



were losing marks through lack of preparation and not setting up their horses in advance of the movement beginning.

Amy McCormick has taken a year out to work with Hannah Biggs and is already seeing the benefit, with her eight-year-old Vazire winning both mediums, despite him getting tense in his second test.

"In the first test he stayed more relaxed and more into the contact," explained Amy, who has been using a lot of transitions and lateral work to get the horse more supple.

Sonya Richards, who won the advanced medium 98, is a true amateur rider, being a full-time finance director.

She has owned Hamdens Valley, who is a grandson of Irish draught Clover Hill, for six years. She recently attended a clinic with Russell Guire of Centaur Biomechanics, which she believes has been extremely helpful.

"Russell videoed me and then played back the still shots. It reinforced the importance of being symmetrical and positioning my upper body better," she said.

Liz Morgan won both novice classes with Chico Top, who she bought in 2005 as a barely broken four-year-old. "These were only his third and fourth novice tests." H&H

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