

THE WERRIBEE WORD

2011/2012 COMMITTEE

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www.ponyclubvic.org.au

Central Zone Website:
www.centralzone.ponyclubvic.org.au

WPC Website:
www.werribee.ponyclubvic.org.au



WHO DOES WHAT

Rider grading/re-grading– DC. Grading for Horse Trials, Combined Training, Dressage & Showjumping. Riders can be graded after 2 rallies on the mount that they wish to have graded. **DC – WAYNE CUTHBERT**

Rider Groups– DC/President. Groups at rallies. This includes if you are not riding at the rally, you need to notify either of these people. **DC – WAYNE CUTHBERT / PRESIDENT - CHERI SLIPAIS**

Parents Rally roster– President. If you are rostered on & will not be at the rally, you need to find a replacement for that day. **PRESIDENT - CHERI SLIPAIS**

Finances –Treasurer. Any financial details within the club, eg: payment for rally fees, horse trials, State event entries, etc. **TREASURER- JANET TEAGUE / ASST TREASURER - MAREE HUTTON**

Rider Certificates– Vice President. Riders wishing to complete there PCAV certificates. Certificate forms are located on the club website. **VICE PRESIDENT CAROL BRADLEY**

Administration– Secretary. Administration duties for the club, eg: rider has lost a card & needs a replacement. **SECRETARY -AIMEE CUTHBERT**

Contact details for all executive committee members are also located on the Werribee PC website.

Uniforms including saddle blankets, polo tops, jumpers, PCAV rule books– uniform coordinator **KAREN BROOKS**

Newsletter items– including for sale, results, updates– newsletter editor. **JESSICA SPEECHLEY**

RALLIES AND COMMITTEE MEETINGS

This months' rally is: [Sunday August 7](#) Full rally dates are available on the Werribee PC Website

2011 CLUB MEETINGS

Meetings are held bio-monthly in the Club Rooms on the Thursday night prior to the rally @ 7.30pm. All parents and Associate (over 17) riders encouraged to attend

Next meeting: [Thursday October 6](#)

RALLY REMINDERS

Rallies: All riders must have a parent / guardian present with them at **ALL** times during the rally & at WPC events. Parents are reminded that while the riders are under the tuition of an instructor in class times, they are not to approach the instructors or the riders.

Riders also need to be aware that if you are late, or need to leave a class / rally early, you must advise the instructor and excuse yourself. You then must notify the President or DC

Cross Country: There are to be **NO CARS** on the Cross Country Course, only the **first aid** car! This is for the safety of horses, riders and spectators.

Un-mounted Rally attendance: Riders must be in full uniform and helping at the rally to gain rally attendance. Helping includes selling raffle tickets, setting up/packing up, etc

First Aid and accidents at rallies: If any rider falls or is injured, this **MUST** be reported to the First Aid Officer immediately, no matter how big or small the injury is. Any rider that hits their head upon a fall must be monitored for 1 hour by the First Aid Officer before being able to remount.

WPNEC outside of rallies: Just a reminder if you wish to use the WPNEC outside of rallies, you must contact

UPCOMING EVENTS

Rokewood PC Gymkhana Saturday, August 6th

Whittlesea Secondary College Interschool & Open Showjumping Competition Friday, August 12th

Ultimate Showjumping Weekends Sat 13th -Sun 14th

Upper Beaconsfield PC Showjumping Day Sunday, August 21st

Beaufort ARC Showjumping Competition Sunday, August 21^s

Little River PC Triple Challenge Sunday, August 28th

Bullengarook PC Showjumping Day Sunday, August 28th

Werribee PC Horse Trials Saturday 24th and Sunday 25th September

Check the 'Comps and Clinics' page on the WPC website or the PCAV website for more info and entry forms.

RESULTS

Lowden Shield

Jasmin Sharpe: 6th Bending, 6th Steps, 4th Sack Race, 5th Pony Twist

Lisa Pike: 3rd Bending, 4th Old English Plate, 5th Pony Twist,

Taylan Spiteri: 3rd Sack Race, 4th Flag and Drum

Make sure to send in all your results and photos to jessicaspeechley@hotmail.com

This includes the instructors and adult supporters of the club!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOR AUGUST!!!



Shannon Harkins August 18th

CLINIC- SUNDAY 21ST AUGUST

We are lucky to have SUE SMITH for dressage and CHRIS SMITH for S/jumping - which will be held in Indoor 2 at this stage. Sue and Chris bring years of knowledge and experience with them. Please email Cheri if you are attending at clipais@westnet.com.au.

To ensure all classes are full, all Werribee riders will need to advise by Sunday if you are attending, as riders from other clubs will be advised of available places for the clinic.

Parents Roster

It is an expectation that all riders have a parent to support the Pony Club roster whilst their child is a member.

Parents are only required to be on the roster 3 times per year; therefore if you are unable to fulfill your tasks on the day, you are expected to organise your own replacement from the pool of pony club parents. Please do not call or email the President, Secretary or DC to do this for you.

If you are replacing some one on the roster, please advise the President on the morning of the rally.

Could everyone also please be at their allocated area on time, so that all gear is set up/packed up, and canteen cleaned before the end of the day.

Senior riders are responsible for setting up/packing up bollards. Please decide amongst yourselves who will do this.

Please check the Parents Roster on the WPC website prior to the rally



24/7 PA Insurance will not go ahead for the 2011/2012 Membership year

Dear All,

Of the 50 or so Clubs who have replied to the 24/7 PA Insurance proposal we had the following responses:

- 20 Clubs are opposed – some vehemently so, suggesting they would not be paying any extra money
- 10 Clubs welcomed the cover but were opposed to having to go back to their membership for more money
- Several more clubs have indicated that they would not be having a meeting or rally so could not make a decision
- One club responded that the increase in \$s was not excessive but the insurance cover offered was not great

In light of these objections and the fact that PCAV could be exposed to a large financial loss if clubs do not pay it has been decided that we will not go ahead with the 24/7 PA Insurance for this membership year.

NB - we would need to pay AON \$100,000 up front to extend the 24/7 PA cover to the current membership

Clare Lewin

Executive Officer/Coaching Director

Pony Club Association of Victoria

CANTEEN NEWS

Please ensure all lunches are be ordered by 10.30am! No orders put in after this time will be taken. This is to ensure the correct amount of food is prepared and no one misses out 😊

! NEW RULE !

The group who is last to use the show jumps are responsible for packing away all showjumping equipment. This ensures that the job is allocated equally between club members over the rallies 😊

**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?**



I (Aimee) have used Carola Adolf as my barefoot trimmer for the last 2 years or more. She has made an enormous difference to the feet of all my horses. Barefoot trimmers are hard to come by in this area, and Carola is travelling all the way from South Gippsland. However her other client in this area has changed the location of one of her horses and will not be using Carola in the future. To make it worth her while it would be great if there was anyone else interested in using her services, ideally someone with 2 or 3 horses to trim. Carola comes every 6 weeks on a Friday and charges \$40 per horse plus \$20 travel fee (she is due again this coming Friday). If you are interested can you contact Carola direct, but mention my name (as she normally doesn't take new clients this far away). If you like to know more feel free to contact me.

Her contact details are:

Mobile 0437 483 243

Email Hoof.care@bigpond.com

Her website gives you some more information:

<http://www.equinebarehoofcare.org/>

Letter from the Editor

Hi All,

If you have anything to put into the newsletter, please send through to jessicaspeechley@hotmail.com It would be great to see some more results, photos, announcements, FOR SALE , articles and ideas of anything else you would like to see in here.

See you all next rally!

Jess and Jazz ☺

