



## June Newsletter 2017

### Presidents Message

Hello Club Members,

This year is going by so quickly, we are already at the end of May and have enjoyed some lovely rides and a great time was had by all that attended the Club Camp. Please feel free to contact me if you need any information, questions or idea's of things we could do as a club together. We are always looking at ways to support our members in enjoying their horses. Please remember we are all volunteers and we need your support in helping our club to run smoothly. Hope to see you all soon.

Tracey Gray- President.

Logan River RedlandsHorse Trail Riding Club.

### Camp Report by Tracey:

For those who made it out to Ferbie's property for our long weekend camp, I think you will all agree it was a stunning weekend full of views and really interesting conversations. I was last to arrive due to a little car issue, which made my weekend away a very expensive one. But alas, much worse things could happen. I am always happy that it is an enjoyable and safe weekend no matter the little car problems. So I missed the first day ride out, which I was told had lots of water crossings and it was very gentle underfoot for our trustee steeds. I did hear that one of the horses at camp wasn't so keen about the water crossings, but as always all riders where more than happy to help out in anyway they could. The next day we had Philippa and her lovely family take us out on a magnificent ride with more views in every direction. We went up and down and up and down, but it sure was worth it to see how beautiful our amazing country is. Then came the last day, which we had Glen the property owner take us out on what we asked to be an easy short ride. Well I have got to say, what we think is easy and short seems to be different from what he calls easy and short. Poor 4 legged friends, they were feeling it by now and so were some of the riders. Oh and don't let me forget our trusted walker who 'coo wee'd us from across the hills. We finished up for lunch at a lovely fresh water hole with four of us daring to have a dip. Each night there were also a few who dared to stay up late and talk ghost stories and murder mysteries, you know who you are. And not to mention our early rises who woke up the late nighters. All good, no complaints coming from me, we can always catch up on sleep later. We had music around the campfire and lots of laughs at everyone's antics. Sorry if you didn't make it , but you really don't know what you are missing when we do our camps, best fun to be had by all. I hope to see you again on our next camp.

Tracey

### Car Boot Sale Report By Linda:

The car boot sale on Saturday 6th May was a gorgeous day, and was well attended with around 15 individual sellers stalls, with shoppers and sellers enjoying coffee from Sylvia's machine, along with a sausage sizzle. A big thank you to the club volunteers on the day, namely our amazing Treasurer Lorraine Low, who also had other commitments on the same day, but still managed to do the whole BBQ, and also to Pam for collecting money from sellers. The club made around \$150 for the day.

**\*\*\*\*\* A Friendly Reminder, Club Membership Renewals are now overdue, please renew to keep your Membership Current. \*\*\*\*\***

**\*\*\* Please Remember \*\*\*** if you ride a horse that is known to kick, plait a red ribbon into your horses tail to make other people aware. Also for safety, don't leave your hat/helmet on the ground, Thank you.

**\*\*\* Trail Bosses \*\*\***, if you would like to organise a ride, please contact Kay Wilson on 0403 433 560

**\*\*\* Ride Reports\*\*\*** Are to be written by the person who shows up last to a ride.

**Email Addresses:** If you change your email address or contact details please be sure to update the club of those changes.

### For Your Information, Good to Print and Keep

Temperature: normal between 37.5 and 38.2 C – in horses 2yo and younger up to 38.4C, after exercise a raise in temperature to 39-40C is possible and normal

Pulse  
resting pulse in adult horses is about 28 to 40 beats per minute. Count for 6 seconds and then multiply by 10.

