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3rd weekend of the month

MADEC NEWSLETTER

President's Report January 2011

Well it is hard to believe that a new year is just around the corner, 2010 has just flown by. I am sure you would all agree that we have had a very busy year, and the coming year is looking just as busy. The committee have planned a great calendar for you all and we hope that you will be able to participate in the coming years activities. You may notice that the committee have chosen some dates in the daylight saving months to have some twilight rides at the showgrounds for all members. This is to give all members a chance to utilize the grounds and the cross country course that is part of your membership. Remember these meets still require you to adhere to MADEC and HRCAV rules, so only MADEC members are allowed to participate on these days.

I would like to take this chance to wish everyone a very MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY and VERY SAFE NEW YEAR for 2011.

The month of December has been a little quieter than most of our previous competition months. Our Showjumping Day looked a little shaky, due to weather issues, but went ahead and was very well run.. As with running our first Official Showjumping competition there were some small areas to fix, but I was extremely proud of how everyone in an official position and members conducted themselves on the day. Most people filled their allocated time slots well, but as next year the event will be run prior to the Showjumping TTT we will need to be right on the ball with everything. Adrian Wright (the course designer and judge) was very impressed and asked were we still running our CT day event later next year. I think he had a great time and is looking forward to coming back again. Anyone interested in taking on the announcing!! My job is up for grabs.

Finally our Christmas break up was held at Box Tree farm which was a fabulous day held by the Burns family. Thank you. The day began with Dressage and all members had a wonderful day whether they were mounted or not. With Margie Twycross winning the Dressage riding Ruby. Then a lovely lunch prepared by all members who displayed their culinary skills. Following lunch was the Showjumping won by Roslyn Burns for the second time. Well done to all who competed and assisted in setting up and packing up.

Our shed is coming along and we hope to have some news in the next issue regarding it's progress.

Remember, "treat them well and they will reward you."

Catch you next month, Jane.

MADEC WEB PAGE

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DRESSAGE WINNER

Horses, food, wine, competition, views , atmosphere. What more could you want for the final hoorah for MADEC in 2010. Roslyn and Robin Burns provided members with a beautiful setting to stage our final rally for the year, at Box Tree Farm.

The day began with Dressage and the ever reliable Louise Bailey-Jones was ready for judging the eager members and their mounts. Without a doubt the standard was high within the club, a few mounts finding the atmosphere just a little bit exciting. All seemed to

settle well and produce some lovely work. Making Louise's job even more difficult. Presentations were held after some tense minutes in the scorers box. With a well deserved 1st place going to Margie Twycross and

Ruby the overall Dressage winners for the day. 2nd Robyn Reed and Dooley, 3rd Kerryn Gooding and Balena Ripple, 4th Tina Davey and Bailey, 5th Judy Dixon and Bella and 6th Tamara Watson riding Neat 'N" Nifty.





A lovely lunch, which was provided by members was enjoyed while we all got to catch up on the years activities and what we all have planned for the coming year. Ros also thanked Louise for her

assistance on the day with goodies and Champagne for Nicole Smith and Jane Parks for their performances in Chaff Chat this year.

Showjumping was the next event on the agenda and a great course set within the dressage arena was very well thought out and rode very well. Jane and Lee-ann became the judge and scorer with some interesting responses to our bell!!

After some last minute rider changes we had a field of 8 competitors, some great rounds on the arena course. The overall winner in the Showjumping was Roslyn Burns and



Cloud Nine (1st) (with a well ridden round) for the second time since the events beginnings last year. 2nd Kerryn Gooding and Balena Ripple, (finally getting that quicker time to beat her daughter Níkkí) 3rd Nícole Betallí and Kolbeach Nemesís, (a very good ride for a 5 minute test ride beforehand) 4th Nicole Grey and Sweetwater Tapdancer, 5th Nicole Grey and Frisky Time (another 5 minute test ride before the jumping round) and 6th Tina Davey riding Bailey. A fabulous day was enjoyed by

all, with trophies and ribbons sponsored by the Burns Family.

Congratulations to all the placegetters, well done.



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Jane & Ros



Ros, Kerryn, Nic and Nikki







CALENDAR 2011		
Club Dates	<u>Activities</u>	<u>Competitions</u>
6 January 15 January	Twilight XC at 6:00pm Welcome Day Dressage, SJ, XC Organiser—Lee-ann	16th—TTT Showing Albury 26th—DJ (Official) Echuca & Dist ARC at Elmore
2 February 17 February 19 February	Twilight XC at 6:00pm Committee Meeting XC Clinic with Instructor Sue Leslie Organiser—Tamara	6th—Show (Official) Ruffy ARC 20th—Barastoc Show (Official) Werribee
3 March 17 March 26 or 27 March	Twilight XC at 6:00pm Committee Meeting MADEC Official Dressage Jackpot & Combined Training	5th/6th—Dressage Weekend (Official) RREC at Elmore 13th Benalla PC HT 20th—Moyhu PC HT 27th—Shepparton PC HT at Cobram
14 April 16 or 17 April	Committee Meeting Bruce Ross Clinic Organiser—Robyn	2nd—Horse Trials (Official) Echuca & Dist ARC at Waranga Basin 3rd—CT (Official) Whittlesea ARC 3rd—Kyabram PC HT 9th/10th—Mansfield PC HT 30th—TTT CT Werribee
19 May 21 or 22 May	Committee Meeting Open Day Dressage, SJ, XC Organiser—Anette?	1st—TTT CT Werribee 29th—Mansfield PC CT
16 June 19 June	Committee Meeting Le—Trec Organiser—Bri	5th—DJ (Official) Whittlesea
14 July 16 July	Committee Meeting Lecture Day Organiser—Julie	30th/31st—TTT HT Werribee
18 August 20 or 21 August	Committee Meeting SJ Clinic Organiser—Jane	
15 September 17 September	Committee Meeting MADEC Official Showjumping Jackpot	11th—Mansfield PC SJ 18th—Wangaratta PC SJ
13 October 16 October	Committee Meeting Box Tree Farm Dressage & SJ Competition Organiser—Ros	2nd—Moyhu PC SJ

