



Maryborough Active Riders Club Inc.

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Newsletter

August 2024

Monthly meetings usually held the 2nd Tuesday of each month, **at the White Lion Hotel, Table 88.**

NEXT MEETING - Tuesday 10th September, 6:30pm for a 7pm start

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Letter from the Editor

Hi All,

Well hopefully I'm back on track. July/August have been huge with a property move, a trip overseas, and the usual technical issues that go with any change. August looked so much fun with events going ahead successfully as planned. September is looking just as good with an interesting line up of events. Flyers for events are attached to the newsletter and nomination is through Nominate.

Happy Riding

Cathy Evans

2024 MARC - Proposed Event Calendar

Please note this is a preliminary calendar and it may change ** recent changes or additions

Date	Event	Location
February Sunday 25 th	Dressage Training Competition	Covered Arena
March Sunday 10 th	Dressage Practice Rally	Eastern Arena
March Sunday 24 th	Official Dressage Competition	Covered and Eastern Arenas
April Monday 1 st	Obstacle Rally (Working Eq theme)	Covered Arena
April Sat-Sun 13-14 th	Working Equitation Clinic With Linda Shore	Eastern Arena (TBC)
April Saturday 20 th	Dressage Practice Rally**	Covered Arena
April Sunday 21 st	Dressage Training Competition**	Covered Arena
May Saturday 11 th	Body Dynamics for Riding with Mel Macaulay	Eastern Arena
June Sun 2 nd	Official Dressage Competition	Covered and Eastern Arenas
June Monday 3 rd	Dressage Protocol Day	Covered Arena
June Sunday 16 th	Practice WE Tests in 20x40 Arena	Eastern Arena
June Sunday 30 th	All Breeds and Hack Show	Eastern Arena
July Sat-Sun 13 th -14 th	Working Equitation Clinic	Covered Arena
July Saturday 27 th	Dressage Training Competition	Eastern Arena (TBC)
July Sunday 28 th	Poles Clinic with Dezi Roos	Eastern Arena
August Fri-Sun 10 th -11 th	Star Dressage Championships	All Arenas
September Sunday 15 th	Working Equitation and Training Competition	Eastern Arena
September Sunday 22 nd	Dressage Training Competition **	Covered Arena
September Sunday 29 th	Poles/Gymnastic Clinic with Dezi Roos	Eastern Arena
October Sat-Sun 12 th -13 th	Clinics (TBC)	Southern Arena
October Sat-Sun 26 th -27 th	MARC Club Dressage Championships	Covered Arena and Centre Ring
November Sunday 24 th	Fun Rally – Break up	Covered Arena

Upcoming Calendar notes: Details and entry is via Nominate

Working Equitation and Training Clinic – Sunday 15 September

Dressage Training Competition – Sunday 22 September

Poles/Gymnastic Clinic with Dezi Roos – Sunday 29 September

October – tentative plans are underway for another Poles & Low Jumps Clinic and another Working Equitation Training Competition – watch for updates soon.

Dressage News - Winners at the Fraser Coast Star Dressage Championships



Timothy Klein from Bundaberg won Reserve Champion Para Equestrian



Abby Smith won Champion Pony, Champion Preliminary & Reserve Champion Novice



Karen Kruger & Petrea Bates won Champion & Reserve Champion Participant Preliminary



Sally Collins & Claire Wallace won
Champion & Reserve Champion Small Tour



Andrea Raynel won
Champion Novice



Abby Smith & Karen Kruger won Champion
& Reserve Champion Preliminary



Trisha Sellers won Medium Tour Champion AND also judged several classes



Leah Maclellan won Big Tour Champion and the Grand Prix Freestyle

First Aid Certificates

Did you know that MARC will refund 50% of the cost of training for MARC members who complete a First Aid Certificate? One never knows when such training might be helpful, not only with horse incidents but perhaps to help family members at home! It is now a requirement that there must have an accredited person with a First Aid Certificate at each event. Members who have current accreditation include:

- Liz Condon
- Mel Macaulay
- Monique Bonus
- Dianne and Ron Clements
- Pam Thurlow



If anyone else has current accreditation and is able to assist, please advise the Risk Manager, Mel Macaulay 0401940862.

