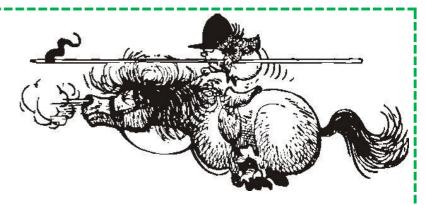
# Orange Grove Horse & Pony Club News



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#### Welcome to Orange Grove Horse & Pony Club!

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What a great way to finish off the year with the end of year gymkhana and awards night. What a huge year 2021 has been for our club. From our 50th anniversary celebration to becoming a fire evacuation centre, it feels like we have done it all! Our members have had great success across various disciplines and levels, from attending their first rally or show through to placing at nationals! We are so proud of all our members. We have said some tough goodbyes to several very special horses, but have also made some new friends along the way. We look forward to a great 2022, and hope to see you all return ©

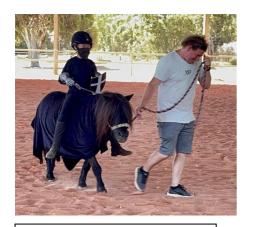


Left: Abby and Starlight competing at their first ODE at Serpentine. Abby had a great time despite feeling a bit nervous at the start

Right: Hailey and Shilo having fun at Oakford Jump Cross where they placed 2nd



## End of Year Rally- Gymkhana



Above: Harpa and Elliot



Above: Lilly and Splash



Above: Tatum and Crystal



Above: Aleska and Bertie



Above: Morgan and Honey Smack



Above: Madi and Barney



Above: Abbey and Sam



Above: Dana and Dolly riding their first 75cm round together



Above: Jasper and Saffron



**Left:** Bryanna riding her pony Mary. Mary finishing her last year at pony club in style after serving 18 years at pony club with the Pinto/Whelan family.

## End of Year Rally- Fun and Games

















## End of Year Rally- Water Fun and Fight

















## Life Membership

#### Karen Pinto

Life Membership of OGHPC awarded 4th December 2021

Karen first became a member of Orange Grove Horse & Pony Club as an Adult Rider in 1983. Thirty-eight years later and Karen is still a financial member of the Club as both an Adult Supporter and valued Committee Member.

Orange Grove has been a big part of her and her family's life.

Karen and her husband, Ron, have raised three daughters - Angela, Krystal and Alexandra, all of who have been members at some stage throughout their lives of the Club. Their oldest daughter, Angela was an active riding member up until turning 25 and continues at the Club as both a Coach and current Junior Vice President. Angela's daughter, Bryanna is now also a member enjoying being a lead rein rider. Three generations of the same family, all members of Orange Grove is a wonderful recommendation of how great our Club is.

Karen has been involved at Committee level at different times throughout her many years at the Orange Grove, committing to the extra involvement even with three children actively attending and out representing the Club. She has been the Clubs main stay marker of logbooks. A task we know that Karen gets much enjoyment out of, being able to see through the years, the progression of our members from lead line, first ridden to confident young capable horse riders.

Karen has set a fine example to other parents and members by always being willing to lend a hand at whatever is needed to be done. She has assisted with preparation for numerous Championship events, spending many hours helping to get all riders ready for presentations, passing on her knowledge to new members to learn from.

Karen is an integral part of Orange Grove Pony Club and I am sure will continue to be so for many years to come. She has demonstrated her dedication to Orange Grove Pony Club in many ways and is worthy of being recognised as a Life Member in appreciation for all that she has given.



