

Your Guide to Short Courses

Oatridge College

June 2008 – June 2009



For the latest information on short training courses visit www.oatridge.ac.uk/short_courses or contact Moira Montgomery, Short Course Co-ordinator on direct tel: 01506 864807 or e-mail mmontgomery@oatridge.ac.uk. Enquiries regarding equestrian short courses should be directed to Kaz McCoy, Scottish National Equestrian Centre on tel: 01506 865714 or visit www.s nec.co.uk.

Handling Machinery and Equipment

Chainsaws - Maintenance, Crosscutting and Felling Small Trees up to 200 mm - Lantra

4 days Mon-Thu (ILA Approved)
 2008: 9-12 Jun; 21-24 Jul; 15-18 Sep; 20-23 Oct; 17-20 Nov; 15-18 Dec £450
 2009: 12-15 Jan; 9-12 Feb; 2-5 Mar; 6-9 Apr; 4-7 May; 1-4 Jun; 6-9 Jul £450

Chainsaws - Maintenance, Crosscutting and Felling Small Trees up to 380 mm – NPTC

5-days Mon-Fri (ILA Approved)
 23-27 Jun; 11-15 Aug; 22-25 Sep; 3-7 Nov; 1-5 Dec
 (+ 1 day test to be arranged) £780

Forklift Course – Rough terrain telescopic lift truck (pallet & bulk up to 9 metres) - Lantra

3 days (ILA Approved) £450

Transportation of Livestock by Road Short Journeys over 65km and under 8 hours

Friday mornings Online testing
 NPTC Certificate: £60 (test only; per species)
 Lantra Certificate: £45 (test only; covers all species)

Transportation of Livestock by Road Long Distance

To be arranged
 NPTC Certificate: £120

Vehicle & Trailer Training – Preparation for the DVLA test

1-day Wed 4 June; other dates to be arranged £150
 (Maximum 2 per day)

Blacksmithing - Basic

10 Tuesday Evenings (ILA Approved)
 6.30-9.00pm - 30th Sep (no class 21 Oct) £200

Welding - Basic

10 Wednesday Evenings (ILA Approved)
 6.30-9.00pm - 1st Oct (no class 22 Oct) £120

Using Sprayers

Safe Use of Pesticides - Training for PA1 Foundation - NPTC

(ILA Approved) 1 day
 Thu 19 Jun; Tue 26 Aug; Mon 20 Oct; Tue 2 Dec; Tue 6 Jan; Mon 2 Mar; Wed 1 Apr
 (Test £60.00 to be arranged) £86

Safe Use of Pesticides - Training for PA6A Hand Held Applicator - NPTC

(ILA Approved) 1 day
 Fri 27 Jun; Tue 21 Oct; Thu 4 Dec; Wed 7 Jan; Tue 3 Mar; Thu 2 Apr
 (Test £130.00 to be arranged) £80

Safe Use of Pesticides - Training for PA2A Tractor Mounted Certificate – NPTC

(ILA Approved) 1 day
 Tue 2 Sep; Wed 3 Dec; Thu 8 Jan; Wed 4 Mar
 (Test £250.00 to be arranged) £120

Health and Safety

First Aid at Work (HSE)

(ILA Approved) 4 days

15-19 Sep; 10-13 Nov; 8-11 Dec

£180

First Aid at Work Refresher (HSE)

(ILA Approved) 2 days

Mon-Tue 9 & 10 Jun; Thu-Fri 4-5 Sep; Thu-Fri 6-7 Nov; Thu-Fri 4-5 Dec

£90

Risk Assessment/ COSSH – an introduction

(ILA Approved) 1 day to be arranged

£60

Livestock & Vermin Control

Safe Use of Sheep Dips

1 day

Fri 24 Oct 2008; Fri 6 Feb 2009

£100

Vermin Control - Rabbits, rats, mice & moles - Lantra

2 days

Wed 22 – Thu 23 Oct 2008; Mon 2 - Tue 3 Mar 2009

£175

Vermin Control – Rabbits and moles – Lantra

1 day

Thu 16 Oct 2008; Fri 3 Apr 2009

£90

Construction Skills

Drystone Dyking - Lantra

5 days (Mon-Fri)

23-27 Jun

(+ Test £85)

£300

Introduction to basic brickwork

Suitable for DIY or Trade, Skills Update which includes:

- ½ & 1 brick walling, block work, reconstituted stone work
- foundations & setting out
- different types of pointing; working with coloured mortars

3 days (Wed-Fri)

8-10 Oct; 26-28 Nov; 21-23 Jan; 25-27 Feb; 29 Apr-1 May

£300

Timber Decking

Suitable for DIY or Trade, Skills Update which includes:

