



**Two thousand and  
twenty two!  
Twenty hundred and  
twenty two.  
Twenty, twenty two.**

**It does not matter how you say 2022.  
Riding for Smiles is ready.**

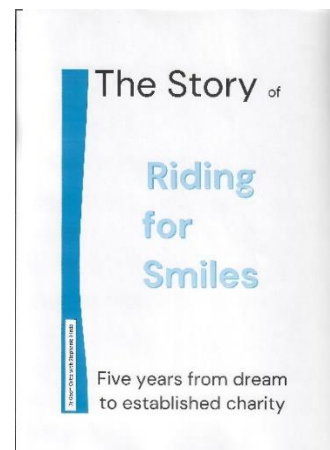
**Increased volume over 20/21 – 830%  
Increased volume over 19/20 – 260%**

Wow, wow, wow. Thank goodness RfS and CCEC were in good order to be able to meet the new post lock down demand. An 830% increase in numbers from 2020–2021, not unsurprising, however a 260% increase from 2019–2020, now that is significant growth.

RfS rose to the challenge and together with CCEC, staff from RfS and CCEC, a host of volunteers and amazing staff from schools, all working together, we delivered around 1,350 experiences between April and December, 2021.

March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022 will mark five years of Riding for Smiles as the charity was registered in 2017. To mark this milestone, we are writing the story of Riding for Smiles. If you would like to **contribute a paragraph** for the story, please send it to [chair@ridingforsmiles.org](mailto:chair@ridingforsmiles.org).

This is the story of Riding for Smiles, what a story it is. However, without the CCEC, our funders, school heads and staff, the charities that collaborate with us, and our volunteers and supporters, it would just not have been possible. So, it is really your story.



Twenty thousand and – sounds like a maths teacher. Twenty hundred and – very American, Twenty, Twenty Two – got to be right, hasn't it? Definitely not twenny, twenny two. Perhaps double M, double X, double I?

RFS will soon be publishing a paper documenting the inspiring research and development work completed for the mental health programme.