

ALDBROUGH
ST. JOHN

VILLAGE FEAST PROGRAMME

10th – 17th AUGUST 2024

1281 - 2024



Car Boot Sale
Food/Drinks/Arts & Crafts

Cricket

Family Quiz / Bingo

Treasure Hunts

Children's Sports

and much more



Gymkhana/Show Jumping



Scarecrows



Duck Race



THE
STANWICK ARMS



Live Music Festival

2024 TIMETABLE OF EVENTS

DAY	TIME	WHAT'S ON	WHERE
Saturday 10 th August	10:00 - 12:00	Aldbrough Show – Set up and Judging	Entries to Village Hall
	15:00 - 16:30	Aldbrough Show - Public Viewing	Village Hall
	12:00 -17:00	Mithril Ales Brewery open day	Kilton Grange
	16:30 - 17:00	Removal of Aldbrough Show Produce	Village Hall
	19:00	Family Quiz & Cash Bingo – Pie & Peas	Village Hall
Sunday 11 th August	09:00	Car Boot / Food/Drink/Arts/Crafts set up	Low Green & Village Hall
	09:00 - 17:00	Refreshments	Low Green
	10:00 - 13:00	Car Boot/ Food/Drink/Arts/Crafts stalls	Low Green & Village Hall
	11.00	Village Cricket	Cricket Club
Monday 12 th August	10:00	Scarecrows to be in place	Around Village
	09:30 - 17:00	Refreshments	Low Green
	10:00 - 18:00	Gymkhana and Show jumping	Low Green
	18:00 - late	Murphy's Fun Fair	High Green
Tuesday 13 th August	09:00	Children's Treasure Hunt	Village Hall
	16:00	Children's Sports	Low Green
	18:00 - late	Murphy's Fun Fair	High Green
Wednesday 14 th August	14:00 – 16:00	Afternoon Teas	Village Hall
	17:30-18:30	Quoits – “Have a Go”	High Green (Outside The Stanwick Arms
	18:30	Quoits knock out competition	
Thursday 15 th August	18:00 – 21:00	Car Treasure Hunt	The Stanwick Arms
Friday 16 th August	18:45	Couples / Mixed Darts	The Stanwick Arms
Saturday 17 th August	12 Noon	Duck Race	Aldbrough Beck
	14:00 – Late	Feast Festival - Live Music Murphy's dodgems	High Green
	14:45 – 15:30	Grand Raffle Prize Draw	High Green

**The Stanwick Arms which will be open and serving drinks throughout
Aldbrough Feast!**

PLEASE NOTE A LOT OF EVENTS ARE CASH OR CHEQUE ONLY

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EVENT INFORMATION

SATURDAY 10TH AUGUST

Aldbrough Show

Produce, Cookery, Arts and Crafts, Photography and Children's Cookery & Crafts

All entries to be staged in the Village Hall between 10:00 – 12:00

Entries 50p each – children under 16 free

Public viewing from 15:00 – 16:30 Admission 50p

Entry forms to be found towards the back of the programme



MITHRIL ALES BREWERY OPEN DAY



**Kilton Grange
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Time 12:00 – 17:00



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CASH ONLY DONATIONS

Donations to be divided between Aldbrough Feast, Quoits Club and Cricket Club .

Family Quiz and Cash Bingo – Pie and Pea Supper



There will be a Cash Bingo and Quiz night in the village hall with pie and pea supper
Starts at 19:00



Family Quiz – Open to all ages - Maximum – 8 people per team

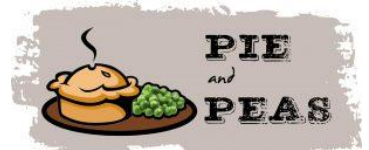
Cash Bingo – Open to all (all cash collected will be paid back in prizes)
Bring your own drinks

Quiz £5 per ticket (to cover supper) Please buy tickets in advance

Bingo Tickets for sale on the night £10 per book

Tickets available from Kirstie Thornton

Tel: 07832300103



SUNDAY 11TH AUGUST

CAR BOOT SALE AND FOOD/DRINK/ARTS & CRAFTS FESTIVAL



This will be located on the football pitch and in the village hall.

