

## **Press release**

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### **ENTRIES TOP ONE HUNDRED AT THE CABIN EC**

ABERDEENSHIRE riders were only too glad to escape the shackles of the recent snow as seen by bumper entries of 124 in Sunday's (March 7) mixed unaffiliated showjumping show at The Cabin Equestrian Centre, Keithhall, Inverurie.

Both junior and adult riders turned out in force with young rider Sammy Wiseman on Winnie McBee snaffling the trophy for the show points horse/pony and rider combination. The standard of jumping was excellent throughout the day with horses and ponies coping well in what was a not-so-long return to competition for many thanks to the tough winter months.

Fiona Quennell, proprietor of The Cabin EC commented:"It was a really fantastic day and had a great atmosphere. People really wanted the show as they'd not been able to do anything the past couple of months. We look forward to welcoming riders back to our April 11 unaffiliated show."

The year round calendar of British Showjumping events kicks off at The Cabin EC on Tuesday, March 16 in the form of an adult amateur show with classes starting at 6pm with the 80cm Open, followed by 90cm, one metre and 1.10m National Amateur Championship Qualifiers first round. This will be followed by two, two day mixed British Showjumping shows for juniors and seniors on the weekends of April 3 and 4 and April 17 and 18 respectively. The April 17 and 18 weekend will see the prestigious Royal Highland Foxhunter and Grade C Qualifiers.

And, on Sunday, March 21, The Cabin Equestrian Centre will hold a viewing day of horses and ponies for sale and loan in conjunction with Craigie Equestrian. Starting at 11am and following in the hoofprints of a similar event held earlier this year, the viewing day will showcase youngstock, eventers, showjumpers, riding club and pony club horses/ponies and show horses and ponies.

The unaffiliated schedule continues into Spring with showjumping on the evening of Wednesday, March 24 and April 7 coupled with a mixed unaffiliated weekend show

on Sunday, April 11 plus unaffiliated evening dressage will run on Wednesday, March 31 and April 14.

For further information on any of the above, please contact The Cabin Equestrian Centre on (01467) 624378 or (07771) 617465 or visit the new website at [www.cabinequestrian.co.uk](http://www.cabinequestrian.co.uk)

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### **Notes to editors:**

Results from Sunday, March 7 mixed unaffiliated showjumping show as follows:  
2ft – 1 Jessica Thompson on Gigha; 2 Nicole Lockhead Anderson on Springwater Mariner; 3 Nicole Lockhead Anderson on Jumping Josh; 2ft 3” – 1 Judith Buchan on Eva; 2 Aimee Thom on Astra; 3 Darren John Watt on Ulmax; 2ft 6” – 1 Moyra Ann Hart on Pender; 2 Caitlin Padfield on Mr RH; 3 Abbie Singer on Gerani; 2ft 9” – 1 Judith Buchan on Gerri; 2 Catherine Hollingdale on Balhagan Mr Fox; 3 Sammy Wiseman on Winny McBee; 3ft – 1 Louise Reid on Red; 2 Sammy Wiseman on Winnie McBee; 3 Garry Cahrlish on Zurrial; 3ft 3” – 1 Holly Burton on Retinto Montenegro; 2 Kayleigh Spalding on Tabloid M; 3 Gemma Taylor on Fieldhead Vengaboy; 3ft 6” – 1 Alan Spalding on Junior H; 2 Kaleigh Spalding on Watinka; 3 Jennifer Burnett on Balharty Harvest Gold.

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