



July 2014

### Hunter Trials- 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> August



Annika Weny on BJ Conac

(photo John Todd)

What a fantastic event!

It was great to arrive at 7.00am Saturday to hear laughing and joking from the Showjumping ring as Don, Mick, Sandra and helpers built a great Showjumping course that had lots of our wonderful and colourful fill.

The Showjumping on Saturday had a steady queue of riders from 8.30 am until 3.30 pm, finishing at 1.2m height.

Thanks Jo Williams, Lil and Tom and to Tara Wilkinson who worked in the Canteen for the weekend

The Dressage went really well with the free chat with the judge, Sheryl Hering, after each test for nominated riders. Sheryl suggested we might like to try a Dressage Protocol training day where the rider does the test, the judge then discusses it at length with the rider and then the rider does the test again. The committee will discuss this for our February Chicken Run.



Brook Goodair on Wendy Wildfire

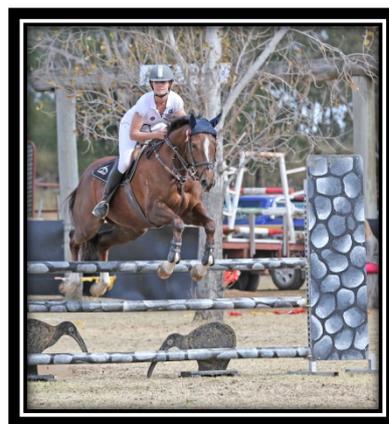
(photo John Todd)



Madeline Rose on Hugs and Kisses

(Photo John Todd)

We had over 100 entries for the Hunter trial which we scooted through for the XCountry as the lycra clad lads were starting at 10.45. We managed to get our last 1.15m rider through at 10.48! The fact that Kathy Humphrey was grumpy and had a broken collar bone and couldn't ride, probably helped! She chased all the last riders from each group around in her car, so she could collect each class's score and start the next class without too much down time.



Tamara Bondfield on Jessica Wabbit

(Photo John Todd)



Annika Werny on Balmoral Dr. Magic

(Photo John Todd)

Mick kept the Showjumping HT class length course for the eventing Showjumping and all the riders appreciated having to keep themselves and their horses on the ball for 15 or 16 efforts

We had all the trailers packed up and prize giving done by 2.30

WOW we are a fantastic team. Thanks especially to members who still helped, despite having to scratch sick horses or riders and so were unable to compete! Jenni Allen, Tessa Lever, Kym Schramm and Mary Bates. Thanks to all the co-ordinators, Ruth Burton, Sandra O'Keeffe, Jo Williams, Brooke Goodair and Mary Bates, and to Averil Hawthorne who dressage pencilled on Saturday and did the xc finish on Sunday.

A big thanks and welcome to Sally Egan who is our new eventing secretary.

Photos from the weekends Hunter Trials are now available from [www.GeoSnapShot.com](http://www.GeoSnapShot.com) for just \$8.95 each

### Annual General Meeting

All members please mark in your calendars that the 2014 Annual General meeting of the Toowoomba and District Showjumping Club will be held on Monday the 22<sup>nd</sup> of September at the Westbrook Tavern at 7pm. If you are interested in the running of your club please come along and nominate for a committee position.

### June Height Day and Fund Raiser

The day was a typical winter's day in good old Toowoomba, with a strong south westerly blowing its best! This didn't stop anyone from making the most of the day and having a great time!

The fund raiser day earned TEA \$1,000. Thanks to all the Interschool riders who came up from Brisbane and made the day busy out on the cross country. Due to lack of entries, the open dressage was cancelled. Thanks to Don and Janet Wilkinson and Gerald Parker who worked to make a great Showjumping training day with the wall and other great fill brought out. This gave the younger horses great experience of fancy fill and looky equipment. A special thanks to the pony club members who ran the canteen for the day.

