

BHS Members Summer Camp 2019

Camp Date 21st – 23rd June 2019

Camp cost £250, Deposit £100, Balance due £150 by 21st April 2019
Please ensure you have read all the Information about camp before booking.

Camp is open to all BHS members, Silver, Gold and BHS Friends. It is aimed at the everyday grassroots rider up to the aspiring competition rider. We are able to cater for all levels of rider, from the novice and nervous to advanced riders. Generally we attract those looking to improve their confidence or their horses and those wanting to start or have a go at jumping up to those jumping 80cms(2'6")

The aim of camp is to cover all disciplines, we are however able to offer a flat only option.

You will enjoy 3 days and 2 nights in the wonderful setting of Chard Equestrian. Our coaches will work with you in small groups and put you through your paces, bringing out the best in you and your horse.

With everyone keen and ready to support each other, you will thrive and progress with your horse over the weekend. You are welcome to relax after dinner and enjoy a glass of wine (bring your own) or use the bar available and reflect on your day. Most importantly we want you to have fun.

The Cost of Camp is £250* per member.

Included is:

Accommodation for two nights, rooms are dorm style and sleep 6 people in three bunk beds. (This is optional)

*Those not wishing to book accommodation (or bringing their own Lorry/Tent etc) can attend for £220

A Stable for your horse including bedding (shavings) + 1 x Additional Bale
6.5 hours of ridden tuition in groups of no more than 6, with BHS registered and qualified coaches

Camp starts before lunch on the Friday and guests are welcome to arrive from 10.30, we will have a meet your team session after lunch and then onto the riding in the afternoon

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner & Desserts are included in the price starting Friday lunchtime, finishing with tea and cakes on the Sunday afternoon, Tea and coffee and cold juice /water are also provided. Other drinks are available to purchase.

Camp Requirements

You must be a BHS member at the time of camp

All horses/ponies must be 4 years or older &

Must hold a passport and need to have all vaccinations up to date.

To speed checking in process, this year please send a copy of your horses passport showing vaccinations at least one month in advance of camp.

You will need a riding hat conforming to current standard, BSEN 1384 marked hats must also contain one of the following standards PAS015, Snell or ASTM F1163. Fixed peak hats are not permitted on the XC course. Body Protectors

conforming to Level 3 BETA 2009 standards must also be worn for XC. You are encouraged to wear body protectors for showjumping, but it is not compulsory. If you choose to wear an air jacket, you will still have to wear your body protector on the XC course.

The Venue

The BHS Camp will be held at **Chard Equestrian, Higher Purtington show field, Chard, TA18 8QY**, just outside Chard in the beautiful Somerset countryside, located close to the Dorset border a perfect location. With superb facilities, 4 Grass arenas, including dressage arenas, 3 all weather surface arenas, 2 full sets of BSJA show jumps, Working hunter jumps, XC courses from 50cm – 1m, with new and improved fences, 64 internal stables in the main barns and additional stabling for up to 100. There are electric hook up points for lorries requiring it. The clubhouse will house the new restaurant/café, the shower block and toilets and a comfortable seating area. As well as a bar and shop with the new accommodation and lounge area upstairs.

Where possible we will keep friends attending together, stabled together. As well as those who wish to share rooms together.

There will be no turnout during the camp, however you may graze in hand.

Shavings bedding is included and provided.

You will need to bring your own hay/haylage and hard feed.

Important Dates

Camp will be held from 10.30 Friday 21st June until 18:00 Sunday 23rd June.

Bookings can be made immediately, by completing this form and sending payment in full or with a deposit of £100 to secure your place.

In all cases full payment needs to be made on or before 21st April.

You will need to bring:

Hay/haylage for your horse as well as hard feed.

Buckets for water and feed.

Mucking out and tidying up tools inc wheelbarrow and a broom

Tack (there is no lockable tackroom we suggest it is stored in your car or lorry when not in use)

Saddle stand – for outside the stable

Bedding, sheet, duvet and pillow

Towels and toiletries

Wine or evening tittle.

Horse passport, checked and upto date with vaccinations – please send copy in advance with booking form.

You are responsible for checking your Hat and Body Protector conform to current standard, they will be checked on arrival.

Clothing for all weathers!

This is not a pony club camp, you are responsible for checking your own tack is safe, secure and fitted correctly. There will be many hands onsite to assist and ask, if you need help. But the overall responsibility remains with you. Spectators (friends and families) are welcome to come and watch but we must be notified in advance. Spectators may not enter arenas with out the coaches permission.

Well behaved dogs who are familiar with horses are welcome, but must be kept on leads at all times and be cleaned up after. Any dog found to be a nuisance will be required to leave the site. Dogs are not permitted in the Club house.

Our Coaches are all BHS qualified, and have been chosen specifically to ensure you have a wonderful, safe and fun time with us at camp. The BHS Somerset committee will have a representative and first aider on site at all times.

We look forward to seeing you and having a fabulous weekend. Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions

Charlie Usher – Education Officer – charlie.usher@yahoo.com – 07941453499

Special Dietary Requirements

Please advise us if you are Vegetarian or Coeliac. Any other special dietary requirement, may incur a small surcharge. Please indicate here any requirements you may have.

Accommodation

Included in the cost is a dorm bed (max 6/8) per room sharing bunk beds. You need to bring your bedding(sheet, duvet & pillow)
You can provide you own accommodation, in the form of tent or horsebox
Electric hook ups are available, providing we are notified in advance.
You may arrange to stay locally in a hotel or bed and breakfast. Or return home each evening. Please indicate your type of accommodation and if you require access to an electric hook up. If not staying in a dorm room you may deduct £30 from the cost of camp.

