



# Rallyround



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## Reminders:

- ⇒ Important fundraising effort (see page 3)
- ⇒ May Rally at Yeringburg
- ⇒ NHPC May competition, please see Rosemary for how you can help on the day.
- ⇒ Let Stephanie (DC) know if you can't make the rally.

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## President's Report—

Hi everyone and welcome to our April Rally

Firstly, thank you to our outgoing committee for all of their efforts. Secondly, welcome to our incoming committee, which does include a number of new faces. Please check the new listings further on in our newsletter. I am looking forward to working with the new committee and in particular our fundraising group which consists of a few of our non- owner parents. I know that they already have some great ideas.

Also; thank you to the parents and riders, who attended the Yeringberg Individual Horse Trials. We had the duty of Dressage Gear check and running Dressage on the Sunday, along with providing two cross country jump marshalls.

So to Rosie, Linda, Andrea, Kerry, Claire, Emma, Mel, Deb, Emmy, Sophie and Kirra thank you very much for your time on the day.

We had one competitor on that weekend, Kate Taylor who did well in Dressage and had a clear round in Showjumping but unfortunately took a fall in Cross Country. After a FEW hours in hospital Kate is fine as is Frank and Mum is doing okay as well.

I just want to remind you that a number of us will not be at this rally due to the girls competing at the Tintern Interschool's Horse Trials at Wandin on that weekend. I am asking for all of you to help run and pack up on the day.

Thank you to the people who have already put their names down for duties on our Competition day on the 26<sup>th</sup> May. If you have not yet done so could you please see Rosie at this rally to offer your assistance. We also have a number of good raffle prizes, including saddle blankets, picnic rugs, hamper and six gift vouchers worth \$25 each from CKA Designs. If you would like to contribute to our raffle prizes please let us know, or bring your donation to rally.

Details about our unmounted Rally on May 19<sup>th</sup> at Yeringberg will be in the next newsletter and I will also send you all an email closer to the time. We have been allocated the duty of Dressage Gear Check at the Yeringberg Teams Horse Trials on that day. We will also need to supply cross country judges. People can actually share that duty so we could have more than 1 volunteer.

I wish our games team well for Sunday April 28<sup>th</sup> and it would be great for people to come along and look at another aspect of pony club competition. This includes Flat Teams and Games. It is held at Wesburn Park.

**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, the best possible experience.**

Hope that you all have a great rally. Please stay safe and look forward to seeing you at Yeringberg on the 19<sup>th</sup>.  
Kerrie



## **Junior Committee: Scarlett Howard**

Hi everyone, hope you have had a great month. We had an amazing response to the Junior Committee events & jobs for this year so I'll let you know when each of those things are starting (plus further ideas are welcomed!). I am also planning on a JC Meeting once a month this year. Let me know if you want to join in on other jobs and if you have your own ideas. I don't bite!

Thanks,  
Scarlett.

### **Eventing Clinic with Will Enzinger & Adam Benson at Yeringberg:**

Clinics at Yeringberg are very rare so if you get a chance to go make sure you get in early! So far there have been 2 clinics taught by riders at the top of their profession. I was lucky enough to get a place with Saffy but then unfortunately she received an injury that left her unrideable for the day. I was forced to take Elmo, a horse who has not seen XC for 1 year. It was nerve-racking at the beginning but with the coaching & support of Adam Benson and then Will Enzinger my confidence rose and we were soon galloping over huge palisades. I cannot say enough good things about the clinic, the organisation, or these two coaches. I was so lucky to get a spot and encourage you all to grab the opportunity to ride at Yeringberg if you can and if you get the chance have a lesson with these amazing instructors!

The Junior Committee will be collecting money (change, notes, anything!) to donate to the girls in the tragic accident killing a woman, two horses and leaving 3 people in hospital. Courtney Fraser & Emma Booth were involved in a horrific car accident that resulted in serious injuries to both girls, especially Emma. The accident also resulted in the death of both of Courtney's horses, Entertainment Plus and Perfect Match. They were returning home after great success for Courtney & her horses at Albury Horse Trials. This is every rider's worst fear and so many have pulled together to support them.

Let's do our part too Nunawading!





