

Whittlesea Whisper



April 2018

Hi everyone, hope you have all been enjoying some lovely riding weather lately? I personally love Autumn weather for riding.

Nothing much to report this month but we do have the upcoming Dressage Jackpot weekend to run on the 4th & 5th May which is a busy time for all of us. The helpers roster will be uploaded on Facebook again shortly after a few alterations but if you have any questions, please let us know ASAP.

Just a reminder to all members to ensure all manure is cleaned out of the yards after use and please put the chains back up.

Also, if you bring children to the rally, can you please ensure they are kept well away from horses and are supervised at all times.

We have included a detailed "Rally Helpers" guide in this newsletter to help members understand what is required when helping at our monthly rallies. It's quite a long day for everyone, so if all helpers do their bit, it makes the day a little easier for all.

Thanks from the Committee.

Save the Date!

TIT Horse Trials – 21/22 April 2018
Good luck to our 2 teams entered for this event at Wandin!

Team 1

Leanne LeClaire – Lvl 2
Diana Earp – Lvl 4
Martina Rienzner – Lvl 3
Jess Harris – Lvl 5

Team 2

Lisa Waddell – Lvl 4
Rhiannan Bevilacqua – Lvl 4
Megan Lewis – Lvl 3

Whittlesea Dressage Jackpot 5-6 May 2018

Entries via Event Secretary
<https://www.eventsecretary.com.au/equestrian/#Entry:781>

Show Jumping Club Champs!!

Saturday 30th June 2018.
Entry details to come.

PS: Don't forget to keep track of your HRCAY events for our end of year Highpoint Awards! Great prizes to win.

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APRIL RALLY – Saturday 14th April 2018

Bookings required by 6pm Monday 9th April.

To book email Sam Mizzi at warrallybooking@gmail.com



Instructors:-

Brya Law
Heidi Vowles
Sarah Ray

Advise your name, levels (dressage & jumping) and what disciplines you want to do.

- Remember a maximum of 2 sessions per person
- Check our Facebook page on the Wednesday or Thursday evening prior to rally for your riding time/s.
- **RALLY CO-ORDINATORS:** Leanne LeClaire & Tennille Murray
- **HELPERS:** Russell Beaton, Louise Hall, Jess Kaczmarek, Meegan Notley.
- Please note that rally helpers are now required for the full day.
- If you have any enquiries regarding this rally please contact the Co-coordinators via telephone or private message.
- GATES OPEN at 8.00 am
- 9.00 am START (subject to slight change)
- If you are participating in show jumping or poles please help set up and/or remain until finish to help pack up.

RALLY HELPER INSTRUCTIONS

Gates will be open by 0800hrs as one of the Co-ordinators will be there by 0755 - please be there!

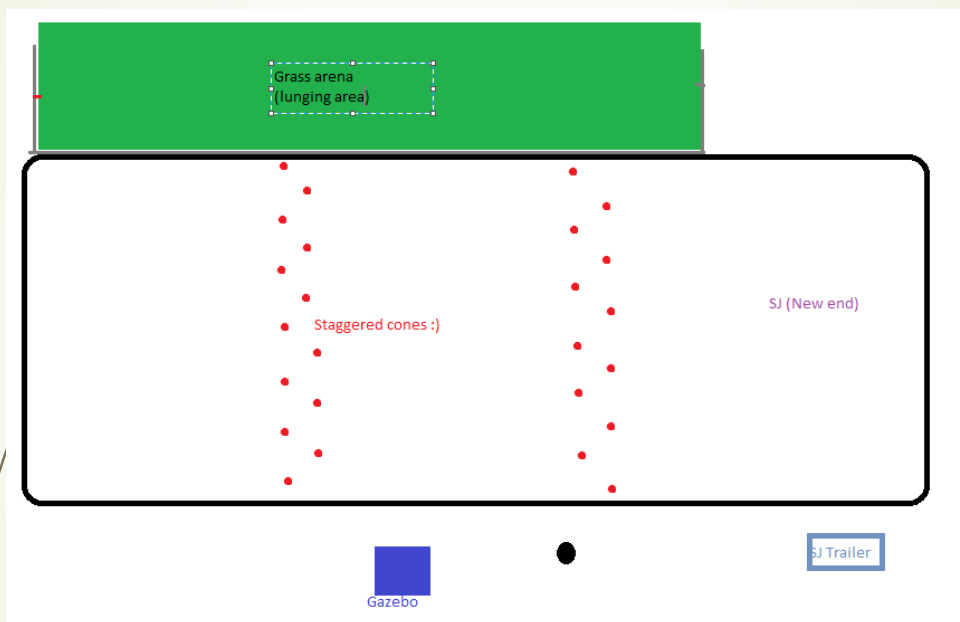
0755- Coordinators arrive – Helpers arrive - unload horses etc

0815 - Start Set up

Leanne & Tennille and all helpers to shed

Leanne & Tennille – Unlock shed, turn on hot water, get jumps trailer out & unlock toilets.

- **Russell Beaton, Louise Hall** – Trailer duties (chairs/mounting block/table/if raining/hot get both tents)
- **Meegan Linskens, Jess Kaczmarek** - Kitchen duties (Get Tea/Coffee/Hot water/spoons/cold drinks etc ready and put in car... you may have to come back for hot water as it takes some time to heat up)
- **Leanne & Tennille & Helpers**- Divide arena into 3rds using cones. The new/deep end to be slightly larger to accommodate for SJ and cones to be staggered to allow a 2mtr laneway between each 3rd for safety. See below diagram ☺



0830-

SJ set up – All hands on deck please. Including other members who are floating around.. If you see someone “floating around or gas bagging” please do not hesitate to politely ask if they could lend a hand, especially if they will be doing SJ/poles at some stage during the day. See above diagram. Jumps trailer to be parked down new end of arena.

