



NEWSLETTER

April 2021

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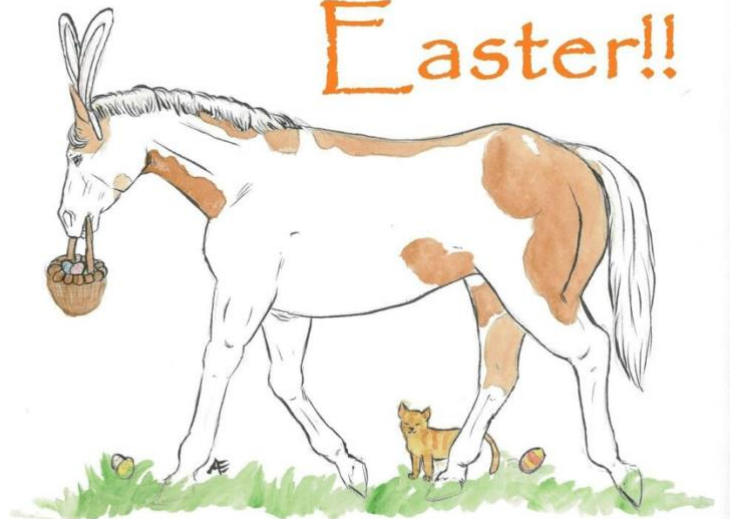
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**Wishing our members and
their families a very happy
Easter!**

Happy
Easter!!



DC's Report:

Hi Everyone,

Our FIRST ever GOOD FRIDAY rally, and our FIRST April rally since 2019! Very pleased to have made it this far and with the COVID restrictions easing even further last week I am forever hopeful we will have many more rallies this year.

A very big Welcome to all new members, it seems every month we are welcoming more new members to our club and these are mostly new members to Pony Club in general.

MPPC will be hosting the Zone Flat & Games Competition on the 1st & 2nd May, unfortunately we don't have a team of riders to represent MPPC this year, however, if you have not seen this type of competition before, please come along and enjoy the excitement, particularly the games events on Sunday 2nd May. The Flat component is team dressage (2 or 4 riders synchronising their movements in a dressage test, and musical dressage), so if you enjoy dressage and would be interested to see how it all works in teams, well worth coming along to watch and when we incorporate this training into some of our rally plans you will have a good idea of what it is all about. MPPC would really like to represent our Zone in this competition next year so will be looking for EOI's and to incorporate some training into rallies this year.

Due to the above, our May rally will be held the following weekend on May 9, which is Mother's Day AND our Pink Rally Day to raise awareness and much needed funds to help support the Breast Cancer Foundation. PINK rally is all about dressing in as much PINK as you can, especially your horse! Prizes will be awarded by our Junior Committee to the best PINK outfits. A donation can will also be at our Canteen for loose change and we will be asking for donations of PINK cakes, slices and biscuits to raise money too.

I will not see you at the April rally on Good Friday as I will be enjoying a much needed break over Easter on a short holiday. I hope you all have a wonderful day

Happiest of Easter to you all, eat LOTS of chocolate!

Marisa – DC

JC's Report:

Buddy System – Please ensure you know what team you are in. If you are not in a team contact Kate Duignan on 0407 329 501. A coloured ribbon or a scrunchie/hair tie etc. in your team colour should be worn at every rally on either yourself or your horse.

Teams as of the 3rd March 2021

Blue	Green	Yellow
Captain - Asha Bedggood	Captain - Maddy Casey	Captain - Lauren Monkhouse
Alix Kelly	Isac Staley	Ned Restall
Asha Taylor	Carys Waetford	Clementine Harvey
Ella Anderson	Seth Staley	London Todd
Isabella Macdonald-Girolami	Jed Smith	Olivia La Rocca
Jack Hustwaite	Mia Bardis	Abbey Restall
Jude May	Liza Smith	Rani Heath
Kate Duignan	Sienna Balog	Kayla Hanslo
Lily Hustwaite	Jessica Dalglish	Kiana Williams
Madison Taylor	Isabella Naughton	Lacey McGill
Maya Charlton	Charlotte Naughton	Lana Schulenburg
Mia Bartlett	Chiara Stuart	Marlow Raglus
Paige Clarke	Ollie Bardis	Phoebe Royal
Paige Rewuk	Neveah Waetford	Maeve Kelly
Samantha Rewuk	Paige King	Ava Kingston
Samara Klein		
Sara Clarke		
Stevie May		
Summer Hustwaite		

Around The Club:

Next Rally – Our next rally is on the 9th of May. It will be a pink rally for breast cancer awareness. Please remember to RSVP.

SMZ Games, Flat and Musical – We are hosting the SMZ games, flat and musical event this year on the 1st and 2nd of May. This is a great opportunity for our members to come down to watch and learn what this event is, and hopefully MPPC can make a team next year!

