



Ballan Pony Club Inc.

Fun on Saddles Newsletter

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Hello Everyone

We have been lucky to have some great riding weather this month. All our horses at home are feeling happy at the moment. They are shedding their shaggy winter coats to reveal shiny new spring coats. The spring grass is making them all pretty fresh and they are full of energy. Yeah for spring.

Firstly I wish to congratulate all our riders who participated in the BEDS series. You all did an amazing job and I am so proud of you all. Big congratulations to Maggie-Rose, Kelsey and Jess who placed in the overall sections of BEDS and or Prix Caprilli at the end of the series. Good job girls!

As you all know this months rally is being run as a mini combined training day in the morning with polo cross in the afternoon. Mel has put a lot of time into the rally plan. She has set the rally program up like a competition draw. So please make sure you give yourself plenty of time for gear check (at shed). You must gear check for both phases. Then warm up in designated areas. Then arrive at your dressage or show jumping by before your allocated time to ride. This way the day can run smoothly. Quite a few riders and parents have also been allocated jobs during the day to help it run smoothly. Please check in the Newsletter to see if you have been allocated a job. We will also need help from parents to set up some dressage arenas and the show jumping. This is a warm up for our combined training day on November 15th. We are asking for volunteers to help on this day. There will be a job list at this rally. So if you can please put your name down to help

Could the following families who have perpetual trophies from last year please return them at this rally. Norman family, Josephs family, McLeod family and the Web family.

Also at this rally there will be a representative from Barwon Zone. She will be doing our annual check on the administration side of running a pony club. If you see her around please make her feel welcome.

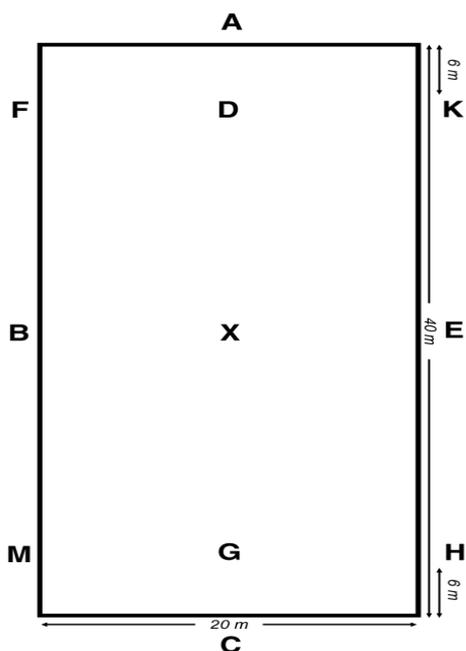
I hope to see you all at the November rally

Katrina

November CT Rally Draw

			Gra	Dressa	Dressage Pencillin	Height	SJ	SJ Pencillin	SJ Rail Stev	Gear che	Dressage marsh
2	1	Caitlin Webb	Flare	2C	9.30		90	11.50			
3	2	Sophie Monaghan	Colby	3C	9.38	10.58-11.14	75	11.36			
4	3	Charlotte Sapseed		3C	9.46	10.20-11.16	75	11.38			
5	4	Caitlin Webb	Midge	3C	9.54	Judging 10.20-11.16	75	11.40			
6	5	Nicole Pama		3C	10.02	10.18-10.50	75	11.42			
7	6	Bethany Howe		3C	10.10		75	11.44	10.28-10.42	10.22-10.26	
8	7	Charlotte Labas		3C	10.18		60	11.20	11.36-12.00		
9	8	Kelsey Josephs		3C	10.26	9.30-9.54	60	11.22		11.40-12.00	
10	9	Sophie Monaghan	Junior	4C	10.34		60	11.24			
11	10	Bridget Curwen-King		4C	10.42	9.54-10.18	60	11.26		9.00-9.50	
12	11	Jess Norman		4C	10.50	9.30-9.45	60	11.28			9.45-10.20
13	12	Maggie Rose Sapseed		4C	10.58	9.54-10.18	60	11.30			9.20-9.45
14	13	Rashid Arab		4C	11.06		60	11.32	10.22-10.26	10.28-10.32	9.30-10.20
15	14	Samara Mcleod		5C	9.30		45	10.22	11.20-11.34	11.02-11.50	
16	15	Annabel Mather		5C	9.38	10.50-11.14	45	10.24	11.14-11.44		
17	16	Rhiannon Logan		5C	9.46		45	10.28			
18	17	Maddison Winter		5C	9.54		45	10.30			
19	18	Hayley Josephs		5C	10.02		Cross	10.40			
20	19	Tristan Curwen-King		5A	10.20		Poles	11.30			
21	20	Katelyn Prior		5A	10.28		Poles	11.32			
22	21	Chelsea Winter		5A	10.36		Poles	11.34			
23	22	Jess Wilson		5A	10.44		Poles	11.36			
24	23	Tom Norman		5A	10.52		Poles	11.38			
25	24	Emily Norman		5A	11.00		Poles	11.40			
26	25	Dakodah Pearce		5A	11.08		Poles	11.42			

