






# Mount Mascall Stables 2017 Christmas Holiday Pony Fun & Learning

	<b>Thursday 21<sup>st</sup></b> Mini Morning 09:30 – 12:00 £25 Pony Fun Day 09:45 – 15:45 £38	<b>Friday 22<sup>nd</sup></b> Mini Morning 09:30 – 12:00 £25 Shop & Drop Pony Day 09:15 – 16:45 £45 Extended Pony Day	<b>Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup></b> Mini Morning 09:30 – 12:00 £25 Pony Fun Day 09:45 – 15:45 £38	<b>Sunday 24<sup>th</sup></b> Mini Morning 09:30 – 12:00 £25 Pony Fun Day 09:45 – 15:45 £38	<b>Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup></b> Mini Morning 09:30 – 12:00 £25 Pony Fun Day 09:45 – 15:45 £38	<b>Thursday 28<sup>th</sup></b> Mini Morning 09:30 – 12:00 £25 Pony Fun Day 09:45 – 15:45 £38
  	<p><b>10:30: – 12:30</b>  <b>Sequence of Footfalls</b>                      To include ridden element                      An exciting badge. Learn to feel the sequence of footfalls in walk, trot, canter and rein back. Be able to show a balanced rhythm in walk, trot and canter on a pony or horse.                      Demonstrate the ability to ride balanced and progressive transitions between paces.                      £25</p> <p><b>SOF Mini Badge 11:30 – 12:30</b>                      Learn the amount of beats for each pace. Achieve this by pony &amp; rider observation. In a group of four (one person per foot), shake a bottle of pebbles when that foot should touch the floor for each pace!                      £15</p>	<p><b>12:00 – 14:00</b>  <b>Festive Handy Pony</b>                      An exhilarating, exciting course with festive theme. Designed to challenge rider &amp; pony. First, walk the course on foot and discuss with one of our top instructors, how best to successfully tackle the different obstacles. Enjoy a few practice rounds - then ride against the clock - in a fun mini race to see who can complete it correctly and in the fastest time.   <b>Special prize for the winner!</b>                      £25</p>	<p><b>We are open for lessons as usual please call to book 020 8 300 3947</b></p>	<p><b>10:30 – 12:30</b>  <b>Christmas Eve Festive Hamper Hack &amp; Snack</b>                      A merry, festive walk about and around the woods for the less confident rider.                       Afterwards cosy up in the clubroom for festive treats &amp; delicious warm hot choc with marshmallows and a refreshing cold drink.                       Remember to wear your festive jumper and/or reindeer horns and tinsel.                      £28</p>	<p><b>09:30 – 15:00</b>  <b>Pony Clubbers! Get Busy On The Yard!</b>                      This is a full on day to get you going after a few days of fun and feasting! The supervised day will involve a practical working day/behind the scenes action!                       Offering the chance to put into practice your super stable management skills and get advice with some of those you need help with!                      £35</p> <p><b>Why not join in the Christmas Jumper Gymkhana Session that runs after this activity.....see below!</b></p>	<p><b>09:00– 11:00</b>  <b>I can jump!</b>                      This session is aimed at the more advanced rider working very confidently on the flat in walk, trot &amp; canter. To have either completed beginner jumps during lessons or attended two beginner jump rallies. There will be three small jumps set out in the arena to practice and perfect.                      £25</p> <p><b>11:00 – 13:00</b>  <b>Learning to Jump</b>                      The session will focus on building confidence in the saddle in preparation to jump. We will begin with rider position, trotting poles, distances - with a view to finish on a small cross pole, if ability allows.                      £25</p>
	<p><b>13:30 – 15:30</b>  <b>Care of Foot</b>                      Mini Badge Available                      Recognise and point to the three parts of the foot. Know how and why to use a hoof pick and skip bucket. Know how and why to apply hoof oil. Know if the pony is shod or unshod. For the bigger badge – you need to know something of the structure of the horses foot, the need for daily care and some knowledge of the trimming and shoeing process.  <b>Popular Craft Activity included</b>                      Paint A Horseshoe – to take home!                      £25</p>	<p><b>15:00 – 17:00</b>  <b>Santa Pony Parade</b>                      Enjoy a fun fancy dress parade in the arena with your friends. Dress up your favourite patient pony with all things Christmassy! Wear a fun outfit yourself if you wish. A prize for the most creative pony &amp; rider!                       (While we will have a few bits we encourage you to bring tinsel and other decorations for your pony. Try to limit anything that rustles!)                      £20</p>	<p><b>We are open for lessons as usual please call to book 020 8 300 3947</b></p>	<p><b>We are open for lessons as usual please call to book 020 8 300 3947</b></p>	<p><b>15:00 – 17:30</b>  <b>Christmas Jumper Gymkhana with after buffet/party!</b>                      Give your Christmas jumper its last outing this season! A steady introduction to games on horseback and on foot. Plenty of help on hand. After all the fun the group will enjoy an exclusive after party with buffet in the clubroom.                       The award for the Best Christmas Jumper will be announced ☺                      £25</p>	<p><b>14:00 – 17:30</b>  <b>Popcorn &amp; Ponies! Ridden Element</b>                      Enjoy a fun group ride in the arena before settling down to watch a festive film! Popcorn and a Moooooovie!                       Chill out in the Mount Mascall Movie Room with a special seasonal film plus popcorn to snack on &amp; a refreshing drink or Scrummy hot choc!                      £25</p>

