RDA MID-WEST REGIONAL COVID-19 COMPETITION

500 WORD STORY, POEM, ILLUSTRATION/DRAWING

We have been thinking of ways to keep the Regional competition element alive whilst we are all in 'lockdown' and socially distancing with no RDA. Therefore, in lieu of the RDA Mid-West Regional Showjumping, Dressage and Countryside Challenge competitions scheduled for May, we have decided to run the above competition.

Rosettes for all entries, and a 1st, 2nd and 3rd place awarded in each class.

The competition will be judged by independent judges and any winning entry will be put up on the Mid-West Website for us all to read/see.

I would encourage you to pass this on to your participants, or the school/care home contact (if your group operates school children or care home based sessions) and especially to all your independent participants. We have added a Class specifically for your volunteers to get involved too and as you will see there is even room for parents, and carers to join in.

The judging, as mentioned above, will be done by independent judges and I would emphasise that in the case of the 500 word story and poem that the punctuation, spellings and grammar etc are not as important as the content and imagination of the actual story.

The only real stipulation is that the piece of work submitted have a horse theme in some form or another, let your imaginations run wild and/or just re-live your childhood dreams and let us have a read.

You may submit entries for all the categories you chose within your Class/Age restriction.

Entries can be sent by Email to – midwestregionrda@gmail.com or posted to: R Vaughan-Johns, Durlett Farm House, Durlett, Bromham, Wiltshire, SN15 2HY.
Entries To arrive no later than Friday 15th May 2020

CATEGORIES

Story (no more than 500 words)

Poem

Illustration/Drawing (no bigger than A4 size, portrait or landscape)

CLASSES

Story/creative writing (no more than 500 words)

Class		
Class 1 a	Under 12 (ID)	
	1 b	Under 12 (Non ID)
Class 2 a	12-16 (ID)	
	2 b	12-16 (Non ID)
Class 3 a	Adult (ID)	
	3 b	Adult (Non ID)
Class 4	RDA Volunteer/Parent/Carer	

Poem

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