle mornings - any level welcome!!

Feeling like you would like to do something different - or just want to spend a bit of time with like minded people and horses? - join us for cuppa and cuddle mornings - come and groom / walk the horses and ponies followed by / chat / coffee/hot choc in the Oak Lodge Cafe. £13 including drink.

Times and cost:

Thursday mornings 11.30am

Friday mornings 9.30am

(30-40 mins with horses followed by cuppa!) - £14 inc. drink

CHILDREN'S BIRTHDAY PARTIES

We offer a range of birthday party options with added extras - party food, rosettes and horsey themed party bags - these usually run on Saturdays 11.30 - 1 & 1.30 - 3pm but occasionally can be organised at other times. Please see our leaflets for details

Oak Lodge Cafe open Wednesdays to Saturdays (& for special occasions/room hire etc)

GROUP LESSONS & HACKS FOR ALL

The below gives a guide to weekly group lessons (subject to change)

(All the below lessons can be booked individually - 24 hour cancelation policy)

Regular lessons continue on Saturdays as follows:

9-10 - group beginner / novice jump lesson

9-10 - group novice half and half

10-11 - group novice canter half & half

10-12 - group experienced canter hack

10.30 - 11 group beginner 1/4 & 1/4

11-1 varying group lessons & events (dependant on Pony club course)

1.30 - 2.30 group experienced jump lesson

3-4 group beginner half and half

4-4.30 - group beginner 1/4 & 1/4

Group lessons and hacks at other times during the week:

Tuesdays:

12-1 / & / or 2-3pm - varying group walk and trot and novice canter level hacks

4-6pm group novice canter and beginner jump lessons (when progressive test / challenge award course is not on)

Thursdays:

9am - 10am - Adult only lessons novice canter - experienced level

10-11.30am - Thursday experienced group hack

Fridays:

12-1 Group Novice canter hack

Sundays:

10.30-12 Yard helper club - non riding.

12-12.30 - Group walkout / pony ride

1.30 - 3pm kids club (5 week courses or can book individual sessions)

Private and semi private lessons and hacks are available every day other than Mondays. For availability and to book please go to the date you would like - or date of the course and scroll down to group lessons / private lessons or courses for availability.

Any questions please email chrissy@devonriding.co.uk

WE ARE SHUT ON MONDAYS DURING TERM TIME

(Courses and pony days may run on Mondays during school holiday times)

Oak Lodge Opening Times - Wednesday - Friday 10am-2.30pm. Saturdays 9am-4pm