[This Biosecurity Advice announces the commencement of consultation on the examination of the import risk analysis \(IRA\) process and invites interested parties to make a submission.](#)

The *Australian Government* through the Department of Agriculture is undertaking an examination of Australia's IRA process.

A public [discussion paper](#) is available on the department's website and includes information on the current IRA process. Readers are asked to consider the current process and options for improvement particularly around the following areas:

- transparency and consultation during the IRA process
- the use of external scientific and economic expertise
- consideration of regional differences in animal or plant health status during the IRA process.
- following the consultation period, outcomes of discussions, comments and written submissions will be consolidated and reviewed.

Any recommendations for administrative and regulatory changes as a result of this consultation process will be considered by the government.

The government has announced that it intends to progress the Biosecurity Bill 2014 to replace the *Quarantine Act 1908* (for more information [biosecurity legislation](#)).

The department will also consider the outcomes of this examination in the development of regulations and policies for conducting import risk analyses under the Biosecurity Bill 2014.

Consultation on the examination of the IRA process will begin on 11 July 2014 and will close on 10 September 2014.

For more information, or to make a submission, please visit [IRA examination](#) or contact the [Biosecurity Regulation and Reform Policy Branch](#) at or call the Biosecurity Regulation and Reform Policy Branch on 1800 040 629

#### An Update on Equivac HeV® Duration of Immunity

We at Zoetis want to update you of our progress in discussions with the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority (APVMA) on our application to amend the current permit for Equivac HeV® to allow annual boosters, following the administration of a single 6-month booster.

Zoetis continues to discuss our application with the APVMA. We understand the importance of 12-month duration of immunity labelling for Equivac HeV® and have expressed this urgency to the APVMA. We will continue to work with the APVMA and will keep you updated.

Please accept a sincere thank you from Zoetis for your continued support of Equivac HeV® and your efforts to reduce the risk of Hendra virus.

Kind regards

The Zoetis Equine Team

#### Equestrian Queensland Board

Amy McCabe, who runs the clubs Facebook page, website and produces the newsletters, has recently filled a casual vacancy on the Equestrian Queensland board. She welcomes any comments or concerns that EA members might have that they would like raised at a board meeting. Her e-mail address is [amymccabe0@gmail.com](mailto:amymccabe0@gmail.com)

#### Ground Use

If you wish to use the cross country you need to call or message Kerri Ryder 0428 446 681 to check that the course is available and she will advise the RAS that you are coming. You must also fill in the private gathering form (attached) and leave in the post box at the clubs shed. Remember you **cannot** ride at the showgrounds on your own; you must have someone with you.

#### Upcoming Club Events

Jump Club Day 14<sup>th</sup> September

#### Links

[2014 Eventing Calendar](#)

[2014 Ag Show Calendar](#)

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[Global Entries](#)

[Equestrian Queensland](#)

## Upcoming Queensland Events

[28 Aug - Queensland International 3 day event](#)

[29 Aug - Gold Coast Show](#)

[29 Aug - Wondai Show](#)

[31 Aug - Riverina Stockfeeds Winter](#)

[Series Carriage Driving Comp](#)

[31 Aug - Sunshine Coast Show Jump Club](#)

[Competition](#)

[5 Sep - Beaudesert Show](#)

[5 Sep - Dressage NSW State](#)

[Championships](#)

[6 Sep - ATDDEA Dressage Competition](#)

[6 Sep - KOORALBYN ODE](#)

[6 Sep - Summerland Dressage Club](#)

[Competition](#)

[6 Sep - Townsville Dressage Club](#)

[Competition](#)

[7 Sep - NAGS Dressage Competition](#)

[7 Sep - PRARG Dressage Competition](#)

[7 Sep - Samford Equestrian Group](#)

[Competition](#)

[7 Sep - WHT Jump Club](#)

[12 Sep - Beenleigh Show](#)

[12 Sep - Noosa Show](#)

[13 Sep - FNEG Dressage Competition](#)

