

Welcome to the second edition of *The Horses Tales*, the newsletter of Albany Creek Pony Club.

We hope you enjoy catching up on what's happening in and around our friendly, little Pony Club based in Greensill Road, Albany Creek.

Muster Dates

9th July • 13th August
17th September • 16th October
19th November

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GREAT FOR GARDENS COURAGEOUS IN COMPOST

Thank you for purchasing from our 'poo stall'. Funds raised contribute to grounds maintenance and improvements at Albany Creek Pony Club – a local not-for-profit community group.





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NEWS AND EVENTS FROM THE ALBANY CREEK PONY CLUB



Competing Members Shine!

As a relatively small club we're always delighted to see our members out 'having a go' in local events. With restrictions easing there's lots more happening again.



Congratulations to Mandy & Ducky and Jo & Reeby *(pictured above)* competing at Hendra Pony Club Showjumping recently.

Ducky is learning the ropes and coming along fabulously... and if he ever gets tired of competing he can always be a super model!

Reeby returned for his first round of Showjumping in 3 years and the old boy was much more eager than expected!

Everyone was very tired at the end of the day but Jo and Reeby ended up winning the Seniors.

Caitlin & Maya attended Burpengary Formal Gymkhana *(pictured left)* and were also very successful in their respective events.

From the smiles on their faces it's obvious that they had a great day with their awesome ponies!

Keep an eye on the ACPC Facebook page to see what competitions are coming up and get in contact with Mechelle or Antoinette if you need any info regarding uniforms, rule and regulations, etc.

We hope to see more members out and about at future events.

June Muster – Ground work and Obstacles

Thanks to Jodie Greer for a great ground work and obstacles morning... we all learned something new and had a heap of fun while doing so!

Ground work is a great way to develop better partnerships with our horses. It builds confidence, trust, relaxation for both rider and horse and supports safer riding.



We were blessed with glorious weather for our June Groundwork & Obstacles Muster



Ongoing Council support

Thank you to MBRC for the Moreton Bay Recovery Grant for the repair of the Arena and Round Yard after flood damage. These projects will be completed in the next few months.

Thanks also to the MBRC for the start to repairing the access to the back of the club grounds. We used to ride in this area a few years ago but with overgrowth and the floods, we have been unable to access.

Mechelle & Ted, Antoinette & Bear enjoying a little trail ride along the recently slashed river bank area.



With thanks!

Thanks to Mechelle's Dad for his handy work on creating our new jump fill. A lick of paint and these will look amazing!

If you or someone you know is 'handy' and has time to spare we are always looking for extra hands on deck to help with maintenance and improvements around the club.

Contact Mechelle or Antoinette to find out more :)







Sam & Tracy



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