

# WERRIBEE PC MARCH 2011 NEWSLETTER!

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## *Rallies, Committee Meetings and News*

Next Rally for 2011: Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> March

2011 Rally dates are available on the Werribee PC Website

Next committee meeting for 2011: Thursday @ 7.30 pm, @ the Clubrooms

**\*\*\* CHANGE OF RALLY DATE \*\*\***

**THE SUNDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> MAY RALLY HAS BEEN MOVED TO**

**SATURDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> MAY**

**MORE DETAILS BELOW**

## ***Wayne's Word***

***Wayne Cuthbert - District Commissioner***



This month's report is coming directly from the Rally, so there is lots of news to add in!!!

We had another nice hot day WPNEC again this month. Perfect weather to host a rally!!! We managed to get the Showjumping classes in the 1<sup>st</sup> Indoor arena at the last minute & the dressage arenas also!

There were a few riders out competing also this rally, Amy L was off at the Geelong EV horse trials, results next month. Melanie M was off at Tullamarine PC grounds this morning for Cross Country lesson, but made it back to the rally for the afternoon classes. Both girls have lots of EV Horse Trials coming up, so we hope to have lots of results in the next newsletter!!

Don't forget there is also the Camp next week!!!! HOPING we get some of this lovely weather, not like last year! We have a great weekend planned with lots of prizes for the Nav Ride, and the Trivea night that will be hosted by Taneisha!!

There is also the Zone Horse Trials coming up on SUNDAY THE 29<sup>TH</sup> MAY. Don't forget also, that the rally that was being held on that day has been moved to SATURDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> MAY, and will be a "rally clinic". There has been a change of venue for these horse trials also! The event is now looking at going to the TULLAMARINE PONY CLUB GROUNDS! This course is going to be very exciting as it has NEVER been used to hold a Pony Club event!!! With so many event riders at the Club, it would be great for heaps of Werribee riders out there supporting the Zone! The change of venue is due to 5 user groups at Melton grounds and there is a problem holding the event.

There are also lots of Horse Trials coming up, both PC and EV, and we have lots of riders going out competing. There are also 8 Horse Trials this year at WPNEC this year, starting with the 3 Day Event on the Queen's birthday weekend, all the way to PCA Australia Nationals the weekend after our event!! What a year!

The AGM is also on next rally, the forms will be emailed out to everyone during the week.

Hope to see you all at the Camp next weekend!!!

***Wayne Cuthbert***

***DC***

***Werribee Pony Club***



*Results*

Glenlyon Horse Trials

Open Grade 1, Vanessa Goodram Armstrong 2<sup>nd</sup>

Pony Club Grade 2, Amy Lynch 3<sup>rd</sup>

Open Grade 4, Taneisha Cuthbert 2<sup>nd</sup>

Pony Club Grade 5, Emma Brooks 7<sup>th</sup>

Sam Brooks & Chris Paton also completed and had a great day.

It was great to see Werribee members out supporting Glenlyon Horse Trials! They have suffered major flooding on there grounds over the last 4 months, & part of the course had to be closed, but they were still able to put on another great event that was enjoyed by all that attended!

Sarah Booth & Call me Croc  
Clydesdale Cross Sport Horse Association Show

1st Long rein Mare  
Champion horse in long reins  
3rd Ridden Mare  
1st Most suitable for beginner  
1st Versatility mount  
1st Working hunter  
Overall Highpoint winner



Make sure to send in all your results. This includes the instructors and adult supporters of the club!

## PCAV Fees 2011

Due

to administrative reasons, this year, the PCAV have moved the payment date for Clubs from the 1<sup>st</sup> -15<sup>th</sup> June to lodge the strength report (rider renewals), to the 1<sup>st</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup> May. Due to the date change, the strength report will be completed at the **MAY 1<sup>ST</sup> RALLY!** This means that riders renewing for the 2011/2012 season will have to have forms returned and payments completed by the MAY 1<sup>ST</sup> rally to be eligible to ride from July 1<sup>st</sup>. The PCAV are setting there fees at the February State Council meeting. Werribee PC 2011/2012 fees will be \$310 for PCAV / WPC fees & 11 instructional rallies for the season.

\*Those families with 2 or more riders are eligible for a payment plan

From the PCAV MAD Magazine:

Bylaw 10.5a the State Office must receive a PCAV club member fee for each junior and Associate Club members as follows:

	<i>Period</i>	<i>Applicable to</i>	<i>Due at State Office</i>
<i>Strength return Period</i>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> May to 15<sup>th</sup> May</i>	<i>Those wishing to join or renew club membership for the following PCAV year (starting 1<sup>st</sup> July)</i>	<i>Registration: Online or by mail on or before 15<sup>th</sup> May. Payment: by mail arriving by the 15<sup>th</sup> May or any alternate date as determined from time to time by State Council</i>

This change has been made to enable the office to process membership and carry out end of financial year requirements in a timelier manner.

University of Melbourne  
**Open Day - Sunday 27th March 2011**  
(not Saturday as per previous email)  
**Werribee Pony Club Open Day Roster**

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We require 4 ponies for each time slot. Ponies that are comfortable to have public walking past and don't bite, kick etc. The ponies will have a yard each to stay in for the 2 hour slots.

Riders must be in full uniform and happy to answer questions from the public regarding Pony Club involvement.

At least one parent must be in attendance at all sessions to ensure the safety of the public, ponies and riders.

On arrival, please call Hinalei (her number is above) for instructions on where to park and which yards you will be using.

