

WHITTLESEA HORSE & PONY CLUB

WHITTLESEA WHINNY

SEPTEMBER 2016

Hello WH&PC Members,

Well just when we thought winter's cold & wet days were behind us, and we could dry out we get our monthly amount of spring rain hit us all at once.... Hopefully our beautiful spring days aren't too far away..

We have majority of our committee mbrs not attending this mths rally due to our kids competing at Werribee H/T

Rally stand in D/C will be Sandra Rasmus

Please forward any results, photos or items to whittleseapc@gmail.com by 16/10

If you wish to have them published in the OCTOBER edition.

Thank you Bel Walsh ☺



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NEXT MEETING

MONDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER 2016

7.00PM WHITTLESEA BOWLS CLUB

6.00PM IF YOU WISH TO HAVE TEA

**HAPPPY BIRTHDAY TO
ANY MEMBERS FOR
SEPTEMBER!!**

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BELINDA WALSH

ALL FAMILIES TO HELP PACK UP BEFORE LEAVING

It is a requirement of the club that every family helps with pack up in the afternoon.

Too many families leave early and unfortunately there is a small number of people that are left to pack up everything.

It is only 10 minutes of your time and allows everyone to leave earlier.

Roster Rules:

? If you cannot attend to do your duty, contact Lou Dundon on dundo@ozemail.com.au to arrange to swap your duty.

? If you do not do your duty you will be put on the roster again.

? Set up duty is 8:30am to 9:30am / pack up duty is 2pm until finished!

? Canteen duty is from 9:30 am to 1:30pm

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CLUB INFORMATION

CARABI CANTEEN

A very big thank you to those members who helped with the fundraiser,

Bende, Jo, Michelle, Sandra, Dearn, Ally, Kerry H & Meaghan what a day!!

A special big Thanks to Michelle Howden, Meaghan, Sandra & Ally you all went above and beyond..

JUMPS TRAILER...

We must remember to remove the brick wall and any jumps/bollards etc that we put in or on top of the trailer ... these jumps bollards ect are to be stored at rear/side of trailer in shed (not on top..)

HORSE MANURE

The Agricultural Society have requested that no horse manure is to be placed around the trees planted on our grounds.

The manure causes more harm than good to the growing trees.

You can either bag your horse's manure and take home or spread it around.

RALLY ATTENDANCE...

REPLY BY THE CUT OFF DATE SET OUT IN THE RALLY EMAIL.

The reason we have a cutoff date is because we need to book instructors in & we need to know how many we will need for the day in advance

PLEASE LET BEC KNOW....

Bec Lacekels by either text (0412 736 128) or email bec_lacekels@hotmail.com

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WPC UP COMING EVENTS

CHRISTMAS BREAK UP RALLY

WHAT WOULD THE KIDS LIKE TO DO THIS YEAR? PREVIOUSLY WE HAVE RAN A SHOW, GAMES, SUPERCROSS.. YOUR IDEAS WOULD BE APPRECIATED, SO WE CAN START PLANNING..

For more information and entry forms please visit the PCAV website
www.ponyclubvic.org.au

Our Monthly Meetings are held the day after rally at the whittlesea bowls club @ 7.00pm all our members are welcome.

Some of our mbrs attend early at 6.00pm to enjoy a lovely meal before the meeting.

We always look forward to our members attending....

Look out for the secretary's email's regarding our meeting's :-)

IMPORTANT NOTICE!

If you use the yards **PLEASE** put up the chain after use!

The chains on ALL yards must be hooked up after use!

THANK YOU—COMMITTEE

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MEMBERS RESULTS

Several of our members competed at Nth Eastern Horse Trails on the 4th September everyone did such a great job in flying the flag high for WPC some fantastic results from Keisha & Shelby

Keisha & placed 3rd overall



Shelby and Angel placed 6th overall.

Shelby and Miss Rothlyne Charmed (Angel) competed at Hurstbridge combined training day & came home with a 3rd place overall.



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DC REPORT AUGUST

The day started with 5 groups consisting of 20 riders, 1 u/m, 1 come and try and 1 guest rider from Hurstbridge PC. I'd like to welcome Shelby Eagle to our club who has transferred from Hurstbridge PC.

