

ROCKHAMPTON EQUESTRIAN GROUP INC

OCTOBER 2021 NEWSLETTER

We are very excited to have Clem Smith coming to Rockhampton for a Show Jumping School on November 27 & 28. The school will be held in the covered arena at CQLX (Gracemere Saleyards). Booking forms available from our website. This will be a great opportunity for us to try out the covered arena to see if it is suitable for future REGI events.

Photo courtesy of The J'Taime



BAN OF TRIMMING HORSE SENSORY HAIRS TRANSITION PHASE REMINDER



In August, the EA Board voted to implement the FEI rule to ban the trimming of horse sensory hairs across **all EA National Disciplines** in the interests of horse welfare.

A transition period began from August 2021 and the rule will come into full effect on 1 January 2022. No elimination or penalty will be incurred during the transition period.

As of 1 January 2022, horses will not be permitted to compete if the horse's

sensory hairs have been clipped and/or shaven or in any other way removed unless individual sensory hairs have been removed by a veterinarian to prevent pain or discomfort for the horse. Areas of hair that must be clipped, shaven or removed to allow veterinary treatment are exempt from this rule. For more information go to <https://www.qld.equestrian.org.au/.../ban-trimming-horse...>

Great news, Jumping Queensland will be hosting a Course Designers' workshop in Rockhampton on January 15 & 16, 2022. The workshop will be for both EA accredited Course Designers and for members who are starting their official's pathway. More details to come.





Helmet tagging will be mandatory for all Equestrian Australia affiliated jumping events (including Interschool Queensland and REGI events) from January 2022. It is already mandatory for EA affiliated eventing competitions. Dressage will follow from 1st July. Dates and times for helmet tagging sessions will be announced soon.

Remember, the EA tag does not verify that the helmet is safe or in working order. It only verifies that the helmet complies with the specific standards as mandated by the EA rules. Riders are strongly encouraged to check their helmet regularly (even if it is tagged). Riders must immediately replace their helmets if they have been damaged or impacted in a fall.

      						
Helmets must conform to <u>one</u> of the current approved safety standards:						
HELMET STANDARD				SAFETY MARK		
AS/NZS 3838 (2006 onwards) provided they are SAI Global marked				 SAI GLOBAL		
ARB HS 2012 provided they are SAI Global marked						
ASTM F1163 (2004a and any subsequent updates) provided they are SEI marked						
SNELL E2001 (and any subsequent updates)						
PAS 015 (1998 or 2011 and any subsequent updates) provided they are BSI Kitemarked						
VG1 (01.040: 2014-12) with or without BSI Kitemark						



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

Congratulations to REGI member Dianna Dahms and Stockie Duet, winners of the 2021 Novice Equestrian Queensland EQ Leaderboard. Dianna and Duey have been consistent all year, winning or placing in all their events, earning themselves a total of 153 points, congratulations girls!!

Everyone who competed in EQ Leaderboard classes is encouraged to jump on line & nominate the Rockhampton Equestrian Group as their club for the Interclub Challenge. For full results of the Prep, Prelim & Novice leader boards go to:

www.qld.equestrian.org.au/eqleaderboard



Photo courtesy of Brie Macdonald Photography

Future REGI events

November 27 & 28, 2021	Clem Smith Show Jumping School in the under-cover arena at CQLX (Gracemere Saleyards)
January 15 & 16 2022	Jumping Queensland Show Jump Course Designer Workshop
February 2022 – date TBC	Miniature Horse and Pony Show in the under-cover arena at the Riding for Disabled Centre, Parkhurst
Sunday 20th March, 2022	T-shirt Hack Day (venue to be confirmed)
March 26 & 27, 2022	Show Jumping Competition including EQ Leaderboard and Interschool Tag on (venue to be confirmed)
Saturday 16 th April, 2022 (Easter Saturday)	Participant and Club Dressage Competition including EQ Leaderboard & Interschool Tag On (venue to be confirmed)

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Congratulations to our Best Performed OTT horses and their riders at the Oct 2nd & 3rd Show Jumping Competition. Thanks very much to **Off the Track Qld** for sponsoring the awards. So Surreel, ridden by Georgia Creed won the Junior Division on Saturday AND Sunday. Marked for Success, ridden by Lyndsey Toward won the Senior Division on Saturday and Just One Kay, ridden by Trish Whitlock won the Senior Division on Sunday. Photos courtesy of J Gonzalez Photography.



So Surreel & Georgia Creed



Marked for Success & Lyndsey Toward



Just one Kay & Trish Whitlock





J Gonzalez Photography

We'd like to give a shout out to the Rockhampton Regional Council for supporting our recent two day Show Jumping Competition. Council's contribution helped make our weekend a success, we really appreciate it!

Thanks to all our sponsors for supporting the Show Jumping Competition, full results are available on our website: www.rockhamptonequestriangroup.com.au.

Thank you to **SaddleWorld Rockhampton** for sponsoring the 60cm AM5. Congratulations to our overall winner and place getters:
1st place So Surreel and Georgia Creed, 2nd place Marked for Success & Lyndsey Toward and 3rd place Harry & Sakari Martin.



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Thank you to **SCV Engineering Pty Ltd** for sponsoring the 70cm AM5.

Congratulations to our overall winner and place getters: 1st place Marked for Success & Lyndsey Toward, 2nd place Hilux & Samuel O'Rourke and 3rd place Reef Action & Ava Roche.



Thank you to **Wehlow Racing Retirees** for sponsoring the 80cm AM5.

Congratulations to our overall winner and place getters: 1st place Jamaican Music & Amarlie New, 2nd place Southwind Chivas & Ellie Flower and 3rd place Jayem Omar Gosh & Bonita Floyd



Dr James Roche

Orthopaedic Specialist

Hillcrest Hospital

Thank you to **Dr James Roche, Orthopaedic Specialist** for sponsoring the 90cm AM5.

Congratulations to our overall winner and place getters: 1st place Gold Melody & Rochelle Lewis, 2nd place Colorado Rider & Georgia Creed and 3rd place Jayem Omar Gosh & Bonita Floyd.



Thanks Ava for presenting the prizes to the winners 😊



Thank you to **Springton Park Thoroughbreds** for sponsoring the 70cm A2.

Congratulations to our overall winner and place getters: 1st place Hilux & Samuel O'Rourke 2nd place Reef Action & Ava Roche and 3rd place Strictly Wicked & Keith Dahms.



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Thank you to **Twist Disability Services** for sponsoring the 80cm A2. Congratulations to our overall winner and place getters: 1st place Hilux & Samuel O'Rourke 2nd place Southwind Chivas & Ellie Flower & 3rd place Jayem Omar Gosh & Bonita Floyd.



Our very own Trish Whitlock presenting the awards, thanks Trish!

Thank you to **SCV Engineering Pty Ltd** for sponsoring the 90cm A2.

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