

Minutes of the Teleconference New Zealand Riding Clubs and Brideways
19 July at 7.30pm

Apologies: Noeline Jeffries, Judy Williams

Attending: Rosemary Lee-Oldfield, Christine Christian, Denise Brown, Jane Berry,
Barry Adams, Heather Cooper, Glenda Schumacher

Minutes of the previous meeting read and passed as a true and accurate record
Heather Cooper/ Glenda Schumacher

Matters Arising: Nil

Correspondence: Rangitikei Area Distance Riders
Lockwood Combie (Insurance)
Bank Statements (Westpac)
Emails from Taupo, Wanganui, Puatahanui, PioPio, Noeline J, Densie B and
Selwyn Rakaia

Rosemary L-O/Christine Christian

Financial Report; Attached in separate form
Heather noted that \$62.66 had not been itemised against website expenses. (yearly
Domain name expense) This had been tabled, in error, in expenses paid to Christine
Christian

RosemaryL-O/Heather Cooper

General Business:

NITE: Glenda has notice that FMG may provide funding to be used at this event.
Stratford A&P grounds have been booked
Sub committees have been organised: one looking after games and the other
NITE in general. A second club has also offered to help. Glenda is very
happy with the offers of help which she is receiving

Heather: Website is up and running, now needs club profiles. Also wants/needs a
map upon which club details can be attached. Aaron (Noeline Jeffries
grandson) will provide an updated map for Equidays

Rule Book: A work in progress. Teams Ride is to be removed, Games to be added
as well as Show-cross.

SITE: A club on the West Coast was all set to attend SITE when they were told that it
had been cancelled. They were very disappointed when they learnt that this
was not so. There had been massive break-down in communication between
the organizers, NZRC and South Island Clubs.
A small notice in the Top of the South face book page, put in by Rosemary got
25 replies of interest for SITE 2017. **Rosemary** to follow-up when she has
information and to maintain interest

Conference: 2017 Conference is to be held in Nelson. Denise reported back that she had begun organising this event, looking at possible venues: Quality Inn, Trailways and Grand Mercure Hotels. Grand Mercure runs a free shuttle to and from the airport. Rooms are averaging \$150.00 for 4 people. Possible entertainment could be: WOW and Car museum, Wine Tours, Scenic Tours, Sky wire, paint-balling.

Equidays: Barry presented this report. Hope to approach Saddlery Warehouse to help sponsor. Looking at getting Hi Viz vests and Safety gear. Will have a lucky spinning wheel as last year. Barry asked what the budget was for this event...no budget has been set, however NZRC will meet the cost toward printing and purchasing prizes. (approval to be sought from Rosemary and Christine before purchase) Theme this year is SAFETY. Rosemary reminded Barry to go the Fulton Hogan to see if they can supply signage for display. Fulton Hogan Nelson may also sponsor. **Rosemary** to write letter asking for sponsorship.

Bridleways: Nil from Bev

Jennifer Howard is currently writing a submission to the Canterbury Regional Council re horse access to Pegasus Beach and to the park which has established arenas.

Glenda also mentioned about roadside berms that had been graded which had made them unusable to horses and the road way unsafe for riding. The local council is to fix this issue.

Kaimanawa Horse:

No report, no news from Anne. Christine is wanting a report for the RRU.
Christine to contact Anne.

Heather: needs profiles for Nat Committee members: Jane, Judy, Glenda and Jennifer
Wanting Andrew Siddell contacted re removing old NZRC website from search engine.

Rosemary: Wants NZRC Nat Committee members to look at fund raising so that RC is no reliant on the clubs for income.

Next meeting: August (30th?)

Christine will send out reminder

There being no further business, meeting closed at 9pm