Breathing  
Adult horses breathe 8-16 times per minute (resting )

### **\*\*\* CLUB RIDES\*\*\***

AVA Chat Rides on Tuesday with Tracey Gray Dates:-

6<sup>th</sup> June, 4<sup>th</sup> July, 1<sup>st</sup> August

For More Info Contact Tracey on 0423 206 109 or [tracey.gray@outlook.com.au](mailto:tracey.gray@outlook.com.au)

27<sup>th</sup> May, Saturday – Ripley Ride/Camp

For those who know our mate Denleigh this will be a ride not to be missed. We are making it a Saturday night camp with fire and sing a long on 27<sup>th</sup> May. Saturday ride into a cave through hills. BYO Food for yourself and horse, there is water for the horses, shoes are advised if your horse needs them, there are yards for the horses but if you have fencing bring it along just in case. Short ride on Sunday to have a look around ,,If going Undullah way it's 10.7 ks from the turn off onto Undullah road from Whatt rd,, Go past Wild Pig Creek Road ,,down past yards on left on Undullah Road ,past Elliot Road on left and then Undullah Road turns into Ripley Road ...property is on left ,,Sign on the gate reads "Normiles" ,through the gate and keep going to a Cabin,, Can also go Centenary Hwy. And left onto Ripley Road and then property will be on your right. Take extra time if travelling on Undallah Road as it is hilly with a few pot holes but usable, If any questions ring Kay on 0403433560 Or [nannymookay@live.com.au](mailto:nannymookay@live.com.au)

3<sup>rd</sup> June, Saturday From Avalon Road to Daisy Hill with Gail

Ride out 9am from 156 Avalon Road, Park behind the house drive down driveway, through metal gate & into paddock. , Ride Conditions: Rocky in some places and bring saddlebag morning tea and lunch and back at floats approx 2 - 2-30 pm, For More info ring Gail on 0407 750 951 or [bremelle@hotmail.com](mailto:bremelle@hotmail.com)

17-18<sup>th</sup> June, Saturday/Sunday – Hardings Paddock Camp

There are yards and water available for horses. Toilets available, under cover BBQ area and a firepit for us to sit around after our ride, there are only 8 camp sites available but they accommodate up to 6 people on each site. Saturday afternoon ride and Sunday ride. Have to take our own wood, Need to know numbers so I can book. For more info contact Kay on 0403433560 Or [nannymookay@live.com.au](mailto:nannymookay@live.com.au)

24<sup>th</sup> June, Saturday – Munruben Circuit with Maurice

Arrive at 8-30am, ride out at 9am - 3 Hour Ride, Conditions are: Easy Ride with some stoney patches. Driving along Chambers Flat Road towards Mt Lindsey Hwy turn left into Norris Creek Road, then enter Giesemann Park, park horsefloats just inside gate on the right or left {avoid the deep drain}Bring morning tea and water with you. Returning by a different trail, bring your lunch and eat back at the vehicles and horsefloats at approx:12-15pm, while on the ride inspect an "all steel" round yard {almost finished} For more info contact Maurice on 0478 634 126

1<sup>st</sup> July, Saturday – Wyaralong Dam with Linda

Ride out at 9am, Leaving from Lillybrook – Western Dam End. Ride conditions are: Easy to Medium grade ride, only a few rocks in parts. Bring saddlebag morning tea and lunch. Approximately 4 hours in duration. For more info contact Linda Dewar on 0439 719 550 or [linda@paneless.com.au](mailto:linda@paneless.com.au) to RSVP.

8<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> July, “Jimna Camp” The weather is cooling down a fair bit by this time of year ,please bring warm clothes, for more info contact Kay on 0403433560 Or nannymookay@live.com.au

23<sup>rd</sup> July, Sunday - Undulla Ride on a different than usual property, more info to come,,Stayed tuned.



**\*\*\* Working Equitation Calendar \*\*\***

Held at the grounds, 1047-1107 Chambers Flat Rd, Chambers Flat

Contact: Karen Mulligan, Phone: 0439 706 152 or Email:redriversgrounds@gmail.com

Saturday June 10th

Saturday July 8th

Saturday August 12<sup>th</sup>

**\*\*\* Archery Camp Dates \*\*\***

Kids 28/<sup>29</sup>th October

Adults 11/<sup>12</sup>th November

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