



Hobart & Districts Pony Club

June 2009 Newsletter

Calendar of Events

July 09

14-15 Colleen Kelly clinics, Hobart

19 H&D rally

25-27 Bill Netterfield SJ Clinics

August 09

1-2 NCAS Preliminary Coaching Course
(North-West)

2 Riding for the Disabled Integrated
Show & Gymkhana, Huntingfield

16 H&D rally & AGM

30 H&D ODE

DC's report

Well as I write this month we have seen a large amount of rainfall and lots of things under water!! Unfortunately this includes our grounds at the Tasmanian Equestrian Centre, hopefully the rain will stop and we will be back using the grounds soon, it was disappointing to have to cancel our June Rally.

As we pass the shortest day of the year we look towards the upcoming season, our first ODE will be held on the 30th August. Hopefully the grounds will have dried out by then! The other upcoming event on our Calendar is the Royal Hobart Show - it would be great to see a large number of riders out there representing the club in either showjumping, teams of three, games or ridden classes. Hopefully I will have more information about this at the July rally.

The club AGM will be held at our August rally and it will be good to see some new faces on the committee. You will find further information about the committee positions in this newsletter. It is always great to get new people involved with new ideas

so that we can continue to move the club forward.

Due to the June rally being cancelled we were unable to have our planning session, so at the next rally we will place butcher's paper up in the clubrooms for people to write ideas for the future for things such as rally activities, club events, fundraising and infrastructure ideas.

I would just like to take this opportunity to wish Pip and Beau all the best for their trip to the Pony Club Nationals in Sydney. We will look forward to hearing all about her trip when she returns. Good Luck Pip.

Well I hope the sun comes out soon, see you all in July.

Cheers

Erin ☺

Reminders from the Treasurer

\$30 insurance is due for all riders on 1st July 2009. Please ensure you pay your insurance at the July rally. Sue-Ellen will be available from 8.15am on rally day to take your payments. If you prefer, please post payment to Sue-Ellen Bomford, 1526 South Arm Road, Sandford, 7020. Make cheques payable to Hobart & Districts Pony Club.

PCAT Fees & Subs are due by the August rally. The fees are:

Riders – PCAT \$20, PCAT South \$5 & Subs \$75 (1st family member) / \$25 (2nd & subsequent family members).

Adult Rider – PCAT \$10, Subs \$75 (1st family member) / \$25 (2nd & subsequent family members)

If you do not plan to ride in the next year – please let Sue-Ellen know straight away.

If you have any queries regarding fees, please contact Sue-Ellen on 6248 9534

Dressage test and tell at next rally

It's planned to do a dressage *test and tell* in the afternoon of the next rally. The tests will be 1.1, 1.2 or 2.1 as appropriate for your level.

D and D* tests at next rally

Following cancellation of the June rally, these riders are now scheduled to do their tests at the next rally:

D test – Alison Kaye & Steph Lewis;

D* test – Alison Kaye, Steph Lewis, Tessa Amos, Lily Baker, Kate Jarvie, Celeste Meincke.

You will need to wear full PC uniform (green jumper, shirt, tie & beige jods) and have woollen PC saddle blankets. If you have any queries, please call Jennifer on 6260 2773.

Ben Netterfield Show Jumping Coaching

Ben Netterfield is a NCAS EFA level 11 SJ coach educator and will be teaching in Tasmania 25-27 July. Contact Anita Sward kyalamiequestrian@bigpond.com 0438674849 (for lessons at Kyalami Equestrian) or Donna Hayes 0408993982 (for lessons at Kingston Agistment Indoor).

HDPC Camp on Bruny Island, 2010

For those who need to plan well ahead, the dates of our next camp at Murrayfield on Bruny Island are Thurs 14th to Sun 17th January 2010. All welcome. See Debbie Ryan if you have any questions.

Nominations sought for committee members

The club's AGM will be held in August and elections held for committee members. A summary of the roles and responsibilities of each committee position is attached. Don't be daunted! Alison, Erin or any of the other committee members can help explain what's involved. Nomination forms will be available at the next rally.

Rugby and polo tops

New supplies of these uniform tops have arrived and will be available at the next rally.

Services

Tack, Saddlery and Rug Repairs

Rod Dewhurst
146 Balook Street,
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Ty-Mawr Equine Services
Noel Wilson
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