



Big Sky Trailblazers December 2019

President: Greg Donovan Vice President: Joe Rennick/John Mason

Secretary: Mick McBride Treasurer: Merryl Rennick

Please All Contact To: Gdhbluebums@gmail.com

Last Ride: by Bernie

Merry Christmas and a happy new year to all. I believe we all had a great year what year isn't good when you get to ride and spend time with people you enjoy being with.

A fantastic weekend due to Jan and John letting us use their property for our Christmas event. Young John took the lead and gave the few hardy horse riders a great couple of rides into the forest and around the farm.

It was fantastic to see everyone that rode or decided to just get merry. Isn't that what this time year is all about catching up and yarning of a good old drink.



We held the AGM after the ride as there were only seven riders, thanks everyone for coming and a big welcome to new members on the executive committee – we very much appreciate that you took on these positions, there wouldn't be a club without you, thank you

Stay safe and have fun, Merry Christmas and a happy healthy New Year



Memberships for 2020

If Committee Members could please renew memberships in January that would be appreciated greatly

There have been quite a few existing members issued with new ATHRA numbers because they have logged into the ATHRA site and used the “New Membership” tab to renew their membership instead of the “Member Login & Renewal” tab.

When renewing you will be required to enter your ATHRA membership number which will then take you to your individual ATHRA member profile for updating the 2020 period.

For members who do not remember your ATHRA number, we have now added a new tab, under “Membership” tab, which is “Forgot Membership Number”. Once you click on that tab and follow the prompts and you will be sent your current ATHRA number.

Please think about a ride and a month you would like to organise and hold a ride.

Send a email to gdhbluebums@gmail.com to Merryl she is our new Ride Co-ordinator

News and Info

Meeting: AGM and General Bussiness

1. First Aid Kits to be checked by Lynda Hill when she has time
2. Ride calendar for next year - Please see attached ride calendar
3. Bernie to send updated Club Executive Advice Updated 2020 to ATHRA
4. Bernie to send Form-A12-T2-Annual-summary-of-financial-affairs with cheque to Department of Fair Trading within one month of AGM
5. Is been suggested that Christmas Party be at November ride when people aren't so busy or third weekend of November so that more people are able to attend. It was decided that we would try to do this on the November Ride either at a Pub or as a camp over. December ride would be just the AGM and ride
6. Greg Thomas as kindly said we can keep our gear at the Park View – please pick up and drop off

If you would like a full copy of the AGM please email and request

Notifying us if you are coming on a Ride

Please if you are coming on a ride let us know by the given date. There are things that have to be organised to ensure it is a safe ride. If you are unsure put yourself down as a “maybe” and then change when you know, that's on Facebook. Equally if you do RSVP that you're coming and change your plans please advise us so we aren't waiting for you to arrive and hold the ride up thanks. **If we do not have a Leader, Drag or First Aid rider the ride cannot go ahead under ATHRA Rules.**

2020 Memberships – by Lloyd Fletcher *from ATHRA newsletter*

ATHRA 2020 membership begins from the 1st of October 2019; which means all members joining or renewing their ATHRA membership from the 1st of October will be registered for the 2020 membership period.

Calendar of Possible Events 2020			
Date	Where	Type	Person to Organise Ride
January	NO RIDE		
2 February			NETRA
8-9 February	Yarrowitch, Walcha	Camp	Merryl
23 Feb			Bushrangers
1 March			NETRA
8 March	Crooks Mountain	Day	Mark Goddard
22 March			Bushrangers
5 April			NETRA
12 April	Mt Nombi	Camp	Greg Donovan
10-13 April	Easter		
26-28 April	Gdh Show		
26 April			Bushrangers
3 May			NETRA
10 May	Trinkey Forest Night Ride	Day	Joe Rennick
24 May			Bushrangers
7 June			NETRA
14 June		Camp	
28 June			Bushrangers
5 July	Pine Forest		NETRA
12 July		Day	
26 July			Bushrangers
2 August	Metz		NETRA
9 August	Hartwood	Camp	Chyrs Kelly
23 August			Bushrangers
6 September			NETRA
13 September	Hi Mi	Day	Joe Rennick
27 September			Bushrangers
4 October			NETRA
2-5 October	Beach Ride	Camp	Joe Rennick/Cath Anderson
11 October			
25 October			Bushrangers
1 November			NETRA
8 November	Christmas Party	Camp	
22 November			Bushrangers
6 December			NETRA
13 December	AGM	Day	Bluebums

PLEASE REMEMBER THIS IS A POSSIBLE CALENDER THINGS COULD CHANGE
DUE TO WEATHER OR OTHER CIRCUMSTANCES