

Rockhampton Equestrian Group Inc Participant and Club Dressage Competition

**Crompton Park
Sunday 12th June**

**Entries close
5th June**



Thanks to our models, Sienna Bettridge and Pacific Sanshoo, & J Gonzalez Photography.

Our next event is a Dressage Competition to be held at the Crompton Park Pony Club on Sunday 12th June. Entries close THIS SUNDAY 5th June, go to www.rockhamptonequestriangroup.com.au for a program.

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A big THANK YOU to The Capricornian
for sponsoring our Dressage Competition

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As a lead up to our dressage competition, Alice Hurley will be at the Crompton Park Pony Club for lessons and protocol sessions on Friday 10th and Saturday 11th June (Sat almost fully booked).

Alice will also be available for lessons at Crompton Park on Friday 15th and Saturday 16th July before our next Hack Show on Sunday 17th July.

Booking forms available from our website.

We'd like to give a big shout out to Donna Kirkland, Division 7 Rockhampton Regional Council Councillor for her very generous donation. Councillors of Rockhampton Regional Council are allocated discretionary funds to use in assisting eligible community organisations across the Region.

Thanks to Donna, the Rockhampton Equestrian Group now has this great new printer/scanner that will be very useful for printing our competition score sheets and scanning the Horse Health Declaration forms we have to keep on file. **THANKS DONNA**



With our Dressage Competition coming up, now is a great time to take a look at the EA rules. Rules for all disciplines, including Show Jumping, Dressage and Interscholar, can be found on the EQ website

www.qld.equestrian.org.au/member-resources/rules-and-regulations



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Our Easter Dressage weekend was lots of fun, Austadium is a great place to ride. Alice Hurley taught all day on Friday. We had Angie Patterson and Simone Saunders from Brisbane judging on Saturday and Sunday. Thanks so much to everyone who turned up for the Emu Parade in the old Rocky Rush arena on Friday, it was amazing how great it looked when we'd finished. Thanks to everyone who helped out over the weekend, especially to Keith and Dianna Dahms who supplied their quad bike for the weekend and kept the riding surface just perfect. Photos of Sunday's Prep and Prelim classes are available from Jody at Ashjo Photography, check them out on her Facebook page.

We have three more dressage competitions planned for this year, Sunday 12th June at Crompton Park,
Sat 23rd and Sun 24th July at Austadium, CQLX and
Sat 27th and Sun 28th August at Austadium, CQLX.

The Queensland Racing Integrity Commission's Equine Welfare Program funded prizes for our best performed OTT horses which were won by Poetic Pete and Nikki Olzard in the junior division and Idol Factor and Trish Whitlock in the senior division. Congratulations Nikki and Trish!





Easter Dressage weekend



We had a lovely time at the Show Jump Training Day with Bonita Floyd. It was great to see some of our dressage riders trying something different. Thanks Crompton Park Hack & Pony Club for allowing us to use the grounds and jump course.



Stay up to date with the latest news and announcements via our Rockhampton Equestrian Group Facebook page, please like and share

We have really exciting news! Thanks to the Racing Queensland's QOTT program, we will be featuring OTT horses in our end of year Hi Point Trophies. Make sure you fill out the OTT nomination form when you enter any REGI comps from now until the end of the year.



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Thanks to everyone who supported our Hack Show on Sunday 1st May. It was lovely seeing old friends and making new ones. The horses were stunning and the arena, as always, was lovely to ride in. We had 16 nominations in the Youth Handler, wonderful to see so many young people competing!

A huge thank you to our sponsors, **Horseland Rockhampton**. It was great to have Lyndsey at the show to present the Supreme Champions with their beautiful woollen trophy rugs.

Thanks to June Larsen and Lynette Bennett who travelled from Gin Gin to judge for us. Thank you, Debra and Helen, our ring stewards and Heather, our first aid officer.

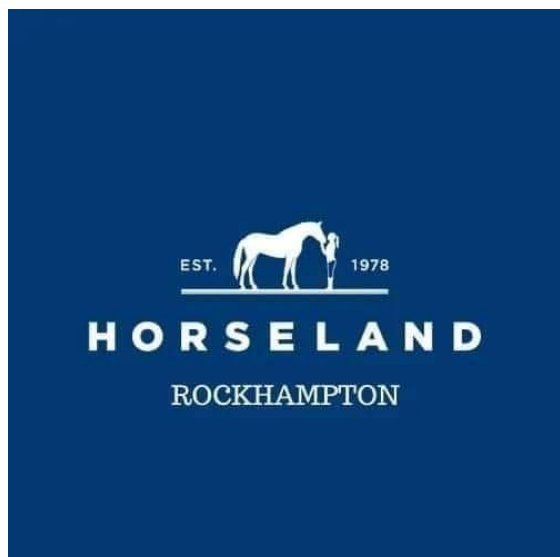
Congratulations to Angie Stubbs & Sheez Eye Candy, Supreme Champion Led of the Show and Merriland's Portrait, Supreme Hack of the Show, ridden by Niki Ryan.



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Horseland Rockhampton also donated a bucket full of goodies as our raffle prize which was won by Debbie Saunders, one of our hard-working committee members, well done Deb.



Our next Hack Show will be held at the Crompton Park Pony Club on Sunday 17th July, we will have Garlands for the Supreme Champions and extra classes for our junior riders. We are also including Colorama classes! The program is available from www.rockhamptonequestriangroup.com.au, entries close Monday 11th July.

Alan Barker Photography have photos available from the May 1st Hack Show, cost is \$15 per print or 3 for \$40. See the link below at view the photos:

https://alanbarkerphotography.shootproof.com/gallery/18183256/?fbclid=IwAR0aEaDdx6x2QScrnZBOvmbbkJqx21fil_ZkrQfJLmwSGfKeVsoR3-izaZc



Thanks to the Queensland Racing Integrity Commission's Racing Animal Welfare grants program, we are featuring classes for OTT competitors at our 2022 events. Here are some of the wonderful OTT horses who attended the Hack Show on Sunday 1st May. The Thoroughbred Hack class was won by Poetic Pete, ridden by the very capable Nikki Olzard. Well done to all our riders, the horses looked fabulous. And thanks to Alan Barker Photography for the great pics.





Sponsorships are available in August for the Show Jumping and Dressage Competitions. \$100 for naming rights of each class. Sponsors may sponsor more than one class. Sponsors will receive acknowledgment on the program and draw, through Facebook posts and in our monthly newsletters. Sponsors will have the opportunity to present ribbons at the events and to display banners and signage. if you'd like more information, please email rockhamptonequestrian@yahoo.com.

Future REGI events	
June 10 & 11	REGI Member Only Training Days – Dressage Lessons and Protocol Sessions with Alice Hurley
Sunday 12 th June	Participant and Club Dressage including Interschool Tag On at Crompton Park Pony
July 15 & 16	REGI Member Only Training Days – Dressage Lessons and Protocol Sessions with Alice Hurley
Sunday 17 th July	Hack Show Crompton Park Pony Club
July 23 & 24	Participant and Club Dressage including EQ Leaderboard & Interschool Tag On CQLX
August 20 & 21	Show Jumping including EQ Leaderboard and IQ Tag on CQLX
August 27 & 28	Participant and Club Dressage Competition including EQ Leaderboard & Interschool Tag On
Sept 3 & 4, Oct 15 & 16 and Nov 12 & 13	Spring into Summer Series – Show Jumping Competition at CQLX