Buyers start time 10:00

COST- £5 per vehicle. - Sellers set up from 09:00



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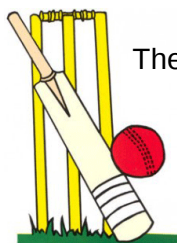


Low Green All day Teas and Coffees will be available from Baristasisters, Murphy's catering van will also be available on Low Green



FIRE BRIGADE DISPLAY

The local Fire brigade will be on low green doing some activities



Village Cricket

There will be a Cricket tournament with teams from local villages at Aldbrough Cricket Club
Come down and support your village team

Start Time at 11.00am



MONDAY 12TH AUGUST



GYMKHANA AND SHOWJUMPING

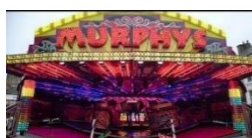
This is an open event and there will be classes for all ages.
Starts at 10:00 - Entries on the day



Please contact Kirstie Thornton on 07832300103 for Gymkhana and Show Jumping
Schedule included in this programme

MURPHY'S FUN FAIR

Provided by Murphy's Amusements, this will be situated on High Green and starts around 18:00.



REFRESHMENTS

Low Green All day



Teas and Coffees will be available from Baristasisters, Murphy's catering van available on Low Green.

SCARECROW COMPETITION

All Scarecrows to be in place by 10am – Entry Form on the Scarecrow Information Page

We are back to a competition this year no theme just a traditional scarecrow

Judging will take place later in the week and this year they will be judged by the children from the village by way of votes.



TUESDAY 13TH AUGUST



CHILDREN'S TREASURE HUNT



Children's treasure hunt will be set up to run all day from 9am.

This year theme is Jo Wicks: Let's Get Fit! To begin the treasure hunt, collect a map from outside the village hall. You will also find the first clue here that will inform you where to go next and your first Let's Get Fit activity. As you follow the clues and activities you will collect letters to make a mystery word. When you complete the hunt, you will find a prize (please only take one each) and a box to leave your completed sheet. All correct entries will be entered into a free draw to win a children's hamper which will be drawn on Saturday 12th August. Good luck, happy hunting and let's get fit!

For more information contact Ann Lees 07969 432207

CHILDREN'S SPORTS

Starts at 16:00 on Low Green

Sports - A variety of races for children of all ages, prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places.



FUN FAIR

Provided by Murphy's Amusements:
this will be situated on High Green
starts around 18:00



WEDNESDAY 14TH AUGUST

AFTERNOON TEAS



Village Hall 14:00 – 16:00

Tea, Coffee, Scones and cakes.

CASH Donations of £2.50 are suggested



QUOITS



Free 'Have-a-Go' session 17:30 – 18:30

Knock Out Competition starts at 18:30.

If you have not played before come and give it a go. The quoits pitches are on the green in front of the Stanwick Arms.

The competition is open to everyone in the feast area and Aldbrough team.

Entry: £2.00 per person.

Thursday 15TH AUGUST

CAR TREASURE HUNT

Start: The Stanwick Arms at 18:00 – 19:00

Entry £2 per person

All cars back to The Stanwick Arms by 20:45

Prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places

NOTE: All the team names will be put into a hat and one team will be selected at random to set the Car Treasure Hunt for 2025



FRIDAY 16th AUGUST

COUPLES DARTS The Stanwick Arms

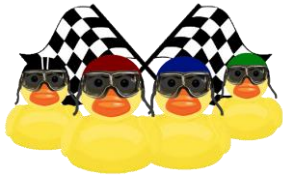


Registration from 18:45 -19:15
Draw at 19:20 - Starts at 19.30 prompt



Teams of two people living in the Parish or local Villages Entry: £4.00 per couple

SATURDAY 17th AUGUST



DUCK RACE

Ducks released in Aldbrough Beck at 12:00 noon

The Aldbrough duck race is a regular fixture in the Village Feast calendar.

To enter a duck see Sue Martin, they will also be on sale throughout feast week and will be available in The Stanwick Arms

Entries are £1 per duck
Prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd and last places.

