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Just to say a big "thank you" for organising the above. I know such an event takes a lot of organising and very few people take the trouble to understand this and thank the organisers, but you should all be congratulated for the support on the day as well as all the behind the scenes organising we know nothing about. We all enjoyed ourselves, even if we went on a minor detour and nearly ended up playing golf! We will know the route for next time. We are sorry we never made the May ride, but we will certainly be back in 2008. To top it all, I now have one of the best photos of me and Shah (it is already framed and in pride of place) which I never expected to have since I nearly had to make a decision to have him put down last year. As I expect this will be on IMPweb's web-site, I can tell his previous "mum" to see how the old boy is doing.

I am sorry we never knew about the Dressage events you held this year. We have been doing Classical Riding Club and BD Preliminary dressage tests at events for the ground-roots rider at Solihull Riding Club, but the organiser (external to the club) has now retired and no-one seems to be interested in doing something similar. We will look out for more details of your 2008 series. If you consider doing any of the Classical Riding Club tests, then that would be even better as my trainers work to this method rather than BD.

I am trying to arrange to come to the 50th Anniversary show on Sunday. I have seen you still only do in-hand for the Veteran class, so if you are considering a ridden class, I certainly would be interested. A few more may be interested as there is little opportunity of doing this type of class at this level (the only others I have seen are VHS HOYS Qualifiers). However, I may put in my saddle and riding tack and do the Senior Best Rider just for a giggle!

Thanks again for a wonderful event.

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