

# Eurobodalla Dressage Club

## GENERAL MEETING

Held 13<sup>th</sup> June 2017 at the Moruya Golf Club, Moruya



Meeting opened at 6.35 pm

Attendance: Fran Sander, Irene Adams, Gerri Richard, Mandy DeLaTorre, Robbie Lyttle, Jewnny Andrews, Cathy Smith, Hetty Munda

Apologies: Sue Berry, Megan Gandy, Helen Rand

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1.	<p><b>Minutes from the previous Meeting of 9<sup>th</sup> May 2017 were tabled:</b></p> <p>Moved by Jenny Andrews that these Minutes be accepted. Seconded: Irene Adams Carried: All</p>		
2.	<p><b>Treasurer's Report:</b></p> <p>Irene Adams tabled the Report for the months April and May 2017 showing a balance of \$6,762.37. Irene Adams advised that there is money still to come in from Global after our June competition. Irene also advised that she required a reimbursement of \$90.98 for the purchase of a printer cartridge.</p> <p>Moved by Gerri that the Treasurer's Report be accepted and that the amount of \$90.98 be reimbursed to Irene Adams. Seconded: Robbie Lyttle Carried: All</p>		
3.	<p><b>Correspondence In</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Centre Line magazines</li></ul> <p>∴</p>		

	<p><b>Correspondence Out:</b></p> <p>Letter sent to John Browne regarding PA system for our Championship Day in November</p>	PA for Championship Date	HM
4.	<p><b>Matters arising from Minutes:</b></p> <p>Re Perpetual Trophy in Memory of Di Georgeff –discussions were held on what the criteria should be. Some ideas were:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Active Club Member</li> <li>• Should contribute to the running of the Club</li> <li>• Should be non biased</li> <li>• Can be either rider or non rider.</li> </ul> <p>This is to be discussed with Sue Berry</p>	Perpetual trophy criteria	HM
5.	<p><b>New Business:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Members were advised that the CDI Dressage by the Sea would be held at Willinga Park on 28<sup>th</sup> September to 1<sup>st</sup> October. Further details on their website, <a href="http://willingapark.com.au/event/dressage-by-the-sea">http://willingapark.com.au/event/dressage-by-the-sea</a></li> <li>• Riders are reminded that you are not permitted in the warm up area unless you are going to compete within 30 minutes.</li> <li>• Once riders have finished their test they are to move away from the A end of the arena to allow the next rider to commence their test.</li> <li>• All spectators are to remain behind the oval fence; please do not congregate at the A end of the arenas to congratulate riders.</li> <li>• Hetty Munda suggested that the Club look at purchasing a step up as often riders need to dismount at gear check to adjust girths etc and then struggle to mount again. To be further discussed.</li> <li>• For riders of stallions, the following is the EA ruling:</li> </ul>	Step up mounting block	HM

	<p>Equestrian Australia has, in the interests of public safety and with the assistance of the National Sport Committees, developed the following Code of Conduct, which is a set of guidelines available for adoption by events and organisations.</p> <p><b>1. Stallions should wear official 'discs' at all times whilst at the venue. These discs are to be worn on both sides of head collars and bridles or on some part of the horse on both sides to identify to others that the horse is a stallion.</b></p> <p><b>2. No stallion is to be moved around a venue without displaying the stallion discs and a suitable restraint. The restraint can be either a bridle, an anti-rearing bit or a chain lead rein over the nose or under the jaw.</b></p> <p><b>3. Where possible all stallions are to be stabled. If suitable stabling is not available stallions need to wear a collar, which is securely tied to the outside of a truck or trailer. Stallions tied to the outside of a truck or trailer MUST be supervised at all times.</b></p> <p><b>4. Stallions may be substituted in prize-giving ceremonies with another horse should the rider deem it to be safer.</b></p> <p><b>5. It is recommended that riders and handlers of stallions at shows be over the age of 17 years; however, it is the responsibility of the parent/guardian to understand the full code of conduct for stallions at events. With the exception of rule 1.1.8 in the Show Horse Rules and Guidelines, stallions are not permitted in Show Horse classes at EA state or championship events. All riders/handlers under the age of 17 years must be supervised by an adult/parent/guardian whilst at the event.</b></p> <p><b>6. It is the stallion owner's/rider's responsibility to ensure that all possible safety precautions are taken.</b></p> <p><b>7. Floats/Trucks that transport stallions should display the official magnet giving notice that there is a stallion on board.</b></p> <p>These guidelines are consistent with Equestrian Australia's focus on improving safety by identifying risks and putting in place measures to mitigate those risks.</p> <p>The use of the horse and float identification discs is compulsory at all Equestrian Australia events.</p> <p>The horse and float discs are available for purchase from the National Office of Equestrian Australia. Only the approved discs will be permitted.</p>		
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	<p>Moved by Cathy Smith that New Business be accepted.          Seconded: Mandy DeLa Torre          Carried: All</p>		
	<p><b>Next Meeting:</b>          Our next <b>General Meeting</b> will be held on <b>Tuesday</b>, 11<sup>th</sup> July 2017 at the Moruya Golf Club, Moruya commencing at 6.30 pm. Meeting closed at 7.15 pm</p>		