Duck Race



Grand Prize Raffle



FEAST RAFFLE DRAW AND CHILDRENS TREASURE HUNT DRAW

We have some FANTASTIC prizes this year
The raffle will be drawn at around 14:45 on High Green, (in front of the Festival Stage)

To close the Feast

The Feast Festival

Live Music on High Green

Starting at 14:00

There will be a number of groups playing this year and it is sure to be a great day/night
we will have 2 stages running this year so there will be no breaks in entertainment.

As in previous years we can look forward to a great night's entertainment even if we don't get a great night's weather.

**The Stanwick Arms will be open for drinks
Murphy's catering van will be there for Fish & Chips.
Bring your gazebos, tables and chairs and enjoy the music!**

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ALDBROUGH SHOW

Saturday 10th August 2024

The Produce Show, Arts and Crafts, Cookery, Children's classes and Adult Industrial classes will again be run together.

Public viewing: 15.00 - 16.30 Admission: 50p

RULES AND CONDITIONS:

- Entry fees: Each entry per class - 50p. Children under 16 FREE
- Entry forms to: Elaine Lumley Tel: 07368226364 (address on entry form)
- **Closing date for entries will be Tuesday 6th August at 9pm**
- Exhibits welcome from villages in the wider parish. All professionals please exhibit 'HC'
- The exhibitor must grow/create/cook their own exhibits, except for flower arranging
- No more than one entry from any competitor in classes except for Industrial and Photography classes
- The Village Hall will be open at 10 am on Saturday 10th August 2024 for staging and all exhibits must be staged by 12 noon
- All Arts and Crafts exhibits should be named on the back
- The decision of the Judge is final and no discussions will be entered into
- The Committee accepts no responsibility for any loss or damage to exhibits
- No exhibits to be removed before 16.30, but all should be removed by 17.00

POINTS AND PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED AS FOLLOWS:

1st Prize	3 points	£2.00
2nd Prize	2 points	£1.00
3rd prize	1 point	50p

Plates will be given for the following:

The best exhibit in the produce classes

The most points in the produce classes

The best exhibit in the cookery classes

The most points in the cookery classes

The best exhibit in the floral classes

Prize for the most outstanding entry by the under 16s taking age into consideration



FRUIT AND VEGETABLE AND ADULT COOKERY CLASSES

Class 1-19 plate for best exhibit and for most points

- 1** Tray of vegetables - any 4 different single vegetables
- 2** Four runner beans - ensure each pod has a portion of stalk
- 3** Funniest shaped vegetable
- 4** Three onions from sets or spring sown - dressed
- 5** Four pea pods - ensure that each pod has a portion of stalk
- 6** Four tomatoes - with stalks
- 7** Six cherry tomatoes - with stalks
- 8** Three courgettes - 6ins/15cms maximum length
- 9** Three main crop potatoes - any shape, named
- 10** Three beetroot as pulled - washing allowed
- 11** One cucumber - flower allowed
- 12** Three cooking apples
- 13** Longest stick of rhubarb without leaves
- 14** Six raspberries - with stalks
- 15** Six sweet peas
- 16** Three dahlias - any variety
- 17** One flowering plant in a pot (pot no more than 10ins/25cms)
- 18** One vegetable and one flower - any variety
- 19** One pot of herbs

FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS

Class 20-23 plate for best exhibit

- 20** A buttonhole for a wedding
- 21** A blue and white arrangement
- 22** A vase of mixed garden flowers
- 23** An arrangement in a teapot

COOKERY

Class 24-33 plate for best exhibit and for most points

- 24** Four cheese scones
- 25** Decorated Victoria sponge
- 26** Four oat biscuits
- 27** Banana bread (see recipe)
- 28** Fruit pie - pastry top and bottom
- 29** A bottle of home made alcoholic drink

JARS

- 30** A chutney of your choice
- 31** A jar of fruit jam - any flavour
- 32** A jar of fruit jelly - any flavour
- 33** A jar of marmalade - any flavour

