



MERRY  
CHRISTMAS



December 2019

# WHITTLESEA WHISPER

Whittlesea Adult Riders Inc

Hi everyone,

TTT Showing 2019 is upon us next Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December. We have everything ready to go with some amazing prizes for winners and also raffle prizes! Please consider coming down to Werribee to support our 2 teams that have entered and say g'day to our hard working committee and also members who are volunteering their day to help raise funds for our club.

Congratulations to our 4 riders who attended TTT Dressage at Benalla on 15<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> November. All riders representing our club did us proud and regardless of their personal results, it is wonderful to be part of a team at these annual events. Marina Smith and Bec Versluis rode in Level 5, Lauren Earp rode in Level 3 and Lisa Waddell rode in Level 2! Congratulations ladies and thanks for representing our club. Special thanks to Marina Smith who drove back to Benalla on Sunday to complete our club's helper duties!

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all of our members and their families, including the treasured fur babies a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year for 2020. Rallies commence again on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> January. Let's hope the weather over the break is not too hot or dry? Stay safe and enjoy your riding over the break!

Looking forward to seeing most of you at our Christmas Party break up on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2019 hosted by Megan Cue. This is a really fun night with end of year awards and Kris Kringle (Bad Santa) taking place, so please come along for some end of year festivities. Details inside newsletter.

Regards,  
The Committee

## Save the Date!

**WAR Christmas Party – Hosted  
by Megan Cue**

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2019  
Details inside newsletter!**

**Heidi Mid-week Rally – Wednesday  
29<sup>th</sup> January 2020  
Opal Park Indoor – Eden Park**

**WAR CT Day  
Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2020**

**TTT CT – 28-29 March 2020  
Hosted by Ballarat AR  
at Woody Yallock**



WHITTLESEA ADULT RIDERS PROUDLY SPONSORED BY:

**morrison kleeman** Estate Agents  
Eltham | Greensborough | Doreen



## WHITTLESEA ADULT RIDERS - 2019-2020 RALLIES

| DATE         | RALLY | INSTRUCTORS                                       | CO-ORDINATORS                    | MEMBER         | MEMBER            | MEMBER              | MEMBER           |
|--------------|-------|---|----------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 9 Nov 2019   | RALLY | Heidi Vowles / Tanya Van Bokhoven / Emily McQueen | Leanne LeClaire / Yvonne Dinnage | Gail Allingham | Louise Doughty    | Nicole Harrison     | Jess Kaczmarek   |
| 18 Jan 2020  | RALLY | Heidi Vowles / Tanya Van Bokhoven / T.B.A.        | Diana Earp / Leanne LeClaire     | Kim Filmer     | Tennille Murray   | Lauren Earp         | Marina Smith     |
| 15 Feb 2020  | RALLY | Tanya, Claire Hawkey, T.B.A.                      | Kate Fletcher / Jess Harris      | Leonie Gorski  | Meegan Notley     | Rebecca Vasconcelo  | N/A              |
| 21 Mar 2020  | RALLY | Kirsty Moody, Tanja, T.B.A.                       | Rachel Rushby / Lisa Wadell      | Joanne Empey   | Courtney Fowles   | Naomi Slade         | Isobel Moras     |
| 18 Apr 2020  | RALLY | Heidi, T.B.A., T.B.A.                             | Rachel Rushby / Lisa Waddell     | Erin Cheasley  | Belinda Evangelou | Sally Mizzi         | Barbara Sanders  |
| 16 May 2020  | RALLY | Heidi, T.B.A., T.B.A.                             | Chris Williamson / Amy Bond      | Hayley Baker   | Megan Cue         | Carolyn Ganzervoort | Sandra Binder    |
| 20 June 2020 | RALLY | Heidi, T.B.A., T.B.A.                             | Rhiannan Bevilacqua / Sam Mizzi  | Geoff Gillon   | Kristen Jeans     | Angela Bevilacqua   | Rebecca Versluis |
| 18 July 2020 | RALLY | Heidi, T.B.A., T.B.A.                             | Yvonne Dinnage / Diana Earp      | Russell Beaton | Maddison Chatley  | Liz Kilpatrick      | Belinda Nation   |
| 15 Aug 2020  | RALLY | Heidi, T.B.A., T.B.A.                             | Jo Anderson / Amy Bond           | James Anderson | Connie Lewis      | Penny Scott         | Jess Kaczmarek   |
| 19 Sept 2020 | RALLY | Heidi, T.B.A., T.B.A.                             | Jo Anderson / Chris Williamson   | Simone Evans   | Sharon Lorman     | Martina Rienzner    | Emma Cornelio    |
| 17 Oct 2020  | RALLY | Heidi, T.B.A., T.B.A.                             | Kate Fletcher / Jess Haris       | Megan Lewis    | Elizabeth McRae   | Alisoun Robertson   | N/A              |

***If you need to change/swap your rally duty, it is your responsibility to arrange with another club member and then contact our Rally Helper Co-ordinator – Kate Fletcher via email only [warhelperroster@gmail.com](mailto:warhelperroster@gmail.com) Please use our Facebook Page to request any swaps!***