We welcomed Nikki Grey back to our club who took Red, Green Yellow and Blue groups for Cross Country. I have received some wonderful feedback about Nikki's coaching from both parents and riders. Nikki has agreed to come on board with Whittlesea as a more regular instructor.

Colleen Waddell took the groups through some grids. Again, some wonderful feedback on Colleen's coaching.

Stephen Valentine assisted the groups with their flat riding finding it a little difficult to work within a smaller arena and keeping all the riders active. Next rally, we will make Ring 2 a little larger to help counteract this problem.

Aimee Stuart worked with the groups on lunging. Next rally she will continue this work encouraging riders to have a go themselves. Lunging is an important part of the pony club syllabus as when riders are out and about, they must lunge their horses themselves (if they choose to lunge) without any assistance from anyone else. This includes other riders and parents. This also brings me to another timely reminder about competitions and riding someone else's horse. At a competition, it is stated in the PCAV rule book that during a competition, only the entered rider is allowed to ride the entered combination. This includes other entered riders, parents, friends and or trainers. The result of doing this is elimination.

Purple, yellow and Red group riders received some instruction from Kaye Harris this rally. Feedback from both riders and parents from these groups was not the best. At this stage Kaye will stay on the emergency instructors list only and won't be joining our team as a regular coach.

I'd like to hear any feedback on the introduction of the 15min gear change in-between lessons 1 and 2, 3 and 4. I know we certainly need to keep a closer eye on the lunch time break as this has been reduced to allow for the gear change breaks.

I know I enjoyed this rally, I hope everyone else did?

Cheers

Bec Lacekels

DC

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RALLY 28TH AUGUST GROUPS

HELPERS FOR SEPTEMBER RALLY

Duty Coordinator: BENDE ZOEGA

Families on Duty: YOUNG, GALLAGHER & LAWRENCE

Purple

Taydem Cross
Adele Clune
Lachlan Laffan

Yellow

Helena Cook/Bevilaqua
Olivia Ioannou
Bridgett Stott
Adele Ioannou

Green

Siobhan Laffan
Laura Barling
Tayla Considine
Madeline Stott
Emily Burton
Keisha Mason

Red

Steph Dundon
Alison Rasmus
Shelby Young
Marnie Laurence
Caitlyn Howden

If your name does not appear in
any groups for September Rally
then you have NOT forwarded your
attendance to Bec...

If you still wish to attend, please
contact Bec ASAP.

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RALLY 28TH AUGUST PLAN

THERE IS NOW A 10-15 MIN BREAK INBETWEEN LESSONS 1 & 2 – 3 & 4

THIS IS FOR GEAR CHANGE... BEWTEEN LESSONS

FOR EXAMPLE: LESSON 1 YOU MAY HAVE FLAT & LESSON 2 JUMPING, DURING THIS BREAK YOU CAN CHANGE YOUR SADDLE ECT
OVER..

NOTE THE NEW START TIME FOR GEAR CHECK PLS!!

PARENTS PLEASE ADVISE YOUR CHILD/REN OF THESE IMPORTANT CHANGE'S...

Group	Gear Check 9.30	Lesson 1 9.45 – 10.30	15 Min Break	Lesson 2 10.45 – 11.30	LUNCH	Lesson 3 12.15 – 1.00	15 Min Break	Lesson 4 1.15 – 2.00
Red		Theory/Lunging Grass Arena Aimee Stuart		Flat Sand Arena 1 Colleen Waddell	LUNCH	Show Jumping Sand Arena 3 Lisa Bray		Cross Country Nikki Grey
Green		Cross Country Nikki Grey		Theory/Lunging Grass Arena Aimee Stuart	LUNCH	Flat Sand Arena 2 Colleen Waddell		Show Jumping Sand Arena 3 Lisa Bray
Purple		Show Jumping Sand Arena 3 Lisa Bray		Cross Country Nikki Grey	LUNCH	Flat Sand Arena 1 Aimee Stuart		Theory Club Rooms Colleen Waddell
Yellow		Flat Sand Arena 2 Colleen Waddell		Show Jumping Sand Arena Lisa Bray 3	LUNCH	Cross Country Nikki Grey		Theory/Lunging Grass Arena Aimee Stuart