Time required	Rider Name	Ponies Name	Parent name/WPC Rep
9.00 am - 11.00 am	Jasmine Sharpe	Bart	Linda

Time required	Rider Name	Ponies Name	Parent name/WPC Rep
11.00 am - 1.00 pm	Jasmine Sharpe	Bart	Linda

Time required	Rider Name	Ponies Name	Parent name/WPC Rep
1.00 pm - 3.00 pm			

Time required	Rider Name	Ponies Name	Parent name/WPC Rep
3.00 pm - 4.30 pm			

### AGM

**The Club annual AGM will be held at the PC rally on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> April @ 2 pm. Nomination forms for the 2011/2012 committee can be collected at the March rally. All parents & associate riders (17 years & over) welcome.**

**Are YOU an active member, the kind who would be missed?  
 Or are you just contented that your name is on the list?  
 Do you attend each meeting & mingle with the flock?  
 Or do you stay away, and criticize & knock?  
 Do you play an active part, to help the work along?  
 Or are you satisfied to be the kind that just belongs?  
 Do you help committees to see there are no tricks?  
 Or leave it to just a few, and talk about the cliques?  
 So come along with meetings, and help with hand & heart,  
 Don't just be a member, but take an active part.  
 Think it over people, you know right from wrong!  
 Are you an active member, or one that just belongs?**

**CAMP!!!! CAMP!!!! CAMP!!!! CAMP!!!! CAMP!!!!**

**YES – IT IS NEARLY HERE!!! Make sure you fill in Camp form and hand it into Aimee by the March rally, so rooms can be finalised and NAV RIDE Groups sorted out! There are lots of prizes up for grabs in the Nav ride, and the Trivia night on the Saturday will once again be hosted by Taneisha! And there are STACKS of prizes on the night for the winning team!!! Hope to see you all there!**



Mel & Taneisha mapping out the Nav ride!



CENTRAL ZONE & PCAV CORNER



**Central Zone Dressage, Musical and Games day is also coming up on the 27<sup>th</sup> March. We have a rider interested in doing the Dressage team of 4 ride, and Bianca Barnes has offered to assist in coaching the team. It would be great to see Werribee back out there doing a team ride for the flat. Let Aimee know at the rally Sunday if you are interested.**

**FROM THE CENTRAL ZONE REP!!**

Rider Responsibility for Attendance Cards

Everyone should ensure that they are familiar with section 15 of the By-laws which specify rider responsibility for the accuracy of member cards and the obligations of organizing committees in checking cards. There have been instances both in our zone and other zones where riders have been disqualified due to card errors and the riders and parents have blamed the organizers. I know that many clubs hold the cards and riders may not see their card until the day of the competition.

Nevertheless, it is the rider's responsibility (or their parent's, in the case of young riders) to ensure that the card is accurate before it is presented at a competition. If a rider is out competing then they should make it their business to know the rules. Organizing committees should also be scrupulous in their card checking. At each zone event, we come across errors in cards of riders who have been competing at other events and the problems have not been picked up. So club officials – please take this reminder to heart and keep those cards up-to date; and impress on the riders (and parents) that card accuracy is their responsibility!

**So riders, when you sign in at rallies – PLEASE make sure you give the correct details when signing in!**

- Horses competition name. EG: If his paddock name is Bob, but the comp name is Regal Fantasy, please sign in Regal Fantasy
- Make sure you advise the horse you are riding on the day
- Still sign in if you are un-mounted!

**CHANGE OF RALLY DATE!!  
SUNDAY MAY 29<sup>TH</sup> RALLY HAS BEEN MOVED TO  
SATURDAY MAY 28<sup>TH</sup>!**

**THIS WILL BE A "RALLY CLINIC" WITH 1 FLAT & 1 SHOWJUMPING LESSON FOR RIDERS WITH SPECIALTY E.V INSTRUCTORS**

**AS NOT ALL MEMBERS CAN MAKE A SATURDAY RALLY, DUE TO OTHER COMMITMENTS, RALLY ATTENDANCE WILL BE GRANTED FOR THOSE WHO CANNOT MAKE IT. RIDERS WILL STILL BE IN THE GROUPS THAT THEY RIDE AT A NORMAL RALLY, AND WE WILL ATTEMPT TO TRY AND WORK AROUND OTHER WEEKEND COMMITMENTS.**

**THE CHANGE OF DATE IS DUE TO THE CENTRAL ZONE HOSTING THERE FIRST ZONE HORSE TRIALS ON SUNDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> & WE ARE HOPING TO SEE LOTS OF WERRIBEE RIDERS SUPPORTING THIS EVENT.**



**Central Zone of Pony Clubs Inc.**

No.A006915H

**Inter – Club Horse Trials**

**(PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF VENUE. NEW VENUE  
TULLAMARINE. TBC!!!)**

**Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> May, 2011**

**'Equestrian Club Supplies' Shield for the club with the overall highest placing points.**

(Scoring system to be advised)

**Club Pennants 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>.**

Individual awards 1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> place in each grade

Qualifier for Grade 2 State Horse Trials & Inter-zone Teams Horse Trials for Grades 3 & 4

**Entry Fee: \$35.00 Entries Close: Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May, 2011**

**Riders to enter individually.**

Clubs will be rostered for volunteer helpers as per other zone events.

All riders to nominate a volunteer fence steward for a part of the day.

**ENTER ONLINE AT [www.eventsecretary.org.au](http://www.eventsecretary.org.au)**

Could all our members and friends please keep on the look out for Arizona who has been stolen. He is 15.2 h Palomino gelding, Brands : Near: LM Off: 5/0. Markings: White sock on Off Hind leg. White Star on forehead. He was stolen from paddock in Cranbourne South in early hours of Monday morning 28th Feb.

Please let me know and I will pass on the information to Chelsea Douglas who is the owner.

Thanks

Jeff

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