## End of year Trophies

To end the 2021 pony club season we held our annual EOY rally and trophy night on the  $4^{th}$  and  $5^{th}$  of December 2021. The weekend started off with the riding phases of dressage, hacking, show jumping, and games, and finished with dismounted games and the annual water fight on the Sunday. On Saturday evening, OGHPC held our trophy night with dinner followed by awarding all trophies that had been won in all disciplines to our members. The results for 2021 were:

#### **HACKING**

· Leadline Hack:

- Pony Hack 12hh & Under:

Pony Hack 12-13hh:

Pony Hack 13-14hh:

- Small hack 14-15hh:

· Hack over 15hh:

Champion Pony Hack Under 14hh:

- Champion Hack over 14hh:

Champion Junior Rider Under 14yrs:

- Champion Senior Rider 14yrs & Over:

Jasper Wheeler on Saffron

Hailey Snyman on Shilo

Madison Kain on Cimeron Pocket Rocket

Sunè Snyman on Gordon Park Smarty Pants

Zoe Petterson on Kismet Park Serenity

Taliah Quinn on Devereaux Speedy Gonzalas

Sunè Snyman on Gordon Park Smarty Pants

Zoe Petterson on Kismet Park Serenity

Sunè Snyman on Gordon Park Smarty Pants

Harmony Dumbreck on Pilgrim

#### **JUMPING**

- Leadline Champion Jumper 30cm:

- Champion Jumper 30cm:

- First Ridden Champion Jumper 10yrs & Under:

- Champion Jumper 45cm:

- Champion Jumper 60cm:

- Champion Jumper 75cm:

- Champion Jumper 90cm:

- Champion Jumper 105cm:

Makayla Roberts on Herbie

Chelsea Willock on Memphis

Madison Kain on Cimeron Pocket Rocket

Sophie Dagnall on Rose

Tatum Hand on Crystal Clear

Sunè Snyman on Gordon Park Smarty Pants

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Teagan Christie on Armani Phantasie

#### DRESSAGE

Leadline Dressage:

- Sub Junior Dressage Rider 12yrs & Under:

Junior Dressage Rider 13-16yrs:

Senior Dressage Rider 18yrs & Over:

Lily DelSimone on Wendamar Trinket

Sunè Snyman on Gordon Park Smarty Pants

Harmony Dumbreck on Pilgrim

Dana Greenwood on Lady Esquiress





## End of year Trophies

#### NOVELTIES

- Junior Champion Novelty Rider 12yrs & Under: Madison Kain on Cimeron Pocket Rocket

- Senior Champion Novelty Rider 13yrs & Over: Tatum Hand on Crystal Clear

 Leadline Novelty Rider: Chloe Roberts on Archie

 Novelty Rider 10yrs & Under: Madison Kain on Cimeron Pocket Rocket

 Novelty Rider 11-13yrs: Sunè Snyman on Gordon Park Smarty Pants

- Novelty Rider 14-16yrs: Tatum Hand on Crystal Clear

 Novelty Rider 16yrs & Over: Dana Greenwood on Lady Esquiress

## Sandy Pelham Perpetual Memorial Award Highest Points overall

Sunè Snyman on Gordon Park Smarty Pants

#### PONY CLUB TROPHIES

- Best All Round Pony Club Member: Sunè Snyman

 Most Improved Rider: Sophie Dagnall

 Most Improved First Year Member: Abbey Rowe

- Presentation of Horse, Saddlery and Rider 12yrs & Under: Lily DelSimone

- Presentation of Horse, Saddlery and Rider 13yrs & Over: Chelsea Willock

President's Award:

Ebony Kain · Most Helpful Pony Club Member: Sarah Little

- Best Pony Club Adult Supporter: Sharon Little

- Log Book Award 10yrs & Under: Bryanna Whelan

 Log Book Award 11-13yrs: Abbey Rowe

Tatum Hand Log Book Award 14yrs & Over:

#### Merit Awards (groups)

Bryanna Whelan

Danielle Knight

Harpa Byrne

Madison Kain

Morgan Falls

Tatum Hand

Zoe Petterson

## Out and About



Left: Bryanna going on a road ride with Mum (Angela)



**Above:** Sophie and Rose doing their first 65cm round at Swan Valley Hunter Trials where they placed  $3^{rd}$ 



Above: Hailey having a fun beach ride on Shilo



Above: Hailey on Shilo and Sunè on Eddie having fun at the beach



**Above:** Sunè and Eddie riding in the 60cm course at Oakford Jump Cross where they placed 4<sup>th</sup>



**Above:** Bryanna Stealing Mum's horse Lilo at Kalgan rodeo

## Pony Club National Championships 2021 WA Results

On the 19<sup>th</sup> of December 2021 to the 10<sup>th</sup> of January 2022, the results from the 2021 Pony Club Australia National Championship results were announced and broadcasted virtually through a live stream on the Pony Club Australia website. Orange Grove Horse and Pony Club was honoured to be represented by two our riders; Sunè Snyman and Teagan Christie.