[13 Sep - Nerang and District Dressage](#)

[Competition](#)

[13 Sep - Quilpie Show](#)

[13 Sep - Riders Sub Committee Dressage Series](#)

[13 Sep - The Glennie School Competition](#)

[14 Sep - Caboolture Dressage Group](#)

[Competition](#)

[14 Sep - CDHC Club Dressage Competition](#)

[14 Sep - Gladstone Calliope Equestrian](#)

[Group Competition](#)

[14 Sep - NEDDS Dressage Competition](#)

[14 Sep - Rockhampton Equestrian Group](#)

[Competition](#)

[14 Sep - Sunshine Coast Jump Club](#)

[Competition](#)

[14 Sep - Tweed Valley Equestrian Group](#)

[Competition](#)

[20 Sep - Comet Show](#)

[20 Sep - Kenilworth Show](#)

[20 Sep - QLD Festival of Dressage](#)

[20 Sep - Tamborine Mountain Show](#)

[20 Sep - Warwick Horse Trials CIC ODE](#)

[21 Sep - Cooloola Dressage Association](#)

[Competition](#)

[28 Sep - Riverina Stockfeeds Winter](#)

[Series Carriage Driving Comp](#)

[11 Oct - Show Horse QLD HOTY](#)



Please forward any photos, news, for sale items and upcoming events to Amy McCabe [amymccabe0@gmail.com](mailto:amymccabe0@gmail.com) to include in the monthly newsletter.



# Maxisoy+

## FACT SHEET #HORSE HEALTH 1

### INFORMATION FOR WEIGHT GAIN

Before feeding for weight gain it is important to ensure your horse has no predisposing conditions that will affect your feeding management (worm burdens, teeth issues, medical conditions, pecking order in the herd).

If there are no predisposing conditions affecting your horses ability to put on weight it is simply a matter of feeding more calories (energy) than are utilised by the horse. Calories can be obtained from fibre, starch and fat with fibre being the most important and safest weight gain requirement.

What is super fibre? Feeds such as Maxisoy+ (soybean hull) are known as super fibre feeds, they are high in digestible fibre content, low in starch and provide similar energy to oats but in a safe, slow release manner. Super fibres are relative to the chaff, hays and pastures included in your horses diet, but with a fibre content that is more readily digested by the hindgut bacteria to provide calories closer to grains.

So how much should you feed? Horses are individual in their feeding requirements and each horses feeding programme will be determined by their individual metabolism, the quality of natural pasture available, if they are in work, as well as the season (hot or cold weather).

As a generalised guide horses require between 1.5-2.5% of their body weight daily in feed to maintain condition. Once you have worked out the general guide of what your horse requires you can then manipulate the quantity and type of feeds you are feeding until you find what works for your horse.

Super fibres such as Maxisoy+ can be fed alongside premixed feeds as a highly digestible substitute for chaff (see example) or mixed with chaffs, grains, oils and supplements to create your own optimum diet.

Example daily feed regime for a 500kg horse with minimal pasture access and not in work;

#### Morning Feed

700g Maxisoy (dry weight / feed wet)  
300g Lucerne pellets  
2 kg Complete feed  
2 kg Quality grass hay

#### Night Feed

700g Maxisoy (dry weight / feed wet)  
300g Lucerne pellets  
2 kg Complete feed  
2 kg Quality lucerne hay

# Talented Showjumper



**Height - 17.1 hh      Age – 8 yr      Price - \$16,000**

## **Performance**

Qualified for the 2014 Mitavite Foxhunter Championships, currently competing in D grade classes. Training 1.20m, Bankok Bay is showing great potential for the higher grades. His charismatic personality and eye catching looks make people fall in love with him. Has been placed in 1.10m classes at Ag shows throughout the year and is now competing in 1.15m classes a. He shows great promise for the future.

Sadly for sale as owner moving overseas.

More photos and Video Available.

Based in Toowoomba, Qld.

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