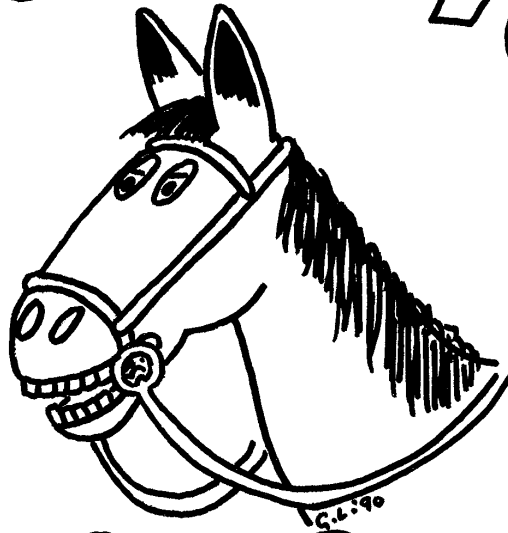


**SPRINGSTON PONY**



**CLUB.**

***November***

***2018***

## Officers and Committee Members

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### **Committee** (in addition to office bearers & delegates above)

Sharon Mehlhopt  
Lucy Watkins  
Cheryl Etheridge

### **Selectors**

Sharon Rayne  
Christine Lewis  
Kate Millar

Remember To ((((((HUG))))))  
Your Horse  
Everyday



## Rally information

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### Head coaches report

This month we have had the mini show, ably organised by Annabel with some lovely judges and a fine day to boot!

It was a great session with lots of smiles and learning along the way. A big thank you to Annabel, the judges and all those who helped set up and clear away things at the end of the day.

We are having a horse mastership rally for the next rally followed by the Pentathlon break up and prizegiving on 9 December.

I have done some pre-organising for next year's rallies and we are lucky to now have lots of names of coaches willing to join us.

I am hoping to confirm others also from within the club once the ECNZ calendar is confirmed soon.

A big thank you to Sharon who examined riders last weekend for D and D+ certificate. Great to see passes all round! We have a couple of riders still keen to sit and Kim has agreed that she would be willing to examine these soon which is fantastic. Thank you, Kim.

### Congratulations

Congratulations to the following riders who have recently passed their certificates.

D certificates Daniel, Katie H, Lauren, Jane and Courtney

D+ certificates Olivia, Ella and Katie F.

### Rally Plan

The last rally for the year will be the end of year break up on the 9<sup>th</sup> of December. There will be mounted and unmounted games before a fancy dress and a shared lunch (please bring a plate) followed by strawberries and ice cream. Of course the trophies for the year will be presented and there may possibly even be a visit by someone jolly in a red suit.

### Mini Show

The Springston Pony Club Inhouse Show was held on the 11th November 2018. We were super lucky to have a beautiful sunny day. All the children lined up at the clubhouse looking very smart ready for the mornings showing classes.

Our four judges Dyarne Robson, Natalie Gameson, Katie Meyer and Stephanie Wendelken are all experienced and successful show riders and imparted their knowledge to the riders as they judged the classes in their respective rings.

The results are following (under the results section), with a wide range of riders and ponies having success over the different classes.

I am sure all those attended enjoyed the day and learnt more about Showing.

Thanks to those parents (and riders) who helped on the day, helped set up and pack up as always we couldn't do these days without you.

And a special thanks to Sharon of Melwood Equestrian for sponsoring a rug for Supreme of the Show.

Annabel



*Congratulations to ring Champions – Raewyn, Emma, Ella, Georgia*



*Supreme Champion Ella with the lovely judges.*



*Ring 1*



*Ring 2*



Ring 3



Ring 4

## Team events

### Team Competitions 2018

The following list of events for which teams are selected. Dates may be subject to change.

#### *Games teams*

- Zone Games – Feb/March 2019 – Entries usually close mid-late January so riders need to have required rallies by end of 2018. Team selection January.

#### *Show Jumping*

- South Island Show Jumping Champs (Tairei, January 2019). Team selection end of November.

## Windsor Trophy

We were very lucky to avoid the rain and had five riders competing with Sonya competing two ponies and riding Jazz in a composite team.

