



*It's all about the journey, not the destination.....*

## ORANGE TRAIL RIDERS & DRIVERS ASSOCIATION Inc A MEMBER OF THE AUSTRALIAN TRAIL RIDERS ASSOCIATION (ATHRA)

Welcome to OTHRADA's first newsletter for 2014.

A big thank you to all who attended our AGM. The OTHRADA Inc committee for 2014 are as follows:

President – Donna Cramer

Vice President – Cathy Hancock

Secretary – Talena McKenna

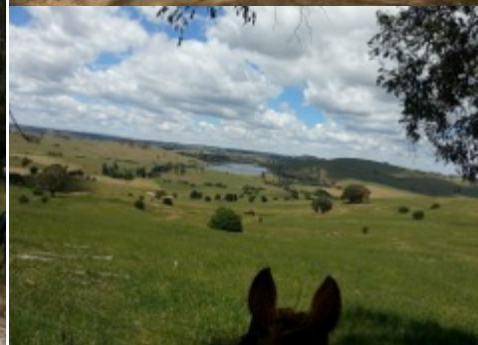
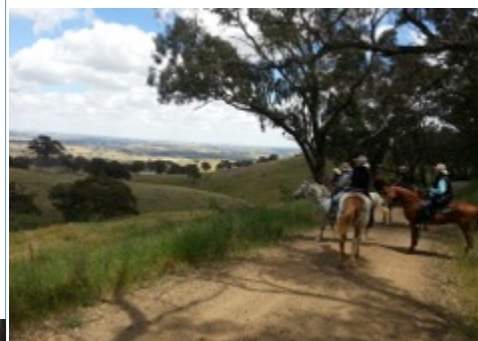
Treasurer – Veronica Ford

I wish to take this opportunity to thank Noela Eason for her valued contribution to OTHRADA over the years as secretary/treasurer. Noela has stepped down to spend time with her family.

### Recent Rides

#### Carcoar to Neville Nov 30, 2013

6 riders enjoyed the beautiful scenery of Mt Macquarie Rd en route to the village of Neville. Our riders were surprised with a visit from Santa who did a marvelous job keeping us in lollies and chocolates!



### Club Executives

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## Currango Feb 14 – Feb 21, 2014

10 members made the journey to the magnificent Kosciuszko National Park for our second visit to Currango. Yet again the scenery, wildlife and brumbies did not disappoint!



## Upcoming Rides

### Mullions Range State Forest – Mullion Creek Sunday March 16<sup>th</sup>, 2014

Day ride departing 10am.

From Orange, take Burrendong Way. Travel approximately 18km to Mullion Creek. Turn right into Archer Rd and follow the road, balloons and signs into the forest ride location.

Please advise Talena of your attendance.

### Canowindra Sunday April 6<sup>th</sup>, 2014

Day ride departing 10am from the Hancock Ranch, 3019 Cowra Rd, Canowindra.

Enjoy a leisurely ride through the lanes of Moorbel and Canowindra, followed by a Chinese lunch at the Canowindra Golf Club.

Please advise Cathy on 02 6344 1775 of your attendance.

### Easter Friday 18<sup>th</sup> April – Monday 21<sup>st</sup> April

Please note that NO CLUB RIDE is scheduled for Easter this year.

However Noel Gleeson hosts a ride for family & friends at Four Mile Creek, Orange. OTHRADA Inc members are welcome, however note that RIDING IS AT YOUR OWN RISK.

### Boomey – May 2014 Date to be advised

Join us at Donna Crameri's Boomey property for an afternoon of riding through country lanes & properties boasting spectacular views.

Our ride will be approximately 3-4 hours in length, with a scheduled lunch stop, so pack a saddle bag lunch.

Please note our route will include travelling through open paddocks stocked with sheep and cattle.

**Directions:** From Molong, take the Euchareena Rd. Travel 18kms. Property name is "Bella Rose", 1800 Euchareena Rd, BOOMEY, which is located on the right hand side of the road. Balloons will be on the mail box. Parking is located in Donna's front paddock.

Please call Donna on 0403 245859 to advise her of your attendance.

If you are interested in hosting a ride please contact Talena. We are always searching for new and exciting ride locations, your assistance would be greatly appreciated.

For information on other clubs and rides in your area, check out the new revamped ATHRA website <http://www.athra.com.au>

Looking forward to seeing you all on the trail!

Kind regards, Talena.