### Sunè Snyman

Sunè was fortunate enough to make the sub-junior dressage team as 1st reserve where she was told a few days before the national dressage competition was meant to take place that she would be riding for the WA team. Sunè did an incredible job



to learn and practice three dressage tests with only a few days preparation. Congratulations to Sunè for representing WA.

## Teagan Christie

Teagan was fortunate enough to be selected for both the junior Showjumping team and senior combined training (where she chose to ride up an age group). Teagan did an incredible job to finish in 3<sup>rd</sup> place individually in Showjumping and to finish in 1<sup>st</sup> place in combine training.



Congratulations to Teagan for representing WA and to being awarded the senior national champion for combined training!

## Pony Club WA Annual Awards 2021

On the  $18^{th}$  of December 2021, Pony Club WA held their Annual Awards night at the State Equestrian Centre. Despite the cold and wet weather, it was a lovely night to recognise all riders and members across WA for their achievements during the 2021 Pony Club season.

Congratulations to all OGHPC members who were nominated or received an award.

The OGHPC recipients included:

#### PONY CLUB WA STATE AWARDS

<u>Citizenship Award</u> - Danielle Knight
 The Citizenship Award being the highest honour for service within Pony Club, received for 'constant and practical services to their club, always being helpful and thoughtful towards others

and upholding the aims and objectives of Pony Club'.

- State Service Award (Gold) Sue Greenwood
   This service Certificate is presented in recognition of an
  - outstanding and supportive contribution to the ideals of the Pony Club for over 15 years.
- State Service Award (Bronze) Elizabeth Barret and Nicole Christie
   This Service Certificate is presented in recognition of an
   outstanding and supportive contribution to the ideals of The Pony
   Club for 5 10 years.

#### CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION: Nationals

- Combined Training and Dressage- Teagan Christie
- Dressage (Reserve) Sunè Snyman

#### PONY CLUB WA ANNUAL AWARDS

- · Grass roots coach of the year nominee Ebony Kain
- · <u>Series of the year nominee</u>- Orange Grove HPC Dressage and Showjumping Series
- Volunteer of the year nominee Nicole Christie and Sue Greenwood
- <u>Best Achievement by Member 12yrs and under nominee</u>s Sunè Snyman and Taliah Quinn

#### GO FOR 2&5 RACE AROUND THE STATE

-  $1^{\text{st}}$  Place = Orange Grove Horse and Pony Club









## Pony Club WA Annual Awards 2021 continued

#### HORSELAND SPORTS LEADERBOARD

<u>Dressage</u>

Preliminary 10 years and under: 5<sup>th</sup> Place Taliah Quinn
Preliminary 14- 16 years: 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Tatum Hand
Elementary 8-16 years: 5<sup>th</sup> Place Teagan Christie
Medium 8-24 years: 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Teagan Christie

**Eventing** 

PC65 9-12 years 1<sup>st</sup> Place Taliah Quinn 5<sup>th</sup> Place Sunè Snyman

Showjumping

60-70cm 12 years and under:
60-70cm 13-16 years:
5<sup>th</sup> Place Tatum Hand
60-70cm 17 years and over:
75-85cm 12 years and under:
75-85cm 17 years and over:
3<sup>rd</sup> Place Dana Greenwood
105-115cm 14 years and under:
1<sup>st</sup> Place Teagan Christie

Hickstead and Hunter Trials

PC30-45cm 6-24 years: 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Sarah Little
PC80cm 11-24 years: 4<sup>th</sup> Place Dana Greenwood