Where possible our riders supported each other and watched their team mates compete.

All our Springston ponies and riders where well turned out and looked very smart in their uniforms.

Although we didn't finish in the top six the team did a great job considering most of the riders had a stop or a rail or two.

Big congratulations to Sonya who was placed 1st in the seniors and 2nd in the juniors individual.

Thanks to Sarah, Kim and Ben for your help and a huge thanks to our riders Sonya and Rigby, Caroline and Scout, Raewyn and Spice, Emily and Jinks and Stella and Wings for competing you are a great bunch of riders.

Cath



## SISJC team

Congratulations to the following team which has been selected to compete at SISJC in Mosgiel in January. Good luck, I hope that you have lots of fun.

Seniors (105): Katherine on Pavlova  
Sonya on Rigby  
Intermediates (95): Caroline on Scout  
Emily on Jenks  
Juniors (85): Gemma on Sam  
Raewyn on Spice  
Draft/Individual rider (85): Stella on Wings

## Upcoming events PC events

(These are from the Canterbury Pony Club website, I take no responsibility for their accuracy.)

<http://www.sporty.co.nz/canterburyareapc/2018-Area-Calendars-Google/Printable-Summary-Diary-2018>

Saturday 01 December Bangor Show

Sunday 09 December Rally day

## Other news

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### Social evening/AGM

On the 5<sup>th</sup> of February we will be holding a social evening at 7pm, this will include our AGM (please diary this now 😊).

### Final newsletter

For the December newsletter, I would like to celebrate the 2018 year. It would be wonderful if every rider could send me the highlight of their year with their pony. A photo with a sentence would be really good. Ideas for a highlight could be passing a certificate, learning how to jump, representing SPC for the first (or umpteenth) time, bonding with a new pony, galloping down the beach, swimming in the river, riding off the lead rein, jumping a clear SJ round etc etc, whatever was great in 2018. Please could these start coming in now (Pauline\_jarvis@hotmail.com). Thank you in advance.

## Area dressage trials

It was wonderful to have four SPC riders compete at the recent area dressage trials at McLeans Island.

Congratulations to Gemma riding Zeus and Katherine riding Shara, who are reserves in their age groups for the Canterbury Area team.



Gemma trialed for the dressage champs team at the beginning of Nov and is reserve for the Canterbury Dressage team in the Junior section on Zeus.

*Katherine and Shara*

## China

Katherine is having a lot of fun representing NZPCA in China, report next month



*NZPCA team ready to leave Auckland*



*Katherine and Esme about to meet their horses*



## Use of grounds

Springston Pony Club members are welcome to use the grounds free of charge. The combination code is sent to members, please do NOT share this. Non-members need to pay for each visit (even if they come with you!). Bookings are available with Katie Meyer, ph 027 538 7277.

Please ensure that all horse manure is picked up from the arenas and the grounds before you leave. There is a wheelbarrow and rake available, so there are no excuses.

Please also ensure all show jumping rails are picked up off the ground. Even if you didn't drop them please pick them up so we can keep them in good condition for as long as we can.

Please keep an eye out for "happenings" at the grounds, if you see something which shouldn't be happening, please let a committee member know ASAP.

Note we do not have any "casual riding members", any casual riders (non-members) need to pay \$10 per horse/pony each time they come.

## Results and photos

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Please let me know what you have been up to and any results/photos you have (pauline\_jarvis@hotmail.com). If you don't send me the results, I can't put them in! Please also send a photo of you having fun with your pony!



Gemma and Sam competed at the Canterbury A&P show for the first time, doing showjumping.

Over the three days they came 1st, 4th and 5th in the 1.0m open pony and 2nd in the 1.10m open pony.

