

Grafton Riding Club Inc



Minutes - General Meeting

19 September 2023 - The Royal Hotel

- **Meeting Started:** 6.35pm
- **Present:** Greg Huntley, Rosemary Huntley, Tiff Jones, Sonia George, Kathy Sullivan, Janine Woods, Kate Connors, Leigh and Chris Harding, Wendy B
- **Apologies:** Lee Brown, Bronson Boers, Amy Staff
- **Minutes from previous meeting:** were read. Kathy Sullivan moved, seconded by Tiff Jones that they were true and accurate. All in Favour. Motion Carried
- **Business Arising from Previous Minutes:**
 - Follow up re signs – Kye – Cansdell Signs → Tiff
 - Check with Lee re sponsors thank you letters
 - Tiff to follow up grants thru Sports Council
- **Correspondence:**

<u>IN:</u>	<u>OUT:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• HPEUG – Notice of meeting and AGM on 18 Sept	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• To Janine – Previous Hack Programs• To GPC – Thank you for allowing us to borrow arena and used their shed

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HPEUG – Information on Amenities cleaning • HPEUG – Acknowledging Park booking changes requested • Natalie – confirming camping numbers • Marjolyn Thomas - advising of grants rebates and other support • Marjolyn Thomas- actioning Official Event Results • Marjolyn Thomas – 2024 Official Calendar • Cherry Kawamoto – confirming she will attend training day • Natalie - checking on camping invoice • Nominate – confirming Training Day posted • Nominate – entries for Training Day • Carrie Riessen – asking for link to join • HPEUG – calendar update • HPEUG – Lighting on Arena one charges and info • EA Community News – August 2023 • Tiff Jones – submission LSGP2022-231274 (noted in Gen Business for discussion) • HPEUG – Notice office of sport Webinar – guide for community sports clubs • Tracey Robb- request for Pony Dressage (have popped into Gen Business for discussion) • HPEUG – reminder re AGM 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To Jodie Williams – update on her queries • To HPEUG – request to change bookings • To HPEUG – suggestions re cleaning amenities • Natalie re Camping fees • HPEUG – query on who is allowed to use the Cross Country Course • To All – Information re Training Day x 2 • To All – Hack Program • To Cherry – confirmation and times for Training day • To All – Information re “Felderkrais with Cherry” • To Cherry – Thank you for coming to Training Day • To All – re Sept meeting x 2
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- **Treasurers Report** - Not Available

- **Training Day Committee Report**

Our Training Day went ahead as planned with quite a few attendees. Tiff was kept very busy on A3 giving lessons and Chris on the Polo crosse field instructing in pole work. Thank you to Tiff and Chris

Just before lunch Cherry Kawamoto came along and gave nearly everyone who was there, a complimentary lesson in Feldenkrais, which was received gratefully by all that attended. And of course, cannot forget to thank Leigh who seems to have become our resident chef. Thank you Leigh

There wont be any more training days this year as October we are holding our Hack Show, followed by our Jacaranda Dressage Day in November.

A massive thank you to all those who have given their time to come along to our training days throughout the year and instructed, and those who have come along just to help.

- **General Business**

- Hack Show

- Janine will bring measuring stick in case needed
- Ribbons need to be organised / Check for wrist bands
- Sausage sizzle – get sausages from Coles
- Freezer boxes – drinks
- Bunting across for beginners ring will keep competitors safer
- Need a Marshall (Bronson suggested) and PA System – Leigh offered to set up
- Marquee(s) to be put out
- Notepads for judges

- Kate Connors will take photographs
 - 2 people to man sign on table
 - Rosemary to print of day membership/waivers
 - Judges – Gift Card – Travel money for Fiona Hayes and Jill McKeown
- Jacaranda Dressage
- Sonia will re hash last years program
 - Jacaranda heme - Janine and Sean Everson to sponsor Fancy Dress (Junior and Senior)
 - Pony Dressage classes already exist within but to be run at the end of corresponding events
 - Request re leadline – Extremely hard to judge but we may consider for next years event, and do a little more research into in the mean time
 - Leigh will organise coffee van
 - Catering to be done by GRC
 - Wendy to organise judges – Use locals including some who participated in the Judges Clinic as well as Jenny and Wendy will be available if needed.
 - Will only go to Medium
 - Tiff to check if Bronson will be home to be Steward
 - Tiff will organise dongles for internet to use with new ipads
- ASH Dressage
- Still going ahead on 27 September.
 - Wendy has organised
 - ASH Committee will set up arenas
 - Just waiting for Jess Ricketts now to send thru numbers etc
- Submission: LSGP2022-231274 - Form added to your submission
- Tiff will follow this up, may need receipts etc – Lee will have
- Email from Tracey Robb re pony dressage
- Discussed above in Jacaranda Dressage

Tracey Robb Fri, Sep 15, 6:25 AM (3 days ago)

to me

Hi Rosemary,

I am wondering if the club would consider adding Pony Dressage to your dressage competition days please?

Thanks, Tracey Robb

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- Cross Country Course
 - Pony Club are agreeable and would like to organise a joint working bee to get up and running. To be reviewed every 2 years.
 - Need to meet with Pony Club on course and decide what needs doing re jumps and rabbit holes etc. Tamara and other Pony Club members and Leigh and Chris plus other GRC members
 - Course is only C Grade
 - Sports Grant may be available to help with Cross Country maintenance under floods relief as 2nd lot of grants being released

- AGM date and topics
 - Tuesday 5 December
 - Fees
 - Change of Name
 - New Logo

- Dates for next year
 - Rosemary to go ahead and put together still going with 1st weekend in months – If any fall on Fathers / Mothers day to be Saturday instead of Sunday training day.

- HPEUG AGM
 - Almost a totally new committee elected after the existing committee stepping down, after some had held positions for 10 years
President : Tamara Prentice
Vice President: Lee Brown
Secretary: Ashleigh Podbevsek
Assist Secretary : (Park Bookings) – Tiff Jones
Treasurer :Kathy Sullivan
Public Officer: Kathy Sullivan
Sports Council Representatives: Tamara Pentice / Lee Brown / Jason Connors

Meeting Close:

Next Meeting: 17 October 2023