



HAPPY NEW YEAR!

January 2020

WHITTLESEA WHISPER

Whittlesea Adult Riders Inc

Happy New Year to all members and their families,

As I write this newsletter, the fires throughout our state and NSW are extremely worrying and our thoughts go out to all affected and the brave fire fighters who continually work around the clock to help save properties, livestock and local communities.

It is such a horrible time for everyone and I acknowledge that a number of our members who were directly affected by the Black Saturday bushfires of 2009 could be reliving their fears as the media report the devastation occurring in our state.

Please remember to check on our friends who maybe feeling nervous, worried or anxious at this time.

There have been a number of social media pages set up to help distribute much needed hay, feed etc... to the people suffering the affects of these fires, so please try to help where or if you can.

On a brighter note, Happy New Year to everyone and we hope your year ahead is a healthy, rewarding one and you feel refreshed after the Xmas break and are ready to get back on your horses! Our first rally for the year is Saturday 18th January and we hope the weather gods will be kind to us? Don't forget to book in for rally, details inside newsletter.

Our Combined Training Day scheduled for Sunday 8th March 2020 is coming up and the Helpers Roster is included in this newsletter. Please remember you must help at 1 x rally and 2 x events each year.

Regards,
The Committee

Save the Date!

Heidi Mid-week Rally
Wednesday 29th January 2020
Opal Park Indoor – Eden Park

Heidi Clinic
Saturday 1st February 2020
Club Grounds

WAR CT Day
Sunday 8th March 2020

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

For all official HRCav events throughout the year, click on the following URL link:-
<https://hrcav.com.au/event-calendar-programs/>

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WHITTLESEA ADULT RIDERS - 2019-2020 RALLIES

DATE	RALLY	INSTRUCTORS	CO-ORDINATORS	MEMBER	MEMBER	MEMBER	MEMBER
18 Jan 2020	RALLY	Heidi Vowles / Tanya Van Bokhoven / Sarah Handscome	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 Waddell	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 Kazcmarek
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 Please use our Facebook Page to request any swaps!

WHITTLESEA ADULT RIDERS – INTERNAL & CLUB EVENT SCHEDULE

DATE	RALLY / EVENT	CO-ORDINATORS	MEMBERS
1 Feb 2020	Heidi Clinic	Sam Mizzi	
7 Mar 2020	Heidi Clinic	Sam Mizzi	
8 Mar 2020	COMBINED TRAINING EVENT	Diana Earp	As per Helpers Roster
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
10 th May 2020	DRESSAGE JACKPOT (one day only)	Diana Earp	As per Helpers Roster
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 18th January 2020

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

To book email Sam Mizzi at warrallybooking@gmail.com

Instructors:-

Heidi Vowles - Flat

Tanja Van Bokhoven - Flat

Sarah Handscombe - Show Jumping or Poles

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 3rd 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 1st 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

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 29th 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*

Xmas Party 2019

Thankyou Megan Cue for hosting this year's end of year celebrations at your gorgeous new house. What a beautiful display of food we all enjoyed!



CONGRATULATIONS to the following members who received end of year awards at our Christmas break up party on Friday 6th December:-

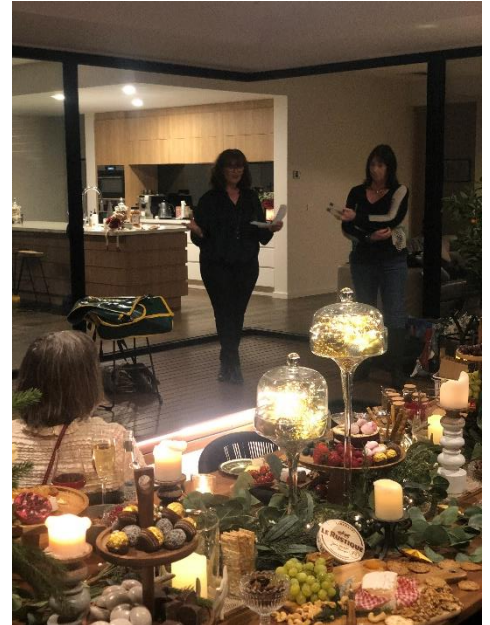
CLUB HIGHPOINT AWARDS

Winner	-	Lisa Waddell
Runner Up	-	Angela Bevilacqua
3 rd Place	-	Amy Bond
4 th Place	-	Belinda Nation
5 th Place	-	Lauren Earp
6 th Place	-	Kim Filmer

MOST IMPROVED AWARDS 2019

Courtney Fowles riding Levi

Marina Stevens riding Penman Prada



GET WELL SOON CONNIE LEWIN!

We would like to wish Connie Lewin a very BIG GET WELL soon message after having a nasty fall from her horse. Unfortunately, Connie has broken her leg quite badly and will be in hospital for a couple of weeks requiring further surgery. Please heal quickly Connie and we wish you all the best for a complete recovery.



COMBINED TRAINING DAY – Sunday 8th March 2020 – HELPERS ROSTER

DUTY	NAME OF HELPER(S)	TIME / JUDGE
Pencillers for dressage judges	Ring 2 - Yvonne Dinnage Ring 2 - Yvonne Dinnage Ring 2 - Yvonne Dinnage	Levels 1, 2, 3 - AM/PM
	Ring 1 – Chris Williamson Ring 1 - Elizabeth McRae	Level 5 - AM Level 4 - AM/PM
Gear Checkers	Nikki Harrison / Emma Cornelio	8am - 12Noon
	Isobel Moras / Rebecca Vasconcelo	12Noon - 4pm
Canteen Duty	Marina Smith * (set up only) / Gail Allingham / Sandra Binder / Naomi Slade	7:30am - 12Noon
	Marina Smith / Erin Cheasley / Belinda Evangelou	12Noon - 4pm <i>including Pack up</i>
Morning/Afternoon Tea & Dressage Test Runners	Louise Doughty	8:30am - 12:00pm
	Sharon Lorman	12:00pm - 3pm
Judges - Lunch	Belinda Evangelou	12Noon - 1pm
Raffle Tickets	Office Helpers/Canteen	AM / PM
Showjumping – Rail pick-up & Ring Steward	Martina Rienzner / Barbara Sanders	9:30am - 1:00pm
	Kristen Jeans / Geoff Gillon	1:00pm - 4:20pm
Showjumping Scorers/pencillers	Maddison Chatley	9:30am - 1:00pm
	Meegan Notley	1:00pm - 4:20pm
Scorers	Diana / Sam	All Day
Event Office	Sam Mizzi	7am - 12Noon
	Chris Williamson	12Noon - 4pm
Presenting trophies & sashes	Diana / Sam / Chris	All Day
PACK UP - Clean toilets, pack up Dressage Arenas, pack up SJ equipment, pick up manure off sand arena, harrow arena, clean yards.	All Afternoon Helpers! <i>All afternoon helpers to remain until equipment packed.</i>	FROM 4pm

NOMINATED FIRST AID OFFICER - Marina Stevens

ALL HELPERS ABOVE ARE EXPECTED TO HELP SET UP SATURDAY 1ST JUNE FROM 2PM.

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. Our polo tops can be purchased for \$30.00 from **Chris Williamson** via email on 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 HRC AV Navigation rides and the Cross Country phase of HRC AV 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



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