If you wish to compete in any of the events in the Competitions column, entry forms are available at:

HRCAV events—www.hrcav.com.au

Pony Club events—www.ponyclubvic.org.au

Dressage tests can also be downloaded from these sites

MADEC OFFICIAL SJ DAY

WITH THANKS TO OUR PRIZE SPONSORS & MARQUE.

































MADEC OFFICIAL SJ

MADEC Showjumping committee would like to thank all the wonderful members who went beyond what they were asked to do on December 5th with our Showjumping Day. Without you the day would not have been the success it was.

The weather was not looking great, but thanks to Parkseeds and the use of their tractor and driver Dave, we were able to prepare the arena perfectly. We had sunshine and a good wind to dry the arena ready to set up the Showjumping course in the afternoon. With all



those who assisted in the course build thank you as we had to man handle the jumps into position. Sunday morning dawned beautiful and sunny, a last minute harrow (by Robyn) and we were off and running. A huge thanks to Adrian Wright for his judging and assistance. The grounds looking fabulous and the going dry on top with a little moisture underneath, PERFECT.

Most representatives were from Mansfield, but we were very pleased to have members from Alpine, Benalla, Cobram/Barooga, and Wandin Park. The day ran very well, and we were all packed up and ready for home by 3pm. Jackpot winners took home, embroided cotton rugs thanks to our sponsors.

FINAL RESULTS:

Level 5:

AM5 1st- Tess Storey & Sweetwater Tapdancer.

2nd- Karin Kress & Will.

AM7 1st— Tess Storey & Sweetwater Tapdancer

2nd- Karin Kress & Will.

JACKPOT WINNER:TESS STOREY & SWEETWATER TAPDANCER SPONSOR: GOOD PONIES

LEVEL 4:

AM5 1st Kerryn Gooding & Balena Ripples.

2nd Leanne Hausner & Bella Rose.

3rd Anette Allan & Allanshoi Beatle.

4th Annette Thompson & Leroy.

5th Robyn Reed & Dooley.

6th Roslyn Burns & Cloud Nine.

AM7 1st Annette Thompson & Leroy.

2nd Roslyn Burns & Cloud Nine.

3rd Robyn Reed & Dooley.

4th Anette Allan & Allanshoi Beatle.

5th Leanne Hausner & Bella Rose.

JACKPOT WINNER ANNETTE THOMPSON & LEROY. SPONSOR: PARKVIEW PERFORMANCE HORSES.



LEVEL 3:

AM5 1st Virginia Armstrong & DP Daisy Duke. **AM7** 1st Peta Elstrek & Sandhills Benson.

2nd Nicole Smith & Don't Mind If I Do.

3rd Peta Elstrek & Sandhills Benson.

4th Melanie Earl & Apache Moonshine.

5th Virginia Armstrong & DP

6th Nicole Grey & Parkview Irish Lily

2nd Melanie Earl & Apache Moonshine.

3rd Nicole Grey & PV Irish Lily.

4th Nicole Smith & Don't Mind If I Do.

5th Virginia Armstrong & DP Daisy Duke.

6th Virginia Armstrong & DP

JACKPOT WINNER PETA ELSTREK & SANDHILLS BENSON.

SPONSOR MANSFIELD INSURANCE.



LEVEL 2:

AM5 1st Madeline Allan & Southgate June. **2nd** Nicole Bertalli & Frisky Time.

AM7 1st Madeline Allan & Southgate June. 2nd Nicole Bertalli & Frisky Time.

JACKPOT WINNER MADELINE ALLAN & SOUTHGATE JUNE SPONSOR MANSFIELD LEGAL.





Due to ongoing sponsorship at all our events, MADEC would like to encourage members and friends to support Mansfield Produce and Pet supplies for all their equestrian and pet needs and supplies. Francis and Liz Seaton have a huge range of feeds, supplements, grooming equipment, clothing etc for the horse enthusiast and you name it for all other pets. Currently Mansfield Produce and Pet Supplies is offering a discount to all members of MADEC on a range of products. Call in and ask for friendly advice. What they don't have they will try and get for you!!



The rally for January has been organised for members to utilise their Dressage, Showjumping and Cross Country skills. There will be Dressage arenas set up as well as a Showjumping course and the Cross Country Course will be open to those who choose to use it. It is most important that the members who are designated to set up and pack up do assist. Lee-ann Campagnolo will be liaising with members in the coming weeks with the days plan and who will be assisting. Come along and enjoy the day, if you require lunch you will need to state this on your attendance record on the MADEC website asap.

More information will be available on the website in the coming weeks.

We look forward to seeing you all there on the 15th Jan 2011.







MADEC UNIFORM

New Polo Shirt \$30, Windcheater \$10, Blk Vest \$100, Green Waist Coat \$130, Black W/P Jacket \$70,
Peak Cap \$15, Saddle Blanket \$35 Gold Tie with Cufflinks \$20, Helmet Hiders \$22

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