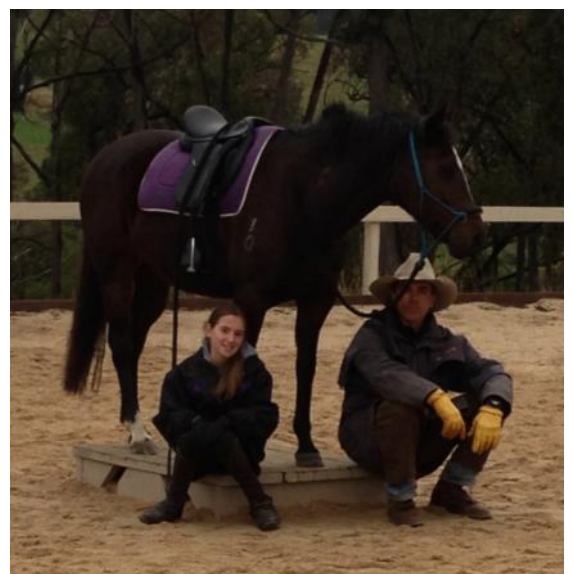
Claire Skerman – 1st Grade 3 Combined Training at Monash Competition



Olivia Skerman – 6th in Grade 4 Combined Training at Monash



Ella Garrett & Bronte with Carlos Tabernaberri



# OUT & ABOUT



**Scarlett Howard on:**

**WB Hot Chocolate**

Monash Dressage & CT Day

Grade 2 Dressage - 3rd

**Alex Benson on:**

**Ruby: Monash CT**

Grade 2 combined training 1st

Grade 1 straight dressage 3rd

Indy: upper beaconsfield sj A grade

1st, 2nd, 3rd and 2nd overall



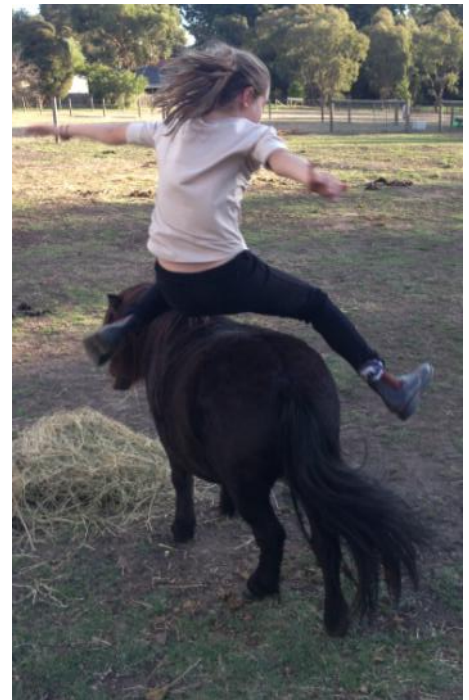




Zachary Garrett on Crackles-our future NHPC member.



# FUN PICS!!



Ella & Crackles-What's wrong with this photo??? Isn't the horse meant to be the one jumping????



What is the horse thinking????

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This contact list is obviously not complete with names and details.

## 2013— Club Calendar

<b>RALLY</b>	<b>21st April</b>
NHPC Committee Meeting	10th May
<b>RALLY - Yeringburg Team Horse Trials</b>	<b>19th May</b>
NHPC DRESSAGE & SHOWJUMPING DAY	26th May
NHPC Committee Meeting	6th June
<b>RALLY</b>	<b>16th June</b>
NHPC Committee Meeting	11th July
<b>RALLY</b>	<b>21st July</b>
NHPC Committee Meeting	8th August
<b>RALLY</b>	<b>18th August</b>
NHPC Committee Meeting	5th September
<b>RALLY</b>	<b>15th September</b>
Werribee PC Horse Trials	
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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# **NUNAWADING HORSE AND PONY CLUB**



## **SHOWJUMPING and DRESSAGE DAY Sunday 26th May 2013**

**A0003234C**

**To be held at Drummies Bridge Reserve,  
High Street Road, Glen Waverley (Melway Ref 71 J1)**

**\*\* Full canteen facilities available \*\***

### **DRESSAGE**

Open Grade 1 – Tests 1F and 1G

Open Grade 3\* – Tests 3D and 3E (60x20 arena)

PC Grade 4 – Tests 4C and 4E

Open Grade 5 Test 5A (for inexperienced riders 10 years & under only)

Open Grade 2 – Tests 2E and 2F

PC Grade 3\* – Tests 3D and 3E (60x20 arena)

PC Grade 5 – Tests 5B and 5C

**\* PLEASE NOTE – OPEN GRADE 3 AND PC GRADE 3 SECTIONS MAY BE COMBINED IF INSUFFICIENT NUMBERS**

Trophy for 1<sup>st</sup> and Sashes for first 6 placings. Overall Dressage Champion for each Grade.