Arena



This rally, in preparation of our combined training on the 15th of November, we are having a practice combined training day. Please have a look at the draw to find out what times you are riding. The Shetland and Arab groups will have lessons with Deb to warm up for your dressage and show jumping. The Connemara, Clydesdale and Andalusian groups will warm up in the dressage and show jump warm up areas under supervision. The tests will be C for each grade except topsy who will do test 5A. I have attached a copy of the arena set up and the test so everyone can practice before the rally. (If the younger kids don't want to trot in their test that's ok you are allowed to walk the trot parts) Parents and riders have been allocated jobs throughout the day please check which jobs you have been allocated and do your best to be there on time. Then in the afternoon it's time to have some fun with games and polo cross.

Ballan Pony Club Rally Plan - November 2015

Andalusian Schooling Grade 3-2 Experienced	Clydesdale Schooling Grade 4-3 High Intermediate	Connemara Schooling Grade 5-4 Intermediate	Arab Schooling Grade 5 & Pre Grade 5 Low Intermediate	Shetlands (Yard) Not Graded
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Caitlin Webb Bethany Howe Nicole Pama Charlotte Sapstead	Sophie Monaghan Charlotte Labas Rashid Arab Jessica Norman Bridget Curwen-King	Samara McLeod Kelsey Josephs Annabel Mather Maggie-Rose Sapstead	Hayley Joseph Caleb Monaghan Rhiannon Logan Tristan Curwen-King Maddison Winter	Emily Norman Tom Norman Jessica Wilson Dakodah Pearce Catelyn Prior Chelsea Winter
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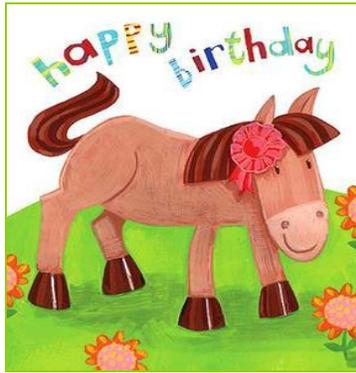
9.00am	All parents to assist in set up Hand in pony club cards and sign attendance form				
9.20am	Roll call and group placement Followed by gear check by instructors				
	Andalusian	Clydesdale	Connemara	Arab (Yard off lead)	Shetlands (Yard)
9.30-10.40	Combined Training Please see attached draw for times.			Flat Deb (rope yard) 1 hour	9.50am start Flat Deb (rope yard) 50mins
10.40-10.50	In the times that you are not riding you have been allocated a job as a dressage penciller, show jumping penciller or a rail steward.				Break 10.40-11.00
10.50-11.50				Poles Deb (rope yard) 1 hour	Poles Deb (rope yard) 50mins
11.50-12.00	Unsaddle for lunch				
12-12.40	Lunch				
12.40-12.50	Club meeting				
12.50-1.00	Prepare for next session				
1.10-2.10	Polo cross Grant and Mel 2 hours			Games or Polo cross 1 hour	Games Deb (Di's Yard) 1 hour
2.10-2.20					Break
2.20-3.20				Horsemanship or Polo cross 45 mins	Horsemanship Deb 45 mins
3.20-3.30	Pack up all equipment and pick up cards				

Canteen

This month's families are Webb, Wilson & Howe.

Please check in with Gina once you have settled in.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO.....



November Birthdays

Samara McLeod

Please accept apologies if your name has been missed