



YARRAMBAT HORSE AND PONY CLUB

FEBRUARY 2020 NEWSLETTER



**Winner of the
2019 Christmas
challenge the
Dancers proudly
lead by Ash
Davies!!**



DC REPORT

Hi Members,

Wow, it's already the second month of 2020 and time to kick off our pony club year. Here's hoping we start off our year as well as we finished it! The 2019 Team Christmas Challenge was once again a blast, loads of fun and it was great to see so many riders put in a huge effort to make the most of the opportunities to enjoy the camaraderie and team spirit that was out in abundance.

Well done to our riders and their families who also stepped up to readily offer their help and make the day a fun day for all, in particular our team managers. Special thanks to our team captains on the day Rosie, Sheridan, Rose, Ashley and Kate, who proudly lead their team by example, inciting some good ol' fashioned cheering! Loads of trophies and awards at our Christmas celebrations made for a fun night later on, as did the delicious catering and entertainment - thanks very much to Liz Davies for organising this, fantastic effort!

Whilst on the subject of thank yous, a huge thank you to Fiona Heseltine, Heath Stubbs and Donna Humphries for coordinating our first ever freshman's day back in November. I was overseas at the time, but from all accounts it was a great day and ran very well. More info about our next upcoming Freshman's day is included in this newsletter.

A reminder that the State Horse Trials will be held slightly earlier this year, so you need to get any qualifiers sorted asap! Please take note of the revised dates for major events outlined later in this newsletter and the entry form for the xc clinic at Yeringberg is also attached.

Exciting to see that we have our games training back on track at this rally! A big thank you to Jodie Bissicks who has volunteered to coordinate this. ALL riders are welcome to attend the first training session which will be held immediately after the rally on Sunday. It would be great to get some riders training for the upcoming pairs games event in March.

It looks like the weather may be kind to us on Sunday, looking forward to a great rally.

Happy riding,

Sinéad Hanlon

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PRESIDENTS REPORT

I hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas & New Year and is ready for a great 2020 at YHPC!

The start to the year has been quite shocking with all the bushfires and I hope none of you were directly impacted.

As you are aware, the Committee has decided to run a Fundraiser to give some assistance to people who have been impacted. Please support this event, or if you cannot make the day you can make a donationall monies will go to Blaze Aid. Cheryle Baird has generously volunteered to coordinate this day, so please chat to Cheryle if you have any queries.

The pony club year starts off very busy again, with lots of events early in the year. One of these includes our Zone's Yeringberg Horse Trials. This is a great way to start off the eventing season and has the added bonus of including the Yeringberg Team Challenge on 14th & 15th March. Yarrambat won the Teams event last year, so it would be a great achievement to bring the trophy home again. Please chat to Sinéad at the rally if you are interested in joining one of our teams for this event as we need to get our teams sorted asap.

C Certificate will be held at our grounds on the 15th Feb. I wish all those riders sitting their C Cert the best of luck. They have put in extra time over the summer months to prepare, under the superb guidance of Kylie Parker and once again, we are very grateful to have Kylie prepare our riders for this certificate.

Games Riders have a Pairs competition planned out our grounds on 15th March which should be fun and an ideal opportunity for newer games riders to become familiar with games events.

Yarrambat Adult Riders will be holding their Horse Trials on the weekend of the 4th & 5th April. This will mean that we need to change the date of our Rally. The Committee will discuss this at our next meeting and advise everyone as soon as possible.

I hope you all have a great 2020 in your riding pursuits.

Tony Brocksopp
YHPC President



YARRAMBAT
Horse & Pony Club
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Freshmans Fundraiser Showjumping & Mini XC Day

15th of February 2020

Yarrambat Park, Yan Yean Road, Yarrambat VIC, 3091



New PCAV Rules & Change of dates for State events.

Riders and Parents please take the time to read the 2020 PCAV rules and take note of the new dates of State events, as this will effect the time which riders have to qualify. There are a number of changes this year and it is your responsibility to ensure that you are aware of the rules before competing in events. The list of rule changes is linked below

<http://ponyvic.omnisportsmanagement.com/Portals/231/Rules/2020%20Rules%20amendments-%20for%20publication%20excl%20DR%20tests.pdf?ver=2019-12-18-214554-200>

The new dates for State events are:

Horseland Horse Trials Festival (State Champs & InterZone Teams)	18th-19th April
Mounted Games team challenge	28th June
Horseland Dressage & Showjumping State Championships	5th-6th September
Horseland Games, Flat & Musical Ride State Championships	24th-25th October

Yeringberg XC Clinic

Northern Metropolitan zone is hosting their annual Yeringberg cross country clinic . The clinic will include instructors Will Enzinger, Emily Anker, Murray Lampard and Sue Leslie and will cover grades 1-4.

DATE	Tuesday 31st March 2020
TIME	8.30am – 4pm approx. with each lesson being approx 1 1/2 hours duration
VENUE	Yeringberg, Spring Lane, off Maddens Lane, Coldstream. Mel174 F18
COST	\$75 per rider Plus \$15 if you are not a Member of PCAV, HRCV, EA, Arab Soc etc. 5-6 riders in a group
REGISTER	Please refer to form at end of newsletter

END OF YEAR AWARDS

For those of you that missed our fabulous Christmas party and awards night, please find outlined below a listing of all our winners. These awards are calculated in accordance with results submitted via the online results page on our website. If you are unsure of how this works, please see Ciara Hanlon or ask at the DC desk.

