



The STEA organising committee consists of dedicated team members of STEA that aim to provide our members, supporters and fellow competitors with first class competition grounds, training with experienced coaches (interstate and local) and a place by which we can build friendships in an environment that celebrates the best aspects of our equestrian sport.

**STEAS COMMITTEE**

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Dear Member,

Welcome to the 2017/2018 STEA Membership season and the first edition of the STEA Membership newsletter for this year.

The STEA newsletter aims to provide dates for upcoming working bees, training days, clinics and announcements which are exclusive to STEA members only. Further details regarding each training day/clinic will be emailed closer to the date. We have also included dates of seminars, events and talks that are Hobart based. Future competition dates and results will also be noted here as well as on the STEA facebook page.

Happy riding!

STEAS Committee

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UPCOMING TRAINING

DAYS/CLINICS

SEPTEMBER 23

TRAINING DAY

OCTOBER 4

TANJA MITTON CLINIC

OCTOBER 5 + 6

PETER GILLIS CLINIC

OCTOBER 21

TRAINING DAY

IMPORTANT STEAS

ANNOUNCEMENTS/ WORKING

BEE DATES

- PLEASE ENSURE YOUR HELMET AND BOOTS CONFORM TO THE CURRENTLY APPROVED SAFETY STANDARDS FOR THE UPCOMING SEASON. FOR ANY FURTHER QUESTIONS REGARDING APPROVED GEAR PLEASE CONTACT THE STEAS COMMITTEE.

## FUTURE COMPETITION DATES FOR THE 2017/2018 EVENTING SEASON

### Calendar

Date	Event
12 <sup>th</sup> August	NTEC training day at Quercus Park
12 <sup>th</sup> /13 <sup>th</sup> August	NTEC working bee at Quercus Park
23 <sup>rd</sup> -24 <sup>th</sup> September	Practical cross country course building clinic (Powranna)
7 <sup>th</sup> October	Working bee at Quercus Park
8 <sup>th</sup> October	NTEC Hickstead competition
15 <sup>th</sup> October	Monmouth PC ODE (grades 1-3)
19 <sup>th</sup> November	NTEC / Lilydale PC Fairlands ODE (grades 1-5)
4 <sup>th</sup> December	Tas PC ODE
10 <sup>th</sup> December	Launceston PC ODE
10 <sup>th</sup> December	Hobart and Districts PC ODE
7 <sup>th</sup> January	NTEC / West Tamar PC Quercus Park ODE
14 <sup>th</sup> January	Hobart and Districts PC ODE
21 <sup>st</sup> January	Mersey Valley PC ODE (grades 3-5)
28 <sup>th</sup> January	Lilydale PC Fairlands ODE
4 <sup>th</sup> February	Fernpark PC ODE (grades 1-5)
4 <sup>th</sup> February	Huntingfield PC ODE (grades 1-4)
10-11 <sup>th</sup> February	Inglis PC 2DE (grades 1-4)
11 <sup>th</sup> February	Deloraine PC ODE (grades 3-5)
18 <sup>th</sup> February	Monmouth PC ODE (grades 1-3)
18 <sup>th</sup> February	Circular Head PC ODE (grades 1-5)

NB: Please amend TAS PC ODE date to the 3<sup>rd</sup> of December 2017 and add Please also add HPRC ODE (1-4) on November 12th

### STEA sponsors

Earlier this year, the 2017 Tasmanian Eventing Championships was held in Hobart on the 8th and 9th of April at the Tasmanian Equestrian Centre and hosted by STEA. Generosity of sponsorship allowed our STEA committee to cater for a large field of competitors at our premiere event, therefore we would like to celebrate a sponsor per newsletter. If possible, please thank these local businesses for providing STEA with donated prizes, foods or funds by supporting them.

**Thank you Banjos Shoreline!! – Shop 7 Shoreline Shopping Centre, Howrah Phone: 6247 2022.**



## MORE IMPORTANT NEWS

### COACH INTERVIEW WITH STEA TRAINING DAY COACH: LYDIA JACKSON

Lydia's passion for eventing took her to the mainland where she successfully competed in many top-level competitions including the Melbourne World Cup and the Adelaide 3 Day International. Lydia, at one stage, was travelling and competing with 4 horses and amongst a long list of achievements can include representing Australia in the 1996 and '98 Trans Tasman Young Rider Championships; being part of the NSW Institute of Sport Squad for a number of years; being selected and training with the National B Squad for the Olympics and winning the 2006 State SJ Champs back on home soil in Tasmania.

1. What do you enjoy most about coaching STEA training days?

"I thoroughly enjoy teaching STEA training days and meeting new, enthusiastic people. But the most enjoyable part is helping horses and riders becoming confident in aspects of XC."

