



# NEWSLETTER

## October 2019

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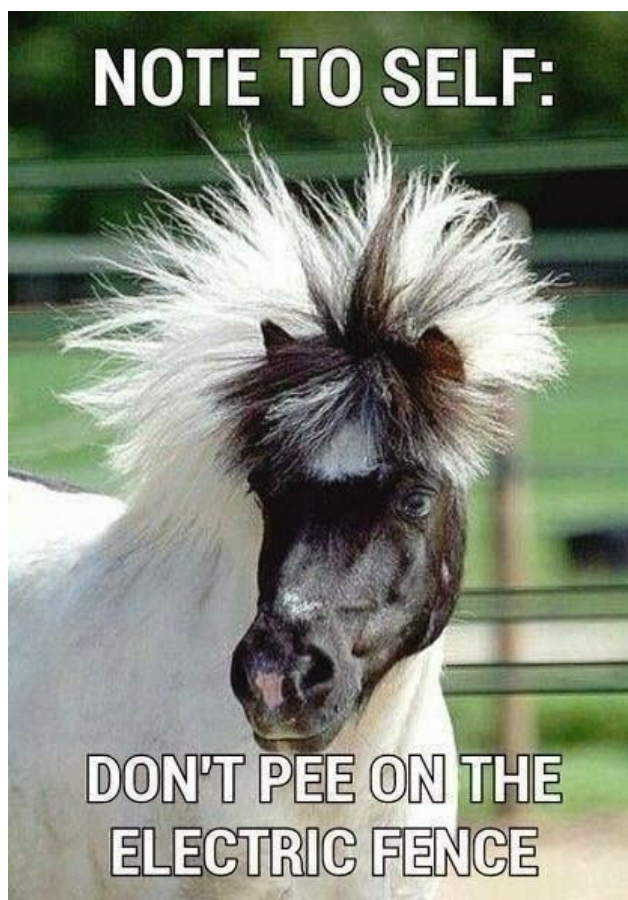
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**Fun Fact!** Horse hooves are made of the same protein that human hair and fingernails are made of!



## REMINDERS!

**Manure** - All manure **MUST** be removed from the yards and carpark area. Please dispose of it in the feed bags required or take it home. Manure is **NOT** to be dumped around the trees!

**Daylight savings** - Daylight savings starts this Sunday (rally day), ensure you put your clocks forward an hour Saturday night so you arrive on time to the rally.

## DC's Report:

Hi MPPC Members,

Wow, Daylight Savings is here once again so don't forget to change your clocks for Rally on Sunday and arrive on time.....Clocks go forward by 1 hour before you go to bed Saturday night and you will feel like you are getting up extra early on Sunday morning. Enjoy that extra hour of daylight at the end of the day, for us "morning people" it won't take long for the mornings to be light again.

October Rally is the LAST chance to ride the XC course before Horse Trials in 3 weeks' time. Take this opportunity to make sure you are confident with any of the new jumps on course and even try to learn the course well ahead of time if you are competing.

Please make the time to volunteer for a job at Horse Trials, we cannot proceed with this big event unless every member puts in their fair share to help out and make this event a huge success. We are rostering on helpers via SignUp and a link has been sent out via email and FaceBook. I will also have a spreadsheet from the App at rally so if your name is not on it, come & have a chat so we will try to find the right job for you. I simply cannot emphasize enough how important it is that all members hop on board to help out at this event, we cannot leave it to the few who always put up their hand.

Also, don't forget we have Mark Burnell giving a talk on Equine Dental Care at lunch time on Sunday, please stay around and listen to what he has to say, and if your horse is due or overdue for a dental checkup, Mark is making himself available throughout the morning to do this – you need to let Karina Bartlett know so she can slot you in.

Looking forward to seeing you all bright & early on Sunday,  
Marisa

## **MPPC Uniform Policy:**

MPPC Uniform must be worn to each rally unless otherwise notified in the instances we have a themed rally where other items of clothing can be worn. Uniform must be worn by both mounted & unmounted riders. Correct uniform is part of Gear Check and points awarded in Gear Check are counted towards the End of Year 'Best Presented' Awards.

