Maryborough Actives Rider Club Inc.

Newsletter

June 2024

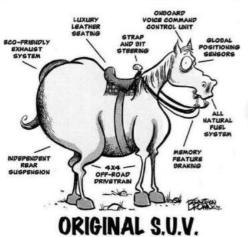
Monthly meetings usually held the 2^{nd} Tuesday of each month, at the Carrier's Arms Hotel, in the Coach House Function Room, upstairs.

NEXT MEETING - Tuesday July 9th, 6:30pm for a 7pm start

2024 Committee Members

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2024 MARC - Proposed Event Calendar

Please note this is a preliminary calendar and the club has the right to change at any time

** notes changes or additions to the calendar

Date	Event	Location
February Sunday 25 th	Dressage Training Competition	Covered Arena
March Sunday 10th	Dressage Practice Rally	Eastern Arena
March Sunday 24 th	Official Dressage Competition	Covered and Eastern Arenas
April Monday 1st	Obstacle Rally (Working Eq theme)	Covered Arena
April Sat-Sun 13-14 th	Working Equitation Clinic	Eastern Arena (TBC)
	With Linda Shore	
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	Eastern Arena
	Macaulay	
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 9 th -11 th	Star Dressage Championships	All Arenas
September Sunday 15 th	Dressage Training Competition	Eastern Arena
September Sat-Sun 21 st -22 nd	Clinic/Show/Other (TBC)	Covered Arena
October Sat-Sun 12 th -13 th	Clinic/Show/Other (TBC)	Southern Arena
October Sat-Sun 26 th -27 th	MARC Club Dressage	Covered Arena and Centre
	Championships	Ring
November Sunday 24 th	Fun Rally – Break up	Covered Arena

Letter from the Editor



Hi

I hope everyone is enjoying this beautiful weather at the moment, although a little on the cool side. We have some interesting events planned for July, a Working Equitation Clinic with Linda Shore on the weekend of the 13th and 14th, a Dressage Training Competion on Saturday the 27th July and a Poles Clinic with Dezi Roos the following day. Also, don't forget the All Breeds and Hack Show on the 30th June with a great programme to suit all competitors. Flyers are attached for these events and nominations are open in Nominate.

I am receiving contributions from members which is much appreciated. Please keep them coming in as they make great reading! We also have some items for sale this month. Items need to be emailed to me with contact details, no later than the 14th of each month to be included in the newsletter.

Happy Riding! Cathy Evans Newsletter Editor

Dressage News!

$\frac{\text{DRESSAGE REPORT } 11^{\text{TH}} \text{ JUNE}}{2024}$



(Photo of Linda and Stella, at our Official Dressage Competition kindly donated by Cherish My Pix Photography)

Our official event went ahead with rain still teasing us on the Saturday evening and rather sloshy conditions in the Eastern Arena but a good hard non slippery surface underneath. We ended up with 59 tests and a few scratching's but a beautiful day, with our wonderful volunteers, judges and stewards keeping everyone happy. Janeen and co from Xtreme Cowboy did a fantastic job of keeping us watered and fed. Many riders achieved a PB with percentages, so well done everyone. We ended up making approx. \$700 for the day.

We had 4 riders for the protocol on the Monday and I know everyone took something positive home from Marias guidance.

Our next training day is ready to enter on the Saturday 27th of July with Maria Schwennesen and Christine Allen?

The champs are beginning to come together and program should be out shortly. We have secured approximately \$3500 and also other prizes so far. Caters are secured and orders for arm bands/ ribbons being done shortly.

Our weather is fantastic for training at present so get out there and enjoy.

Happy riding the Dressage Committee.

<u>Note:</u> Please see the Sponsorship Invite Letter attached to this newsletter. Each year our club organises the very successful **Fraser Coast Dressage Championships**, and this year it will be held over the weekend of **9**th-**11th August 2024**. This is a very important event for Dressage and the Fraser Coast Community. We value and welcome any sponsorship (financial or prizes) that can be given to support this wonderful local event

It is also a requirement that there must have an accredited person with a First Aid Certificate at each event. MARC will refund 50% of the cost of training for MARC members who complete a First Aid Certificate. 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.

Rally Report - Rally Coordinator Liz Pappin

Our Working Equitation Test Practice Day on the 16th June was well supported with 14 riders attending. Monique Bonus and myself provided instruction on the day.

