Manning Trail Horse Riders Club Inc.

(Affiliated with the Australian Trail Horse Riders Association)



December 2020 Newsletter

Our NEW Committee for 2021

President; Bud Wise Ph 6553 0049 Treasurer; Clemmy Wise Ph 6553 0049 Secretary; Clemence Wise Ph 6553 0049 Asst. Secretary; Keith Sumpner Ph 6550 6106

Vice President; Sue Harvey Ph 6557 0664 ATHRA delegate; Lyn Booth, Clemmy Wise

Committee; Shirley Sumpner, Margaret Jacka, Lyn Booth, Carol Major, Leanne Carter.

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(visit the ATHRA website at www.athra.com.au)

Membership information for 2021 is as follows;

Adult Membership \$110 Social Membership (non rider) \$35 Seniors 80yrs+ \$70

Associate Membership (already an ATHRA member) \$10 to our club. Juniors \$45 (under 5 \$25).

DAY Membership \$20 to ATHRA— this may count towards full membership if riders joins the club within the week.

To join the club prospective members will need to have a sponsor who will arrange for them to have a Day Membership ride – money will need to be paid to ATHRA online www.athra.com.au by credit card or PAYPAL - if they then wish to join the club they can count their fee towards the \$100 annual ATHRA membership fee + \$10 club fee (calendar year membership) provided they join online within the week.

MEETINGS

Our club meetings are held at Club Taree, on Wingham Road, usually in the "Conference Room". We meet bi-monthly on the **FIRST** Wednesday of the month at 7.00pm. Some members meet early (6.00pm) to have a meal as the menu is excellent, and it is good to catch up. Due to Covid 19 meetings have been different for the last few months but hopefully in 2021 we will get back to normal. Next meeting planned to be as normal on Wednesday 3rd February.

For our Christmas celebration this year we are booking at the

Manning River Hotel

Saturday December 12th 7.00pm Hopefully you have booked with Clemmy 6553 0049



Useful information from our Secretary;-

Follow Up from General Meeting

I am sure all of you have received an email from ATHRA with your 2021 membership details, don't forget to download it as it is your proof of membership. ATHRA had suggested to all Clubs to extend good will as they have, and not charge members with the Clubs component for 2021. As our club is financial this was discussed at our General Meeting and we will forego charging the \$10.00 from our full members for this year in 2021.

RIDE REPORTS – none this time.

Shod or NOT? Several members have enquired as to whether they should have their horses shod. Many of our trails are stony so the club **recommends that horses are shod**.

RIDE DEPARTURE TIMES Riders – remember that the advertised times are the departure times – so please be courteous to your ride co-coordinator and other riders and get to the ride base early enough to prepare your horse and be ready to <u>ride out</u> at the scheduled time.

Ride Calendar 2021 Please **BOOK** with the co-coordinator for all rides

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| Date/Time | Where | Ride Co-ordinator |
| THURSDAY | Ride in Yarratt Forest from Main Road | Book with |
| January 21st | From Taree turn into Cedar Party Road – go to the end & turn RIGHT into | Clemmy |
| 9.00am | Yarratt Road then RIGHT into Main Road. After 3 or 400 metres park at | 6553 0049 |
| depart | roadside. | |