**WHITTLESEA ADULT RIDERS – INTERNAL & CLUB EVENT SCHEDULE**

| DATE                                      | RALLY / EVENT                    | CO-ORDINATORS  | MEMBERS  |
|---|----------------------------------|--|--|
| 1 Dec 2019                                | TTT SHOWING 2019 – WPNEC         | TTT COMMITTEE MEMBERS – Diana Earp, Chris Williamson, Lisa Waddell, Simone Evans, Sam Mizzi, Amy Bond, Hayley Baker, Leanne LeClaire, Rhiannan Bevilacqua, Yvonne Dinnage. |  |
| 6 Dec 2019                                | Xmas Presentation Evening        | Hosted by Megan Cue  | All Members to pay \$15.00 per head for Food (Grazing Table) BYO Drinks & Kris Kringle Gift to the value of \$15 (Wrapped) |
| 1 Feb 2020                                | Heidi Clinic                     | Sam Mizzi  |  |
| 7 Mar 2020                                | Heidi Clinic                     | Sam Mizzi  |  |
| 8 Mar 2020                                | COMBINED TRAINING EVENT          | Diana Earp   | T.B.A.   |
| 4 Apr 2020                                | Heidi Clinic                     | Sam Mizzi  |  |
| 19 Apr 2020                               | PC Using Grounds for SJ Event    |  |  |
| 25 Apr 2020                               | Dressage Test 'n Talk            | Lisa Waddell / Jo Anderson   | All Members Riding to Help set up / pack up  |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> /3 <sup>rd</sup> May 2020 | DRESSAGE JACKPOT WEEKEND         | Diana Earp   | T.B.A.   |
| 6 June 2020                               | Heidi Clinic                     | Sam Mizzi  |  |
| 4 July 2020                               | Heidi Clinic                     | Sam Mizzi  |  |
| 1 Aug 2020                                | Heidi Clinic                     | Sam Mizzi  |  |
| 5 Sept 2020                               | Heidi Clinic                     | Sam Mizzi  |  |
| 6 Sept 2020                               | SHOW JUMPING CLUB CHAMPS         | Diana Earp / Leanne LeClaire   | All Members Riding to Help set up / pack up  |
| 16 Sept 2020                              | MID-WEEK DRESSAGE JACKPOT SERIES | Diana Earp   | T.B.A.   |
| 3 Oct 2020                                | DRESSAGE - TEST 'N TALK          | Lisa Waddell / Jo Anderson   | All Members Riding to Help set up / pack up  |
| 4 Oct 2020                                | DRESSAGE CLUB CHAMPS             | Lisa Waddell / Jo Anderson   | All Members Riding to Help set up / pack up  |

# JANUARY RALLY – Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2020

Bookings required by 6pm SUNDAY 12/01/20.

To book email Sam Mizzi at [warrallybooking@gmail.com](mailto:warrallybooking@gmail.com)

## Instructors:-

Heidi Vowles - Flat

Tanja Van Bokhoven - Flat

T.B.A. - Show Jumping or Poles / Cross Country

**RALLY CO-ORDINATORS:** Diana Earp & Leanne LeClaire

**HELPERS:** Kim Filmer, Tennille Murray, Lauren Earp, Marina Smith

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.
- 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)
- **NOTE: Show jumps to be set up and packed up by riders who are jumping. Please arrive early or stay back to help**

## RALLY HELPER INSTRUCTIONS

Gates will be open by 08:00hrs by one of the Co-ordinators

**8:00am** Coordinators arrive – Helpers arrive - unload ponies etc

**8:15am** Start Set up

**Co-ordinators and all helpers to shed**

Co-ordinators – Unlock shed, turn on hot water, get jumps trailer out & unlock toilets.

**Trailer duties** (chairs/mounting block/table/if raining/hot get both tents)

**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)

**Arena Set up** - Divide arena into 3rds using cones. The north end of arena to be slightly larger to accommodate for SJ and cones to be staggered to allow a 2mtr laneway between each 3<sup>rd</sup> for safety.

**08:30AM**

**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. Jumps trailer to be parked down new end of arena.

After SJ set up is complete: **Co-ordinators & rally helpers** – Complete set up of gazebo/s, tables and chairs etc. as required/needed.

**11:30AM** - Co-Ordinator/s or a helper: Get instructors lunch orders and prepare in kitchen ready for 12Noon lunch break.

### 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 - Pretty much set up but in reverse.

**NOTE: Harrowing of the sand arena is to be decided by the co-ordinators on the day. If it is too windy, then we MUST NOT harrow the arena.**

## WEEKEND CLINIC WITH HEIDI VOWLES

Location: Club Grounds

**Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> February 2020**

**30 Min Private \$45**

**45 Min Private \$65**

**1 Hour Shared \$45 each**

+ \$2 to go towards Heidi's lunch.