2. What would your favourite technique in training for cross country?

"My favourite exercises in XC schooling are teaching the bases of xc fences. XC is made up of logs, skinnys, apexes, water ditches, drops and brushes, we need to make sure horses and riders are confident and are able to jump these fences correctly. It is also important horses and riders don't train and rely on adrenaline to get them over those fences. My sessions concentrate on confidence over these fences and taking away the adrenalin."

3. What is one key diet tip in preparing your horse for an event?

"Each horse is an individual. Different feeds for different levels! Rosehip Vital, Kool glow good salt and lots of fibre vs concentrate!!!! Carrots not sugar for treats"



LYDIA JACKSON ABOVE PARTNERED WITH DUTCH TREAT (CYBERHORSE.NET).



## SEMINARS, EVENTS, TALKS

### FIT TO RIDE VERSUS RIDING FIT

Riding Fitness Seminar 9/9/2017  
Contact: Meagan Sommerville  
0409 239 872

### PARAEQUESTRAIN CLASSIFICATIONS

Para classifications for eligible riders.  
30/9/2017.  
Contact: Amy Griffiths  
[amygriffiths101@hotmail.com](mailto:amygriffiths101@hotmail.com)

### URBAN HORSE WEAR

1 YEAR CELEBRATION  
8/9/2017 – 15/9/2017  
Contact: Urban Horse Wear  
[www.urbanhorsewear.com](http://www.urbanhorsewear.com)  
287 Main Road, Glenorchy  
[urbanhorsewear@gmail.com](mailto:urbanhorsewear@gmail.com)  
Ph.: (03) 62723344

### HORSELAND SPRING VIP LAUNCH

SPRING AND SUMMER VIP LAUNCH  
7/9/2017  
Contact: Horseland Hobart  
Ph.: (03) 6273 1222  
239 Main Road,  
Moonah 7009

### HOBART HORSE WAREHOUSE

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION  
15/9/2017  
Contact: HHW  
Ph.: 62485309  
7/14 Kennedy Drive, Cambridge

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## EVENTING NEWS FROM AROUND THE GLOBE

- **BETTINA HOY (GERMANY) RIDING SEIGNEUR MEDICOTT HAS SET A EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP RECORD AFTER SCORING TWO 10S FOR HER RIDING WITH HER MARK OF 24.6 PENALTIES AT THE FEI EUROPEAN EVENTING CHAMPIONSHIPS AT STRZEGOM.**
- **SHANE ROSE (AUS) RIDING HAPPY TIMES (GRIFFITHS EVENTING TEAM) HAS WON THE ADVANCED CLASS AT THE FESTIVAL OF BRITISH EVENTING. HE HAS ALSO WON THE CCI2\* AND CCI3\* AT THE BLAIR CASTLE INTERNATIONAL HORSE TRIALS AND COUNTRY FAIR IN THE UK.**
- **RIO BRONZE MEDALIST SAM GRIFFITHS (AUS) HAS RETURNED FROM INJURY HAS ANNOUNCED THAT HE WILL BE COMPETING BROCKS IN A FOUR STAR EVENT LOCATED IN THE SOUTH OF FRANCE IN THE NEAR FUTURE.**

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## 2017/2018 GEAR REQUIREMENTS

All members are required to wear a currently approved riding helmet. Horses are to be bridled when riding and approved riding boots must be worn at all times.

As of 1 January 2017, helmets with the EN1384 standard will not be permitted.

**Protective headgear must conform with one of the current approved safety standards:**

1. AS/NZS 3838 (current Australian Standard).
2. VG1 (interim European Standard).
3. ASTM F1163 (current US Standard).

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## STEA COMPETITION RESULTS.

### Monmouth Hunter Trails August 2017

Learners: Sally Beaumont 1<sup>st</sup>

Trainers: Katie Gray 1<sup>st</sup>, Hannah Rowlands 2<sup>nd</sup>

EvA 80: Abby Watson 1<sup>st</sup>, Elli Portlock 2<sup>nd</sup>, Meegan Daun 3<sup>rd</sup>, Linda Cornelius 4<sup>th</sup>, Kate Vallance 5<sup>th</sup>

Eva 95: Sophie Rowlands 1<sup>st</sup>, Tiarna Wrigley 2<sup>nd</sup>, Sophie Rowlands 3<sup>rd</sup>, Sascha Stephens 4<sup>th</sup>, Tiarna Wrigley 5<sup>th</sup>.

Eva 105: Phoebe McIntyre 1<sup>st</sup>, Phoebe McIntyre 2<sup>nd</sup>.