



# Rallyround



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A big Thank you to Prue King who gave us a very informative class on Gear Checking.



I have arranged for Christian Borg from the Lilydale Equine practice to come to our rally this month to give a general horse care talk and also to offer any treatments including 2in1 vaccine, Hendra Vacc, teeth etc. If you would like to see the vet for your horse please let me know asap and if so what for, so they know how many vaccines etc to bring.. **Jay**

## President's Report—

Happy belated birthday to all horses and welcome to our August Rally.

Whilst I was happy with the turn up of people at our gear check workshop at our last rally, and the parents and riders that attended gained a lot of information; I have to say that I was disappointed in the riders who did not attend and but also failed to let us know that they were not going to be there. Our instructors place a lot of time and effort striving to provide a well-balanced program which includes theory and practice. We knew in July that the August rally was going to be difficult as some of our instructors were not going to be there, however it was also compounded by riders not letting us know of their intentions.

On a more positive note, thank you to Abbey, Ella, Sivan, Lauren and Milena for tacking up your horses and letting us 'novices' learn about what to look for whilst doing gear checks. Hopefully we can continue to practice at rallies so we can become even more competent and knowledgeable.

I would like also to commend our parents and riders in their calmness and efforts when we had what could have been a tragic incident in the afternoon when Brandy stumbled and Izzy ended up under her. I am pleased to say that both whilst a little sore, ended up okay in the end. It does remind us though that it is a sport which is dangerous and we all need to keep in mind that things can very easily go wrong.

Our major fundraiser this year is going to be a **CAR BOOT SALE** and it is happening on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November at our grounds. So if you have 'stuff' that you would like to get rid of (and we are not limiting it to horsey stuff), think about booking a car spot (\$20) Also let your friends and family know that this is going to happen. We will be asking your support to help promote this, by either putting up a flyer at work, or in your school newsletter. The more car spots we can sell and the more people we get there to buy actually ends up as a win for you and a win for the club.

Thank you to Kate Taylor in her organizing of stables, bedding and camp sites for the Werribee Horse Trials in September, which also reminds us that **OUR competition day** will be coming up in October and we will be beginning to plan for the running of that day. Look out for sign up lists at this rally.

As we have a number of members who are not floating we have a greater number of cars on site. If you are not towing a float could you please park in one of these three areas. Along the clubrooms, the far side of the grounds (Bushy Park side), or leave your car on the grassed area before the second gates. By all means drop off your gear, but could we please leave the hick stead side available for the floats.

Just a reminder also for our safety and your horse's safety, could horses please not be brought onto the landings of the clubrooms or on the gravel area at the front of the clubrooms. They really should not come past the seating at the front.

I thank you for your cooperation in those matters

**It is paramount that if you are NOT attending the rally YOU NEED to contact Stephanie (0411 170 175) the Friday before. She needs to be able to finalise riding groups and instructors to give you, the rider, and the best possible experience**

**Don't forget the opportunity to book a dentist check up!**  
See you at the rally

Kerrie



## Speed to Safety by Jade Coghlan

Kirra, Jade P, Hannah and I all attended the NMZ Speed to Safety training at Caulfield Racecourse. The training was held over three training days in July and August. We were taught the skills needed to ride at a given pace over a given distance. All riders from Nunawading Pony Club were graded Grade 4 Horse Trials. The speed we needed to travel over a 1000 metres was 500 metres per minute.

Unfortunately none of us qualified for the state final but our times were very competitive. Hannah on the first training day managed to be 1 second off the qualifying time. Kirra and I managed to come away with times of one-two seconds off the set time on the second and third weeks of the trails. Unfortunately none of us managed to qualify for the state final but we all learnt a great deal and were very privileged to be able to ride on such an amazing racecourse. We would like to thank sue Winter and Prue King from the NMZ and especially Lisa Coffey from Racing Victoria who has made it possible for Pony Club Riders to have such an awesome experience.





