

## NEWSLETTER – NOV. 2009

### **40<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY – Dec. Rally:**

The 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary is an open Invitation to all past Committee and Members of BMPC. If you know any past members that we haven't been able to track down; please tell them about the anniversary and invite them along. Invitations are on the web site: [www.bacchusmarshponyclub.com.au](http://www.bacchusmarshponyclub.com.au)

The Dec. rally will have the usual Break-up activities in colour groups, but we ask that all members wear their full pony club uniform - riders can add the colour of the groups by; adding colour to the horse, perhaps putting colour ribbon/tinsel in your hair/hat (something that is quickly removed from the rider).

The Club is putting on a BBQ Lunch for our riders/parents and all our guests. We ask that each family bring 2 Sweets to help with the catering. - See De or Deb.

Could each family bring an item for the Christmas Hamper which will be raffled on the day. See De or Deb.

**HATS TO MATCH OUR NEW POLO SHIRTS AND JACKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE DEC. RALLY \$10.00 EACH.**

The Club has had another delivery of Polo Shirts and Jackets in various sizes. Polo Shirts \$40.00 Jackets \$80.00 See Toni Davey.

**WELL DONE!!!** To all the riders who represented the Club at the Prince Phillip Games a few weeks ago. A fantastic result with the Intermediate Team winning their section and the Junior team finishing 6<sup>th</sup> and the Seniors 4<sup>th</sup>.

A few weeks ago, a group of BMPC riders ventured over to Macedon, for the Macedon Cup. All riders performed and placed well in most of the events and had a great day out. Alice won the Macedon Cup and President Michael won the oldies section! **CONGRATULATIONS! TO ALL THOSE RIDERS.**

**BEDS** - BMPC finished 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Series, Well done to all the riders who participated and contributed to that result.

**CONGRATULATIONS!** to Jamie Harding who competed in Grade 3 and finished the series in 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> place - **A TERRIFIC EFFORT!**

### **JNR. COMMITTEE TRIP TO: ADVENTURE PARK:**

If you have put your name down to go to Adventure Park, you'll need to pay Rebecca Gebbie today.

### **2<sup>nd</sup> HAND CUPBOARD:**

We are looking for someone to take on and manager the Cupboard, with the 2<sup>nd</sup> Hand Clothing, Gear etc. See De Davey

### **SHOW JUMPING AND DRESSAGE ELIMINATIONS:**

**29<sup>th</sup> Nov. at Drysdale/Leopold Pony Club Grounds - Names and money must be paid to Deb Denning/Christine O'Hanlon today.**

**Riders check and make sure your cards are correctly graded, if you have any problems see the D.C. - Tracey.**

**See Toni for dates of Show Jumping practise.**

**Riders doing their "C" Certificate in the new year - see Tracey today to fill in the paperwork and pay your money (\$15.00).**

**Stephanie, Sarah, Tayla and Lochie will do their "K" written paper in Dec. before the next rally. Good luck to those riders!**

### **NINA & YONA LESSONS**

**Riders having lessons with Nina and Yona will need to pay for their lessons at the rallies. Cost of the lessons \$65.00 for the month. See Tracey.**

### **WORKING BEE - TODAY!!**

**We need to give the grounds a good clean up ready for the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.**

**Any parents able to help see De or Mike.**

**Jobs: -**

- **pick up and bring in all unused or broken equipment laying around the sand arena.**
- **Major clean up in and around pony club shed – put all rubbish in bins and leave outside tractor shed.**

**If you are able to help during the week – the grounds need to be whipper snipped and the sand arenas sprayed. See De Davey**

### **KITCHEN UPGRADE:**

**Just about complete and the Moorabool Shire Health Department happy!**

**Many Thanks to Peter Thompson for organising the Project. It looks Terrific!**

### **EASTER CAMP:**

**Sam, Deb and Michael in the process of organising the venue, at this stage it will be held in the Shearing Quarters at Yaloak Estate – a 14,000 acre property at the end of the Rowsley Valley and extending to Mt. Wallace and towards Ballan.**

**Should be a lot of fun – Trail Rides, Games, Camp fires etc. etc.**

**Keep posted:**

### **COMING EVENTS:**

**Nov. 29<sup>th</sup>: Barwon Zone Show Jumping & Dressage Eliminations at Drysdale & Leopold Pony Club Grounds.**

**Little River Show and Show Jumping Day.**

**TONI & ALLISON are off Overseas (England & France) for a short but well earned break from Pony Club and Work. Hope you both have a safe and enjoyable few weeks.**