

Drysdale Leopold Pony Club

Newsletter November 2017



**** Photos of our riders out and about ****

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DC's Report

Welcome to the November Rally.

It is our 40th Birthday

Happy birthday to us! We are having a 70's theme rally. Please come in your best 70's gear, riders, horses and everyone else. Bring a salad / dessert as previously advised.

BEDS Overall Results

Congratulations to our overall BEDS placegetters. Grade 5 Colby Devlin 2nd overall by one point! And Grade 4 Niamh Hayter 2nd overall by 3 points!

December Rally

Our final rally for the year is at Whinbury Hill for our trail ride.

Xmas Breakup and Awards

Friday 1 December is our Breakup and awards night at Clifton Springs Golf Club. Please advise ASAP and pay if you are attending.

DLPC Show

Mark Sunday 10 December in your calendar for our annual show.

Cross Country Working Bee

Sunday 17 December will be a working bee on our cross country course to get it ready for our horse trials in February. Hours worked this day will count towards your volunteer hours – more information to come.

2018

Pony Club will start back again with the February rally. There will be no rally in January.

See you on Sunday, Your DC, Caroline ☺

Key Contacts

District Commissioner (DC) -
Caroline Shirra - 0408 461 088

President: - Cheryl Hardy 0419 106 212

Vice President – Linda Devlin

Secretary – Claire de Trafford 0420 973 053

Treasurer – Kurt Krause 0409 255 239

Attendance Cards – Donna Morrison 0498 765 209

Theory/Certificates – Sam Krause 0410 870 075

First Aid – Linda Devlin

Volunteer Coordinator – Kylie Hayter

November Birthdays:

Eliza Wassell
Sarah Pounder
Jenna Krause
Niamh Hayter
Ella Berry

Website: <http://www.drysdaleleopold.ponyclubvic.org.au>

We are on Facebook – join the Group -

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/178406815670064/252403194937092/>

Website and Newsletter Editor: cheryl.ann.hardy@gmail.com

PCAV Rule Books

PCAV Rule Books

The following information is available from the Pony Club Association of Victoria website:

- [Dressage Tests](#) (effective 1 January 2013)
- [Dressage Rules](#) (effective 1st January 2017) - supersedes all previous editions
- [Guidelines for Dressage Pencillors](#) - created by the Northern Metropolitan Zone of PCAV
- [Showjumping Rules](#) - Effective 1 January 2017 - supersedes all previous editions
- [Horse Trials 2017 Specifications](#) - Cross Country and Showjumping Specifications
- [Gear Rules](#) (With Comfort and Safety Requirements) - Effective 1 January 2017 - supersedes all previous editions
- [Gear Rules Competition: Quick Reference Guide](#) - Effective 1 January 2017
- [Horse Trials Rules](#) (Including Combined Text Competition Rules) - Effective 1 January 2017 - supersedes all previous editions.
- [Guide for Cross Country Jump Judges](#) - March 2014
- [Handbook of By-laws](#) - Effective 1 January 2017 - supersedes all previous editions
- [Games for Pony Club](#) - 2006
- [Showing Guidelines](#) - 2006

More information is available from [PCAV Rules, Regulations and Guides](#).

Prix Caprilli Tests - These tests have been adapted for PCAV Combined Training and HRCav Combined Training assessed riders purely for use in the Barwon Equine Dressage Series (BEDS). Riders MUST be assessed for Combined Training, not Dressage and must produce their cards on registration.



2017/18 Deadlines for newsletter content

December - 27th November
 February - 29 January
 March - 26 February

Issues or Concerns?

Please see your group leader if you have any questions - if they can't resolve it they will take it up with the DC - Caroline Shirra

Canteen



There is Canteen this rally -

The following people are on canteen duty :

Set up 8:30 - 10:30 - Eliza Wassell, Rosie Duggan

10:30-12:00 - Lisa Sim, Tracey Rodgers

12:00-2:00 - Trisha Stuart, Harris family, Janine Laney

Pack Up 2:00 on - Andy Burton, Catherine Leen ©.

If you are unable to make your shift, please let Cath Leen know if you have organized a swap with someone else - thank you!