WE NEWS

MARC has recently affiliated with Australian National Working Equitation Ltd (ANWE), allowing us to run working equitation competitions and allowing our members to affiliate and compete across the country in other working equitation competitions. Interested riders need to pay a rider levy (\$30) through ANWE (on nominate.com.au) and link their ANWE membership to MARC (available in the drop down during the process on nominate). When out competing in Working Equitation - it is a club/team feel, and each club has a uniform - MARC's is our club shirt (can be purchased from Pam Thurlow, our Vice President), and beige or navy pants, with a blue saddle pad preferred.

For those on the fence about Working Equitation - it is a very inclusive 3 phase discipline, with a dressage test, an Ease of Handling (obstacle) round, and a speed round (except in the lowest level). It is open to horses of all breeds, and horse and riders of nearly all tack set ups (western, stock, english, you name it), and has a variety of levels to cater for all abilities. Jump on the ANWE site for a look at the rulebook, and you can come to two of our Come & Try days without joining ANWE to test the waters.

We hope to see you at our upcoming events,
Liz Pappin
MARC Rally Co-ordinator

Linda Shore WE clinic - Cordalba 17/18 August

Three club members attended varying number of lessons with Linda. Liz Pappin is aiming to have her first official working equitation competition start at the State Championships end of September. Why not jump in at the deep end? Linda has encouraged her to do this and watching Totem and Liz strut their stuff, you can see they will be very competitive. The flat work was about keeping him up off the forehand. Linda Muldoon and Stella attended for flat lessons with the focus being shorter, quicker, higher steps. Stella can produce the flashy paces, but when she's braced and stuck, it's incorrect, so Linda Shore worked with Linda to hone her skills to recognise and address the bracing. Kelly O'Connell also attended, and said that similar to Linda, Verdi needed to unblock through the ribs and lift the thoracic sling. He certainly looked fabulous last time we saw Kelly in a lesson with Linda S.



Liz Pappin and Totem using the garrochca at the Linda Shore Clinic.

Fraser Coast Star Dressage Championships



MARC Dressage Co-ordinator
Lynne Larkin with EA Steward
Sue Thurlow

Photos at the Dressage Training Competition



Andrea Raynell



Sue Dale

Photos taken at the Poles and Low Jump Day



Summer Powell



MARYBOROUGH ACTIVE RIDERS CLUB **INC**

WORKING EQUITATION TRAINING COMPETITION



Sunday 15th September 2024

Maryborough Showgrounds

Introductory – Debutante W levels

ANWE Tests & Rules

3 Phases

- Dressage
- Ease Of Handling
- Speed or 2 round EOH for Introductory level

One level per horse

Nominations via [Nominate.com.au](https://nominate.com.au)

Open Tuesday 27/8/24



Australian National Working Equitation (ANWE) **Affiliated**

ANWE Rider Levy required (via nominate) (\$30)

MARC Membership required (\$30 Limited)



MARC Poles/Gymnastic Exercises Clinic



Sunday 29th September

Eastern Arena

Maryborough Showgrounds & Equestrian Park

With Coach Deziree Roos

Classes:

- 1 Poles & Grids
- 2 Gymnastics & Jumps

Lessons for approx. 1 hour in small groups (3-4 riders). Combinations may ride 2 classes

Cost \$55 (includes facility fee)

MARC Members only - join/renew through www.nominate.com.au (limited m'ship avail)

Nominations through www.nominate.com.au

Nominations close at midnight Tuesday 24th September 2024 (or earlier if filled)

For more information contact Linda Muldoon (0408 531 337) or linda.c.muldoon@gmail.com

Please Book your stables through www.nominate.com.au

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