Regardless of time of year, an **approved helmet and riding boots** must be worn. Approved Riding Helmets must meet one of the following Standards:

- Australia New Zealand standard 3838 Marked SAI Global
- Australia New Zealand standard ARB HS 2012 (racing helmets) Marked SAI Global
- American standard ASTM F1163 Marked SEI or SNELL E2001
- European standard (new, interim) VG01.040 (2014-12) (Note that new helmets may carry both the EN1384 & VG1 marks)

If your Helmet does not meet one of these standards, it is deemed unsafe to use at Pony Club – if in doubt please present the helmet at the office before riding. Insurance is voided for any accidents where an unapproved helmet is worn by the rider.

**Winter Uniform** – Between April and September (inclusive)

Jodhpurs – White/Beige/Cream range of colours – Dark coloured Jodhpurs can ONLY be worn by Unmounted Riders

White Collared Shirt

Brown Pony Club Tie (in stock to purchase at Office)

Red Pony Club Woollen Jumper (in stock to purchase at Office)

Pony Club Badge – to be worn at the bottom of the 'V' neck of the jumper

**Summer Uniform** – Between October and March (Inclusive)

Jodhpurs – White/Beige/Cream range of colours – Dark coloured Jodhpurs can ONLY be worn by Unmounted Riders

MPPC Polo Top (in Stock to purchase at Office)

Medical Armbands are no longer a requirement of approved uniform, however, if you have an armband with your details on it, why not wear it so if anything does happen, people around you can check for any important information.

Optional Items such as MPPC Hoodie, Track Pants, Winter Jacket are available for purchase at the office

If you have any questions regarding Uniform, please see Marisa, the DC, at the rally or contact her on 0424 751 951.

## JC's Report:

**Buddy System** – Please ensure you know what team you are in. If you are not in a team contact Millie Harvey 0438 351 680. Your coloured ribbon or a scrunchie/hair tie etc. in your team colour should be worn at every rally on either yourself or your horse.

### Team Colours as of 27<sup>th</sup> August 2019

Blue	Green	Yellow
<b>Captain</b> - Asha Bedggood	<b>Captain</b> - Lily Rae	<b>Captain</b> – Lulu Harvey
<b>Vice</b> - Madison Hodgetts	<b>Vice</b> - Maddy Casey	<b>Vice</b> – Lauren Monkhouse
Ella Anderson	Jessica Dagleish	Jessie Daniels
Bronte Antal	Jessica Drennan	Clementine Harvey
Emily Bartlett	Paige King	Millie Harvey
Mia Bartlett	Eleanor Owen	Dakoda Lyne
Maya Charlton	Eliza Sinclair	Summer Lyne
Paige Clarke	Ella Smith	Lacey McGill
Sara Clarke	Isaac Staley	Emily Moses
Kate Duignan	Seth Staley	Marlow Raglus
Alix Kelly	Samantha Storer	Abbey Restall
Alanna Malkoc	Chiara Stuart	Phoebe Royal
Eva Malkoc	Madelon Veerman	London Todd
Paige Rewuk	Sophie Veerman	Jordyn Weatherley
Sam Rewuk	Carys Waetford	Kiana Williams
Caitlin Rogers	Neveah Waetford	

## Around The Club:

**Next Rally** – Our next rally is on Sunday the 10<sup>th</sup> of November.

**Cross Country Schooling** - Please remember any non MPPC members need to pay \$25 and fill in the online waiver if schooling at our grounds. The grounds will be closed from Monday the 7<sup>th</sup> of October ahead of the upcoming horse trials.

## Mornington Mazda MPPC Horse Trials:

The horse trials is approaching quickly! Thank you to everyone for all their hard work over the past few months.

**Entering** – <https://eventsecretary.com.au/equestrian/#Entry:8328>

**Volunteering** - The times of duties might alter slightly once we have the exact times for the running of rings/ sections/ etc. Please sign up for a job - <https://signup.com/go/ssclVpT>

**Silent auction** - We are after silent auction items for the Horse Trials. Please contact a committee member (details on front page) if you have something for the auction, it does not have to be horse related!

