

BEEBY

Beeby is a delightful black 13.3 hh, cob mare. Born in 2014, she joined our Group in February 2019 and quickly settled in to RDA life. She has a lovely calm temperament and is perfect for our more nervous riders, giving them confidence and helping them to learn about the fun and excitement of riding.



GUS

Gus is a 13 hh piebald cob gelding, born in 2013 he joined our group at Crookston in January 2019. He's a cheeky fella who likes showing off to the girls. He quickly settled in and has become a favourite with our younger riders who love his lively outlook on life and who look forward to their weekly riding session on him.



CHESNEY

CHESNEY is a 14.1hh, thoroughbred type, bay mare, born in 1999. She joined our group in March 2019 and is learning all about RDA life. She was previously a Pony Club pony where she excelled at dressage and her level of schooling will enable our riders to advance their riding skills and take part in external competitions.



GLEANN

Gleann is a 15.2 hh, black roan, Clydesdale-cross gelding, born in 2005 he joined our group in 2018. He's a big loveable boy who takes everything in his stride. His lovely, calm temperament and relaxed, easy going paces help our adult riders feel safe and secure so they can learn the skills to progress to independent riding.



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a member group of the RDA

HORSE ADOPTION



**It's what you can
do that counts**

What we do

The Tweeddale Rideability Group delivers opportunities for therapy, achievement and fun to people with special needs, improving their health and well being. Each individual has the opportunity to learn skills, achieve goals, meet physical and mental challenges, and have fun while riding and working with horses. They all have challenges they deal with on a daily basis, these can be physical, mental, behavioural, emotional or several of these.

Riding provides benefits on many levels. It gives someone who can't walk freedom of movement, it builds self esteem in a child who's depressed and bullied at school, it reduces the social isolation of a shy young adult, aphasic children with autism will speak when on a horse. RDA brings so much joy to so many people on so many levels.

The impact of riding is measurable in life-enhancing areas such as physical ability, communication, relationships and confidence. Our horses are central to everything that we do.

Meet the horses who make a difference

TESS

Tess is a 15.2 hh, dark brown, Irish bred mare. Born in 2004 she joined our group in 2017. Tess has a lovely, kind temperament and quickly settled in to our riding sessions, happily carrying adults or small children. We bought Tess with the intention of using her as a vaulting horse and are in the process of training her. She is progressing nicely.



PRETZEL

Pretzel is a 13 hh, black, cob mare. Born in 2013 she joined our group in 2018, although young she learns quickly. She has lovely, active paces which is important for an RDA pony to give our riders the necessary feeling of movement. We have great hopes for Pretzel and look forward to having many years of fun and adventures with her.



TROOPER

Trooper is a 15 hh, black, Irish Draught x Connemara mare. Born in 1997 she joined our group in 2015. She competed in Pony Club activities before we bought her. Trooper has a lovely active walk and gives our riders a good feeling, providing great physiotherapy. She has taken part in the Beltane Novice Ride and is a kind, gentle and fun horse. She's popular with our riders, many of whom are able to progress to independent riding.



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Tweeddale Rideability Group

helping people to

- achieve ambitions
- reach goals
- experience the outdoors
- have fun
- connect with animals
- make friends

Adopters will receive

- a thank you card
- a mug with an illustration of your horse
- an invitation to visit Crookston, see RDA in action and meet your horse
- a Christmas update with news of your adopted horse.

Adoption makes an ideal gift, if you are gifting it give the recipient's name, and if you want us to send the thank you card directly to the gift recipient also give their address.

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Application to Adopt a Horse

I would like to adopt horse/s
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Horse's name/s
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Name of adopter

Address
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Postcode Phone no.

Email address

Total amount paid

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Treasurer
Tweeddale Rideability Group
6 South Park West, Peebles, EH45 9EF

and enclose a cheque made payable to Tweeddale Rideability Group, or contact our treasurer, treasurer@tweeddale-rda.org.uk, to arrange an online transfer.

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