**Stocking filler – if you sign up to a morning activity AND afternoon activity you will receive complimentary lunch and drinks**

**PONY CLUB BADGE SESSIONS ARE IN RED ☺**

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	Friday 29 <sup>th</sup>	Saturday 30 <sup>th</sup>	New Year's Eve	New Year's Day	Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup>
	<b>Mini Morning</b> 09:30 – 12:00 £25	<b>Mini Morning</b> 09:30 – 12:00 £25	No Mini Morning	No Mini Morning	<b>Mini Morning</b> 09:30 – 12:00 £25	<b>Mini Morning</b> 09:30 – 12:00 £25
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	<p><b>10:00 – 13:00</b>  <b>Tack Cleaning &amp; Point of Tack Badge!</b></p> <p><b>Two badges up for grabs!</b> Cleaning and caring for your pony's tack is a very important job! This knowledge and skill is <b>ESSENTIAL</b> for your pony's comfort &amp; safety, as well as your own! Mistakes with care of this expensive equipment can be very costly!</p> <p>To gain this badge you need to be expertly proficient!  <b>£26</b></p>	<p><b>We are open for lessons as usual please call to book 020 8 300 3947</b></p>	<p><b>11:15 – 13:45</b>  <b>New Year's Eve Hamper Hack with Sam!</b></p> <p>A more experienced and forward going hack around beautiful Joydens Wood. Rider must be confident and working independently in walk and trot. On returning to the yard, enjoy a delicious Sunday lunch in the clubroom with all the trimmings! Nice ☺</p> <p><b>£30</b></p>	<p><b>10:30 – onwards</b>  <b>New Year's Day Show</b></p> <p>We invite all our clients and their families to welcome the New Year with us at our popular NYD Show. Showjumping excitement to spectate throughout the day. Wrap up warm!</p> <p>Our licenced clubroom will be open and we will be serving some delicious food specials throughout the day.</p> <p>Our experienced riders are invited to compete on one of our riding school ponies.</p>	<p><b>09:30-10:30</b>  <b>Advance Jump</b></p> <p>A special jumping experience with our Chief Instructor. Rider must be able to walk, trot and canter confidently &amp; independently and have experience with jumping to participate.</p> <p><b>£20</b></p> <p><b>10:30 – 13:00</b>  <b>Equine First Aid</b></p> <p>We recommend you hold this badge if you hope to gain the D+ Test. Plus it's a really helpful and interesting badge!  <b>£22</b></p>	<p><b>10:00 – 13:00</b>  <b>New Year Family Fun Morning</b></p> <p>A parent &amp; child shared session. Meet and greet, pat and chat with our beautiful equines. We will show you how to groom &amp; handle correctly while you observe tacking up – you can even have a go! Arena ride or woodland walk – weather pending. Plenty of help on hand. If you need a leader, please request this when you book.</p> <p>Enjoy a snack &amp; drink in the Clubroom afterwards too! Quality family time!</p> <p><b>£55 1 Adult &amp; 1 Child</b>  <b>£65 1 Adult &amp; 2 Children</b>  <b>OR 2 Adults &amp; 1 Child</b>  <b>£80 2 Adults 2 Children</b>  <b>OR 1 Adult or 3 Children</b></p>
	<p><b>14:00 – 16:00</b>  <b>Bareback and Vaulting</b></p> <p>It's a really fun challenge and a wonderful way to improve your seat &amp; balance. Circus and military riders are massive fans and the ponies seem to enjoy it too! Have a go, whether you are a beginner bareback &amp; vaulter or a firm saddle free seat &amp; circus skills fan! Fun is guaranteed.</p> <p><b>£20</b></p>	<p><b>We are open for lessons as usual please call to book 020 8 300 3947</b></p>	<p><b>14:00 – 16:30</b>  <b>Building Show Jumps</b>  <b>Pony Club Badge up for grabs!</b></p> <p>Super and unique experience! Preparing for tomorrow's action packed day of showjumping. Learn to recognise various showjumps, build them safely and help design a course. You will get great showjumping hints and tips along the way!</p> <p>This session is suitable if you have already taken part in practical jumping sessions.</p> <p><b>£22</b></p>	<p>Please speak to your instructor for guidance and confirmation that you are ready to compete.</p> <p>Advance entry only for school horses &amp; ponies is at the special New Year rate of <b>£20 including one class + £3 First Aid</b>  <b>Additional classes @ £10/£12 OTD</b></p>	<p><b>14:00 – 16:00</b>  <b>Flatwork Fun!</b>  <b>Arena Badge Up for Grab!</b></p> <p>Focus on Pony Club fundamentals – riding and handling from the ground - and more progressive exercises tailored to suit. During this session you will also learn about arena etiquette and the markers. Why we have them and what use they serve.</p> <p>Group may be split according to ability.</p> <p><b>£22</b></p>	<p><b>14:30 – 17:30</b>  <b>Popcorn &amp; Ponies!</b>  <b>Ridden Element</b></p> <p>The perfect way to finish your <b>2018 celebrations!</b></p> <p>Enjoy a fun group ride in the arena before settling down to watch a festive film! Popcorn and a Moooooovie!</p> <p>Chill out in the Mount Mascall Movie Room with a special seasonal film plus popcorn to snack on &amp; a refreshing drink or scrummy hot choc!</p> <p><b>£25</b></p>