**Working bee** - The final working bee before the horse trials is on Sunday 13th October 9am-12pm to clear and surface paths, mulch jumps and general tidying. It would be great to have as much help on that day as possible.

**XC Jump Sponsorship** – We are seeking sponsorship for jumps in our newly redone cross-country course. There are three different packages available to members. Further details can be found on our Facebook page or by contacting a senior committee member.

## Out & About:

### SMZ Games, Flat and Musical Ride 2019

4<sup>th</sup> Place Peninsula Pirates Games Team, Good luck at States in November girls!



**Team members from Left to Right:** Sam Rewuk, Paige Rewuk, Kiana Williams, Naveah Waetford, Maddy Casey and Jordyn Weatherly

### Werribee Pony Club Horse Trials

Mia Bartlett & Aurum Stratum Grade 2.1 - 4th

Eva Malkoc & Tickawarra Reno Grade 3.1 - 1st

Eliza Sinclair & Warrior of Fire Grade 3.5 - 3rd

Maya Charlton & Stormy Edge Grade 4.5 - 6th

Clem Harvey & TL Espresso Martini Grade 5.1 - 4th



**Left:** Maya Charlton & Stormy Edge  
**Below:** Eva Malkoc & Tickawarra Reno



**Right:** Jess, Eva, Clem & Alanna at Werribee Horse Trials



**Left:** Thank you to the super members who came and helped at our rider's working bee!

**Right:** Tony & Jo enjoying the tractor!



**Left:** Some of our members enjoyed a night out of riding gear to watch the new movie Ride Like A Girl





**Above:** The MPPC games team practising



**Left:** A massive congratulations to member Dakota Lyne who was the Dressage Secondary Preliminary champion at Interscholastic Nationals in Sydney this week!

## C\*/K Certificate Training Day:

On Saturday the 12th of October SMZ are hosting a C\*/K certificate training day at Hastings Pony Club from 9am to approximately 2.30pm. The only prerequisite is that you have obtained your C certificate. This is a perfect opportunity to complete modules and learn about what is required to complete your certificated. More details can be found in the flyer below. Entries are through your My Pony Club account. Any questions please contact Marissa Walters, DC.



**SOUTHERN METROPOLITAN ZONE INC.**  
Registered Number: A0025801H

### C\*/K CERTIFICATE TRAINING CLINIC

#### SATURDAY OCTOBER 12, 2019

#### HASTINGS PONY CLUB

This training clinic is for rider's who are working towards, or would like to start their C\*/K certificates. There will be practical and unmounted sessions. An opportunity to sign off some modules may be possible. Priority given to members of Southern Metropolitan Zone, but other zones most welcome.

**VENUE:** Balnarring Racecourse Gate 2, Coolart Road, Balnarring  
**TIME:** 9:00 – 2.30pm approx  
**COST:** SMZ members Free (subsidized by zone), Non-SMZ \$50  
**PRESENTERS:** Michelle Despax & Kathleen Kindler & SPECIAL GUEST MARK BURNELL EQUINE DENTIST

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**What to bring;**

Please bring your C\*/K workbook along with any project work (K riders). Suitable horse and any gear required to complete your practical/ridden components eg; lungeing gear, jumping gear, active riding equipment.

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**Conditions of entry; entry is conditional upon acceptance of these conditions.** Entering this clinic constitutes acknowledgement that PCV rules apply and acceptance of these rules.

1. Participation Fee; Free SMZ members - \$50 non-SMZ members.
2. No refunds after closing date except with a medical certificate.
3. Medical armbands, helmets and correct footwear are required.
4. DOGS ARE STRICTLY PROHIBITED FROM THIS EVENT.
5. Neither the organising committee of this clinic, the owners of Tooradin Estate or PCV accepts any responsibility whatsoever for any damage, accident, injury or illness to clinic participants, spectators or any other person or property.