**Active Riding** 

17 years and over: 4<sup>th</sup> Place Danielle Knight

#### OFF THE TRACK SPORTS LEADERBOARD

Showjumping 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Danielle Knight

Hickstead and Hunter Trials\_ 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Sarah Little

















All photos courtesy of Rebecca De Vries Photography











## Containers for Change Program



Orange Grove Horse and Pony Club have registered to receive donations from the Containers for Change Program

Our Club's Scheme ID is C10240496

We will have at the grounds on our Club Days (e.g. Rallies and Events) a dedicated bin where you may drop your containers in for recycling and these will be taken to a refund point for processing.

Otherwise, you can use the Clubs number "C10240496" at any refund point to make a donation towards the Club (3)





We are raising money to have a cold-water drink fountain installed at the club to reduce our reliance on bottled water.

To do this we are collecting cans and bottles for recycling through the new containers for cash scheme.

We still have a long way to go to reach out goal of \$3,200. Don't forget to keep saving those containers at home and deposit them at your nearest refund point using the club's number! (3)

# 2021 Pony Club WA Go for 2&5 Race Around the State (RATS)

#### **CURRENT GO FOR 2&5 RACE AROUND THE STATE TABLE...**

Is your club in our top 10?

Up to date as of 18.11.2021

13,250 KMs 1. Orange Grove Horse & Pony Club 2. Wallangarra Riding & Pony Club 7730 KMs 3. Swan Valley Horse & Pony Club 3255 KMs 4. Albany Pony Club 3115 KMs 5. Woodridge Horse & Pony Club 2820 KMs 6. Serpentine Horse & Pony Club 2480 KMs 7. West Plantagenet Pony Club 2335 KMs 8. Gidgegannup Horse & Pony Club 1635 KMs 9. Peel Metro Horse & Pony Club 1400 KMs 10. King River Pony Club 1090 KMs



Congratulations and thank you to all of our members for helping the club to achieve this amazing result &

For placing 1st in the competition, the club has won a new Go for 2&5 Showjump set!

1st PLACE Go for 2&5 Jump set (Jump4Joy)



## Safety Reminder -

OGHPC members
Don't be an easy target.
Lock your car, take your valuables, or do not leave them uncovered in your cars.

### Rally Timetable

- ❖ 8:00am Gates Open
- 8:20am Morning Meeting
- 8:40am Set up allocated arenas
- ❖ 9:10am 10:00am Lesson 1
- 10:10am 11:00am Lesson 2
- ❖ 11:10am 12:00pm Lesson 3
- 12:10pm Pack away arenas
- ❖ 12:30pm Lunch

Up & Coming - 2022

January

\* 29th OGHPC Joining Day 9am-11am

#### February

- 12<sup>th</sup> 13<sup>th</sup> Pony Club WA State
   Coaching School (Karinya
   Equestrian Centre)
- 19<sup>th</sup> OGHPC Twilight Qualifying Rally (From 3pm)

#### March

- ♦ 6<sup>th</sup> OGHPC Rally 1
- ❖ 27<sup>th</sup> OGHPC Dressage and Showjumping Series 1



# FOR BIGGER AND LONGER BURSTS OF ENERGY "GO FOR 2&5" EVERYDAY!



#### <u>Birthdays</u>

November	December	January
4 <sup>th</sup> Hailey Snyman	11 <sup>th</sup> Jasper Wheeler	1 <sup>st</sup> Zoe Petterson
4 <sup>th</sup> Madison Kain	27 <sup>th</sup> Dylan Arena	16 <sup>th</sup> Krystal Pinto
4 <sup>th</sup> Sydelle Bland		21 <sup>st</sup> Alyssa Scott
23 <sup>rd</sup> Dana Greenwood		







## 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 #9

Remember to stay safe over the summer break and we look forward to seeing you in 2022! 😂

## Committee 2021

Nicole Christie

Angela Whelan

Sue Greenwood

Erin Kelty

Ebony Kain

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