

**Monaro Equestrian Association
Minutes of Meeting**

Date: 15 April 2009
Venue: Commissioner Street Cooma
Start: 7.10pm

Present: K Kleven, B Mackintosh, and B McCosker.

Apologies: A Barry, Jane Scheer, Tanya Pointer, Sue Wallace, and Sue West

Previous minutes accepted: moved B McCosker, 2nd B Mackintosh

Correspondence In:

- Centreline Mar 2009
- Invoice JER - Venue Hire
- Cooma Monaro Shire Council - Expression of interest for use of indoor sports stadium.
- Snowy Mountains Grammar School - Hire of one arena for interschool competition 2/3 May
- Dawn Richardson - entries chicken run
- Bank Statement Mar 2009
- Bank Statement Maxi Acc
- Flyer from Shane Davidson Fairbanks Stud QLD, available for clinics Australia wide
- Australia Post mailbox receipt
- Westpac returning an entry cheque account closed
- Equest News
- Centreline April 2009

Correspondence Out:

- Email response to Snowy Mountains Grammar School stating that request for arena hire would be taken to the next meeting
- Belinda email response to Jan Smith re bridle numbers

Treasurers Report:

Current balances as of Mar 3rd
Working account \$2427.83
Maxi account \$11821.88

Treasurers Report: moved B McCosker, 2nd K Kleven

Business Arising:

1. Show jumping Design Course - Murrumbateman
 - Unfortunately no one from our Association was able to attend

2. Show jumping Rally Day

- Bridget emailed all members with possible dates however was not sufficient support

General Business:

1. Dressage Competition JER 22nd March

- A very successful competition, a lot of positive feedback
- Approximately 70 tests ridden

2. Chicken Run JPC Grounds 5th April

- Numbers were down on last year however those who did compete enjoyed fabulous weather and a good fun day.
- Discussion held about keeping to preliminary level tests - decided that nothing higher or lower would be offered.
- XC markers were obviously OK as there were no complaints from any competitors.
- Although we cannot cater for huge numbers we thought next year we could market the event a little better - correspondence to Adult Riding clubs in the area i.e. Murrumbateman, Tuggeranong and Mirrabooka.
- Will need to try to confirm date early, perhaps program out before Xmas.

3. MEA Dates for 2010

The following dates are to be sent to Jan Smith our EFA representative for approval by the EFA.

- 20/09/09 - rally day
- 18/10/09 - Dressage Comp Cooma showgrounds
- 22/11/09 - Dressage Comp Cooma showgrounds
- Jan 2010 - Showjumping in conjunction with Snowy Mountain Performance Horses, possible date 9/10 Jan??
- 31/01/10 - Dressage Comp Cooma showgrounds
- 28/02/10 - Combined Training or ODE
- 21/03/10 - Dressage Comp JER
- 11/04/10 - ODE or Combined Training
- 23/05/10 - Dressage Comp JER
- 17/10/10 - Dressage Comp Cooma showgrounds
- 21/11/10 - Dressage Comp Cooma showgrounds

Jane Scheer to talk to JPC re availability of grounds

Belinda will talk to Sue West to find out date for 2010 interschool.

3. Presentation Dinner 2009

- Possible date/s June 20th or 27th
- Snowy River Winery

- Ana to organize bookings
- Will need to get all trophies back to Bridget for engraving etc
- Pointscore ASAP

Meeting closed 9.00pm

Next Meeting 20th May 2009

Venue Royal Hotel 7.30pm

All welcome for dinner beforehand at 6.30pm