ENTRY FORMS AT BACK OF PROGRAMME

LOCAL CHILDREN'S ARTS, CRAFTS, COOKERY AND FLOWER ARRANGING

AGES AS ON DAY OF SHOW - AGE TO BE SHOWN

Under school age:

- 1 A face mask – any material
- 2 By the seaside - picture using paints or crayons
- 3 My favourite collection (display no more than 30cm x 30cm)
- 4 A painted stone

7 years and under:

- 5 A face mask – any material
- 6 By the seaside - picture using paints or crayons
- 7 My favourite collection (display no more than 30cm x 30cm)
- 8 A painted stone

8 years and older:

- 9 By the seaside – picture using paints or crayons
- 10 My favourite collection (display no more than 30cm x 30cm)
- 11 A painted stone
- 12 Four decorated cupcakes
- 13 A poster for the Olympics 2024
- 14 Miniature flower arrangement in an egg cup or small glass

LOCAL ADULT INDUSTRIAL AND PHOTOGRAPHY CLASSES

Unmounted and unframed photos only please

Local adult Industrial

- A1 Item made from wool
- A2 Item from recycled materials
- A3 A house or garden sign – any medium
- A4 A greetings card – any occasion

Photography

- P1 A picture from your holidays
- P2 A photograph of water – any setting
- P3 A photograph of a pet
- P4 A photograph including a flower/flowers

ENTRY FORMS AT THE BACK OF THE PROGRAMME

GET READY FOR NEXT YEAR - PHOTOGRAPHY CLASSES FOR 2025

- A close up of nature
- A local sunset or aurora borealis
- A crowded place
- A winter wonderland

RECIPE FOR BANANA BREAD

INGREDIENTS:

140g butter, softened, plus extra for the tin

140g caster sugar

2 large eggs, beaten

140g self raising flour

1 tsp baking powder

2 very ripe bananas, mashed



METHOD:

1. Heat oven to 180C/160C fan/gas 4.

2. Butter a 2lb loaf tin and line the base and sides with baking parchment.

3. Cream together 140g softened butter and 140g caster sugar until light and fluffy.

Slowly add 2 beaten eggs with a little of the flour.

4. Fold in the remaining flour, 1 tsp of baking powder and 2 mashed bananas.

5. Pour the mixture into the prepared tin and bake for about 50 mins or until cooked through.

Check the loaf at 5 min intervals from around 30-40 mins in the oven by testing it with a skewer (it should be able to be inserted and removed cleanly) as the time may vary depending on the shape of your loaf tin.

6. Cool in the tin for 10 mins then remove to a wire rack.



Aldbrough Feast Gymkhana 2024

Monday 12th August 2024
commencing promptly at 10:00am

Please note that the games take place first then the show jumping follows on after that.
Any queries please contact Kirstie Thornton 07832300103

Games Classes

- Class 1** Cup Race
Class 2 Bending Race
Class 3 Potato Race
Class 4 Sack Race
Class 5 Fancy Dress

Show Jumping Classes

- Class 6** Lead Rein Show Jumping (only one handler per pony) 40 cm
Class 7 Show Jumping – Fences approx. 50 cm
Class 8 Show Jumping – Fences approx. 60 cm
Class 9 Show Jumping – Fences approx. 75 cm
Class 10 Show Jumping – Fences approx. 90 cm
Class 11 Show Jumping – Fences approx. 1 metre

Classes 6 – 11 will run as a 2-phase competition whereby all clear rounds will immediately jump a second round against the clock.

Classes 9, 10 & 11 will have prizes for both juniors (16 years and under) and seniors (17 years and over) if there are sufficient entries.

ENTRY FEES TAKEN ON THE DAY CASH / CHEQUE PREFERABLY: -

Games/ Fancy Dress £4.00 / class
Lead Rein Jumping £5.00 / class
Show Jumping £8.00 / class

PRIZES:

Games & Lead Rein Jumping	1 st = £7	2 nd = £5	3 rd = £3
Show Jumping	1 st = £15	2 nd = £10	3 rd = £5



Rosettes will be awarded up to 4th place in all classes.

