

Tom Jackson GBR

Burghley first-timer British rider Tom Jackson (29) completed his first four-star at Badminton in 2017 and gained a second completion in 2019. In 2021 he gained a career best when 7th at Pau (Billy Cuckoo). It will however be a second 5^{*} for this year's entry Capels Hollow Drift – the pair finished 16th at Badminton in the Spring, having previously won a silver medal in the 2018 World seven-year-old Young Horse Championships at Le Lion d'Angers. Tom, who is based near Godalming in Surrey, is a former British Junior and Young Rider team member and medallist. He is currently #26 in the FEI rider rankings.

Tom, originally from Maidstone, grew up surrounded by horses. He was an active member of the Ashford Valley Pony Club and during his teens combined eventing with hunting. In 2010 with Waltham Fiddlers Find, Tom won the one-star at Weston Park and the following year was a member of the gold medal team at the Junior European Championships.

After completing GCSEs, with a sports scholarship at Bethany School, Tom spent two years working for event rider Sacha Pemble and a further year with Dassett Eventing. In 2013 he set up his own yard in Kent and that year with Waltham Fiddlers Find won team silver in the Young Rider Europeans. The pair won the 2014 Under-25 championship at Bramham and was again a member of the British Young Rider team winning team bronze (7th individual). They were selected for the Senior Europeans at Blair Castle but were withdrawn due to injury. He was unlucky not to gain another Badminton completion in 2018 when parting company from Waltham Fiddlers Find in the showjumping. In 2019 he relocated to his present yard near Godalming with partner Sabrina Pryer.

Tom's mother used to ride in dressage and his father is a farrier – Tom's two sisters also event on an amateur basis. He enjoys playing golf. Tom trains with Pippa Funnell.

Capels Hollow Drift is an 11-year-old Irish-bred Irish Sport Horse, owned by Patricia Davenport, Milly Simmie and Sarah Webb. Bred by Jeanette Glynn he is by Shannondale Sarco out of Lucky Crest by the thoroughbred Lucky Gift – she is also the dam of 3* horses With Love (Frankie Reid Warrilow) and Triple Point (Sharon Reilly IRL). He has been ridden by Tom since a 7-year-old and the pair finished their first season together winning the silver medal in the World 7-year-old championship at Le Lion d'Angers. This is Capels Hollow Drift's first Burghley.

Results

- 2022 Alnwick CCI4*S 4th Capels Hollow Drift 7th Farndon
- 2022 Bramham CCI4*L RT Farndon
- 2022 Chatsworth CCI4*S 11th Court Casper 35th Ask For Manchier 70th Farndon
- 2022 Badminton CCI5*L 16th Capels Hollow Drift
- 2022 Burnham Market CCI4*S 4th Fire Fly 8th Billy Cuckoo 16th Ask For Manchier
- 2022 Thoresby Park CCI4*S 26th Farndon 27th Capels Hollow Drift 44th Ask For Manchier
- 2021 Pau CCI5*L 7th Billy Cuckoo
- 2021 Little Downham CCI4*S 3rd Billy Cuckoo
- 2021 Ballindenisk CCI4*L 1st Bahira M EL Fire Fly
- 2021 Blenheim CCI4* 8/9yoS 15th Ask For Manchier 33rd HH Moonwalk
- 2021 Blenheim CCI4*L 36th Court Casper 39th Farndon
- 2021 Hartpury CCI4*S 30th Farndon 58th Billy Cuckoo
- 2021 Alnwick CCI4*S 16th Bahira M 24th Fire Fly 42nd Farndon
- 2021 Bicton CCI4*S 27th Farndon
- 2021 Bicton CCI4*L 8th Capels Hollow Drift 25th Billy Cuckoo
- 2021 Aston-le-Walls CCI4*S 35th Farndon 68th Fire Fly
- 2021 Burnham Market CCI4*S 4th Capels Hollow Drift 5th Billy Cuckoo 6th Fire Fly
- 2020 Little Downham CCI4*S 19th Court Casper 32nd Fire Fly
- 2020 Burnham Market CCI4*S 13th Fire Fly
- 2020 Burnham Market CCI4* 8/9yoS 11th Capels Hollow Drift
- 2020 Burnham Market CCI4*L 5th Billy Cuckoo EL Bahira M
- 2020 Alnwick CCI4*S15th Bahira M 36th Billy Cuckoo
- 2019 Hartpury CCI4*S 6th Pencos Crown Jewel 30th Bahira M
- 2019 Alnwick CCI4*S 5th Pencos Crown Jewel 11th Capels Hollow Drift 35th Bahira M
- 2019 Arville CCI4*S 4th Pencos Crown Jewel 17th Bahira M 28th Capels Hollow Drift
- 2019 Chatsworth CCI4*S 29th Pencos Crown Jewel
- 2019 Badminton CCI5*L 35th Carpa du Buisson Z
- 2019 Burnham Market CCI4*S 20th Newmarket Prospect 54th Carpa du Buisson Z
- 2019 Belton CCI4*S 39th Carpa du Buisson Z 44th Newmarket Prospect
- 2018 Pau CCI4* 13th Carpa du Buisson Z 18th Waltham Fiddlers Find
- 2018 Blenheim CIC3* 8/9yo 25th Newmarket Prospect
- 2018 Bramham CCIu253* 4th Carpa du Buisson Z
- 2018 Tattersalls CCI3* 6th Billy Cuckoo
- 2018 Badminton CCI4* EL Waltham Fiddlers Find
- 2017 Pau CCI4* 22nd Waltham Fiddlers Find
- 2017 Blenheim CCI3* 58th Carpa du Buisson Z
- 2017 Badminton CCI4* 46th Waltham Fiddlers Find
- 2015 Bramham CCIu253* 6th Waltham Fiddlers Find
- 2014 Vale Sabroso CH-EU-Y-CCI2* 7th Waltham Fiddlers Find
- 2014 Bramham CCIu253* 1st Waltham Fiddlers Find
- 2011 Vale Sabroso CH-EU-J-C1* 18th Waltham Fiddlers Find