Presentation night – Presentation night is being held on Saturday the 29th of May. Invite and booking link to be sent out soon.

Out & About:

Dandenong ranges Show Jumping

Seth Staley & You got me rocking – 5th, 6th and 2nd overall

Isac Staley & Brooke – 6th, 5th and 8th overall

Tooradin Horse Trials

Alix Kelly & Primrose Laine – 2nd in the Grade 4

Samantha Rewuk & Nova – 9th in the Grade 5

Paige Rewuk & Nicko – 11th in the Grade 5

North Eastern Dressage

Sara Clarke & Gracie the Gossip Girl – 2nd, 1st and 1st overall

Paige King & Harnsby Park Ejjiah 1st, 3rd and 3rd overall

Balnarring Horse Trials

Alix Kelly & Primrose Laine – 1st in the grade 4

Lily Hustwaite & Lexi – 13th in the grade 4

Paige Rewuk & Nicko – 10th in the grade 5

Maya Charlton & ESB Irish Patience – 1st in the open grade 3

Jack Hustwaite & Jackpony – 4th in the grade 6 CT



Alix Kelly &
Primrose Laine (Left)



Jack Hustwaite &
Jackpony (Right)



Sara Clarke & Gracie the
Gossip Girl (Left)



Madison Casey & Lethal
Flame (Right)

If you'd like your photo featured in the newsletter, please email it to Kate or Millie. Kated26@bigpond.com or mmillieharvey@gmail.com

Upcoming PCAV Events:

11th April – Mountain District Show Jumping Day

18th April – Langwarrin Show Jumping Day

18th April – Dandenong Ranges Dressage Day

More events can be found on the Pony Club Victoria website under 'Find Events':

<http://ponyvic.omnisportsmanagement.com/en-au/findevents.aspx>

April Birthdays:

Wishing our members the happiest of birthdays!

Isabella N – 15th

Charlotte N – 15th

Summer H – 26th

Kate D – 26th

Asha T – 28th



Club Member Profile:

Personal Information	
Full Name	Alix Kelly
Age	13
Horse's Name	Macey (Primrose Lane)
Lives	Keysborough
Riding Information	
Coach	Manuela McLean, Shanon McKimmie (dressage), Brad Cunningham (SJ)
Favourite Discipline	XC
When and where did you start riding?	I rode a little bit when I was 8 – 10 years old on friend's ponies and at a few riding schools. I got my very first pony, Stephe when I was 10.
How often do you ride?	Approximately 4-5 times per week.
How many horses do you have?	2 (I have one mini called 'Dumpling')
Biggest Influences	Ingrid Klimke, Charlotte Dujardin, Mia Bartlett
Equestrian Highlights	Tooradin HT 2 nd in Grade 4 PC (2021)
Other Information	
Pets	2 dogs (Chevy and Mac), 2 bunnies (Cookie & Bubbles), 1 cat (Audrey), sheep (Baa Baa), 8 x chickens, 3 horses (Macey, Dumpling, & my Mum's horse Nemo) & lots of bees in our hive!
Hobbies/Interests	netball, animals, camping
Ambitions	I would like to keep improving my partnership with Macey and progress up to Grade 2. One day I would like to be a high-level eventer.
Planned Career	I would like to work with animals in some form when I grow up.
Something I Collect	Saddle pads
MPPC member who's profile you'd like to read next	Isabella Macdonald-Girolami.



Members Ground Access:

Members, please remember you must book prior to riding on the grounds. Riders must avoid any “out of bounds areas” advised at the time. Non-members are required to pay a grounds fee of \$25 and fill out the online wavier form. Failure to obey these rules will result in forfeiture of access rights. To book a day and time please go to <https://www.trybooking.com/book/event?eid=619329&>



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Uniform:

Riders please note **SUMMER** uniform is to be worn at the rally

It is important for riders to be in the correct gear at rallies. Winter uniform is the white shirt, brown tie, red woollen jumper, white/cream/banana jodhpurs and pony club badge. Summer Uniform is red polo top, white/cream/banana jodhpurs and badge.

If unmounted pony club uniform is still required however dark jodhpurs are acceptable. Clean riding boots and pony club top must be worn.

Jumping vests are recommended at MPPC for jumping lessons.



Pony Club Top Tips!

- 🐾 Riders must sign in the morning of a rally with their pony club book
- 🐾 Please stay for the lunchtime or end of rally meeting as important information is shared during it
- 🐾 Ensure your horse has access to fresh water and hay throughout the day
- 🐾 Riders must be accompanied by an adult whilst at Pony Club
- 🐾 Horses must not be tied to floats that are not attached to cars
- 🐾 Summer uniform is to be worn during daylight savings time and Winter uniform when it is not daylight savings