PERPETUAL AWARDS	WINNER 2019	JUNIOR AWARDS	WINNER 2019
<i>Don Currie Memorial Trophy</i>	Alysha James	<i>Junior Eventing Award</i>	Stephanie Mackenzie
<i>Dawn Hayden Showjumping Award</i>	Rose Stephen	<i>Junior Dressage Award</i>	Eliza Moore
<i>Marchesi Dressage Award</i>	Eloise Barton	<i>Junior Showjumping Award</i>	Kristin Mackellar
<i>Peter Worrell Eventing Award</i>	Rosie Brocksopp	ANNUAL AWARDS	WINNER 2019
<i>Grade 3 Dressage Award</i>	Madeline Ballinger	<i>DC'S Award</i>	Ashley Davies
<i>Pam Ellis G3 Eventing Award</i>	Alice Davies	<i>DC'S Award</i>	Juliet Reeder
<i>C Grade Showjumping Award</i>	Ebony Baird	<i>DC'S Award</i>	Samantha Reeder
<i>The DVHRC Junior Achievement Award</i>	Kelsey Dodds	<i>Encouragement Award</i>	Eleanor Shepard
<i>The Smith Family Showing Award</i>	Ieshah Griggs	<i>Encouragement Award</i>	Yianni Fouskarinis
<i>Derlwyn Joshua Gymkhana Award</i>	Sarah Young		
<i>Ken Hebbard Most Improved</i>	Abigail Ryan		
<i>The Salthouse Games Award</i>	Georgia Bissicks		

CHRISTMAS RALLY



UPCOMING EVENTS

8th-9th February

Mornington Peninsula PC Dressage day

15th February

YHPC Fundraiser Freshmans SJ & XC

16th February

Lilydale & Mooroolbark PC Horse Trials

16th February

Gisborne PC Horse Trials

22nd-23rd February

Seville PC Horse Trials

23rd February

Glenlyon PC Horse Trials

1st March

North Eastern PC Dressage Jackpot

1st March

J.B. & Tooradin PC Horse Trials

14th-15th March

Yeringberg EA & PC Horse Trials



DUTIES

Please remember we are all volunteers, so we rely on everyone pitching in to ensure the rally runs smoothly. Both Duties commence at 9:30am .

Set Up/Pack Up

Jo Stubbs (Team Leader)

Linda Western

Stephanie Mackenzie

Sheridan King

Canteen

Anna Gaffney (Team Leader)

Patricia James

Kelly Parsons

Donna Humphrey

Kate Pitts



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**NORTHERN METROPOLITAN ZONE IS PROUD TO PRESENT
the 9th Annual**

CROSS COUNTRY CLINIC

To be conducted by
Will Enzinger, Emily Anker,
Murray Lampard and Sue Lesley

AT "YERINGBERG", COLDSTREAM
PC GRADE 1, 2,3 and 4 and Open RIDERS

DATE Tuesday 31st March 2020

TIME 8.30am – 4pm approx.
with each lesson being approx 1 1/2 hours duration

VENUE Yeringberg, Spring Lane, off Maddens Lane, Coldstream. Mel174 F18
COST \$75 per rider Plus \$15 if you are not a Member of PCAV, HRCVA, EA,
Arab Soc etc. 5-6 riders in a group

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION BYO refreshments, and horse water.
This clinic is only open to a limited number of riders and will be capped.

REGISTER TO **Kim Ward** using the attached entry form together with payment
RSVP by 23 March 2020.

Refunds before closing date will be less Facility fee **After** closing date no refund unless place is filled
less 25%

NOTE: Places are **STRICTLY limited** and will be taken upon completed registration with payment only
and on a **first in basis**.

Enquiries – Kim Ward 0419349411

This clinic is for Riders graded 1, 2,3 or 4 with PCAV and Open. The clinic will focus on:

- Speed and safety when riding Cross Country
- Riding over various obstacles on a XC course



RIDER REGISTRATION FORM

Cross Country Clinic OPEN TO PCAV GRADE 1, 2, 3 AND 3 GRADED RIDERS
(Please bring Grading Card on the day)

Riders Name	
Club	
Contact Number	
Email Address	
Horse's Name	
Grade	
Experience	
Address from which horse has travelled	
Address to which horse will return (if different)	
Age – for group allocation if needed	Please tick 8-12 <input type="checkbox"/> 13-16 <input type="checkbox"/> 17-21 <input type="checkbox"/> 22-26 <input type="checkbox"/> 27 and over <input type="checkbox"/>

I understand that the NMZ Cross Country Clinic has limited places, and riders are taken on a first in basis upon this completed registration form and payment.

I understand that the rider participating in the clinic will need to ride in pony club uniform and correct gear (including medical armband)

Riders must be ready to ride at their allocated times

Confirmation will be sent a week before the clinic with exact times, An email address **must** be supplied.

Participating in this clinic constitutes acknowledgement that PCV rules apply and acceptance of these rules.

All open riders must sign the waiver form and if you cannot produce evidence of insurance then you have to pay PCV \$15.00 per day.

All PCV Members must produce there Grading Cards

Neither the organising committee nor the PCV accept any responsibility whatsoever for any accident, damage, injury or illness to horses, riders, ground spectators or any other person or property.

COST PER HORSE & RIDER FOR CLINIC - \$75 Plus \$15 if you are not a Member of PCAV, HRCV, EA, Arab Soc etc.

REFUNDS before closing date will be less admin fee **After** closing date no refund unless place is filled less 25%

Cheques made payable to Northern Metropolitan Zone or EFT Receipt must be enclosed with completed entry. Bank details: BSB 033-365 Acc. 218177 (lodgement reference – *Y clinic plus your name*)

Signed: (Parent/Guardian) _____ Date: _____

Signed (Rider) _____ Date: _____

Please complete and send to Kim Ward, PO Box 2, Yarra Glen, 3775
kim.ward0611@gmail.com