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and your sale ads to
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be placed in next issue.

ATTENTION: FUNDRAISER ...SEX TOY PARTY...

It's on the 20th of April 2008 at the grounds and it starts at 2pm. Please come to this party as we need as many people to come as possible.....it's a bit of fun!!! Again, please bring a plate of something and drinks. Coffee/Teas will be there. Thank you, Sharon.



The President's Report

Well, it has been exciting month for the club as a part of an application for the Grant. It was done for the Jupiters Grant. Lots of good things are happening and it is all due to the hard work of previous committee, and members. The new arenas are going to make a statement, that we are moving forward, and there is more to come later.

I was informed the other day that we now have 65 members, that's fantastic, pity we don't get to see you all, we would still like to see more at the meetings, and the working bee on the weekend was a little DISAPPOINTING. Out of 65 members only 15 turned up. Some told me they couldn't make it, and I know people have things on and things to do, but come on guys this is your club, you pay your money to be part of it, hopefully the next working bee will be better and we will get more done. Next time you pop down to the grounds, have a look near the day yards.

A huge thankyou goes out to Maria, Deb Morrison, Jackie The Frank Family, who bought everything with them to do the job, along with some food not only for them, but for others, Sylvia and the boys and also the other children who pinched in, and another thankyou to Kate and Diane for bringing the Bada Bin skip bin, they drove all the way from Kooralbyn to help, just a great job done by all, oh and I hope you like the new gardens.

Our next big day is on 27th, of course and we need all hands on deck for that one, don't forget that if you want to help out with something different like pencilling, gear check or scoring, let us know! We need more people that know how to do these tasks, we cannot expect the same people to do them all the time. If you have any queries or questions, don't hesitate to ask we are here to help.

Happy Riding, chow for now,
Catherine Mackie

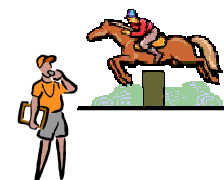
INTERNAL EVENTS



Up Coming Dates

- 20th April – Fundraiser....Sex Toy Party!!!
- 26th April – Kids Lessons
- 27th April – Internal Dressage Day
- 3rd May – Jumping Clinic with Sylvia
- 4th May – Internal Jumping Competition Day
- 17th and 18th May – Dressage Clinic (Full – booked out)
- 25th May – Open Dressage Day
- 14th June – Jumping Equitation
- 15th June – Open Jumping Day
- 29th June – Internal Dressage Day
- 20th July – Mini Hack Show
- 3rd August – Internal Dressage Day
- 31st August – Open Dressage Day

OPEN EVENTS



Last Meeting Discussion - 9th April

The meeting went well, still only a few people turned up but better than none! It was also discussed that this month all the newsletters will be posted out and after this month the newsletter would go on the website!

We are looking at running a competition for a NEW Logo, so if you all want to send in a Logo to Catherine, the committee - that would be great!!

Our Hack Show would only be a 'mini' one this year, as we are getting the 2 sand arenas put in. We will need all the help we can get for the dates that are coming up, and from now on there will be NO presentation until all the stuff has been packed away.

Looking into new club T-Shirts but sticking to the same colours. We need help for the 27th April - Canteen, Gear Check, setting up, and pulling down, etc.

We got the grant from Jupiters for \$31,000 so it's new Arenas and new Jumps.

If there is anyone that would like to do Trail Rides, please get in touch with Anita, email anita_hangs@hotmail.com

For Pony Clubbers.....Waterford Pony Club are having a Hunter Trial in June and are pretty sure there will be few interested in going. Trying to get the programme or you can look on the Waterford website and request a newsletter!

We are thinking about having a SOCIAL MORNING at the club grounds on a Wednesday at 9.30am, just a play around with your horse. Have a cuppa and biscuit, can you please let Sharon know, email sharon10@aapt.net.au - thank you.

Next Meeting is on the 14th of May at 7pm, at the Club House

Please note: KID'S LESSONS - Leah

The next kid's lesson will be on the **26th April** in the morning and due to work and other commitments, Leah won't be available for lessons after the 26th April until 31st June.

Asking Mums if they want Sharon to find someone to take Leah's place for the time she is unavailable, please email Sharon - sharon10@aapt.net.au. Sharon will try and find someone!

Sharon is awaiting to hear from Sarah about the ladies lessons!



Editor's Note

Hello.....my name is Michelle Ott and I have been asked if I would like be the newsletter editor for the club - which I happily accepted. I also signed up for this year as first time member with this club. Some of you may know me from Dalson Park Indoor Riding Centre and PRARG - but that was many years ago!

I guess by the time this newsletter goes out to you all, the first thing you would have noticed is the new layout! I hope you all like it and have a little 'extra newsy' newsletter to read. The benefits that I enjoy are that all this is done from my 'home/office' with no boss nagging me!