Coming Events

November

5th Rally

11th Leighdale PC Showjumping Day PC and Open

11th – 12th Colac Pony Club 2 day Horse Trials

19th Ballan PC Combined Training Day Grades 1-5 PC and
Grades 1-4 Open

December

3rd Rally

10th DLPC Open Show

January

21st Cockatoo Pony Club Jumps Trials at Wandin

February

4th Rally

10th Pakenham PC Horse Trials

18th DLPC Horse Trials – Pony Club Grades 2-5

24th Seville PC Horse Trials

Results

Little River PC BEDS 28 Oct 2017

Grade 5

Test 5C

1st Colby Devlin on Caribhian Red

Test 5D

3rd Colby Devlin on Caribhian Red

5th Mia Dyson on Ruby Rose

Overall champion

Colby Devlin on Caribhian Red

BEDS Series Final Placings

Grade 5

2nd Colby Devlin on Caribhian Red

Grade 4

2nd Niamh Hayter on Mojo

Ballarat Pony Club Horse Trials 14th -15th October 2017

Grade 3

Overall

5th Charly Hardy-Smith on Mr Salix

Grade 5

Overall

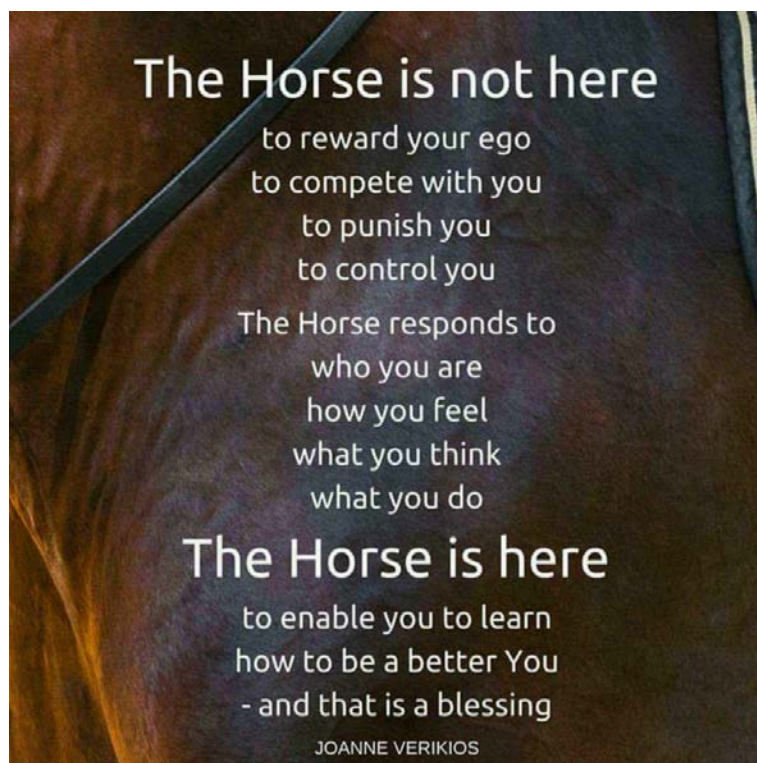
3rd Sienna Dean on Bullet

CMPC Combined Training 22nd October 2017

Grade 5

1st Eve Dalton on Scully

6th Lola Edwards





Photos in the newsletter and on our member's Facebook page.

If anyone has objections about the use of photos in the newsletter and/or on our Facebook page please let us know.

D CERTIFICATE for Horse Trials

As of 1 July 2016, all riders competing in Horse Trials are recommended to have their D Certificate. Please check your card (certificates are listed on the front). If you don't have your D Certificate, please contact Sam Krause Certificate (Certificate Coordinator).

Coaching from the sidelines:

This is NOT acceptable at a rally. Parents are asked to please respect each instructor and let them do their job. It is extremely off-putting for the instructor and very distracting for the children.

If you feel that you just can't help yourself and hold back that urge, perhaps go up to the clubrooms and have a coffee.

The instructors may "ask" you to take a coffee break otherwise....

Sand Arena

All groups using the sand arena will be required to clean up their own poo – Group leaders can you please organize the contributors to the poo to clean up after themselves – either during the lesson or immediately after it.

Cross Country Silks and Helmet Covers

Made in DLPC colours available from:

<http://www.helmethiders.com.au/>

See Charly Hardy-Smith for more information.



CMPC Combined Training October 2017



Pony Club Etiquette

Walk between lessons

Walk when coming back from lessons

If you need to leave a lesson for any reason, please ask permission from your instructor first – don't run off.

Parent's Attendance at Pony Club Rallies and Events

Every child under 17 years must be accompanied at all times by a parent or nominated guardian at all pony club events.

If parents cannot attend they must sign a form designating who will be the guardian on that day, and the guardian must also sign if in agreement. This is an important safety issue.

All parents and guardians must now have a valid Working with Children Check Permit.



Book of the Month

Building Showjumping Courses: A guide for beginners

Publisher: Pony Club

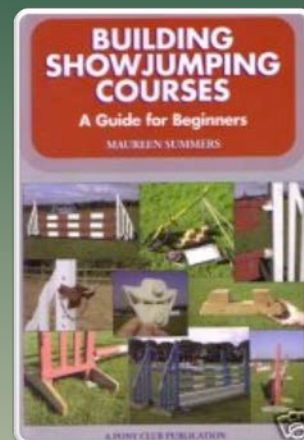
Author: Maureen Summers

Format: Paperback

Price: \$24.95 (AUD) including GST

<https://www.horsebooks.com.au/product/2803/62146/Building-Showjumping-Courses:-A-Guide-For-Beginners-9780955337451/>

An up to date guide, for anyone setting out to build a showjumping course. Future course builders and instructors alike will find clear basic guidelines to follow in planning, building and overseeing the competition through to the end. Though the book is aimed at beginners in all types of competition, there is a special section on building course under Pony Club rules. AUTHOR: Maureen Summers started show jumping in 1947 and rode everything from novices to Grade A - winning the Pro-Am with Nick Skelton at the Horse of the Year Show in 1983. She has built all types of courses, from very minor to FEI standard, at many different venues in the USA, Canada, East, Central and South Africa, the Middle East and Europe (including the Mediterranean Games in Athens). As well as working at Hickstead for twenty years she has designed courses for many other major British shows, including the Royal International and the Horse of the Year (the only woman to have done so). In recent years she has concentrated on designing for Horse Trails (including Blenheim and the British Open at Gatcombe) and for Pony Club team competitions at these two events.



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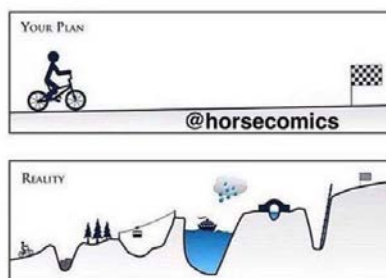
Open for rug repairs and pre-loved items.

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ph. Sue Degoldi - 0403 208 237



Training a horse:



Lisa Sim - Rug Repairs

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See me at Pony Club this rally for more info or if you want to drop off your rug

Cheryl Hardy Photography Horse Events



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