- setting out
- erecting & constructing various types of timber decking and balustrade

3 days (Wed-Fri)

29-31 Oct; 3-5 Dec; 4-6 Mar; 25-27 Mar; 20-22 May

£300

Paving

Suitable for DIY or Trade, Skills Update which includes:

- slabbing
- blockpaving (various types)
- ground work, leveling, drainage
- subgrades, base course, laying courses,
- different types of finishes, sand finish,
- pointing & weather protection

3 days (Wed-Fri)

5-7 Nov; 19-21 Nov; 11-13 Feb; 18-20 Mar; 6-8 May

£300

Equestrian Skills

For equestrian course bookings or further information please contact Kaz McCoy, SNEC on tel: 01506 865714 or visit the SNEC website: www.snec.co.uk

Transportation of Horses by Road Short Journeys over 65km and under 8 hours Friday mornings Online testing NPTC Certificate (test only; per species):	£60
Transportation of Horses by Road Long Distance To be arranged NPTC Certificate:	£120

BHS Stages 2008

BHS Stage 1 – Horse Knowledge, Care & Riding

<i>Full BHS Stage 1 (8 x 3hr sessions)</i>	£180
24 October (9am - 12pm & 1pm - 4pm)	
31 October (9am - 12pm & 1pm - 4pm)	
7 November (9am - 12pm & 1pm - 4pm)	
14 November (9am - 12pm & 1pm - 4pm)	
OR	
<i>Horse Knowledge & Care only (4 x 3hr sessions)</i>	£100
24 October (9am - 12pm)	
31 October (9am - 12pm)	
14 November (9am - 12pm & 1pm - 4pm)	
OR	
<i>Riding only (4 x 3hr sessions)</i>	£100
24 October (1pm - 4pm)	
31 October (1pm - 4pm)	
7 November (9am - 12pm & 1pm - 4pm)	

BHS Stages - 2009

BHS stage 2 16, 23, 30 Jan & 6 Feb (ILA Approved)	£180
BHS stage 1 20 Feb, 13, 20 & 27 Mar (ILA Approved)	£180

LEISURE SECTION

Pet Care

Dog Agility - Basic

10 weeks from 3 Jun – 11 Aug (6 – 7pm)	£44
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Dog Agility – Advanced

10 weeks from 3 Jun – 11 Aug (6 – 7pm)	£44
10 weeks from 3 Jun – 11 Aug (7.15 – 8.15pm)	£44
10 weeks from Tue 9 Sep – 25 Nov (no class 14 & 21 Oct) (6 – 7pm)	£50
10 weeks from Tue 9 Sep – 25 Nov (no class 14 & 21 Oct) (7.15 – 8.15pm)	£50

Leisure Gardening

**All leisure gardening courses are held at Suntrap Centre, 43 Gogarbank, Edinburgh.
Contact Moira at Oatridge 01506 864807 to book a course or for further information**

Amateur Gardening

10 weeks from Thu 2 Oct (no class 23 Oct) (7 – 9 pm)	£80
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Garden Design (design your own garden)

11 weeks from Wed 1 Oct (7 – 9pm)	£105
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More Plants for Free

Sat 13 Sept (10am-12pm)	
Discover how to propagate shrubs and get lots of plants for free	£6

Winter Floral Container

Sat 11 Oct

Make your own winter floral display

(indicate when booking if you require Planter/Basket which is supplied at cost)

£6

Ground Cover and Low Maintenance Gardening

Sat 15 Nov

£6

Christmas Arrangements

Sat 20 Dec

Create two floral displays to make the home festive and colourful for Christmas

(all materials supplied at cost)

£6

British Trust for Conservation Volunteers (BTCV)*BTCV organise a variety of courses at the College - please book direct with BTCV on 01786 479697.***Brushcutters and trimmers (ILA Approved)**

Sat – Sun 21-22 Jun; Thu – Fri 14-15 Aug; Sat – Sun 27-28 Sep

£218

First Aid at Work (ILA Approved)

Mon – Thu 23-26 Jun; 25-28 Aug; 27-30 Oct

£178

Footpaths and Steps

Sat – Sun 12-13 Jul; 15-16 Nov

£141

Pesticides & Herbicides

Thu - Fri 25-26 Sep

£141

Planting Trees

Tue - Wed 11-12 Nov

£141

Progressive Dyking (ILA Approved)

Sat – Sun 13-14 Sep

£152.75

Tree Identification

Wed 1 Oct

£94

Woodland Management Planning

Thu - Fri 18-19 Sep

£141