We have a Linda Shore Working Equitation Dressage Clinic on the 13th and 14th July, a programme is attached and entries are now open on Nominate. Linda is an excellent instructor, having competed in Grand Prix Dressage and Masters Level Working Equitation, she is able to help riders of all levels and is passionately support MARC on our Working Equitation journey

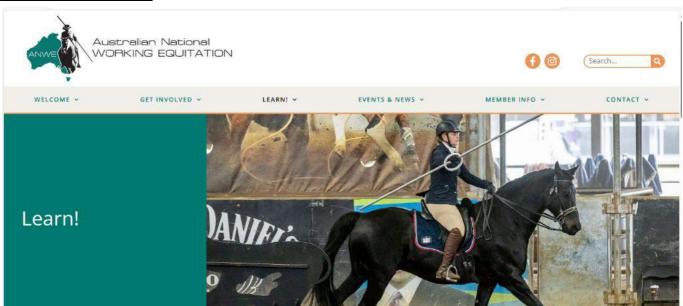
We have received the updated Memorandum of Understanding from ANWE and are in the process of affiliation and we hope to have it in place by July

Happy riding,

Liz Pappin

MARC Rally Coordinator

Working Equitation



Here is a link to the Working Equitation Website to learn more about this growing discipline and perhaps give it a go in the future. anwe.org.au

Photos taken at the Working Equitation Clinic 16th June



Elizabeth Pappin riding Bramble



Ron Clements and Elizabeth



Monique Bonus



Dianne Clements



Participants working with the equipment.

<u>Photos taken at the Competitive Dressage Competition on the 2nd June.</u>

Photos kindly donated by Cherish My Pics Photography. Thanks again to Eric for capturing such wonderful photos. Please support Cherish My Pics if you can.













BRIDLE NUMBERS

A member has sent this in. This site may be worth a look if you are not yet compliant with Bridle numbers.





Are you Dressage comp ready? If not The Equine Tailor can help you out!

I create a large range of Embroidered Bridle numbers to suit your needs.

I have Embroidered numbers for your saddle pad that come with a velcro attachment to make changing out your numbers easy.

I also create embroidered numbers to pop on your halter so your horse always has its number visible. If you compete with multiple horses I can embroider the horses name so you can easily match horses with numbers.

I can cater for stallions with embroidered numbers that comply with EA rules both for your saddle pad and your halter. If you need your saddle pad embroidered directly I can do that as well.

My range is compliant with EA rules...height, colour and border sizes for stallic \$\sqrt{}\$
To avoid wondering where your

numbers are on comp day my Bridle number holders are a great solution ...they hang in your float and fold into an wallet to fit in your car or float for next

time.



Competition numbers both embroidered patches and clear pocket holders that are for interchangeable draw numbers.

My embroidered bridle numbers are the perfect solution when you need your competition Bridle Numbers in clear view of officials and are EA compliant.

My Interchangeable range are great for holding your handwritten or printed draw numbers.

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Buy, Swap and Sell

For Sale -

Horse property all set up on 4.14 acres at 179 Indah road west Tinana

Click on the link to view.

https://www.realestate.com.au/property/179-iindah-rd-w-tinana-qld-4650/

Contact Penny <u>pennyflaherty@hotmail.com</u>>

Gear for sale -contact Cathy cg.evans@bigpond.com



Winter elastic girth 55 cm \$30



Rear lift comforter pad \$20



July 13-14th 2024

Linda has successfully competed in Grand Prix Dressage and Masters Level Working Equitation, and is an Australian National Working Equitation Coach, Judge & Queensland Judge Educator

Saturday - Dressage

8 x 1 hour lessons (2 riders) \$90/rider

<u>Sunday – Obstacles</u>

5 x 1.5 hour group lessons (4 riders) \$75/rider

All riders must be current Maryborough Active Riders Club members (limited (short) membership available). Fees include facility fees.

Nominations via nominate.com.au - Closing Monday 8th July 2024

Camping and Stables booked separately via nominate

MARYBOROUGH ACTIVE RIDERS CLUB INC



MEMBERS ONLY DRESSAGE TRAINING DAY

Saturday 27th July 2024

Maryborough Showgrounds and Equestrian Park

Eastern Arena

BYO Catering

Riders will be able to have a short discussion about their tests with our judges immediately after each ride.

CLASSES:

Prep 1 & 3 Elem 3.1 & 3.3

Prelim 1.1 & 1.3 Medium 4.1 & 4.2

Novice 2.1 & 2.3 Advanced 5.1 & 5.2

Riders may ride any 2 tests of their choice at 2 consecutive levels.

RIBBONS TO 6TH PLACE

ENTRIES CLOSE MONDAY 22nd July OR WHEN 60 ENTRIES ARE RECEIVED

Entries will be through Nominate www.nominate.com.au and there will be a limit of 40 tests. We will be using the Livescore program so there will be no paper test sheets.

Please do not complete an entry unless your horse has a bridle number. If you do not have a bridle number, please contact Roslyn Barker on email roslyn.barker@gmail.com and she will allocate one to your horse. Bridle numbers speed up the flow of tests and must be used at all of our dressage competitions.

*Horse health forms must be submitted before competing. Helmets must be yellow tagged before riding.

Entry Fee: \$20.00 per test + \$10.00 facility fee per horse.

Stables are \$15.00 with a bond payment and must be made at least 48hrs before the commencement of the event through nominate.