## Schedule – useful further information

**Mini Morning** – Suggested age 3 to 6 year olds (advisory) - A session of pure pony fun for the little ones. Meet & greet, pamper & play with our wonderful ponies. Plus enjoy a group ride in the arena with your pony pals, followed by a festive craft activity - a take home memory of your wonderful time with us! Refreshment & snack (fruit & biscuits) included ☺

**Pony Fun Days** – 5 years and above (advisory) - The perfect whatever the weather holiday activity for any young pony fan from complete beginner level upwards. The fun ALWAYS includes a group ride with pony handling & care PLUS extra activity choices - gymkhana & on foot games, tractor rides & woodland walks, picnics, quizzes and more! Pony Fun Days activities are varied and no two days will be exactly the same! If the day is a wet one – we will include a craft activity – to allow them to keep dry & warm up! Lunch and refreshments are included.

**Extended Pony Fun Days** – Shop & Drop Pony Day and New Year Sales Pony Day - extended times to allow parents to enjoy shoppers to enjoy a child free shopping experience!

**Pony Club Badges** – A fun way to learn and achieve. A variety of badge sessions on offer - each topic will be covered in detail through group observations, discussion and practical skills. Take this chance to achieve some brilliant badges! Refreshment included.

**Hacking Adventures** – Winter riding in beautiful our beautiful ancient woodland – Joydens Wood. Afterwards, you get to chat ‘n’ snack in the clubroom with your hacking pals! For the less experienced ride, please let us know at the time of booking if you require a leader.

## Christmas Gift Inspiration

### Vouchers

Unique and unusual - our riding experience vouchers are a delightful gift for any member of the family or special friend. An array of options to select and you can mix it up too with a combined experience of mounted and unmounted (stable management) activities. Please speak to our helpful office staff for more information.

### Equestrian gifts

Looking for stocking fillers? We have a special selection of festive items perfect for the job! Small or big to all all budgets. Equine Treat Bar £1.50, chocolate ‘I Love My Pony’ lollies £2.20, Pony themed socks £14 and lots more - hurry while stocks last!

### Riding Sessions

Always wanted to try riding a horse/pony? Then 2018 could realise your dream! Our 121 reading sessions would make the ideal present. Or top up on existing riding sessions – prices start from £25 for a half hour 121 lesson.

### Bespoke Packages

No matter what you require, we will be more than happy to cater for your needs. Speak to one of our helpful office staff who will be more than happy to discuss your requirements.



**Merry Christmas from the Mount Mascal Team – human and equine ☺**