## Upcoming PCAV Events:

6th Oct - Tooradin Dalmore Pony Club Dressage Jackpot

12th-13th Oct - Ballarat Pony Club Horse Trials

13th Oct - Main Ridge Pony Club Combined Training

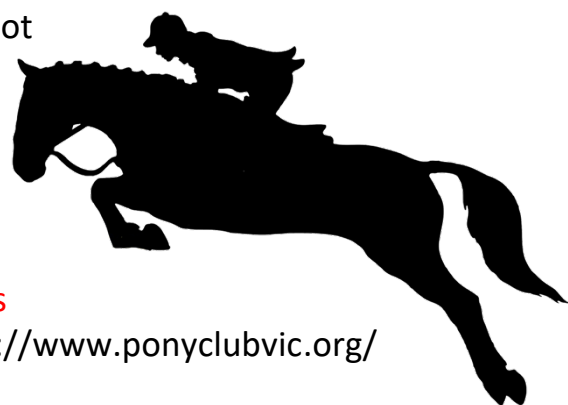
13th Oct - Working Bee for MPPC HT 9am-12pm

20th Oct - Hastings Pony Club Show Jumping Day

25th Oct - MPPC Horse Trials Set Up 2pm-6pm

26th-27th Oct - Mornington Mazda MPPC Horse Trials

More events can be found on the PCAV website, <http://www.ponyclubvic.org/> under 'competitions & clinics'.



## Did you know?

In dressage whips are allowed to be carried in your tests. For grades 1 to 3 the whip can be up to 1200mm long including the lash but for grades 4 and 5 they must be no longer than 750mm including the flap. All grades can carry a whip no longer than 750mm including the flap in cross country, showjumping, flat teams, musical rides and show ring ridden classes. Whips are not to be used in games events.

## Rally Plan:

Group	Blue		Red		Green		Yellow		Purple	Pink
Lesson 1 8.00-9.40am	Flat A 8.00-8.50 <i>Claire</i>	Spare	XC 8.00-9.15 <i>Ellyse</i>		SJ A 8.00-8.50 <i>Brad</i>	Spare	Flat A 8.00-8.50 <i>Amber</i>	Spare	XC 8.30-9.30 <i>Nat</i>	Pink A Games 8.00-9.00 <i>Rosie</i>
	Plaiting- Unmounted <i>Nicky</i>	Flat B 8.50-9.35 <i>Claire</i>			Plaiting- Unmounted <i>Nicky</i>	SJ B 8.50-9.40 <i>Brad</i>	Plaiting- Unmounted <i>Nicky</i>	Flat B 8.50-9.40 <i>Amber</i>		Break 9.00-9.30
Lesson 2 9.45-11.15pm	SJ A 9.45-10.30 <i>Brad</i>	Plaiting- Unmounted <i>Nicky</i>	Flat A 9.45-10.30 <i>Claire</i>	Plaiting- Unmounted <i>Nicky</i>	XC 9.45-12.00 <i>Ellyse</i>		SJ A 9.45-10.30 <i>Nat</i>	Plaiting- Unmounted <i>Nicky</i>	Flat 10.00-11.00 <i>Amber</i>	Pink A Jumping 9.30-10.30 <i>Rosie</i>
	Spare	SJ B 10.30-11.15 <i>Brad</i>	Spare	Flat B 10.30-11.15 <i>Claire</i>			Spare	SJ B 10.30-11.15 <i>Nat</i>	Spare	Pink B Games 10.30-11.30 <i>Rosie</i>
Lesson 3 11.30-1.00pm	XC 11.45-1.00 <i>Ellyse</i>		SJ A 11.30-12.15 <i>Brad</i>	Spare	Flat A 11.30-12.15 <i>Claire</i>	Spare	XC 11.45-1.00 <i>Nat</i>		SJ 11.45-12.45 <i>Amber</i>	Break 11.30-12.00
			Spare	SJ B 12.15-1.00 <i>Brad</i>	Spare	Flat B 12.15-1.00 <i>Claire</i>			Pink B 12.00-1.00 Jumping <i>Rosie</i>	
Lunchtime talk from Mark Burnell 1.15-1.45										



