Orange Grove Horse & Pony Club News

December/January/February

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Welcome to Orange Grove Horse & Pony Club!

Welcome to 2024

Hello and Welcome to the 2024 season that is fast approaching. It was great to see some old and new faces at the OG Joining Day, as well as gaining some new committee members. We as a club are looking forward to what the year brings to all of our OGHPC members! Bring on 2024.



Madison and Sophie spending some time together as they waited for their classes at Oakford Jump X.

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Madison and Rocky at Oakford Jump X back in January. She placed 3rd overall in the 60cm.



Jess and Duke showing off some fancy moves at the Gosnells **Summer Show** offs. Winning Reserve Champion Ridden Thoroughbred 13+ years!





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Nieve showing off her first wins at Orange Grove receiving trophies and placing highly in the leadline classes. Tatum also showing off her wins with her little sister.



Nieve spending some time on Crystal at the beach with the family.



Jess and Duke enjoying some jumping at home preparing for the season ahead.



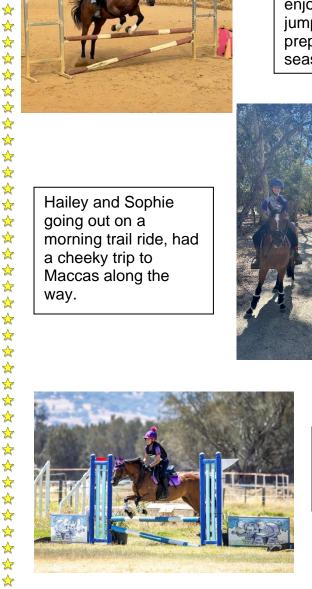
Hailey and Sophie going out on a morning trail ride, had a cheeky trip to Maccas along the way.



Hailey taking Mickey around the crosscountry course at Oakford Jump X.



Tatum welcoming her new horse Milo to the family.







Bryanna taking advantage of her holidays riding every horse she possibly could and giving everything a go.





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Sophie enjoying her time with her horse at the beach.

Hayley taking her yearling out to beach.



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Hayley taking Mondo out to Oakford Jump X to have more experience outside of their usual surroundings.

Rally Tips and Tricks!

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Our Rally is just a few days away now, and with many new members that have joined us this year we want to make sure you know what to do.

- Please make sure that you attend our morning meeting at 8.30 a.m. The meeting allows us to inform you all of the important things that are going on within the club, zone or state.
- > It is also an introduction to all of our coaches within the club if you are unfamiliar with any faces.
- Makes sure you help your coach out with the equipment you need for your lessons, and they will dismiss you to get saddled up.
- Make sure you have no jewelry on, that includes necklaces, watches, bracelets, hoops or any earrings that aren't studs under 5mm.
- Arrive at all of your lessons unmounted with your helmets on, stirrups rolled up, hair done above your shoulders or in a plait and holding the reins in both hands.
- Please ensure that you are courteous and polite towards all of our coaches. They are here to help you and are not require to return so please make sure you're on your best behaviour at all times. We appreciate our coaches here at Orange Grove, so utilize their knowledge!
- > Please ensure you are on time to all of your lessons; it is unfair on others if you do not arrive on time.

- Please thank your coaches for each lesson, your appreciation can go a long way.
- Finally, at the end of the day please make sure you help pack away all the equipment. We recognize who leaves before helping and it becomes harder for the committee to leave when everyone else does. We know the kids want to go home but so does everyone else, the sooner the equipment is packed away the sooner we can all go home.

If you are wanting to participate in any of our afternoon events, please inform our Chief Coach Anita as soon as possible. We want to know if you're interested in participating in other disciplines of our sport.

Please also ensure your yards are clean and the manure is spread on the grass and not the trees. This is really important to us as we share our grounds with 2 other clubs.

Kelmscott Horseland Orange Grove Dressage and SJ Series

The Orange Grove Series, officially sponsored by Horseland Kelmscott is fast approaching. We're excited to have an amazing group of sponsors supporting our events for 2024. Many amazing prizes are there to be won and our raffle is coming back to support our club. Entries are now closed, but for those who have signed up, we are looking forward to having another amazing and fun day at our series.

For all members, please make sure that you are ready to help out to keep our event moving forward. There is a mandatory helper duty for all club members throughout the span of the series and it would be amazing if all members could contribute as much as they can. Whether that be just doing your helper duty, or supporting our committee in the office. Your help is appreciated!







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KELMSCOTT OGHPC Dressage & Showjumping Series 2024





EOY Rally 2023

Our end of year rally was an amazing change from our usual schedule and many of our club members enjoyed having a muck around, enjoying lollies, water and a little bit of flour. We love to recognize everyone's achievements in 2023.

Club Trophies

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Best All-Round Pony Club Member - Teagan Christie & Suné Snyman

Most Improved Rider - Ava & Olivia Stephens

Most Improved Rider First Year - Mia Stephens

Presentation of Horse, Saddlery & Rider 12rs & U - Madison Kain

Presentation of Horse, Saddlery & Rider 13yrs & Over - Tatum Hand

Presidents Award - Anita Falls

Most Helpful Pony Club Member - Jess Toohey

Best Pony Club Adult Supporter - Di Demetriou

Log Book Award 10yrs & U - Morgan Falls

Log Book Award 11-13 - Madison Kain

Log Book Awards 14yrs & O - Sophie Ellis

Merit Awards (Groups)

Pineapples - Aleska Wearne

Oranges - Ella MacGregor

Watermelons - Harpa Byrne

Mangos - Charlotte Clark

Pears - Lilly DelSimone

Blueberrys - Nieve Burns

Rally Timetable

- ❖ 8.00am Gates Open
- ❖ 8.30am Morning Meeting
- ❖ 8.40am Set up allocated areas
- ❖ 9.10 to 10am Lesson 1
- 10.10 to 11am Lesson 2
- ❖ 11.10 to 12pm Lesson 3
- ❖ 12pm Lunch
- 1pm Afternoon Activities (Optional)

Birthdays

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January

31st - Kaitlin

February

6th - Camden

11th - Charlotte

12th - Lilly

28th - Sienna

March

2nd - Tatum

5th - Aleska

15th - Makayla

Up & Coming Events!

March

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3rd – OG Rally 1

10th – Kelmscott Horseland OG Dressage & SJ Series #1 23rd-24th – 2024 PCAWA State Tetrathalon (SEC)

April

7th – OG Rally 2

21st - Kelmscott Horseland OG Dressage & SJ Series #2

May

12th - OG Rally 3

17th-19th – 2024 PCAWA State SJ Championships (SEC)



PCAWA Go for 2&5 program https://www.ponyclubwa.asn.au/go-for-25-race-around-the-state-2/

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