All Dressage Tests taken from P.C.A.V. Dressage Book July 2006 Edition.

**ENTRY FEES: \$20.00 per test or \$35 for both tests**

### **SHOWJUMPING (Competition over two rounds – Article 273 FEI)**

Grades:	Open PA	Open PB	Open PC	PD	PE	PF
Min. start height:	1.00m	0.90m	0.75m	0.60m	0.45m	0.35m
Max.start height:	1.10m	1.00m	0.85m	0.70m	0.55m	0.45m
Max Spread:	1.35m	1.20m	1.05m	0.85m	0.70m	0.55m
Max. finish height:	1.25m	1.15m	1.00m	0.85m	0.70m	0.55m

No single raise in the course for any grade shall exceed 15cm.

Trophy for 1<sup>st</sup> and Sashes for first 6 placings.

**ENTRY FEE: \$25.00**

**TWO TESTS & SHOWJUMPING (\$55)**

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

**Entries close on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2013**

Please complete the above entry form and if applicable the "Day Attendance Application for Open Section" form (available from [www.ponyclubvic.org](http://www.ponyclubvic.org)) and return with the entry fees to:

**The Event Secretary, N.H.P.C. Inc, 65 Whitneys Road, Somerville 3912**

(Cheques are to be made payable to N.H.P.C. Inc.)

If paying by direct deposit please state surname of rider as reference and include a copy of the receipt with your entry.

Account Name: Nunawading Horse and Pony Club BSB: 063225 Account Number: 00900951

**ENQUIRIES:** Janine Busljeta 0411189112 or email [nhpcevents@hotmail.com](mailto:nhpcevents@hotmail.com)

**Times will be emailed and available on the Nunawading Pony Club website:**  
[www.nhpc.ponyclubvic.org.au](http://www.nhpc.ponyclubvic.org.au)

Bring your certificate manuals to every rally-If you don't have one, please order one on Sunday.

**HORSES REQUIRED FOR PRE OWNERS DURING THEORY PLEASE.**

<b>Phar Lap</b>	<b>Sarah Priestly</b>	<b>Sub Zero</b>	<b>Nicky Mullens</b>
Anastasia Whitehead Amelie Meyler Imogen Astrid Matthew Grande	Riding with horses from theory groups please!	Olivia Skerman Sasha Evangelista Isabella Reeves Yasmine Jackson Sophie Crammonds Milena Fanciullo Hannah	9.30am – Gear Check 9.45am – Showjumping 10.45am – Flat 11.45am – Lunch 1pm – Horsemastership 2pm – Games
<b>Kingston Town</b>	<b>Kate Wilson</b>	<b>Black Caviar</b>	<b>Haylee Catley</b>
Scarlett Howard Alex Benson Sarah Brophy Rachael Busletja* Millie Fitzpatrick* Claire Skerman Kate Taylor	9.30am – Gear Check 9.45am – Pacework 10.45 – Horsemastership 11.45am – LUNCH 1pm –Flat 2pm – Showjumping	Jade Piotrowski Emily Seeary Abbey Williamson* Ella Garrett* Kirra Hobbs* Jade Coghlan* Emily Busletja Jess Eaton	9.30am – Gear Check 9.45am – Flat 10.45am – Showjumping 11.45am – LUNCH 1 pm – Games 2pm –Horsemastership
<b>Makybe Diva</b>	<b>Stephanie Williams</b>	<b>Big Red</b>	<b>Elissa Raines</b>
Elias Garrett* Jacqui Grande Shanice Govender Lauren Hunter	9.30am – Gear Check 9.45am – Horsemastership 10.45am – Games 11.45am – LUNCH 1pm – Showjumping 2pm – Flat	Rachael Weeks Anna Paradis	9.30-Gear Check 9.45am-Horsemastership 10.45-Games 11.45-LUNCH 1pm- Flat 2pm-Poles

\* Denotes riders who have advised they will not be attending rally – Thank-you!!