	Blue	Red	Green	Yellow	Purple	Pink
Group A	Dakoda Lyne Mia Bartlett Lilly Rae (Flat Only) Eva Malkoc	Asha Bedggood Jess Dalglish Phoebe Royal	Kayla Hanslo Chelsea Porter Jess Drennan	Marlow Raglus Kiana Williams Sam Rewuk Charlotte Pearson	Issac Staley Sara Clarke Paige Rewuk Abbey Restall	<b>Pink Group A</b> Olivia Matthews Alice Smith Maeve Kelly
Group B	Madison Hodgetts Paige King Sophie Veerman	Samantha Storer Jordyn Weatherly Seth Staley Lilly Rae (Flat Only)	Summer Lyne Chiara Stuart Neveah Waetford	Alix Kelly Paige Clarke Jess Daniels		<b>Pink Group B</b> Lacey McGill Jude May Madison Taylor London Todd

- No line up for gear check
- Gear check will be done in the first 5 minutes of the first riding lesson
- Please go straight to your lesson area and **BE ON TIME**
- If you are listed in Group A then you ride in the Flat A and SJ A, if you are listed in Group B then you ride in the Flat B and SJ B. XC lessons are Group A and B combined.
- There is no designated lunch break, the spare block is for you have a break.
- Everyone needs to help pack up at the end of the day, remember many hands make light work. Pack up should be very quick if everyone helps.
- The meeting is now at the end of the day and cards will only be released after the meeting.

## October Birthdays:

Wishing our members the happiest of birthdays!

- 7<sup>th</sup> Oct – Maya C
- 12<sup>th</sup> Oct – Phoebe R
- 24<sup>th</sup> Oct – Sophie V
- 26<sup>th</sup> Oct – Lulu H
- 27<sup>th</sup> Oct – Emily B
- 30<sup>th</sup> Oct – Samantha S
- 31<sup>st</sup> Oct – Jessie D



## For Sale:

**MPPC Pony Saddle Blanket \$15** – Contact Kirsty 0421 921 534

**Size 10 Kids MPPC Polo Top \$10** – Contact Karen 0419 517 505

If you have any pony club uniform or pony club horses for sale, or if you have a wanted ad send it to [kated26@bigpond.com](mailto:kated26@bigpond.com) or [mmillieharvey@gmail.com](mailto:mmillieharvey@gmail.com)

## Members Ground Access:

Members please remember you must contact a committee member prior to riding on the grounds. Riders must avoid any “out of bounds areas” advised at the time. Non-members are required to pay a grounds fee of \$25 and fill out the online waiver form. Failure to obey these rules will result in forfeiture of access rights.

## Keep up to date with MPPC!



<http://www.mornpen.ponyclubvic.org.au>



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## Newsletter:

Please email through any results and pictures from future events to [mmillieharvey@gmail.com](mailto:mmillieharvey@gmail.com) or [kated26@bigpond.com](mailto:kated26@bigpond.com) so we can include you in the next newsletter! Images must be emailed and not have Photographers Copyright.

## Uniform:

Riders please note **SUMMER** uniform is to be worn at the rally

Winter uniform is the white shirt, brown tie, red woollen jumper, white/cream/banana jodhpurs and riding boots. It is important for riders to be in the correct gear at rallies.

**If unmounted pony club uniform is still required** however dark jodhpurs are acceptable. Clean riding boots and pony club top must be worn.

New members are allowed a reasonable time to arrange the gear & we acknowledge that at times we may not have all sizes in stock.

**Jumping vests are recommended at MPPC for jumping lessons.**



## Pony Club Top Tips!

- 🐾 Riders must sign in the morning of the rally with their pony club books
- 🐾 Please stay for lunchtime or end of rally meeting as important information is shared during it
- 🐾 Ensure your horse has access to fresh water and hay throughout the day during breaks
- 🐾 Ride at a sensible speed through the car park area
- 🐾 Riders must be accompanied by an adult whilst at Pony Club
- 🐾 Horses must not be tied to floats that are not attached to cars
- 🐾 All manure must be removed from the yards and carpark area and either taken home or placed in the available feed bags
- 🐾 Summer uniform is to be worn during daylight savings time and Winter uniform when it is not daylight savings