– Dorm bed please - Sharing a room with _____

– Staying on site in: – Tent
 - Horsebox - – Electric hook up required

– Staying at home – Horse is staying at home overnight
 – Staying locally Hotel/B&B – Horse is staying on site overnight
Name _____

About Your Horse/Pony

Horse/Pony Name	Height
Type & Breed if known	Age (must be 4 or over)

Should you NOT wish the on call vet to be used in an emergency and would prefer your own vet please provide the name of VET and contact details:

If coming with friends please indicate whom, we will try to stable you next to your friends.

Please specify if you wish to be in the same riding group as your friend, Please consider that you may ride at different abilities and have different goals for coming to camp.

Riding Experience	
Please answer the following questions as honestly as possible. It is important that we have as clear an idea of you and your horse combined ability as a pair to ensure you get the best out of your camp experience.	
How many years have you been riding?	How long have you been riding this horse/pony?
Can you safely walk, trot and canter in an enclosed arena with other horses? YES/NO	Can you safely walk, trot and canter in a fenced field with other horses? YES/NO
Are you happy to take part in all lessons? I.e. flat, poles, SJ & XC? YES/NO	<u>If Not ALL</u> please state here which parts you wish to take part in. ie, Flat only or Flat & SJ
<p>You and your horse now: what do you do with your horse? circle relevant options:</p> <p>Hacking Lessons at home Pleasure & Sponsored Rides</p> <p>TREC or Agility Show Jumping Pole Work XC</p> <p>Hunting Riding Clinics BE 80 BE90 CT</p> <p>Dressage: (state at which level) _____</p>	
<p>Please indicate which statement(s) best applies to you and then circle the level you wish to ride at:</p> <p><input type="radio"/> - I am really not a lover of jumping, but will be happy to take part in pole work (trot and canter ground poles) as I know it improves our way of going</p> <p><input type="radio"/> - I would rather not go cross country</p> <p><input type="radio"/> - We would like to try some cross country <input type="radio"/> - I have been before <input type="radio"/> - horse has been before <input type="radio"/> - We have not done any cross country before</p> <p><input type="radio"/> - Rider confident, but green or young horse, happy to jump 50cms(18") 60cms(2') 70cms(2'3") 80cms(2'7")</p> <p><input type="radio"/> - Rider capable but a little nervous, need to build confidence but want to jump: 50cms(18") 60cms(2') 70cms(2'3") 80cms(2'7")</p> <p><input type="radio"/> - We both need to build on our jumping skill, but are keen to advance and confident to jump 60cms(2') 70cms(2'3") 80cms(2'7")</p> <p><input type="radio"/> - Currently competing, or working and schooling happily at 70cms(2'3") 80cms(2'7")</p> <p><input type="radio"/> - I am happy doing the height indicated above for show jumping, but would like to jump a different height XC. I would like to jump XC NO BIGGER THAN _____</p>	

Disclaimer

The BHS, Coaches and venue have taken reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present. For these measures to be affective, everyone must take reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents themselves.

The organizers, Chard Equestrian and The British Horse Society, its agents, employees and all those connected with the equestrian facilities do not accept any liability for any damage, accident, injury loss or illness to horse, rider, spectators or property whilst present at this event whether occasioned by the negligence or breach of contract or statutory duty of themselves, agents employees or those connected with the Equestrian facilities or otherwise whosoever.

In the event of an emergency, when the owner/career of the horse is not present, the on call vet will be asked to attend and treat, as such you agree to any related charges. Unless you provide clearly your own vet details.

Insurance

BHS Silver members will need to provide a copy of their insurance certificate with a clear indication of liability cover, BHS Gold Members will be covered under the Insurance offered with the membership package.

No booking will be accepted without a membership number.

Should any coach have doubt about the safety of a person due to capability, faulty tack/equipment or any other reason which may endanger themselves or others, the coach may refuse to allow that person to take part until they are fully satisfied with the amendments made.

Payment

If you do not wish to pay in full at time of booking, we are happy to accept a deposit of £100 to secure your place. The balance will be due on or before the 21st April 2019.

Payment can be made by Cheque Payable to: BHS Somerset
or by

BACS to The British Horse Society Somerset

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with reference **BHSCAMP**

To book your place, please fully complete this form, sign and return it together with your payment to: BHS Camp, 20 High Street, Stoke Sub Hamdon, Somerset, TA14 6PS or by email to charlie.usher@yahoo.com

Cancellation

Refunds are only issued on the production of a vet/doctor certificate stating the horse/you will not be fit to work on the 1st may (allowing time for fitness)
No refunds are given for change of mind or circumstances.

After 1st May a 50% refund will be issued

Cancellation on or after 1st June No refund will be issued.

In all cases refund will be will be given less £20 admin charge.

In the event of severe adverse weather, we reserve the right to cancel the event, in this case a full refund will be issued.

I agree to Terms and Conditions that are set out above, that I have read all the information on BHS Camp and I can confirm I am a current BHS Member.

– I require accommodation (dormitory)(total cost £250)

– I am making alternative accommodation arrangements (total cost £220)

- I enclose a cheque for _____

– I have made a BACS transfer of _____

– I have attached a copy of my horses passport.

– My horse has a vaccination due between now and camp on.....
I will forward a copy after this date.

Signed Date.....

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