## **NHPC HISTORY PAGES:**

### **How we began**

19<sup>th</sup> November 1972, 27 interested parents attended a meeting and were addressed by the President of the Ringwood Pony Club. The proposal to form a pony club in the City of Nunawading was put forward and was accepted unanimously. The club was to be called 'The Nunawading and District Horse and Pony Club'

Bill Purcell was the first President and Val Bulmer was DC

First rally was held on February 4<sup>th</sup> 1973 from 1 – 4pm

Instructors to be approached – Mrs. Symes and Mr. Ross Carey and there were to be no more than 10 – 13 children in each class.

Subscriptions were \$15 per family

Rallies were to be held on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month

Approval for club uniform was given on the 27<sup>th</sup> March 1973

Club had submitted 3 choices:

What we have was the first choice, followed by Purple with a gold sash or purple with a mud green sash.

### **Grounds**

Nunawading Pony Club has had a number of grounds that it has held rallies over the years.

The first rally was held in February 1973 on Mrs. Val Bulmer's Mitcham property, just over the creek along Boronia Rd opposite 'Winter Farm'

The first 'Club Grounds' was at Heatherdale Reserve, Purches St Mitcham from March 1973 until January 1975

The Club then moved to Vermont Street Blackburn from the 2<sup>nd</sup> February 1975 until March 1994. (Originally we had access to 25 acres that was reserved for the Healesville Freeway and the area was bounded by Hawthorn Rd, Mahoneys Rd, Vicky St and Sandra St and the Mahoneys Reserve. Over the years we lost some of the land to housing along Hawthorn Rd and part to the extension of the reserve)

We then moved to Drummies Bridge Reserve, Glen Waverley in April 1994

### **Agistment**

The Club also undertook some control of grounds within the city of Nunawading for agistment purposes and in November 1974 the recommended agistment fee per horse was \$10 per month. Nunawading Pony Club maintained properties at

Orchard Grove Reserve, Blackburn South. (20 acres)

Vermont Street, Blackburn. (25 acres)

Stevens Road, Vermont. (4 acres)

Bond Avenue, Blackburn South. (4 acres)

Mock Street, Burwood East. (7 acres)

As most of the land was reserved for the Healesville Freeway extension, it was subject to changes by the Government. So when they did change the policy not to proceed with the freeway, the land was then rezoned and slowly taken over for housing as well as Parkland for the General Public. So over the years the Club had been involved in some major lobbying to maintain some green open spaces. This included things such as letters to parliamentarians, newspapers, petitions, articles in local and Melbourne papers and more.

Whilst the lobbying ended up with Nunawading losing their original home, it shows the dedication and belief in the Club by many supporters of the club, be it riding members, committee members, families and others. This spirit of the club still exists today and truly reflects the aims and objectives of our Pony Club.

## Aims and Objectives

Encourage you to ride and learn to enjoy all approved kinds of horse sport

Provide instruction in horsemanship and horsemastership

Teach you to care properly for your horse

Give you an opportunity to be involved in a club with young people of similar interest

Promote the highest ideals of sportsmanship, citizenship and loyalty, thereby cultivating strength of character and self-discipline.

On the next page is an Honour Board of the major Committee members from the inception of the club until now.

There are some blanks as I have not found some information, so if anyone has that information I will gratefully accept it.

Apologies for any exclusions, as I am bound to have made some mistakes.

I am working on membership lists from all the years, whilst I have some lists (how accurate, will be anyone's guess) I do not have lists from:

1987, 1989, 1991, 2004, 2006 through to 2008

Thus if anyone knows some information on those, I look forward to hearing from you. I probably still have some boxes in the back shed at pony club that I have not yet got to or found!

