



## August 2011 Newsletter

### ***In-House Dressage Competition Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> September 2011:***

We will once again be holding an in-house dressage competition on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> September 2011, which is the day after Mid-Autumn festival and a public holiday. We have had a very good response and are very pleased to have received a large number of entries. The competition starts at 15:00 and will be followed by our usual BBQ from 17:00 onwards. All riders will need to come early to make sure your horses are well groomed and look smart! Even if you are not competing, everyone is welcome to come and hang out and support your friends and to join in the BBQ: there should be lots of nice things to eat.

The next in-house competition riders can look forward to is an In-House Jumping Evening to be held on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September 2011. We will send out details closer to the time.

### ***Show Charges:***

We are very pleased that more riders are planning to compete this coming seasons. Please see attached the Out of House Competition Charges for 2011-12 and details of the New Competitor package. If you haven't already done so, please speak to your instructor if you want to try competing for the first time. It isn't as scary as it looks and there will be plenty of help and support around.

### ***Price Increase:***

Unfortunately, due to rising feed and bedding costs, we will be increasing prices with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> October 2011. A revised price table is attached.

### ***Leigh's Departure:***

We are sorry to announce that Leigh Spencer will be returning to the UK in November. Leigh very much enjoys working at Lo Wu and teaching our riders, but equally misses her family very much. Please be assured that we are actively looking for a replacement instructor and will keep you updated as soon as possible.

We would like to thank Leigh for her hard work over the last few months with us and wish her well for the future.

Q: Do you know how many directions horses can see at once?

A: Horses can see in 2 directions at once.