The Lord McAndrew Cup – awarded to the best competitor living within a 5 mile radius of Aldbrough who gains the most points in Classes 1-4 (one age group).

The Aldbrough St John Feast Trophy – awarded to the best competitor under 8 years living within a 5 mile radius of Aldbrough in Class 6.

The Stanley Dunn Memorial Trophy – awarded to the best competitor in Class 9.

Hard Hats must be worn by riders at all times when mounted.

Appropriate Footwear – must be worn. Horse / Pony abuse will not be tolerated.
The Judge's decision is final.

DISCLAIMER: - The Committee accepts no responsibility for property, damage or injury to horses, riders or spectators.



opening hours

Monday 6:30am–9pm, Tuesday 6:30am–9pm,
Wednesday 6:30am–9pm, Thursday 6:30am–9pm,
Friday 6:30am–9pm, Saturday 8am–6pm
Sunday 8am–6pm (pool opens at 10:00)

Please note: Last entry is 45 minutes before closing

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PLEASE RETURN FORM TO

Elaine Lumley
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ALDBROUGH SHOW - ENTRY FORM 2

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Address

Phone

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NAME OF ENTRANT	AGE	CLASS NO	CLASS DESCRIPTION	PRICE

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LOCAL ADULT INDUSTRIAL AND PHOTOGRAPHY CLASS – ENTRY FORM

Address

Phone

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NAME OF ENTRANT	CLASS NO	CLASS DESCRIPTION	PRICE

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SCARECROW COMPETITION



No theme this year just a traditional scarecrow

This year we are going back to it being a scarecrow competition and it will be judged by some of the children from the village.

Scarecrows must be in place by 10:00 am on Monday 12th August 2024
and should remain in place for the period of the Feast (weather permitting).

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SCARECROW COMPETITION - ENTRY FORM

Name:

Address:

Phone:

Please complete the entry form and return to
Roman Pronyszyn, 18 St Johns Park, Aldbrough by Wednesday 7TH August 2024 or e mail it to
RPRONYSZYN@GMAIL.COM

Aldbrough Feast Committee 2024

The following people have served on the Aldbrough Feast Committee for 2024

Chairperson: Kirstie Thornton, **Treasurer:** Roman Pronyszyn, **Secretary:** Lynn Riley Fox

Mark Thornton, Peter Fenwick, David Banks, Sarah Lewis, Ruth Richmond, Simon Cherry, Jess Young, Carol & Mike Hardy, Ann Lees, Claire Rowett, Chloe Straker, Paul Tate, Elaine Lumley, Sue Martin, Pauline Shone, Andrew Parker, Paul and Barbara Owen and Elaine Rushton.

Thanks

Aldbrough Feast Committee would like to thank the following for their support during the Feast:

- **Oaklea Service Station** for sponsoring the Treasure Hunt
- **The Stanwick Arms** for hosting events
- **Peter Fenwick** for Mithril Ales Brewery for providing beer and snacks
- **Evergreen Pallet Solutions (UK) Limited** for providing the stages and equipment for the Feast Festival
- **Genhire** for providing the lighting and generators for the music festival
- **Everyone** who has kindly donated a raffle prize or sponsored an event

Thank you all very much. Your support is greatly appreciated.

We would also like to thank everyone who attends, helps and takes part in the Aldbrough Feast, as without you the Feast would not continue and that would be a shame, particularly as it has been running since 1281.

The History of Aldbrough Feast

In 1281, Edward I granted John of Brittany, Earl of Richmond, the right to hold a weekly market and an annual fair on the Feast of St Michael (Michaelmas Day, 29th September) at Aldbrough. This was the start of the Feast.

Over the years, because of the harvest, the date was brought forward to the 2nd Monday in August. The Feast has had its ups and downs over the years. In the late 1800s, it became known as a week's booze-up, and in the early 1930s it nearly closed from lack of funds but the village blacksmith, Mr Joe Robinson, who was secretary of the Feast, managed to keep it going. He was secretary from 1919 to the 1950s when he retired. He was so successful that in 1939 there were over 6,000 spectators. There was pony racing and showjumping on the Monday and no doubt there was some illegal gambling, as busloads of miners used to come from South West Durham.

