



HORSE AND PEOPLE NEWS

March is already here! We've had some lovely rain these past weeks, hoping for a little more before Autumn sets in.

UPCOMING EVENTS

EASTER EGG HUNT OUTRIDE -

29 March

TRAINING JUMPING SHOW -

10 May

MULTI-DISCIPLINE SHOW -

6 - 7 June

MOOLMANSHOEK WEEKEND AWAY -

7 - 9 August

SHOW RESULTS

KPC VALENTINE'S DRESSAGE

Brad on Naughty Forty placed 3rd and 4th in Novice. Natalie on Dollar's Power placed 2nd and 4th in Elementary.

KPC VALENTINE'S JUMPING

Nickaela rode Gold Leader in 1.10m.
Mariska rode Cisco in 1.20m.

ICB TRAINING DRESSAGE

Brad placed 4th on Naughty Forty in Novice.

SOUTH AFRICA HORSE OF THE YEAR

Our Phaeton Parkers came home with some fantastic results. Congratulations ladies! Results as follows:

- Ava and Kelly's Heir came home with Champion Thoroughbred Working Hunter, Champion Junior Open Working Hunter and SASA Reserve Champion Working Hunter.
- Ava and Socs placed 1st in Junior Novice Show Hunter.
- Wendy showed Noisette in Thoroughbred Mare In Hand. They placed 2nd and were awarded Reserve Champion.
- Natalie and Dollars Power placed 1st in Thoroughbred Show Riding Horse and 2nd in Adult Show Hack. They were also awarded Reserve Champion in Adult Show Hack.

PHAETON PARK TRAINING SHOW

Thank you to all who helped at the show: Jade, Rebecca and Kelly, our announcing and show admin team; Rebecca and Charity for catering; our coaches Mariska, Nickaela, Anka and Stephanie as well as to Natalie for building the great courses. The results:

Class 2 Competition

1st Vanessa on Hello Sailor, 2nd Jade on Foxtrot, 3rd Kelly on Dusky, 4th Kelly on Dusky, 5th Jade on Foxtrot, 6th Kourtney on Kammi, 7th Faye on Gypsey, 8th Mila on Sea Dragon

Class 3 Accumulator

1st Annabelle on Conjo, 2nd Taylor on Denver, 3rd Harriet on Sea Dragon, 4th Annabelle on Conjo, 5th Stuart on Cody, 6th Georgia on Cross My Heart, 7th Harriet on Sea Dragon, 8th Sonja on Percy

Class 4A Speed Accumulator with Joker

1st Emmalize on Vogue, 2nd Sarah on Storm, 3rd Ané on Limited Addition, 4th Francesca on Chalky, 5th Carmen on Dixie, 6th Sarah on Storm, 7th Francesca on Chalky, 8th Janine on Gravity Plane

Class 4B Speed Accumulator with Joker

1st Jay on Chipolata, 2nd Lené on Logos, 3rd Liat on Conjo, 4th Ané on Limited Addition, 5th Janine on Gravity Plane, 6th Liat on Conjo, 7th Janine on Gravity Plane, 8th Danna on Lookatmego, 9th Jackie on The Gingerman

Class 5 Speed & Precision 90cm - 1m

1st Jay on Chipolata, 2nd Danna on Lookatmego, 3rd Jackie on The Gingerman, 4th Amanda on Pessoa

PHYSIO TREATMENT WINNER

Congratulations to our next winner of the equine physio treatment, Logos! Thank you to Petra for sponsoring this great prize.

CAKES/PIZZA

Stuart, Sarah, Lené, Taylor, Nicky

BIRTHDAYS

Happy birthday to Nico, Beth, Jackie, Cameron, Andile, Mandy, Mel, Lene and Jenni.

BLONDE OF THE MONTH

Brad is trying hard to make sure he gets as many nominations as possible for Blonde of the Year 2020. For the recent Valentine's dressage show, Brad was meant to be in Cape Town for business so Natalie was going to ride Naughty Forty for him. Brad decided he didn't want to miss out, cancelled all his Cape Town meetings so he could stay in Joburg for the show. Not knowing this, Jade had arranged her business meetings in Cape Town for the same time as Brad's and booked a lovely hotel room with her personal credit card so they could celebrate Valentine's weekend together in Cape Town. She had to go on her own.

Natalie was riding Dollar at the Valentine's show and seeing as Brad was also going, she asked if he could help out with the towing to save her from rushing around after lessons to get to the show in time. Brad asked Natalie if she could call his test for him as Jade, who would normally have done it for him, was away in Cape Town for the weekend.

The Friday before the show, Brad got to stables and Natalie saw a look on his face that said something was up. Brad had to admit to Natalie that he couldn't tow to the show. Jade had the towing car and it was parked at the airport. The keys and parking ticket were with Jade in Cape Town so he couldn't even go fetch the car. In the process of explaining, he tried to blame Jade for his bad planning (or lack of communication skills?). We know it's not you Jade!

So off to the show Brad and Natalie went in Natalie's car. The following Tuesday after the show, Brad asked Natalie if she had seen his whip in her car. He couldn't find it anywhere. Natalie looked but couldn't find it either. At the ICB dressage show the next weekend, Brad pulled the ramp to the horsebox down and the stick just dropped down. He got a compliment from an onlooker on his clever idea for storing a whip and took it all in. Didn't give away the fact he didn't even know it was there!