

FIVE STAR FACILITIES

ESTABLISHED IN NOVEMBER 2006, LONG VIEW LIVERY ON THE ESSEX/SUFFOLK BORDER OFFERS A COMPREHENSIVE SERVICE FOR HORSE OWNERS

Yard manager Vanessa Coath is an International Advanced Event rider and former stable jockey for Olympic Gold medallist and British Eventing president Jane Holderness Roddam.

Vanessa has successfully produced many youngsters in all disciplines, including her own advanced event horse Royal Pageant, and the yard is already developing a strong team of competition horses and an atmosphere where owners can enjoy the experience of seeing their horses compete at the very top.

Of particular interest to the amateur competition rider is their "Mentoring Package" developed for those looking for help and support on their own horse, or who perhaps want to take the step from unaffiliated to affiliated competition but don't want to 'go it alone'.

Vanessa helps riders plan their competition schedule and tailors a personalised training package around their individual goals for the season, be that dressage, eventing or show jumping.

"We also take on horses for breaking and schooling, or for sale preparation", says Vanessa. "That is a very rewarding side to our work as it is great to see horses improve during the time that we have them, and to be able to offer owners advice on what to work on at home".

"I enjoy teaching for the same reason. It is great to be involved and to see the partnership between horse and rider developing under our care and supervision".

Facilities and care are second to none, with two all weather manèges (60 x 25, 20 x 40), a full set of show jumps, and 5.5 miles of grass tracks that include practice cross country fences.

There are fortnightly routine visits from a vet, regular visits from equine physio and the yard uses hot and cold wash down, a solarium and an equissage machine for both horse and rider.

Recently registered as an NVQ Training Centre, Long View Livery runs regular tuition clinics and clear round evenings which will be expanded to include unaffiliated dressage and show jumping competitions during the summer.

"We also have industrial washing machines and tumble drier, offering a pick up/drop off service for cleaning and repair of horse rugs and equipment. We've called this side of the business Long View Laundry!" says Vanessa.

Although eventing is Vanessa's real passion, she enjoys competing at BSA show jumping and is also starting to make an impression in the dressage world with her impressive young homebred gelding, First Endeavour. "I'm hoping that Eddie (First Endeavour) will go far" says Vanessa.

The belief that horses are true athletes and should be treated as such is incorporated in the daily routine to ensure that every aspect of the horses' wellbeing is catered for. An experienced and friendly team of staff are vital in providing the standard of service and commitment necessary for every horse to



Vanessa and Paddy



Long View staff - Alyson, Jacky, Eddie (First Endeavour), Vanessa, Amy, Shari and Rolo the dog

reach their full potential.

Long View Livery's aim is to produce sport horses for all disciplines and levels and help everyone achieve their goals through a range of livery packages and training to suit individual requirements. "We're a friendly yard, and like to keep it that way. After all, working with horses should be fun, shouldn't it?" says Vanessa.

Services include:

- **COMPETITION LIVERY:**
Do you have a talented horse you want to see reach the top?
- **MENTORING PROGRAM:**
Help and support planning your competition schedule. Also includes training for the big day be it eventing, dressage or show jumping.
- **BREAKING AND SCHOOLING:**
Give your horse a great start, with professional breaking or schooling.
- **NVQ TRAINING:**
Superior training for the vocational NVQ qualifications. Even exams can be fun!
- **SALES LIVERY:**
Take the trouble out of selling your horse using Long View Livery's network of contacts. Excellent trial facilities.
- **REGULAR TRAINING & TUITION CLINICS:**
With a range of top class trainers in all disciplines.
- **FULL, PART OR DIY LIVERY:**
Five star livery service, tailored to your individual requirements.
- **RUG CLEANING & REPAIR SERVICE:**
Comprehensive rug cleaning and repair service.