After SJ set up is complete: **Leanne, Tennille, Russell, Louise, Meegan & Jess** – Complete set up of gazebo/s, tables and chairs etc

11:30 - Co-Ordinator/s or a helper: Get instructors lunch orders – head down street to collect lunch Jobs Throughout Day:

SJ assist - If you could please pick a SJ session each and assist SJ Instructor by picking up poles etc and when not doing that just the general bits and pieces.

Everyone - when you are not riding can you please assist with poo pick up, looking after instructors – tea/ coffee/ snacks and also keep an eye out if the SJ assistant needs a hand in the SJ session.

Things to remember: Checking flasks for hot water. Are the instructors happy? Can I see any poo and have a lovely day ☺

Pack Up

SJ pack up – All hands on deck please.

Pick up poo / collect cones / start harrowing ASAP (Could somebody without a float please harrow?) Pretty much set up but in reverse.

HEIDI VOWLES DRESSAGE CLINIC

Sunday 15th April 2018 (Day after rally)

Private lessons 45 mins \$65

Private lessons 30 mins \$45

Semi Private (2 persons) 1hr: \$45 each

TO BOOK:

Email MEGAN CUE at

smcuel@bigpond.com

Advise your:

Name

Dressage level

Type of lesson

\$2 per person to cover instructor's lunch

IF YOU CANCEL YOU ARE REQUIRED TO FILL YOUR SPOT

Riding times will be posted on Facebook by Megan.

MID WEEK RALLY – APRIL 2018

Wednesday 25th April 2018 at club grounds with "T.B.A.":-

Lessons will be 45minute sessions only (shared or private).

Rallies will run "Times to be advised" @ \$65/session

Bookings via Megan Cue - smcuel@bigpond.com

****Please note that any cancellations will still require full payment unless spot is filled**

WHITTLESEA ADULT RIDERS INC. UNIFORM

Following is the club uniform guidelines which is incorporated into our club bylaws. These uniform items are to be used when competing at official HRC AV competitions representing our club.

Green polo shirt with gold logo over breast, with or without bottle green jumper with gold logo on breast.

A light coloured shirt (white, cream, ivory, champagne, lemon, pale gold or pale green shirt) with predominantly bottle green tie, **or** light coloured shirt (as stated above) with rat catcher or stock, with bottle green vest with gold logo on breast **or** V necked woolen jumper with gold logo on breast and

White, beige, banana, ivory, butter or light gold jodhpurs or breeches; and

Long black /brown boots **or** black/brown leather boots and leather gaiters and ASA approved helmet; and

Bottle green saddle blanket with gold logo, with or without gold trim, white saddle blanket with green logo or sheepskin numnah/half numnah

WHITTLESEA ADULT RIDERS – 2018 RALLY DATES

DAY	DATE	RALLY	VENUE	INSTRUCTORS	COORDINATORS	ASSISTANTS
Sat	14 APR 18	Instructional Rally	Club grounds	Heidi Vowles Brya Law T.B.A.	Leanne & Tennille	Russell Beaton, Louise Hall, Jess Kaczmarek, Meegan Notely.
Sun	15 Apr 18	Heidi Clinic	Club grounds	Heidi Vowles	Megan Cue	T.B.A.
Sat/ Sun	5 & 6 MAY 18	Dressage Jackpot Weekend	Club grounds	N/A	As per roster	As per roster
Sat	19 MAY 18	Instructional Rally	Club grounds	Heidi Vowles Brya Law Emily McQueen	Chris and Sam	Alyce Adams, Gail Allingham, Vanessa Estaugh, Stuart Estaugh.
Sat	16 JUN 18	Instructional Rally	Club grounds	Heidi Vowles Tanya Van Bokhoven Emily McQueen	Pam and Rhi	Kerry Blackley, Geoff Gillon, Kristen Jean, Adrienne McMahon, Louise Doherty.
Sat	30 JUN 18	SJ Club Champs	Club grounds		Diana / Leanne	All riders
Sat	14 JUL 18	Instructional Rally	Club grounds	Brya Law Tanya Van Bokhoven TBA	Diana and Megan	Lucy Bain, Tracy Breton, Carolyn Ganzervoort, Sally Mizzi.
Sat	4 AUG 18	Dressage Test'n Talk	Club grounds	T.B.A.	Pencillers:- Dereley K Meegan Notely	All Riders to help set up & pack up.
Sat	18 AUG 18	Instructional Rally	Club grounds	Brya Law Tanya Van Bokhoven T.B.A.	Sam and Rhiannan	Yvonne Dinnage, Hayley Baker, Liz Kilpatrick, Liz McRae, Steve Dundon
Sat	15 SEP 18	Instructional Rally	Club grounds	T.B.A.	Simone and Meg	Maddie Chatley, Dereley Kayser, Lisa Waddell, Sharon Lorman.
Sat	6 OCT 18	Dressage Club Champs	Club grounds		T.B.A.	All Riders
Sat	20 OCT 18	Instructional Rally	Club grounds	T.B.A.	Kate and Jess	Erin Cheasley, Ruby Robinson, Penny Scott, Rebecca Vasconcello

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