

British Horseball Association



Lambourn April 24th 2011

At the Lambourn Open Day, jockeys Dane O'Neill, Eddie Ahern, Fergus Sweeney and George Baker, took part in a Horseball game made up of teams of ex-racehorses in front of a massive crowd estimated between 8 and 10,000.

Players from London and Nottingham Horseball Clubs demonstrated how to play the game and then bravely dismounted to pass their horses over to allow the jockeys to try their skills.

Despite only a five minute training session, the 4 jockeys did really well managing to pass and score accurately and even pick up. Sam Coulson kindly lent her mount to Eddie who had previously won on the horse on the flat, with Dane, Fergus and George borrowing the mounts of Sarah Whitby, Stuart Copeland and Emma McGriskin.

All four jockeys were really enthusiastic about the game and are keen to have another go with some organized training.

Watch the video at

<http://www.equischool.net/horseball.html>