Thanks in anticipation

Kerrie

## Nunawading Horse and Pony Club

HONOUR BOARD					
YEAR	PRESIDENT	SECRETARY	TREASURER	DC	V PRESIDENT
1973	Bill Purcell	John Bulmer	John Jamison	Val Bulmer	
1974	Bill Purcell	Betty Pritchard	John Jamison	Val Bulmer	
1975	Les Nash	Betty Pritchard	John Jamison	Val Bulmer	
1976	Les Nash	Betty Pritchard	John Jamison	Ann Symes	
1977	Les Nash	Jill Andrews	Ian Rose	Keitha Raabe	
1978	Les Nash	Jill Andrews	Ian Rose	Keitha Raabe	
1979	Les Nash	Jill Andrews	Fiona Proper	Keitha Raabe	
1980	John Donovan	Jill Andrews	Jean Burgess	Fiona Proper	
1981	Mal Lugg	Jean Burgess	Ray Charles	Les Nash	
1982	Mal Lugg	Serge Skerl	Jean Burgess	Pam Tarrant	
1983	Mal Lugg	Serge Skerl	Phil Roberts	Pam Tarrant	
1984	Serge Skerl	Leigh Howard	Ron Jury	Pam Tarrant	
1985	Roger Reid	Margaret Donovan	Clare Roberts	Keitha Raabe	Mal Lugg
1986	John Donovan	Nikki Longstaff	Clare Roberts	Merryn Burgess	
1987	John Donovan	Nikki Longstaff	Clare Roberts	Merryn Burgess	Shane Collins
1988	John Donovan	Claudine Wallace	Diane Baine	Margaret Donovan	Nikki Longstaff
1989					
1990	Nikki Longstaff	Jeanette Taylor	Bob Frankland	Jan Bennett /Margaret Jones	Claudine Wallace
1991	Nikki Longstaff	Jeanette Taylor	Bob Frankland	Gail Sutton / Nikki Longstaff	
1992	Nikki Longstaff	Jeanette Taylor	Bob Waddell	Leigh Howard	
1993	Nikki Longstaff	Jeanette Taylor	Bob Waddell	Leigh Howard/	
1994	Alan Sutton	Jenni Shaw	Bob Waddell	Kate Longstaff	Phil Rogers
1995	Alan Sutton	Bob Waddell	Barry Sheales	Kate Longstaff	Phil Rogers
1996	Alan Sutton	Sue Bracy	Bob Waddell		
1997	Kate Longstaff	Sue Bracy	Jenny Haig		
1998	Terry Dodson	Sue Pertama	Peta Wilson		
1999	Karen Clarke	Sue Pertama	Peta Wison	Sue Tappy	Diane Boardman
2000	Terry Dodson	Joanna Potton	Anne Wersching	Sue Pertama	Bill Bowtell
2001	Joanna Potton	Mario Difalco	Anne Wersching	Sue Pertama	Bruce Blok
2002	Joanna Potton	Mario Difalco	Anne Stevens	Peta Wilson	Bruce Blok
2003	Joanna Potton	Donna Bradford	Anne Stevens	Peta Wilson	Nigel Parsons
2004	Nigel Parsons	Merideth Masterman	Paul Johnston	Donna Bradford	Joanna Potton
2005	Nigel Parsons	Mary Dyson	Keri Bryran	Wendy D'Ortenzio	Paul Jones
2006	Nigel Parsons	Mary Harbour/Dyson	Keri Bryran	Wendy D'Ortenzio	Paul Jones
2007	Nigel Parsons	Mary Harbour/Dyson	Keri Bryran	Wendy D'Ortenzio	Paul Jones
2008	Nigel Parsons	Mary Harbour	Keri Bryran	Wendy D'Ortenzio	Stefan Ziemer
2009	Stefan Ziemer	Kim Bottrell	Janine Busjleta	Wendy D'Ortenzio	Adam Williamson
2010	Stefan Ziemer	Kim Bottrell	Janine Busjleta	Wendy D'Ortenzio	Adam Williamson
2011	James Fitzpatrick	Kim Bottrell	Janine Busjleta	Bronwyn Potton	Adam Williamson
2012	Kerrie Hobbs	Kim Bottrell	Janine Busjleta	Bronwyn Potton	Adam Williamson
2013	Kerrie Hobbs	Emma Williamson	Sally Weeks	Stephanie Williams	Rosemary Howard