

Riders Round Up

Official Newsletter of New Zealand Riding Clubs and Bridleways Inc

North Island Teams Event

NITE held at the Waikato Equestrian Centre on 2nd and 3rd January 2010.

Well done to HORSE and all the clubs that ran phases for hosting a great event.



HORSE – The Wusses of OZ

Editors Note

Hi. Sorry everyone, don't know where the last few months have gone!!!! Winter has started to sneak in and the daylight is disappearing.

The AGM has move south this year and is being held in Christchurch on June 26th. We are packing the thermals and heading down. Hope to see a few new faces.

Read on for NITE and SITE results. It's almost time to think about next year's teams!!

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OVERALL PLACINGS

	Team	Club	T E A M R E C M G U A D X C S J						Overall Points	Overall Placing
			Phase 1 B	Phase 1 D	Phase 1 A	Phase 2 A	Phase 3 A	Phase 4 A		
18	Tauranga Sheilas	Tauranga ARC – 3	3	1	2	2	8	6	22	1
8	Red Hot to Trot	Franklin ARC	1	2	1	1	7	12	24	2
9	The Wusses of Oz	H O R S E	8	6	8	8	4	4	38	3
17	Coastal Rockers	Coastal ARC – 2	6	3	11	4	11	5	40	4
16	Black or White	Pio Pio LHC – 2	10	9	3	3	9	8	42	5
12	Gloved Wonders	Tuakau ARC – 2	11	5	6	6	6	14	48	6
3	Oto Queen of Pops	Otorohanga RC	13	7	4	18	5	3	50	7
11	Ghost Riders	Cambridge ARC	9	10	12	17	1	1	50	8
1	Coastal Racing Girls	Coastal ARC – 1	2	8	15	13	12	2	52	9
7	Only Fools and Horses	Tauranga ARC	7	4	10	5	16	10	52	10
2	Taranaki Thrillers	NP & Districts RC	4	14	14	10	2	9	53	11
10	Pio Pio Team 2	Pio Pio LHC – 1	12	15	5	15	3	13	63	12
14	Kapiti Dags	Kapiti RC	16	13	7	9	13	16	74	13
6	Modern Knights	Opuatia RC	5	12	13	16	15	17	78	14
15	Taranaki T Birds	Taranaki ARC	15	17	17	12	10	11	82	15
4	Twisted Sisters	Tuakau ARC – 1	17	18	18	11	14	7	85	16
5	Desert Dusters	Thames Valley ARC	14	16	16	7	18	15	86	17
13	Bad Daggs on Bad Naggs	Tauranga ARC – 2	18	11	9	14	17	18	87	18

SITE Results

SITE was hosted by Canterbury Riding Club on Easter Weekend. Photos can be viewed at the following website <http://www.kristalmerry.com/gallery/v/equestrian-events/south-island-teams-event/>

Results

Turnout

- 1st Springston Pleasure RC The Good, The Bad & The Lovelies
- 2nd Selwyn Rakaia Riding Club Jacades
- 3rd Springston Pleasure RC Super Samba
- 4th Strathallen Cavewoman
- 5th Novis Nelson

Riding Club Mount

- 1st Springston Pleasure RC The Good, The Bad & The Lovelies
- 2nd = Selwyn Rakaia Riding Club Jacades
- 2nd = Springston Pleasure RC Super Samba
- 4th Novis Nelson
- 5th Strathallen Cavewoman

Games

- 1st Novis Nelson
- 2nd Springston Pleasure RC Super Samba
- 3rd Strathallen Cavewoman
- 4th Selwyn Rakaia Riding Club Jacades
- 5th Springston Pleasure RC The Good, The Bad & The Lovelies

Jumping

- 1st Springston Pleasure RC Super Samba
- 2nd Novis Nelson
- 3rd Selwyn Rakaia Riding Club Jacades
- 4th Springston Pleasure RC The Good, The Bad & The Lovelies
- 5th Strathallen Cavewoman

Quadrille

- 1st Novis Nelson
- 2nd Selwyn Rakaia Riding Club Jacades
- 3rd Springston Pleasure RC The Good, The Bad & The Lovelies
- 4th Strathallen Cavewoman
- 5th Springston Pleasure RC Super Samba

Overall

- 1st Springston Pleasure RC Super Samba
- 2nd Novis Nelson
- 3rd Selwyn Rakaia Riding Club Jacades
- 4th Springston Pleasure RC The Good, The Bad & The Lovelies
- 5th Strathallen Cavewoman

Pegasus Trophy

(write up taken from the Nelson Riding Club Newsletter)

Pegasus Event held at Easter Weekend at McLean's Island Christchurch 2010

With only months to prepare for this event Nelson Riding Club worked long and hard to run another awesome competition called Pegasus.

