

AREA 1B Limited – Newsletter October 2009

Dear Members,

We will be holding our Annual AGM at Showfield Office, Lane End Farm, Crooklands on the **18th November 2009** at 7.30pm and it would be appreciated if as many members attend as possible. Please try to make an effort to attend when you will be able to air your views, or suggestions to the Committee, and support your Area.

I trust by now you will all have sent your points cards to Kath Allen, who will be calculating the placings and ordering the rosettes for the presentation shortly. The presentation this year will be held at Burneside Cricket Club, Kendal, Cumbria LA9 55B, on the **27th November 2009** at 7.30pm. A Buffet supper will be served and tickets will be £10 per head. Junior members will be free as usual. Non members £10, non members 12 yrs and under £5. Please can you fill in the enclosed form asap and send with your cheque to Dawn Myerscough. (As usual the area will subsidise the cost of this function, so we would be grateful for any raffle prize donations.)

The dates for the shows for next year are as follows:-

Winter Show – Myerscough – 31st January 2010

Winter Show – Greenlands – 21st March 2010

Spring Show – Crooklands – 1st May 2010

Summer Show – Crooklands – 12th July 2010 (to be confirmed)

A nomination form for new committee members is enclosed, and it would be appreciated if anyone who is interested in joining us on the committee would fill in the form and let me have it before the AGM. We are desperately short of helpers to set up and run the shows and training days, also we have a vacancy for a Treasurer as Mrs Wells is retiring from this position at the end of the Financial year. It is very important that members help with the setting up and running of the area shows and this year we offered an incentive of a £10 voucher towards entry fees for anyone who helped. The Committee thanks those few members & parents who did come along and help. We will be carrying on with this incentive for the forthcoming season.

A training day has been organised for the **30th October 2009** at Jenkinsons, Shap, and Tracey Brooks has kindly offered to instruct on this day. Please could interested members fill in the enclosed form and send it to Louise Templeton asap.

Several training days have been organised throughout the season and have all proved very popular and successful. However if any members have any ideas for future training days or would like to organise one we would be very pleased to hear from you.

Don't forget to look on the new revised website regularly for notices, information, adverts, functions, training, etc. and if anyone has anything they want adding please e mail me and I will try to get it put on for you. The website address is bpsarea1b.com. Schedules will be available for you to download or view on the website hopefully in the future. If you do not have internet access please let me know and I will arrange to let you have updates by post.

Hope you have all had a successful and enjoyable season as members of Area 1B and look forward to seeing you all at the AGM and Presentation Evening and hope you will join us again in 2010.

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