Sharon Ashwood asked me few months back if I knew much about websites and creating them - I knew just enough to get me out of trouble (or into it, depending on how you look at it! Hahahaha). All of sudden at the beginning of April, I got the 'urge' or, I should say - was bored - so I built Cedar Grove and District Riding Club's own website! Hope everyone is happy with it, here is the site address for you all -

<http://www.geocities.com/cgdrinc/>

Anyway a bit about myself: I was born completely deaf (due to German Measles/Rubella) but this has not stopped me from having hearing friends as I grew up involved with them, my husband and our 2 kids are hearing. I can speak quiet well, it sounds like I am talking with a blocked nose - but hey I don't bite, hahaha! This is the reason why members can't phone me but I am available via emails, SMS and MSN chat, so feel free to contact me in any of those formats! Also am an Amateur Photographer who is starting to set up an interest in Photography after a friend who pointed out that my photos were good! So might take it up.....

Happy Reading.....

P.S. Would love to get a 'feedback' from members on your thoughts of this layout of the newsletter?!



Cedar Grove and Districts Riding Club's Classifieds

A Double Horse Float



If you know of one for sale
Please give Katreen a call on

Mob: 0401 594 776



With thanks.....

Suitable for 2-3 year
child

Looking for a pony

Must be quiet

Please contact Sharon

5543 3126



Horse bedding delivered to
your stable door!
Small loads
(approx 30 large Wheelbarrow)
\$80 delivered to the local area
Ph 0431047869

WANTED!



For 25 years - TB Mare 17 years - TB Gelding 18 months - Chilli

Looking for DIY
Agistment for my boys!
(Feed twice a day)

Would be happy to help
out with feeding or
rugging if needed....

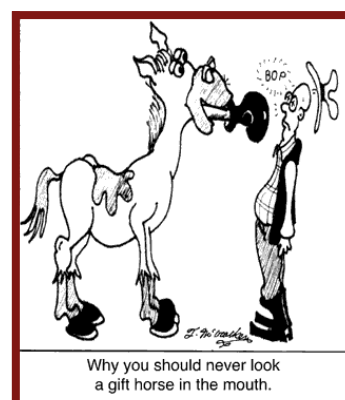
Preferably around Park
Ridge area but would
look elsewhere if there's
one!

Please email Michelle
on
ott_michelle@bigpond.com
THANK YOU

Has anyone found an Wintec Black Girth which I left behind at
the grounds last Tuesday near the entrance to club building.
Please phone Sylvia if seen on 0410 518 480 or 5543 1305

Could members please email Michelle on ott_michelle@bigpond.com with Sale Ads you may want to place in the newsletter!!

Thank you.



CEDAR GROVE & DISTRICTS RIDING CLUB
SHIRE SADDLERY - OPEN ASSOCIATE DRESSAGE DAY
SUNDAY 25TH MAY 2008

VENUE: Cedar Grove Grounds, Irwin Road, Cedar Grove

PHONE ENQUIRIES: Sylvia Nelms 55431305; Sharon 55433126; Catherine 0411 626921

ENTRIES TO: Cedar Grove & Districts Riding Club
 C/- Sylvia Nelms 45-55 Dennis Rd
 Cedar Vale Qld 4285.

ENTRIES CLOSE: Wed 14th May 2008 Payment by cheque or money order NO CASH please.

ENTRY FEE: \$10.00 per class Cedar Grove members \$15.00 per class non members
 Riders not members of EFA/QISEA or CGRC must pay the insurance levy of \$20 (this is the fee set by EFA Insurers).

PRIZES: Prize for 1st with Rosettes to 3rd place Ribbons 4th - 10th

GENERAL: Run under EFA rules. Classes will have no more than 20 per class. Vet/medical certificate must be received within 5 days after the event for refund (less 10% to cover costs). **MAXIMUM NUMBER OF CLASSES PER HORSE/RIDER COMBINATION IS 3 & ONLY 2 CONSECUTIVE LEVELS MAY BE RIDDEN. MAXIMUM NUMBER OF HORSES PER RIDER IS 2. No dogs allowed on grounds during the competition day. Back number deposit is \$5.00 refundable.** An Approved Helmet must be worn at all times whilst mounted on a horse. Riders under 16 years of age must have a parent or guardian present on the grounds at all times on the day of the competition.

PROGRAMME:

CLASS 1	PREP TEST 2	Restricted to horse and rider combination not placed twice to 1 st place in a prep test at an open event.
CLASS 2	PREP TEST 4	OPEN
CLASS 3	PRELIM 1.3	Restricted to horse and rider combination not place twice to 1 st place in a prelim test at an open event.
CLASS 4	PRELIM 1.4	OPEN
CLASS 5	NOVICE 2.2	OPEN
CLASS 6	NOVICE 2.4	OPEN
CLASS 7	ELEMENT 3.1	OPEN

CLASS	HORSE	RIDER	FEE PER CLASS
		ADD \$20 INSURANCE LEVY	
		TOTAL FEES DUE	\$

Name.....PHONE.....

ADDRESS.....

EMERGENCY PHONE NO FOR DAY OF COMPETITION:.....

CG&DRC MEMBERS Please indicate what assistance you can offer on the day
 SET UP PENCIL SCORE GEAR CHECK TAKE DOWN

PLEASE INCLUDE A SAE FOR COPY OF DRAW OR EMAIL ADDRESS.....