In the 1970s it nearly closed again when one person had to erect the arena on his own. At the threatened closing down meeting the village rallied round and it has gone from strength to strength ever since.

Use of Feast Money Raised

The money raised during the Feast is for the benefit of the village. We will be giving 10% of the annual Feast surplus to local charity, this year the chosen charity is St Teresa's Hospice. If people want to nominate a charity for next year, they should send details to Kirstie Thornton Kirstie.thornton@googlemail.com. If you have a suggestion on the use of funds do mention it to a member of the committee or email it to the Secretary.

Health and Safety

We take all reasonable precautions to ensure Aldbrough Feast is a safe and enjoyable event, but you may wish to note the following: Doctors Lane Surgery is open from 08:30 – 19:00.

Please inform the Feast Chairman Kirstie Thornton of any incidents.

To help keep things safe we ask you to adhere to the following:

- Watch children in your care at all times. Aldbrough Feast accepts no responsibility for them.
- Take extra care when bringing vehicles to Aldbrough Feast events.
- Take care with glasses/glass bottles at the Feast Festival.

Do not leave litter. There will be bags or bins provided, if not, please take litter home.



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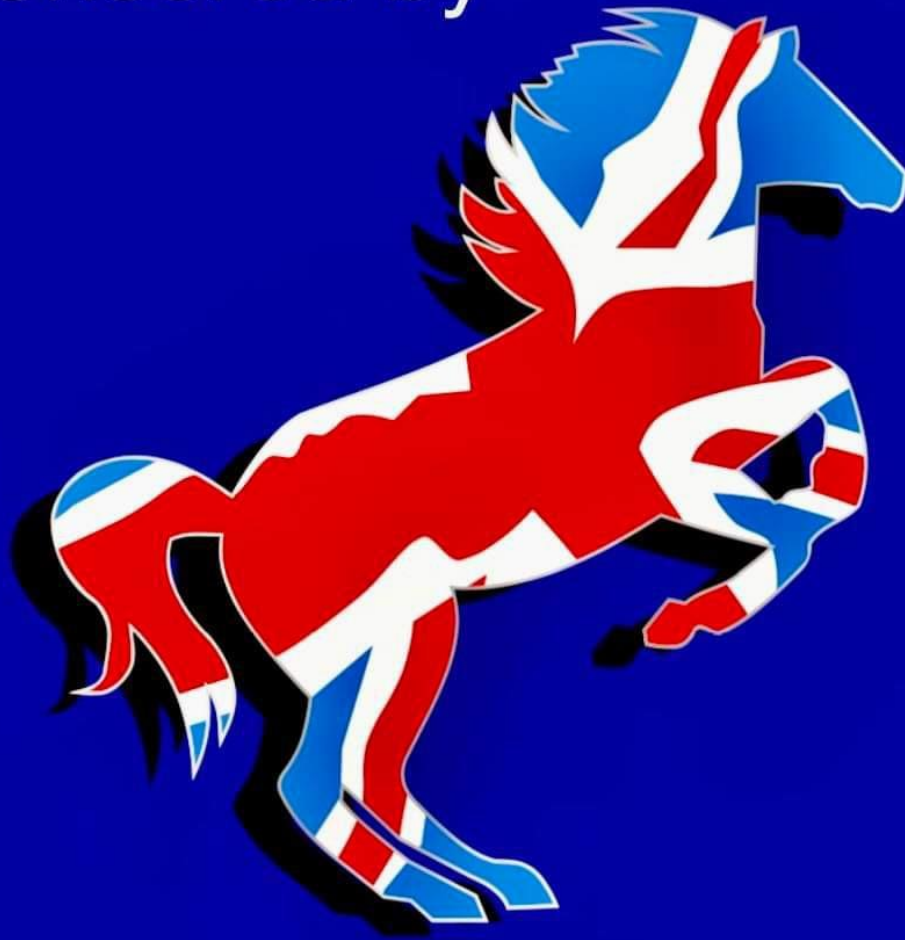
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