

ROCKHAMPTON EQUESTRIAN GROUP INC

JUNE 2021 NEWSLETTER

Hi and welcome to the June edition of the Rockhampton Equestrian Group News, the year is certainly flying by. Our membership has now grown to 66, with ages ranging from 4 to 66 😊.

Our **Club & Participant Dressage Day** held on Sunday 13 June at the Crompton Park Pony Club was a great success. We just missed the rain, the weather Gods have been very kind to us so far this year. It was lovely seeing everyone working together to make the event a hit, thank you so much to everyone who helped. At one point we had five people helping with the scoring, I wish we'd got a photo. And it was wonderful to see so many new faces. Thanks to our judges Julieann Rhodes, Yvette Vlies, Heather Dow and Marina Brand.

Full results are available on our website, go to www.rockhamptonequestriangroup.com.au.



We ran our first ever Sausage Sizzle at Bunnings Rockhampton on Saturday 19th June, what a huge day! We raised \$1200! It was a team effort and I'd like to extend my personal thanks to all those who helped – Ron Tasker, Keith & Dianna Dahms, Louise Bulman, Trish & Charlie Whitlock, Holly-Rose Williams, Wendy Sheppard, Sue Landford, Heather Dow, Greg Lennon and Kim Fleischfresser, great job guys! Christine

MONEY BOARD LUCKY NUMBERS

FINALLY, WE HAVE A WINNER!!!

Congratulations to Greg Lennon, winner of the \$2 money board with number 35. Greg won \$100. We still have a few more numbers to sell in the \$5 and \$1 money boards, hopefully we will be ready to draw the lucky winners at our Hack Day in a couple of weeks. If you would like a number contact us via Facebook message, email to rockhamptonequestrian@yahoo.com or text Christine on 0418 188 925. Payments can be made in cash or via direct deposit to our Commonwealth Bank account BSB 064-709 account number 10858862.



Greg was helping out at the Sausage Sizzle when we drew the \$2 money board – well done!

COVID SAFE Active Clubs Kickstart

Great news – we were successful in our grant application for \$2000 through the Active Clubs Kickstart program. Thank you to the Queensland government's Department of Sport and Recreation. These funds will be put to good use providing future competitions for our members.

IS YOUR BIT LEGAL? CAN YOU USE THAT NOSE BAND?

Press control and click on the link below to go to the updated Dressage Rules relating to what equipment you can and can't use when competing – a very handy resource.

https://www.equestrian.org.au/sites/default/files/Equestrian%20Australia%20Equipment%20Annex%20-%20Version%2019%20%28June%2021%29_0.pdf?fbclid=IwAR3Hh0BVJT9VzsRca0x5buZEN_21rATPZhIOrYIZZVHD6FRq03jwD9WoXLY

Our next competition is the Show Horse Day to be held at the Yeppoon Pony Club Grounds on Sunday 18th July. Supreme Champions will each receive a \$50 gift voucher from



Saddleworld
Rockhampton.

The program is available on our website. **Remember entries close midnight Wed 14 July.**



Remaining 2021 REGI events

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| Sunday 18 July | Hack Day – Yeppoon Pony Club grounds
Judges will be Darryl Spencer & Chelsea Pender
Entries close |
| Sunday 22 Aug | Participant and Club Dressage Competition including EQ Leaderboard classes – Yeppoon Pony Club grounds |
| Sunday 5 Sept | Participant and Club Show jumping Competition including EQ Leaderboard classes – Crompton Park Pony Club |
| Date TBC Oct | Club Show jumping Competition – Crompton Park Pony Club |



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Photos from our Dressage Day Sunday 13th June 2021



Secretheart Guns R Blazing enjoying a day out



Moving the jumps - Margie Elliott, Holly-Rose Williams, James & Kate Roche and Keith & Dianna Dahms - good job!



Our arena builders Alec Doig, Allison Skewes, Rob Dowling, Wendy Sheppard, Greg Lennon & Fran Russell - thank you



Savannah Deacon and Neigh Neigh, showing us oldies how it's done



Sienna & Angie Bettridge - C track right...



Our judges Julieann Rhodes, Yvette Vlies, Heather Dow & Marina Brand - thanks ladies!



Packing up, Peter Floyd, Deb Doblo, Dianna Dahms, Angie & Sienna Bettridge – what a team