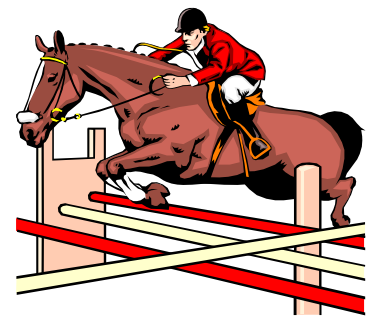


LOWER NORTH ZONE CHAMPIONSHIPS 2007



Well done everybody! What a great effort from everybody that helped, coached, cheered, provided transport, washed, plaited, groomed, cleaned gear and did running around. **THANK YOU**

OUR TEAMS



B Team on the Flat –

Zenna, Emily P, Bree, Maddy and Michelle D as their coach. What a wonderful effort from these four riders. Their commitment to the Zone finals was great with extra training and work to get ready. On Sunday morning they looked great and had the highest turnout points. They rode beautifully and placed second by 2 points. They are all to be congratulated on a well presented performance

A Team on the Flat

Lauren J, Bonnie, Jessica and Rhianna and Michelle S as the ever enduring coach. Another great effort from these girls. What a giant learning curve from the Mini Zones to the A Team on the Flat at the Zone Finals. The long extra hours that this team put in, is a credit to the girls and parents to represent our club. The girls also scored very high in the turnout and presentation but their test didn't quite come together on the day. But an experience that I am sure will prepare them for further competitions.



D Grade Show Jumping Teams –

Team 1 Jessica G, Sarah Mc, Aimee D, Ashleigh.

Team 2 Sarah-Jane, Lauren J and Lisa B.

The course was not all that high but a bit on the tricky side. With a clear first round they continued straight on to the second round with 2 extra jumps that were higher and wider, which caused a few problems. The teams placed 6th and 7th with Lisa B winning the individual D Grade event.

C Grade Show Jumping

Lisa H was the only rider at this level to compete. Unfortunately Lisa had a fall but was not injured and competed later in the day. I am sure that we will see a lot more of Lisa competing in the future and wish her well in her future events.



HOTY Junior Riders.

Ashleigh R and Aimee D, were our Junior reps. HOTY is contested over 3 events, dressage, novelties and show jumping. The dressage did not get off to such a good start but the girls improved their placing with good jumping rounds and quick novelty times. Ashleigh finished in 3rd place and Aimee finished in 5th. A fantastic effort by both girls.

HOTY Senior Rider

Lisa H was our rep in this class. She did a very nice even dressage test, but was unfortunate in the show jumping.

Games Teams

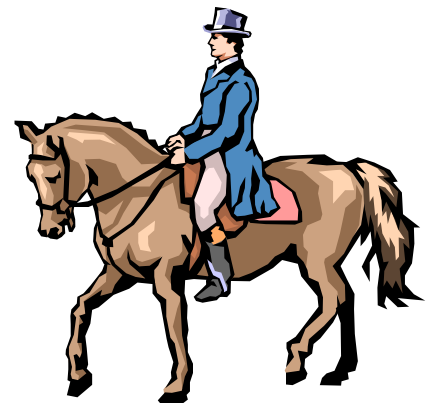
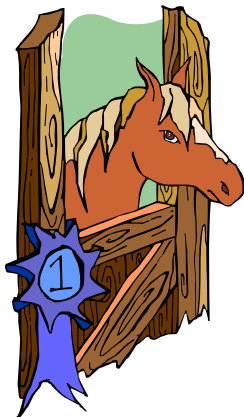
A Team- Sarah-Jane, Michelle D, Samantha J, Lisa B, Laura Kate and their coach Nigel. What a close competition this was between the clubs with only 2 point between 1st and 3rd going into the last race. Gawler River came 3rd but there was some great entertainment throughout the afternoon. Congratulations to Sarah-Jane and Lisa B for their selection in the composite mounted games team which will represent the Lower North Zone at the State Champs in Wudinna at the end of September.



B Team- Lauren J, Emily P, Jessica G, Bree, Sarah Mc. and the many people who worked with them. These girls worked well as team and placed 2nd after the five games.

SADA Cup

Sarah- Jane was our only rider in this class. As the test is elementary standard it restricts the number of riders that are able to compete at this level. Sarah scored very well and placed first in this event. She will also be competing at Wudinna in the Dressage.



It is all good experience and hopefully next year we will have more riders at these levels to represent Gawler River Pony Club at next years Zone as we are host Club.

Now we have to start for the Mini Zones so all those how would like to know more, keep tuned and we will start working on this soon

WELL DONE EVERYBODY

Kim