

What a fantastic start to the final term of the year! Whyld Equestrian Coaching is bustling with energy and excitement as we make positive changes to benefit our riders and horses. One key update is our revised schedule, which allows us to support weekend competitions and lease opportunities while keeping our ponies comfortable, especially on those hot summer days.

### **Northside Show Jumping**

- Athena & Kiabe: Showed incredible resilience, learning from their first round and stepping up to claim 3rd place in the 50cm. A great achievement!
- Lucy & Danny: A fantastic team debut in the 60cm with a flawless clear round.
- Alexa & Wizard: Alexa took on a new challenge with Wizard, effortlessly clearing 60cm and 70cm rounds to bring home 1st place in both! Congratulations to Alexa and her family on their first pony. We're thrilled to welcome Wizard to our yard!



### **Northside Dressage**

Despite strong winds, our dressage riders made us proud: Vanessa on Tolly, Rosie on Sebastian, and Charlotte on RJ all achieved personal bests in challenging conditions. Special congrats to Rosie and Sebastian for their 5th place and Charlotte and RJ for their 3rd place ribbon!







# **Northside Combined Training**

Our riders excelled at Northside's Combined Training, with Alexa, Sophie, Lilly, and Anabel delivering precise dressage tests and clear, determined show jumping rounds. Well done to all for the exceptional performances!

### **Berry Interschools**

We had a memorable weekend in Berry with lots of laughs and fantastic riding. Our team – Sophie on Tolly, Lilly on Danny, and Anabel on Sebastian – brought home ribbons in both show jumping and dressage. Special shoutout to Sophie, who earned Reserve Champion on Tolly!

### Northside Deb Mills Dressage Clinic:

We hosted a wonderful dressage clinic with Deb Mills, where riders **Chloe, Hannah, Alison, Bri, Ali, and Charlotte** refined their tests and strengthened their bonds with their horses. This was a great preparation for upcoming shows!

### ISHE Event in Tamworth:

**Alexa and Donny** took on their first solo interschool trip to Tamworth's impressive ISHE event. Alexa and Donny had some great rounds and PB's. Congratulations on a successful experience in the big arenas – we're proud of you!

# **NSW State Show jumping Championships:**

**Charlotte and RJ** headed out to Sydney International Equestrian Centre representing us at the state championships, held at Sydney International Equestrian Centre. Their dedication paid off with a 5th

place in the 90cm and 7th in the 1m classes – an outstanding achievement!





### Welcomes

- Lucy Templeman joins us as a stable hand, bringing a cheerful and relaxed vibe to the yard. We're thrilled to have her on the team!
- A warm welcome to **Georgie and her pony Kimchi**. They're joining us for the term, preparing for a new adventure at NEGS next year. It's a joy to see their partnership flourish.

### **Farewells**





- We say goodbye to Archie, who's returning to his owner in preparation for the Sydney Royal Show. Thank you, Archie, for your hard work with our students!
- It's with a heavy heart that we prepare to farewell Mira, our dedicated stable hand and horsemanship coach, who's off to university in Newcastle. Mira has been invaluable to Whyld Equestrian and her fun, educational lessons will be missed by all. Her last day is December 12th – let's make these last few weeks extra special.

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# **Saturday Lease opportunities:**

Throughout this term we are offering lease rides for any regular riding clients from 12:00-4:00pm. Lease rides are \$70+gst per booking. You can spend the afternoon enjoying your pony,

practicing what you have learnt in your lesson's, and preparing for any upcoming shows.

If you would like to book a lease ride head to the sheet <u>here</u> and sign up to the date and horse you would like to ride.



# Rider of the month September: Anabel

Congratulations on completing her first ever jump rounds at combined training and really poutting her nerves behind her, she was so determined resulting in her riding her absolute best.

# Rider of the month October: Chloe

Her hard work and dedication shows as she progresses with Jack and Danny every week, and taking Danny out for the first time to the Deb Mills clinic.





# Christmas - own your own horse special!

We are taking bookings for 'own your own pony' over the Christmas/January Period.

Bookings will be available for 1 week at a time up until the 20<sup>th</sup> December, where then the horses will all be going out for a holiday for a well earned rest.

This is a fantastic opportunity to enjoy the holidays with a beautiful pony.

Day trips and clinics can be arranged if appropriate ones are found at an extra charge. TBD

Gift vouchers available for Christmas gifts.

The weeks for each booking begin:	Cost
9th December	1 week: \$300+gst
16th December	2 weeks: \$500+gst
6th January	3 weeks: \$700+gst
13th January	4 weeks: \$900+gst
20th January	5 weeks: \$1000+gst

During the period you will have the full experience of owning your own pony for the period you book. You will care for your horse on a daily basis, help around the barn feeding and stable hand duties either by yourself, or on a roster with others if enough people join the program, as well as the fun in riding, loving and fussing over your horse.

Thank you to all our riders, families, and staff for making this term one to remember. Here's to more growth, achievements, and unforgettable moments together!