Enquiries or scratchings to

Lynne Larkin <u>larkin26@bigpond.com</u> or 0447249912 Roslyn Barker <u>roslyn.barker@gmail.com</u> 0422 427630



MARC Poles & Small Jumps Clinic

Sunday 28th July



Eastern Arena Maryborough Showgrounds & Equestrian Park

With Deziree Roos

Lessons for approx. 1 hour in small groups (3-4 riders)

- 1. Poles only
- 2. Jumping < 60cm
- 3. Jumping > 60cm

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 23rd July 2024 (or earlier if filled)

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

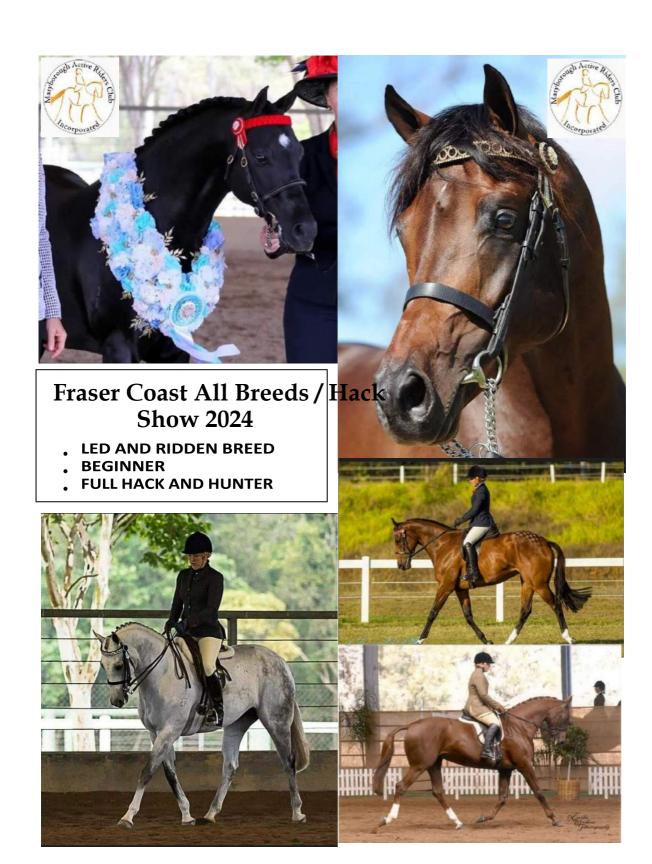
Please Book your stables through www.nominate.com.au

Please remember your Horse Health Declarations (www.maryboroughactiveriders.org.au)

Catering: BYO.



POSITIONS ARE LIKELY TO FILL FAST SO GET IN QUICK!



Hosted by Maryborough Active Riders Inc

30^h June 2024

Maryborough Showgrounds and Equestrian Park - Eastern Arena

(See the full program included as a separate attachment)

Maryborough Active Riders Club Inc

www.maryboroughactiveridersclub.org.au

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President – Roslyn Barker Secretary – Monique Bonus Dressage Coordinator - Lynne Larkin

To Whom It May Concern,

We would like to introduce you to Maryborough Active Riders Club Inc.

We are a not-for-profit Equestrian Club which caters extensively for Dressage and Show enthusiasts. Our club is run solely by volunteers, and has approximately 150 members, including riders & non-riders ranging from toddlers through to seniors in their 60's and 70's! Our events are held at the Maryborough Showgrounds and Equestrian Park.

Each year our club organises the very successful **Fraser Coast Dressage Championships**, and this year it will be held over the weekend of **9**th-**11th August 2024**. This is a very important event for Dressage, and Competitors and Judges travel from across the State (and even interstate) to participate in this major competition. Each year our entry no's have been increasing due to the success of the event.

We would very much appreciate any support (financial or prizes) that you can give towards the success of this wonderful local event. Your business's details and support would be widely acknowledged through social media, on the program and during the event, (as banners and announcing) and on our website. (We are always open to other ideas and suggestions on promoting your business)

We offer any of the following sponsorship packages for your consideration:

- 1. Naming rights on a particular event with money donation of \$250.00 +
- 2. Donation of items for either raffles/ event prizes
- 3. Money donation of any particular amount/ we require a major sponsor.
- 4. Trade stand for the entire weekend for \$100.00

We appreciate your time and look forward to your support in showcasing this important Equestrian Event for our local community, which can also be **an opportunity to promote your business**.

If you have any queries, I can be contacted on 0447249912 or email larkin26@bigpond.com for further details.

Yours faithfully

Lynne Larkin

Dressage Co-Ordinator



Direct Deposits to MARC Bank Accounts.

Please only use the MARC General Account 06 4421 00906677

When making direct payments, please make it clear **who** the payment is from & **what** the payment is for. SURNAME, EVENT and EVENT DATE

Old style Club shirts and caps. Incredibly comfortable, could easily be used for everyday use – AND THEY'RE CHEAP!



MARC Shirts









Cool, sun protective and wash up beautifully!
Available in Size 6 to Size 20
Long Sleeve =\$50
Short Sleeve = \$45