

New British Horse Society Courses

British Horse Society Stage one Silver Challenge awards course

8 week course - Tuesdays 23 June - 11th August 4-6pm

This is aimed at those wanting their British Horse Society stages. The silver challenge awards 'about the horse' and 'about the rider' gives direct entry to the British Horse Society stage two course and assessment.

Riders need to be 13 years and over and have sound basic knowledge of horse care, handling and tacking up and be a secure canter level rider. You should also have experience of the basics of Jumping.

Please note the ride safe part of this course is run separately (course running 20th June)

£368 (course booklets separate at £6 per booklet including certification - optional)

British horse Society - Silver Ride safe award

4 week course Saturdays 20th June - 18th July 4-5.30pm (excluding Saturday 11th July)

The British Horse Society (BHS) Ride Safe Award is a comprehensive qualification designed to ensure riders can navigate the modern environment safely, including roads, bridleways, agricultural land, and competition warm-up arenas. It is highly regarded as best practice and is recommended by the Highway Code. You must be competent walk and trot / novice canter level on a variety of horses both in the arena and out on the roads / hacking. It is also a pre-requisite for entering the BHS stage two assessment

£150

Stage Two Riding and Care course

**8 week course Sunday 21st June - Sunday 16th August 2-5pm. (Excluding Sunday 12th July)
Riding 2-3.30 - Care 3.30-5pm**

This course is aimed at those 14 years and upwards aiming for British Horse Society Stage two assessment. You must be comfortable at canter on a variety of horses and have a good basic level of jumping. You must also have a good basic knowledge of stable management including grooming / handling and tacking up.

The course will be aimed at those who have achieved their silver challenge awards 'about the horse' and 'about the rider'. (For those wishing to do this course who haven't achieved the silver awards yet there is a silver award course running alongside (or ask Chrissy for possibilities of challenge awards within this course). This allows direct entry into the British Horse Society Stage Two assessment which we will aim to run on Sunday 30th August or Sunday 6th September (subject to British Horse Society assessors and approval). We will also be running a mock stage two assessment on Sunday 23rd August for those who are taking the assessment (this is an optional separate day and not part of the course)

Please note application to the Stage Two assessment is through the British Horse Society and not included in the price of the course (Chrissy can help with the application if needed).

£475 full course

£350 ride only

£215 care only

Stage Two Mock Assessment

Sunday 23rd August 1-4.30pm

A relaxed 'mock' Assessment in the run up to BHS stage two assessing day to prepare candidates for stage two

£68

Introduction to level two coaching

An 8 week course for those interested in learning to coach riding - or aiming for professional BHS level two teaching assessments Age 15 years and over:

No previous coaching experience needed but a good level of horsemanship (preferably BHS stage one / two or similar standard) and basic lungeing. The course will cover the BHS level two coaching syllabus Understand the role and responsibilities of a coach and coaching principles. Plan, deliver and evaluate coaching lessons for beginner to novice riders: Delivering a lead rein, a lunge and a flatwork and jumping lesson plus teaching stable management. The course will also start you on developing techniques to be able to progress riding skills of participants and reflect on your coaching skills for improvement.

6-8pm Tuesdays - July 7th - 25th August

£368