ONCE AGAIN ANY PROBLEMS PLEASE SEE SANDRA (ALLISON'S MUM)

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UNIFORM PRICES

If you wish to purchase uniform items, please see Sandra Rasmus at the next rally or email Sandra to arrange a time ~ monsoonspice@yahoo.com.au

OUR UNIFORM OFFICER WILL BE AVAILABLE EACH RALLY FROM

8.30AM-9.30AM & 12.00PM-1.00PM

Please do not see other members for purchases

Below is a current price list

Woollen Jumper (up to size 16) **\$65**

Woollen Jumper (over size 16) **\$71**

Polo Tops (NEW) **\$26**

Polo Tops (OLD) **\$21**

Polar Fleece Zipped Jacket **\$40**

Ties **\$15**

Medical Armband **\$8**

PCAV Badge **\$12**

Waterproof Jacket **\$110**

Saddle Blanket (cotton) **\$56**

Saddle Blanket (woollen) **\$68**

Caps **\$12**



The Pony Club Association of Victoria Inc. has developed a Smoke Free Policy.

Whittlesea Horse & Pony Club Inc. is a “smoke free club” and does not permit smoking on our club grounds during an official Pony Club rally.

Please refrain from smoking on our grounds during rally times

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CALANDER – DUTY ROSTER 2016

There will be some changes to the roster for the remainder of the year, due to new mbrs joining and other not re-joining, please keep an eye on it next mth..

DATE	RALLY/ACTIVITY DETAILS	FAMILIES ON DUTY AT RALLY **Duty Co-ordinator highlighted
26 th JUNE	OFFICIAL RALLY – Whittlesea Pony Club Grounds	R/C – Meaghan Moras, Howden, R.Bevilaqua, Rasmus
27 th June-10 th July	School Holidays – Access to grounds between 10am – 3pm on these days only. More details available in newsletter/website	All parents <u>MUST</u> be in attendance and D.C. to confirm lesson plan.
9 th and 10 th July	In between Rally	
24 th JULY	OFFICIAL RALLY – Whittlesea Pony Club Grounds	R/C – Lou Dundon, Gallagher, Hammond, Bosman
12 th August (Friday)	Set up for winter Woolies	Available families
13 th AUGUST	Winter Woolies Show – Whittlesea Pony Club Grounds	All Families on Day
28 th AUGUST	OFFICIAL RALLY – Whittlesea Pony Club Grounds	R/C – Sally Bresciani – Gillon, Laffan, Cook-Bevilaqua
10 th September	C.A.R.A.B.I. using our grounds	
11 th September	C.A.R.A.B.I. using our grounds	WE RUN CANTEEN FOR FUNDRAISER
25 th September	OFFICIAL RALLY – Whittlesea Pony Club Grounds	R/C – Kerry Henderson, Considine, Lawrence, Young
TBA September/October	School Holidays – Access to grounds between 10am – 3pm on these days only. More details available in newsletter/website	All parents <u>MUST</u> be in attendance and D.C. to confirm lesson plan.
26 th Sept – 30 th Sept.	PONY CLUB CAMP – STRATH CREEK	
23 rd OCTOBER	OFFICIAL RALLY – Whittlesea Pony Club Grounds	R/C – Kerry Blackley, Hammond, Mason, Burton
29 th or 30 th OCTOBER	ANNUAL WORKING BEE – CLUB GROUNDS FROM 1PM	ALL FAMILIES <u>MUST ATTEND!</u>
5 th & 6 th November	Whittlesea Show	
NOVEMBER	No IN BETWEEN RALLY Due to Whittlesea Show	
27 th November	OFFICIAL RALLY – Whittlesea Pony Club Grounds	R/C – Bende Zoega, Stott, Dickson, Gallagher
11 th DECEMBER	OFFICIAL RALLY – Final Official Rally of the year including end of year Presentations!	All families to help set up & pack up