The jumping faze event called Pegasus makes up for half the scores while the other half comes from the Harris Competition also held on the same day, to produce the Pegasus over all winner.

Nelson Riding Club worked in well with Belfast Riding Club the host of Harris.



Pegasus and Harris, are two awesome events held for New Zealand Riding Club Teams.

Helen Trotman designed our Harris/Pegasus competition booklet

The riders enjoyed the jumping course that was designed by our very own NRC member Liz Brown.

Vicki Mathison also helped us to prepare by professionally drawing the jumping plan.

The day was sunny, hot and not a cloud to be seen with only a breath of wind towards the end of the day.

Our lovely judge Eleanor from Christchurch enjoyed the afternoon and commented on how professionally the event was run, Eleanor enjoyed the day that much decided to stay for the prize giving. Eleanor's writer was Anne Davey from NRC

We had a special shared mounted prize giving at the conclusion of the events, which worked out very nicely, with awesome ribbons and prizes for both events. Pegasus Committee gave Margaret Fletcher of Belfast Riding Club a big thank you for all the help and hours spent in helping with both these events.

NRC Team "Nelson Novus" entered into Pegasus and completed the course exceptionally well.

Well done our nelson team: Robyn Dunmore, Natalie Street, Ann Ward and Jenny MacCaaw.

Margaret Fletcher put out a mayday call to Nelson for extra horses to top up other Harris entered teams that were about to fall over due to injury, illnesses etc Clinton Day and Anne Davey came to the rescue both rode in 2 different teams for Harris.

Clinton received the champion rosette for highest % score in Preliminary

Gaining a 1st and 3rd place.



Anne's team came second, Anne competed in Training gaining a 1st and 4th place)

Jenny Davis previously a member of Nelson Riding Club, her team OKUKU PONY CLUB Team name OMGWAWD. Won Harris and Pegasus.

The Pegasus results were:

1st OKUKU PONY CLUB (OMGWAWD)

2nd Belfast Adult Riders (Belfast Frisky Fillies)

3rd Springston Pleasure Riding Club (Springston Right Flyers 0

4th Springston Riding Club (Springston samba)

To Cute....

This is a newborn offspring of Taskin, a Gypsy Stallion owned by Villa Vanners of Oregon.

These pictures were taken immediately after his birth on April 6.

The mare laid down, and then he trotted around and crawled right up into her lap.





Club Info

This is a write up taken from the H.O.R.S.E Newsletter.

Te Akau Camp Report

Held on 12th, 13th & 14th March - Written by Diane

Alison, Annette, Stan, Bronwyn, Angela, and Ross arrived at the venue on Friday afternoon to set-up

camp. I appeared a little later after finishing work. Once we were organised it was decided a few drinks and nibbles was a good plan. I only had time for half a glass of wine before leaving on the back of a four-wheel motorbike with Russell (the landowner) to check out the track, as it had been more than 12 years since my last visit. As we rode over the hills I decided horses were most certainly a safer and more comfortable way to travel, and that a bit more wine would have been good!! Some of those hills looked quite dangerous from the back of a bike. Anyway I made it back in one piece and didn't complain once.

The following day after a leisurely breakfast and some very good coffee we saddled our trusty steeds ready for an adventure. The Vobel family came to see us on our way and to take photos. By this time Lauren had also joined our little group. We all had a lovely ride over the hills to a beautiful Te Akau beach. It is amazing to be in such a remote area, but in reality you are as close as a trip across the water to Raglan.

As we returned to camp I found out what a good horse Tolly is. My reins broke as we descended a hill and I was left with a short piece dangling from his bit. He very kindly didn't take the opportunity to do anything stupid and allowed me to jump off and tie them in a knot. But unfortunately as I remounted the saddle began to slip and I was left hanging off his side, once again Tolly allowed me to dismount and fix the problem. What a good boy he was!

Once horses and riders were cleaned, fed and watered we decided to take a trip down to the Te Akau boat ramp and maybe a swim. Angela very kindly transported us all in her vehicle. The swim wasn't possible, but instead we walked through mud and over rocks in some very unsuitable footwear just for the fun of it. Then it was back to camp and time for more wine, good conversation and a barbeque.

Day two was another ride over the hills, with three of our group deciding to visit the beach again and the others continuing along different tracks and back to camp for the cleanup and home.

The weather was great, the scenery and beach were amazing and we had fantastic hosts, who also kindly gave us the use of their three bedroom cottage. What more could we ask for!! Russell and Vicky have twelve hundred acres, and we all felt privileged to have an opportunity to ride on their property, and plan to return again very soon.



Bridleway News

The first BRIDLEWAY sign for Taupo. Not in its true position yet but doesn't it look good?

