

Orange Trail Horse Riders and Drivers Association Inc

At the Xmas Party we discussed a variety of rides to be organised for the coming year.

If you have any ride ideas please come forward and let me know so we can organise it. Duncan and i will organise last minute rides at Kinross Forest, these rides go for approximately 2 hours at a walk through trails and forest roads.

January – Boree Ck Campover. Post Australia Day ride 27, 28, 29th January. If camping BYO horse, yards, camping gear, food. Directions; From the Mitchell Hwy take Coronation Dr past Orange High School, it is then 13.8 km (about 10 mins) along the Grenfell-Orange Rd to a left turn at the base of a hill into the Lidster Fire Station at Boree Creek. If you are a day rider park at the fire station and ride up to the campsite 200m on the left. The road to the campsite is short but best done with 4wd.

February – Sunday 19th Mount Canobolas. Meet at the park below the Mountain Teahouse at 9am for a 2-3 our ride. This ride can be steep and rocky in places. ; From the Mitchell Hwy take Coronation Dr past Orange High School, this turns into Cargo Rd go 6.5 km then turn left into Lake Canobolas Rd for about 6 km, turn right into park area.

March –Sunday 18th Newbridge. Meet at the Newbridge Showground for two hours riding along country roads and private property. Lunch is at the Gladstone Hotel a lovely Pub just down the road from the showground. Directions from Orange go to Blayney along Orange Rd. At Blayney intersection turn right then left into Newbridge Rd. Follow this road for 14.5 km, it turns into Blayney Athol Rd. Turn right in Newbridge and the showground is on the right a few hundred metres up the road. RSVP so i can let the pub know how many they can expect for lunch. Amanda 63610835

April –Kurrajong Trails and Cottages. This stay is great, fun place, lovely accommodation (cabins sleep 6 at \$200 per night). A deposit of \$100 per cabin is required to book your spot. There are yards for the horses, BYO food. I need to know numbers ASAP for this one so i can book the accommodation.

If you have a good ride of 2 hours or more and there is room for a few floats to park let me know so we can organise a ride. We like new spots as well as the old favourites.