



# ADOPT A PONY THIS CHRISTMAS



CSRC's Pony Adoption scheme can make the perfect alternative gift. For just £10 you can adopt a horse or pony for 12 months. The recipient will receive a personalised Christmas card from the chosen pony and the recipient's name will appear on our Sponsors' and Adopters' Horse & Pony Gallery at the Centre, to show they are helping towards their care.

Whether you choose to adopt a pony for yourself, as a gift for someone special or instead of sending Christmas cards this year; your generous gift will go towards helping to look after our wonderful horses and ponies.

*Thank you!*



**BILLY**

**13hh, piebald, cob**

Billy is a very jolly pony, always pleased to see everyone and would greet you with a smile if he could. He's popular with children and is used for riding, holidays, hippotherapy and CELT.

**Owner:** CSRC



**BRIAN**

**15hh, bay, Clydesdale x cob**

Brian is a very useful horse and is an asset to the equine workforce. He takes everything in his stride and loves people. He is used for riding, RDA holidays and equine learning and therapy sessions.

**Owner:** CSRC



**COCO**

**16.2hh, strawberry roan, Belgian Ardennes**

As his name suggests, he can at times be a clown! He's a very intelligent horse, a real character, big and strong, with a soft heart; and for his height and build his movement is light. His work is riding sessions for adults, RDA holidays and equine learning and therapy sessions.

**Owner:** CSRC



**EDDIE**

**13.3hh, black, cob**

Eddie is steady! He is very economical and reliable, very useful for our small adult riders. He suddenly lights up when the staff ride him. He has a kind eye and a willing disposition. Eddie's used in riding sessions for children and small adults, RDA holidays, hippotherapy and equine learning and therapy sessions.

**Owner:** CSRC - Gifted by Rowena Price



**ERIK**

**16.2hh, black, Percheron**

A gentle giant, Erik's the boss horse in his own subtle way, which all the horses respect. He's a lovely horse to work with. He has a kind temperament and is generous with his work which is riding sessions for adult riders, RDA holidays and equine learning and therapy sessions.

**Owner:** CSRC - courtesy of a very generous donation from Kelloggs Company of Great Britain



**FINN**

**15hh, grey, Connemara**

Finn is the newest member of our team. He is extremely playful with the other horses, the equine staff sometimes have to remind him to save some of his energy for his riding sessions. He is currently used for riding sessions and CELT.

**Owner:** Helen Naden, kindly on permanent loan





## HAMISH

### 11hh, dun, Shetland x Highland

Hamish 'McTavish' is more Shetland than Highland and very unusual in colour. We could write a whole page on Hamish because he is the funniest and most charismatic pony we have. His work, when he feels like it, is in equine learning and therapy sessions, children's riding sessions and hippotherapy. Out in the fields he thinks he's the boss and is the best escape artist!

Owner: CSRC



## HARVEY

### 15hh, skewbald, cob

Harvey is such a character with his one brown ear and one white ear. A real asset to the equine workforce, he provides a lot of participants with a safe and sturdy ride. He loves to bang his stable door to let us know he wants more hay! His work is: riding sessions, driving, holidays and CELT.

Owner: CSRC



## JACK

### 14.2hh, black, cob

Jack is laid back, has a lovely temperament and is always willing to please. He's easy to work with and loved by all who come in contact with him, especially Blind Veterans UK who are CELT clients. He thrives on attention. His work includes: riding sessions, driving, holidays and CELT.

Owner: John Chaloner



## KESTREL

### 14.1hh, black, cob

What a mischievous face! Kestrel's a softy at heart but keeps up the macho image in his stable. Once he's tacked up for work he has such a good temperament and attitude. He works with children and small adults' riding sessions, driving, RDA holidays and equine learning and therapy sessions.

Owner: CSRC - Gifted by Sue Riches



## LJ

### 13.2hh, dark brown, cob

Little Jack (LJ) is used for small adults, children, holidays, hippotherapy and CELT. He loves attention and being groomed. He's a charming and very honest pony but he can have a cheeky expression when he's playing in the field with the other ponies.

Owner: CSRC



## MACK

### 13.3hh, strawberry roan, cob

Mack is a very flashy pony with his blonde coloured mane and tail. He has a lovely temperament and always wants to please. He's a brilliant driving pony and looks amazing when he's in his driving harness and carriage. Mack is very popular for riding, driving, holidays and CELT.

Owner: On permanent loan from Dawn Forrester



## MARTIE

### 16hh, piebald, Irish cob

Martie is a useful member of the equine workforce as a weight carrier able to give some of our participants the opportunity to ride a big horse that is steady and quiet. He's a gentle, handsome horse with a big personality and has nice paces. He is also our vaulting horse.

Owner: CSRC



## MOO

### 14.2hh, piebald, Irish cob

Moo has a good temperament and attitude, a kind eye and is an easy horse to work and train. He is a very popular and useful horse. His work includes: riding sessions, RDA holidays and equine learning and therapy sessions.

Owner: CSRC - Gifted by Mrs Helen Baker





## MOUSE

### 14.1hh, Fell pony

When Mouse looks at you with those beautiful big brown eyes you just can't pass his stable without giving him a pat. He's used for the riding sessions with children and small adults and is also very popular with the holidays and CELT. He's experienced at driving and looks so handsome and proud in the carriage. Everyone loves Mouse.

Owner: CSRC



## OBI

### 14.1hh, piebald, Irish cob

Obi is used for driving, riding, RDA holidays and equine learning and therapy sessions. He has a lovely temperament and is very useful for young adults and children. Obi has a very unusual thin white line in the shape of a bulls-eye around his bottom.

Owner: CSRC



## SWLLTYN

### 13.1hh, bay, Welsh section B

Despite being over 20 years old, Swlltyn is strong and healthy and fit as a fiddle; which the equine staff know very well when they try to keep up with him. His work is riding sessions for children, some RDA holidays and equine learning and therapy sessions. Some struggle with his lovely Welsh name so we all call him 'Sucky'.

Owner: CSRC - Gifted by Mrs Janet Jones



## YOGI

### 12.1hh, skewbald, Welsh section A x cob

Yogi is a useful pony for his size and physique. He is very popular with the equine learning and therapy team. He enjoys jumping and working on the track with the equine team. He has lovely big eyes and big eyelashes which he knows he can flutter to get attention, which of course works very well.

Owner: CSRC



## ZAK

### 15.1hh, chestnut, Welsh section D x thoroughbred

Zack has been here at CSRC for over 20 years. He has given so much to so many over the years. He is in light riding and equine learning and therapy sessions. Sometimes we have to remind him he is in semi-retirement as he strides out with enthusiasm to his field with the equine staff trying to keep up with him.

Owner: World Horse Welfare