📞 Bookings to Sam Mizzi by **27/1/20** to [warrallybooking@gmail.com](mailto:warrallybooking@gmail.com)

Please transfer payment with booking to:

Samantha Mizzi

BSB 063 855

Acc 1001 8980

Please use your name as reference

*Note: No refunds after booking deadline. If you need to scratch after booking deadline you will need to find someone to fill your spot.*

## MID WEEK RALLIES WITH HEIDI VOWLES

Location: Opal Park Indoor Arena  
210 Grants Road, Woodstock (Eden Park)

**Next Rally – Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2020**

**Rallies will run 11am – 6pm**

**\$77 private**

**Shared \$44.50 per rider**

**Additional \$5 per rider for lessons requiring lights.**

*Includes additional \$2 per rider for Heidi's lunch & indoor hire fee.*

**EFT Details:-**

BSB: 063-855

Account No: 10266263

Account Name: Rhiannan Bevilacqua

EFT Identifier: "your surname – midweek"

**Bookings via Rhiannan Bevilacqua – SMS ONLY – 0433 054 114**

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

# Whittlesea Adult Riders Inc.



## 2019 Christmas Party and Presentation Evening!

To: All members (existing and new members)

Date: Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December

Time: 7:30pm til late

Place: Megan Cue's House – 3 Wedgetail Drive, Whittlesea

*Directions: Google Map Parrot Drive then drive to the end, turn left and left again into Wedgetail!*

RSVP: 29/11/19 via email only to Diana Earp - [adelejt@bigpond.net.au](mailto:adelejt@bigpond.net.au)

***BYO drinks, Amazing grazing table provided at \$15.00 per head.***

*Please EFT your payment of \$15 to the club bank account as follows to confirm your booking:-*

*BSB: 033-682*

*Account: 112245*

*EFT identifier: "Surname Xmas"*



Please bring a Kris Kringle gift of no more than \$15. We will be doing "Bad Santa" again this year, as it was so much fun last year!



## **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 HRCVA competitions representing our club.

Green polo shirt with gold logo over breast, with or without bottle green jumper with gold logo on breast. Our polo tops can be purchased for \$30.00 from **Chris Williamson via email on [murrilee@bigpond.net.au](mailto:murrilee@bigpond.net.au)**

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 for all disciplines **or Dark coloured jodhpurs may also be worn when representing the club at official HRCVA Navigation rides and the Cross Country phase of HRCVA Horse Trials** 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 or without** green logo or sheepskin numnah/half numnah



Phone: (03) 9716 2353

**WAR is also sponsored by:**



ELTHAM



*Please support these businesses where possible*

## Whittlesea Adult Riders Inc. – Committee 2019/20

### Executive Committee

|                  |   |                |   |
|------------------|---|----------------|---|
| Diana Earp       | - | President      | email: <a href="mailto:adelejt@bigpond.net.au">adelejt@bigpond.net.au</a>   |
| Leanne LeClaire- |   | Vice President | email: <a href="mailto:lleclair72@hotmail.com">lleclair72@hotmail.com</a>   |
| Yvonne Dinnage   | - | Secretary      | email: <a href="mailto:whittleseaar@gmail.com">whittleseaar@gmail.com</a>   |
| Chris Williamson | - | Treasurer      | email: <a href="mailto:murrilee@bigpond.net.au">murrilee@bigpond.net.au</a> |

### General Committee

|                     |  |   |
|---------------------|--|---|
| Jessica Harris      |  | email: <a href="mailto:jharris83@bigpond.com">jharris83@bigpond.com</a>         |
| Joanne Anderson     |  | email: <a href="mailto:jjrh.anderson@hotmail.com">jjrh.anderson@hotmail.com</a> |
| Kate Fletcher       |  | email: <a href="mailto:kanefletcher@bigpond.com">kanefletcher@bigpond.com</a>   |
| Lisa Waddell        |  | email: <a href="mailto:lisastarsky70@gmail.com">lisastarsky70@gmail.com</a>     |
| Sam Mizzi           |  | email: <a href="mailto:samanthamizzi@Hotmail.com">samanthamizzi@Hotmail.com</a> |
| Rachel Rushby       |  | email: <a href="mailto:rachelrushby@bigpond.com">rachelrushby@bigpond.com</a>   |
| Rhiannan Bevilacqua |  | email: <a href="mailto:rhiannan.beva@gmail.com">rhiannan.beva@gmail.com</a>     |
| Amy Bond            |  | email: <a href="mailto:missamylee@Hotmail.com">missamylee@Hotmail.com</a>       |

|                            |   |                |  |
|----------------------------|---|----------------|--|
| Rally Bookings Email       | - | Sam Mizzi      | <a href="mailto:warrallybooking@gmail.com">warrallybooking@gmail.com</a> |
| Helper Roster/Rally Helper |   | Kate Fletcher  | <a href="mailto:warhelperroster@gmail.com">warhelperroster@gmail.com</a> |
| Club Secretary             |   | Yvonne Dinnage | <a href="mailto:whittleseaar@gmail.com">whittleseaar@gmail.com</a>       |
| Newsletter                 |   | Diana Earp     | <a href="mailto:adelejt@bigpond.net.au">adelejt@bigpond.net.au</a>       |



