



NEWSLETTER

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**Pink Rally for Breast Cancer
Awareness + Happy Mother's
Day!**



DC's Report:

Hi everyone,

Happy Mother's Day to all the wonderful mum's out there in our club, and thank you for coming along to our rally on your special day. This rally is also our annual Pink for Breast Cancer Awareness & Fundraising Day, we have a collection tin for spare change at the canteen and lots of yummy PINK snacks and treats for sale to raise vital funds for the Breast Cancer Council. We urge all riders to dress themselves and their horses in as much PINK as possible and prizes will be awarded for the best costumes.

This rally is also our AGM where all executive roles and general committee positions become vacant and we ask for members to step up and take on a role to help us run this wonderful club. Danielle sent an email and posted on our FB page some information regarding the AGM and I urge you all to have a think about what you might be able to offer. The more people we have involved means less time for individuals to spend running the club as most jobs can be delegated out to spread the load.

I am happy to commit to one FINAL year of being District Commissioner (unless someone out there has a burning desire to take it on and I will happily step aside), otherwise I will be stepping down from this position at the following AGM. I need someone to step us this year as Assistant DC to start learning the ropes and taking on some of the responsibility, hopefully with the longer term view of being DC next year. If this sounds like something you would be interested in doing, please let me know. As an assistant, I would be looking for someone to manage the Pony Club Certificate program as this is a great way to learn about Pony Club and the level of knowledge our riders need to obtain each certificate. The Assistant DC would work closely alongside me at rallies and events, and I am more than happy to offer as much of my time necessary to pass on my knowledge over the coming year.

We are also asking for anybody interested in taking on the Chief Instructor role which is a great role for anyone who likes to organise & co-ordinate. You don't have to be an instructor yourself, the role involves booking coaches/instructors for rallies and working with those coaches on rally day to ensure the lesson plan runs as required.

The roles of DC, Assistant DC and Chief Instructor all work together on rally days to ensure it runs smoothly and we can all step in when required to help each other out. If this sounds like you, please let me know. Without these roles being filled will mean I will be spread very thin on the ground and will not be available to help out as much as I would like. Plus it will make filling the roles next year when it is CRITICAL much more difficult.

On that note, see you all at AGM!

Marisa

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.

Pink Rally for Breast Cancer Awareness – The JC will be awarding the riders who wear the most pink to the May rally with prize packs! Make sure you're decked out in pink and please also bring a small donation.

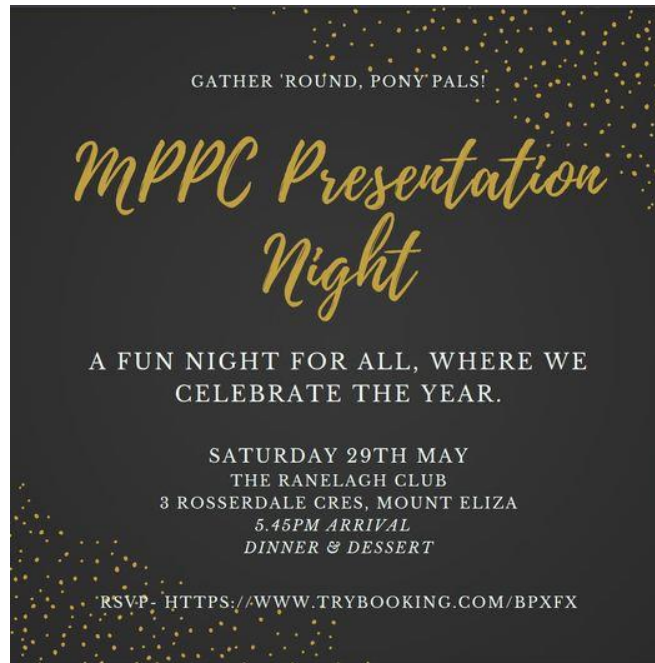
Teams as of the 3rd May 2021

Blue	Green	Yellow
Captain - Asha Bedgood	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 Dagleish	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	Jessica Drennan	Lulu Harvey
Sara Clarke	Layla Pollock	Archie Thomas
Stevie May	Ben Pollock	Annabelle Bouten
Summer Hustwaite	Tilly Bramall	Monique Hudd
Hannah Judd	Abigael O'Brien	Lana Schulenburg
Cassidy Elbers	Charles Sheers	Grace Bramley
Violet Russo		

Around The Club:

Next Rally – Our next rally is on Sunday the 6th of June. It will be a dressage only rally. Please remember to RSVP.

Presentation night – Presentation night is being held on Saturday the 29th of May. Please ensure you book your tickets ASAP!



Out & About:

Dandenong Ranges Horse & Pony Club Dressage Jackpot

Paige King & Harnsby Park Elijah Grade 2 – 6th, 5th & 6th Overall

Sara Clarke & Gossip Girl Grade 3 – 2nd, 4th & 3rd Overall

Monash Pony Club Dressage Jackpot

Paige King & Harnsby Park Elijah Grade 2 – 5th, 3rd & 3rd Overall

Sara Clarke & Gossip Girl Grade 3 – 1st, 5th & 4th Overall

Langwarrin Show Jumping Day

Seth Staley & You Got Me Rocking C Grade – 6th, 2nd

Nevaeh Waetford & Snowy River E Grade – 7th, 3rd

Isac Staley & Brooke F Grade – 1st, 1st

If you'd like your photo or results featured in the newsletter, please email it to Kate;

Kated26@bigpond.com

Upcoming PCAV Events:

16th May – Yarra Glen Super Cross

16th May – Mentone Dressage and Show Jumping Day

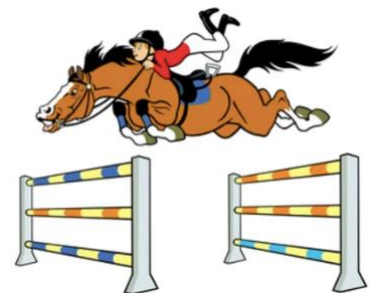
16th May – Colac Horse Trials and Combined Training

29th May – Riddles Creek Show Jumping Day

6th June – Monbulk Dressage Day

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

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



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 **WINTER** 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