**Hi everyone**

**At this rally we have James Harvey giving a presentation on horse dentistry during the lunch break. If you would like James to check your horse, could you please let me know by Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> August. A check up will cost \$55, payable on the day. I will allocate times for appointments after we confirm numbers.**

**If we have 10 people taking up this offer James will be donating a raffle prize of a free appointment.**

**Contact me via a reply email or text me on 0427995922.**



**Kerrie**



Jade Piotrowski at PCAV Interzones-  
8th out of 35



All creatures cute & miniature





July Rally- the sun  
shone..but the wind froze us





## Club Contacts

Check out the website for our committee contacts.

For Rallyround contributions, send to Linda at

[lindagrande@optusnet.com.au](mailto:lindagrande@optusnet.com.au)



He stole a chip!



Do you mind Rupert, I'm trying to have lunch!



Ella & Jay out for a ride.

## 2013— Club Calendar

<b>RALLY</b>	<b>21st July</b>
<b>RALLY</b>	<b>18th August</b>
NHPC Committee Meeting	5th September
<b>RALLY</b>	<b>15th September</b>
Werribee PC Horse Trials	SEPTEMBER
NMZ Eventin Clinic Grade 4&5 See PCAV website	25 & 26th September
NHPC Committee Meeting	10th October
<b>RALLY</b>	<b>20th October</b>
NHPC COMBINED TRAINING DAY	27th October
NHPC Committee Meeting	7th November
<b>RALLY</b>	<b>17th November</b>
Presentation Night	TBA
NHPC Committee Meeting	5th December
<b>RALLY XMAS BREAKUP</b>	<b>15th December</b>
Sally Hudson SJ Clinic's are held every 1st & 3rd Sat of the	
month at Drummies Bridge Reserve	
Please contact Sally on 0412 615 039 if you wish to book a private or shared lesson	





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BRING YOUR CERTIFICATE BOOKS TO EVERY RALLY-IF YOU DON'T HAVE ONE PLEASE ORDER ONE  
ON SUNDAY

<b>Phar Lap</b>	<b>Sarah Priestly</b>	<b>Sub Zero</b>	<b>Nicky Mullens</b>
Anastasia Whitehead Amelie Meyler Matthew Grande Astrid Imogen Sasha	<b>HORSES REQUIRED FOR PRE OWNERS DURING HORSEMAN- SHIP PLEASE.</b>	Olivia Skerman Sasha Evangelista Isabella Reeves Yasmine Jackson Sophie Crammonds Milena Fanciullo Hannah Sivan Lauren Hunter	9.30am – Gear check 9.45am – Flat 10.45am –Gridwork 11.45am – lunch 1pm – Horsemastership 2pm– 3pm – Games
<b>Kingston Town</b>	<b>Kate Wilson</b>	<b>Black Caviar</b>	<b>Haylee Catley</b>
Scarlett Howard Alex Benson Jess Eaton Sarah Brophy Rachael Busletja Millie Fitzpatrick Emily Busletja Claire Skerman Kate Taylor Jackie	9.30am – Gear check 9.45am – Active riding 10.45am – Horsemanship 11.45am – LUNCH 1pm –Flat 2pm – Gridwork	Jade Piotrowski Emily Seeary Abbey Williamson Ella Garrett Kirra Hobbs Jade Coghlan	9.30am – Gear check 9.45am – Gridwork 10.45am – Flat 11.45am – LUNCH 1 pm – Horsemastership 2pm – Cross Country
<b>Makybe Diva</b>	<b>Stephanie Williams</b>	<b>BIG RED</b>	
Elias Garrett Jacqui Grande Shanice Govender Anna Paradis Rachel Weeks	9.30am – Gear Check 9.45am – Cross country 10.45am–Horsemastership 11.45am – LUNCH 1pm – Gridwork 2pm – Games/Active riding		

ALL C CERTIFICATE CANDIDATES ARE TO MEET NICKY AND  
HAYLEE IN CLUB ROOMS AT 9 AM WITH YOUR MANUALS.

*PLEASE ARRIVE EARLY ENOUGH TO HAVE YOUR HORSE ORGANISED BEFORE  
9AM SO YOU DO NOT START YOUR DAY LATE.*