

Jersey Horse Driving Society
May 19th 2010 La Braye Slip St Ouen

The conditions were perfect for the beach scurry held at Le Braye on 19th May. The competition was held on the hard sand and it was fortunate that the two classes finished before the upcoming tide reached the course consisting of fourteen pairs of cones. A scurry is a speed event and if faults occur through breaking pace or knocking down cones or balls these are added as time penalties. In the trotting scurry faults are given for cantering and quite a few ponies were anticipating a speed event and broke pace, whilst in the any pace scurry the fast ponies were in their element. Twenty four members took part and in the four trotting scurry classes the winners were Ellen Littlechild driving Homer, Margaret Robinson and Laura Vetier with Charlie and Keiran O'Connor with Hermes, with Ellen also winning the any pace event. Sheila Vetier driving Charlie, Carl Gallichan with Homer and Kim Gallichan with Cracker were the other winners of this class. This beach event was the first of three held during the Summer with the others due to be held on 17th June and 7th July. It is fun for spectators as well as competitors and the club welcomes the public to watch the events and chat to club members about their sport.

Trotting scurry under 13.00h.h. 1, Ellen Littlechild (Homer) 58.53, 2, Felicity Rabet (Pip) 1.01.29, 3, Lisa Fenlon Buttons (1.01.31, 4, Leonie Surcouf (Buttons) 1.04.30, 5, Trevor Rabet (Pip) 1.08.48.

13.00 h.h. & over 1, Margaret Robinson (Charlie) 1.05.23, 2, David Gallichan (Charlie) 1.08.27, 3, Sheila Vetier (Charlie) 1.10.93, 4, June Vibert (Jester) 1.11.68 . 5, John Vibert (Jester) 1.16.68.

Novice 1, Laura Vetier (Charlie) 1.09.76, 2, Jackie Rondel (Pip) 1.11.15, 3, Carl Gallichan (Homer) 1.12.81, 4, Fleur White (Zodiac) 1.17.44, 5, Stephanie Rondel (Pip) 1.19.2

Juniors .1, Keiran O'Connor (Hermes) 1.14.34, 2, Kim Gallichan (Cracker) 1.18.19, 3, Josh Baudains (Lordi) 2.01.17

.Any pace scurry. Under 13.00h.h . 1, Ellen Littlechild (Homer) 44.93, 2, Zoe Gallichan (Cracker) 51.20, 3, Felicity Rabet (Pip) 53.42, 4, Emma Le Marquand (Chino) 53.81, 5, Lisa Fenlon (Buttons) 56.34.

13.00 h.h & over 1, Sheila Vetier (Charlie) 1.01.35, 2, John Vibert (Jester) 1.19.91, 3, David Gallichan (Charlie) 1.22.43, 4, June Vibert (Jester) 1.29.54.

Novice.1, Carl Gallichan (Homer) 54.74, 2, Stephanie Rondel (Pip) 1.00.23, 3, Laura Vetier (Charlie) 1.05.48, 4, Fleur White (Zodiac) 1.11.93, 5, Jackie Rondel (Pip) 120.06.

Juniors 1, Kim Gallichan (Cracker) 51.48, 2, Josh Baudains (Lordi) 59.80, 3, Keiran O'Connor (Hermes) 1.00.76.