

## **RALLY REPORT**

Hey, hey everyone the March rally was great fun.

Some of the high lights.

During the rally Fenella was teaching group C on cross country to do a harder and a higher level course. Dawn was teaching group F to shorten and lengthen there strides in show jumping which is a very helpful skill to learn for when you are competing.

Debbie made active riding (games) great fun. Everyone wanted to keep going again and again. Lots of laughter could be heard all over the grounds. Debbie even had to whisper "GO" because some horses have learnt English.

Reminder - to check the board - to see what group you are in and what you are doing for the day or check in the newsletter.

Safety issue -is wearing your helmet when handling your horses.

Please help set up in the morning and pack one thing away in the afternoon it makes it a whole lot easier for the people that normally do it and it just makes it quicker for every one.

A huge thank you to all those people that helped set up the in the morning and packed up in the afternoon, we really appreciate it.

---

## **C" CERTIFICATE CANDIDATES**

Libby Hopkins will be coming to KRPC on 9 June 2007 to examine those members who would like to sit their 'C' certificates. There is only a limit of 6 positions available. If you are eligible to qualify for your 'C' certificate please contact Carol Bergersen on 98 443 697 so we can book you a position.

---

## **GOOD NEWS!!**

KRPC has been successful in obtaining a grant of \$8,763 from the Department of Sport and Recreation. This money will be utilised to help fund the construction of approximately 36 steel horse yards. It is envisaged that the old wooden yards will be removed and the new yards will be constructed in their place. This project will take place in July after the ODE. We will again be requesting members come along and give us a hand to pull the old yards down when the time comes.

---

## **IN APPRECIATION**

Thank you to all the people who have been assisting with the various projects that have been taking place at the grounds.

Some of the projects / tasks that have taken place include :

- the construction of three gazebo's
- repairing the water jump
- repairing XC jumps
- repairing leaking taps and pipes
- general cleaning up around the grounds and clubrooms
- and plenty of general maintenance jobs

It is pleasing to see so much positive energy and enthusiasm by many, it helps make our club a better more enjoyable place to be.

Other major projects in the pipe line include :

- building new XC jumps
- completion of the dressage arena
- concreting of the gazebo's
- construction of a round yard
- construction of three more large wooden night yards

If any members would be interesting in coming along and assisting we are always looking for people who have special expertise or skills that would make the jobs easier. Contact either Bruce Hall or Glen Bergersen and find out when the next busy bee at the grounds will be.

---

#### **LOST AT THE AUTUMN HACK DAY**

Camera left on 44 gal drum near the "Breed" ring. If found, please phone Jackie Collins - 98 422 248

---

#### **IN MEMORY OF BEV HARRIS**

Our deepest sympathy goes to Russell, Jeffery, Shelley and Hayley Harris following the passing of their loving wife, mother and best friend Bev on Sunday 18 March 2007.

Bev was a very active, tireless and hard working member of the King River Pony Club. She always made herself available to assist the club in many ways, being the club Treasurer until her diagnosis in 2005.

Throughout her life Bev was also a very active member of many other community groups as well as pony club. Bev will be greatly missed by all members of our club, she always carried out her work in a cheerful and helpful way . Our thoughts will always be with you.

#### **REST IN PEACE BEV**

---

#### **LUNGING CLINIC**

Do you want to know how to lunge the PCAWA approved method? This is the only method that will pass the C\* certificate. Phoebe Johnson will be instructing at a lunging clinic to be held at KRPC on Wednesday 11 April at 9am. Cost is only \$5.00.

What to bring :

- all the lunging gear you have
- approved riding hat
- gloves
- and your horse or pony

Currently KRPC does not have an active member who knows the correct PCAWA method of lunging so this will be a great opportunity to learn. If you would like to know more please contact Catherine Godfrey on 98 443 693.

---

**Happy Belated Birthday to those in January, February & March**

**Happy Birthday in April to:**

Tajana Attwell	4 April
Ashton James	8 April
Cortney McWilliam	13 April
Kate Mitchell	14 April
Hannah Riley	14 April
Amy Mills	21 April
Suzie Mier	22 April



**HAPPY 21<sup>st</sup> BIRTHDAY**

Cassey Mayfield	25 April
-----------------	----------

We wish you all a fabulous birthday!

---

**Zone One Day Event & Showjumping  
held at Katanning.**

The Zone ODE & Showjumping will be held on Saturday 21st April & Sunday 22nd April. The show jumping will commence at 12noon on Saturday starting with the Pony's and moving up in heights. This is a qualifier for the state jumping championships which will be held at Brigadoon in May. All riders may compete in individual events as well as zone and Pony Club teams at the show jumping state championships.

The One Day Event is on Sunday is on Sunday. Katanning is one of the State's best event courses. Grades from A grade to E grade will be cantered for. A meal and camping facilities are available on Saturday night. Please ring Jenny Shirley to nominate 98411172.

---

**2007 Events**

March 24 Albany Horsemans Assoc Dressage, Pither Jumping School  
March 25 AHA Showhorse Day, Pither jumping school

April 1st ponyclub  
April 15th AHA Showjumping  
April 17, 18, 19 King River April School  
April 21st Zone Showjumping Katanning  
April 22nd Zone ODE Katanning  
April 29th ODE King River

May 6th Ponyclub

May 13 AHA Showjumping  
May 20th AHA Hack Day  
May 27th PCAWA state showjumping

June 3rd Ponyclub  
June 10th Albany Pony Club ODE  
June 17th Log Fence State Horse Trails, Showjumping Kingriver  
June 24th Aha Hacking

July 1st Ponyclub  
July 8th King River oDE  
July 15th Katanning ODE  
July 22nd AHA Show jumping

August 5th Ponyclub, Narrogin ODE  
August 12th Zone Showjumping & Games Run and held at Kingriver Ponyclub  
August 19th King River ODE  
August 26th Showjumping Kingriver

September 2nd Ponyclub  
September 9th Albany Pony Club ODE, Spring hack day Kingriver  
September 16th  
September 23rd  
September 30th

October 7th Ponyclub  
October 14th AHA Trophy Gymkana  
October 21st Kojonup Show  
October 28th Katanning Show

November 3rd Mt Barker Show  
November 4th Pony Club  
November 10,11 & 12 Albany Show

December 2nd Ponyclub

---

**If you have any articles for the newsletter please email to [jrkimberley@optusnet.com.au](mailto:jrkimberley@optusnet.com.au) before the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month for inclusion in that months newsletter.**