

# TRIALS & TRIBULATIONS

*The latest news and updates from NCHTA - October 2018*



## President's report

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

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#### **10 OCTOBER NCHTA MEETING**

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#### **13/14 OCTOBER LYNTON CIC EVENT**

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#### **21/22 NOVEMBER SAM GRIFFITHS CLINIC**

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#### **DATE TBC - NCHTA CHRISTMAS PARTY**

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We did it! Well done to everyone who helped us deliver yet another successful event. The feedback from riders has been overwhelmingly positive and I am so very proud of how we all worked together. The vibe was very relaxed and everyone is looking forward to coming again, so thank you to all those who gave up their time.

We had a few hiccups in the leadup to the event, which highlighted the fact that our small committee needs some new faces - especially in the catering department. Please see the ad in the newsletter - and start thinking of who in your circle of contacts could fill this role.

The launching our merchandise range - polos and caps, as well as the metal drink bottles was very well received - thank you Corinne for your hard work pulling it all together in such a short period of time. Entries are now being accepted for the clinic with Sam Griffith on the 21/22 November. Thank you to those who replied to the email regarding the scheduling of the clinic. SJ and XC will be one each day so you only need to take one day off work. As always, our members have preferential entry and get a \$10 discount.

For those competing at Lynton, I hope you have a safe ride. I will be marshalling the XC so see you there!

Kate





Katy Doak with Mon Rieve Cottrell



#### MEDIA COVERAGE

Fiona Gruen from Wallaroo Equestrian worked tirelessly to ensure main stream media covered the event. WinTV came out and interviewed Kate, while the Canberra Times also covered her comeback to competition after injury and Girl with a Curl and Tori Doak made it into the Sydney Morning Herald.

**CONGRATULATIONS**  
to our NCHTA members  
who placed at our  
event.

#### **POSITION VACANT: HOSPITALITY COORDINATOR**

Do you know someone who wants to be involved with the club, but not sure where to start? We need someone who can manage the catering for the officials and volunteers at our two events.

Confidence in handling food and a Costco trolley beneficial.  
contact kate  
[canberraode@gmail.com](mailto:canberraode@gmail.com)





## CLUB MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS:

Don't miss out on place in the very popular clinics with visiting coaches, such as Sam Griffiths. By joining NCHTA, you get access to early bird places, as well as discounts on entry fees.

If you attend 2 clinics and 2 events, you've nearly recouped all your membership cost. Renew online, by visiting our website.



**Sam Griffiths  
eventing clinic  
21-22 Nov 18**  
\$190

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