PLEASE SIGN WAIVER ON REVERSE OF THIS FORM. BRING YOUR COMPLETED WAYBILL ON THE DAY.

CEDAR GROVE JUMPING CLINIC

SATURDAY 3RD MAY 2008

Irwin Road, Cedar Grove

Members Only Clinic

Classes will be held for 1.5 hours and suitable for beginners wanting to have a training day before the jumping competition on Sunday 4th May 2008.

Please complete the form with payment and either email address (sylvia.nelms@suncorp.com.au) or self stamped address envelope and send to Sylvia Nelms 45 Dennis Road, Cedar Vale 4285 by Wednesday 30 April 2008. Enquiries Ph: 5543 1305 or 0410 518 480.

NAME:.....

ADDRESS:.....

.....P/CODE.....

PHONE NO:.....

EMAIL ADDRESS:.....

AGE OF RIDER.....AGE OF HORSE.....

RIDERS ABILITY BEGINNER (never have jumped)
INTERMEDIATE (just starting to jump) up to 50cm
ADVANCED (done some jumping) up to 65cm

HORSES ABILITY BEGINNER (never seen a jump)
INTERMEDIATE (just starting jumping) up to 50cm
ADVANCED (done some jumping) up to 65cm

Please find enclosed my payment of \$20 for 1.5 hours group lesson in jumping to be held at Cedar Grove grounds. I understand that horse riding is a dangerous sport and there is a significant risk that serious INJURY or DEATH may result from horse sport activities. I agree to wear a helmet at all times whilst participating in the sport where this is required under the relevant EFA and FEI rules and regulations and agree that I take sole responsibility for my actions.

NAME:.....SIGNATURE.....

DATE:.....

Cedar Grove & District Riding Group Club Members Showjump Day

**Club Members Only
SUNDAY 4th MAY 2008**

Irwin Road, Cedar Grove

Starting at 8.00am with Warm Up round - course set with jumps from 30cm to 75cm with 1 minute per rider/horse on course.

Competition program will start at 9.00am sharp and classes split juniors (17yrs and under) and seniors.

Class 1a	Max 30cm juniors only
Class 2a	30cm - 50cm juniors
2b	30cm - 50cm seniors
Class 3a	50cm - 60cm juniors
3b	50cm - 60cm seniors
Class 4a	60cm - 75cm juniors
4b	60cm - 75cm seniors
Class 5a	75cm - 90cm juniors
5b	75cm - 90cm seniors
Class 6a	90cm - 1m juniors
6b	90cm - 1m seniors
Class 7	1m - 1.10m

All classes run as AM7 - jump off to follow immediately from 1st round if clear.

Entry Fee \$3.00/class

Smart Casual Dress with approved helmet and boots.

Ribbons to 6th place all classes

Nominate on the day.

Members please allow time in your day to either help set up from 7am or to pack away jumps at the end of the day.

Call Xanthe 5543 3459 or email xanthe1@bigpond.com

or

**Jess Dowie on
for any questions.**

DISCLAIMER

I ride at my own risk and am aware that activities involving horses can be hazardous and that Cedar Grove and Districts Riding Club Inc accepts no responsibility for any injury or loss that I might sustain as a direct or indirect consequence of the activities of the competition whether such injury is a consequence of any act or omission by Cedar Grove Riding club Inc may become liable arising out of or contributing to by any act or omission by me as a rider during or related to the period of the competition day.

In the case of children under the age of eighteen (18) years this notice provides an indemnity, the terms of which that I being the parent/guardian of the rider/non rider hereby agree that by signing this notice I will keep Cedar Grove and Districts Riding Club Inc fully indemnified against any and all claims of whatever kind or nature that my child might make against Cedar Grove and Districts Riding Club Inc as a consequence of any injury or loss sustained through any of the competition activities or in respect to any claims that may be against Cedar Grove And Districts Riding Club Inc. As a result of any act or omission of the rider/non rider and generally I acknowledge and accept all terms and conditions of the disclaimer set out above.

Name and Address of Rider.....

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Signature of Rider.....

Signature of Parent/Guardian.....



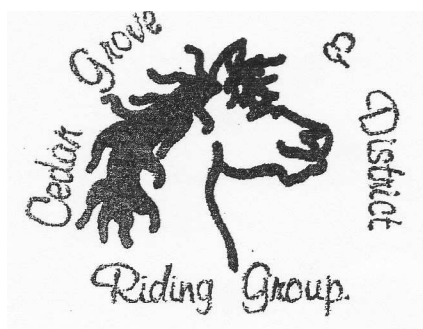
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CEDAR GROVE QLD 4285

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E-mail: sharon10@aapt.net.au



This Riding Club founded by Lyn Suffolk and Susan Forgen in 1994.

We hold Dressage and Showjumping training and competition days with the occasional Hack Show. If your looking for an all-round club with a great membership base, we may be the club for you. We boast a fenced arena available for club members to use anytime, a huge grassed area ideal for showjumping and dressage days, yards and wash bays. A quiet friendly atmosphere ideal for new/nervous neddies and their riders.

