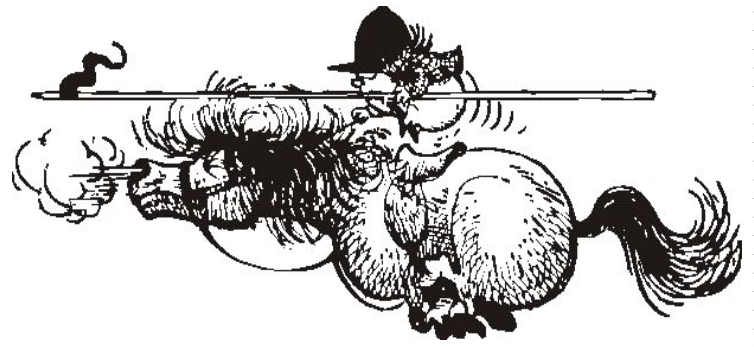


# Orange Grove Horse & Pony Club News



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## Welcome to Orange Grove Horse & Pony Club!

### March Rally

With our first rally done and dusted it was a fantastic start to the year to see so many members who attended. We would like to welcome back our returning members but also welcome our new members to the club and hope that you enjoyed your first rally. It was great to see the smiles on our members and parents faces throughout the day. From what I could see it looked like our members were enjoying their lessons and were excited to be back riding again.

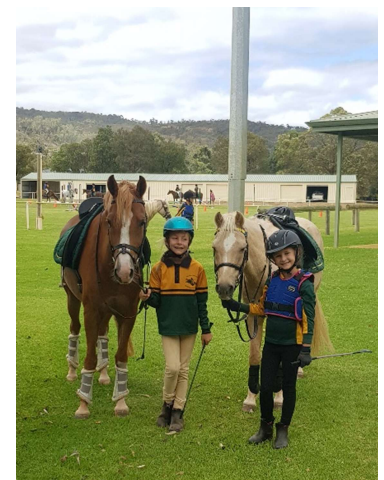


**Above:** Hailey jumping her pony Inca off the lead for the first time at rally

**Bottom Left:** Sophie jumping her pony off the lead for the first time at rally

**Bottom middle:** Some of our younger riders learning parts of the saddle in their theory session with Angela

**Bottom Right:** Aleska and Hailey all ready for their jumping lesson





## Achievements from the March Rally!

Huge congrats to:

- Makayla Roberts for riding Herbie at her first rally and doing some lovely trotting
- Jasper Wheeler for riding Sam one entire lesson off the lead
- Tatum Hand for jumping her personal best on Crystal of 70cm
- Sune' Synman for completing your first rally on your new pony Mickey
- Hailey Synman for riding Inca off the lead at your first rally and for getting back on your pony after falling off
- Jared Arena for a great job on riding your new pony and being very attentive during your lessons
- Zoe Pedderson for arriving to your first rally on time and making sure your uniform and tack was clean.
- Maxwell Bigmore for getting to your lesson time and improving on your listening skills
- Mia Pettersen for attending her first rally but also her first outing with her new pony Dean and for a great job in participating in your theory session
- Harpa Byrne for cantering Elliott four times in her lesson and attending her first rally
- Annalise Maninin and Snickers attending their first rally and having the courage to trot in her lesson

Well done to all riders 😊



Makayla (Top left) and Harpa (Top Right) attending their first pony club rally



Left: Aleska jumping her pony for the first time off the lead



Above: Madi and Barney overcame their fear of carrying scary objects in the active riding session in the afternoon



## Out and About...

- Teagan and Digby at the Serpentine SJ day where she placed first in her 70cm, 75cm and 1A Prelim dressage test scoring 71.80%. This was also their first competition together for the year.
- Dana and Snickerz making the most of the warm weather and attending the horse beach over the summer holidays
- Teagan and Digby at Oakford Equestrians Eventing in the Park where they placed 1st in the 80cm.
- Danielle and Jack attempting their first 65cm cross country round at Serpentine H&PC's Hickstead
- Dana and Snickerz having some fun at the equestrian playground

### MGAWA Wagin

- Sune' and her partner winning the under 12s comp
- Dana and Sune' placing 4<sup>th</sup> with their team

Well done to all members 😊



**Top Right:** Teagan and Digby at Serpentine SJ day

**Middle:** Dana and Snickerz at the equestrian playground

**Bottom Right:** Danielle and Jack at the Serpentine Hickstead.



**Top Left:** Dana and Snickerz going for a swim at the beach  
**Above:** Teagan and Digby after winning their 80cm cross country round at Oakford



## Pony Club WA State Coaching Clinic

The 2020 Milne Feeds State Coaching Clinic was held at Karinya Equestrian park on the 8/9<sup>th</sup> February. We were delighted to have Ebony, Angela, Shannon and Carly attend on behalf of OGHPC to further develop their knowledge and skills as coaches. We also had members that were asked to participate as demonstration riders across different disciplines. We had Tatum and Danielle participate in the showjumping demonstration while Dana participated in the PPMG demonstration. Thank you to our coaches and riders for attending and representing OGHPC.



**Above:** Shannon, Carly, Ebony and Angela attending the State Coaching Clinic



### **Top left:**

Natasha smiling after having a good day

### **Top Right:**

Danielle and Whisky waiting for their round to start

**Right:** Dana and Snickerz celebrating a successful day



**Above:** Sune' and Mickey riding their 65cm round  
**Right:** Hailey and Inca riding their 30cm round

## Out and About...

### Horsemen's Arena Eventing #1

- Dana and Snickers placing 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> in their 80cm rounds
- Sune' and Mickey placing 3<sup>rd</sup> in both of their 65cm rounds
- Hailey and Inca placing 4<sup>th</sup> in both of their 30cm rounds but also doing her first event off the lead
- Danielle and Whisky placing 9<sup>th</sup> in their 65cm round
- Natasha and Darri placing 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> at their first 65cm competition together
- Kimberley and Cally attending their first 65cm competition together

Well done to all members 😊



## Safety Reminder -

OGHPC members

Don't be an easy target.  
Lock your car, take your  
valuables or do not leave

### 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



## Up & Coming

### March

- ❖ 22<sup>nd</sup> - OG SJ & Dressage Series Event #1

### April

- ❖ 4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> - Pony Club WA State Tetrathlon (postponed)
- ❖ 19<sup>th</sup> - OG Rally 2

### May

- ❖ 10<sup>th</sup> - OG Rally 3
- ❖ 17<sup>th</sup> - OG SJ & Dressage Series Event #2
- ❖ 22<sup>nd</sup>/23<sup>rd</sup>/24<sup>th</sup> - Pony Club WA State SJ Championships

### Birthdays

#### March

2<sup>nd</sup> Tatum Hand  
5<sup>th</sup> Aleska Wearne  
15<sup>th</sup> Makayla Roberts  
16<sup>th</sup> Sune` Snyman  
30<sup>th</sup> Jarred Arena  
30<sup>th</sup> Annalise Maninin

#### April

1<sup>st</sup> Chloe Roberts  
2<sup>nd</sup> Jaimee Shaw

#### May

3<sup>rd</sup> Fae Spearman  
15<sup>th</sup> Lily Miitel



## Tip of the Month

Every month there will be a tip posted here to help remind riders and parents about some of the rules that need to be followed at rallies.

### Tip #1

All riders must present to their instructors dismounted at the beginning of each session.

## Committee 2020

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