## New Zealand Agricultural Show (Chch Show) 2018



Ella Fitzsimons and Apsley Golden Secret  
Champion Dressage Pony Overall grades.  
1st Level 1 A  
1st Level 1 B  
2nd Overall Branston Cup  
1st unity  
2nd Rider  
1st Presented (Thanks to Stella and Olivia  
for their help!)  
1st 0-2 wins Novice Saddle Hunter Pony 138  
- 148cm  
2nd )-5 wins Novice Saddle Hunter Pony  
138 - 148cm  
3rd Novice Paced and Mannered Saddle  
Hunter Pony 138 - 148cm  
2nd Open Saddle Hunter Pony 138 - 148cm  
2nd Novice Rider in pony section  
5th Paced Saddle Hunter Pony 138 - 148cm



Courtenay A&P Show 2018  
Katie Fitzsimons and Skibbereen Upbeat  
3rd Best Presented 128-138cm pony  
1st Novice 0-5 wins  
Champion Novice 128-138cm pony  
2nd Paced and Mannered 128-138cm pony  
1st Open 128-138cm pony  
3rd Paced 128-138cm pony  
4th Mannered 128-138cm pony  
2nd Rider 11 years and under.



Sonya has been out and about SJ recently including Amberley A&P where she won her 1m and 1.10m classes, Amberley PC SJ where she got 2 firsts and a second at 1m. And where she got lots of ribbons, including 4 firsts, and won pony show jumper of the show at Christchurch Show jumping 1m -1.15.

## Springston Pony Club mini show 11th November 2018

### Ring 1

**JUDGE: Dyarne Robson**

**STEWARD: Rach Ashton**

#### Class 1

##### Best presented

|     |    |                 |                         |
|-----|----|-----------------|-------------------------|
| 1st | 5  | Courtney Ashton | Dexta                   |
| 2nd | 8  | James Norton    | Gem                     |
| 3rd | 1  | Sam Harper      | Harold                  |
| 4th | 4  | Jack Harper     | Merlin                  |
| 5th | 3  | Georgia Lewis   | Hillview Sleeping Bella |
| 5th | 31 | Aurora Flyn     | Diesel                  |
| 6th | 2  | Daniel Benison  | Charisma                |

#### Class 2

##### Best Rider

|     |    |                 |                         |
|-----|----|-----------------|-------------------------|
| 1st | 2  | Daniel Benison  | Charisma                |
| 2nd | 3  | Georgia Lewis   | Hillview Sleeping Bella |
| 3rd | 5  | Courtney Ashton | Dexta                   |
| 3rd | 8  | James Norton    | Gem                     |
| 4th | 31 | Aurora Flyn     | Diesel                  |
| 5th | 4  | Jack Harper     | Merlin                  |
| 6th | 1  | Sam Harper      | Harold                  |

#### Class 3

##### Best Mannered Pony/Hack

|     |    |                 |                         |
|-----|----|-----------------|-------------------------|
| 1st | 3  | Georgia Lewis   | Hillview Sleeping Bella |
| 2nd | 31 | Aurora Flyn     | Diesel                  |
| 3rd | 5  | Courtney Ashton | Dexta                   |

|     |   |                |          |
|-----|---|----------------|----------|
| 4th | 8 | James Norton   | Gem      |
| 5th | 2 | Daniel Benison | Charisma |
| 6th | 1 | Sam Harper     | Harold   |
| 6th | 4 | Jack Harper    | Merlin   |

**Class**

**4 Best Pony Club Combination**

|     |    |                 |                         |
|-----|----|-----------------|-------------------------|
| 1st | 3  | Georgia Lewis   | Hillview Sleeping Bella |
| 2nd | 5  | Courtney Ashton | Dexta                   |
| 2nd | 31 | Aurora Flyn     | Diesel                  |
| 3rd | 2  | Daniel Benison  | Charisma                |
| 4th | 8  | James Norton    | Gem                     |
| 5th | 1  | Sam Harper      | Harold                  |
| 6th | 4  | Jack Harper     | Merlin                  |

**Class**

**5 Handy Pony /Hack**

|     |    |                 |                         |
|-----|----|-----------------|-------------------------|
| 1st | 3  | Georgia Lewis   | Hillview Sleeping Bella |
| 2nd | 5  | Courtney Ashton | Dexta                   |
| 3rd | 8  | James Norton    | Gem                     |
| 4th | 2  | Daniel Benison  | Charisma                |
| 5th | 31 | Aurora Flyn     | Diesel                  |
| 6th | 1  | Sam Harper      | Harold                  |
| HC  | 4  | Jack Harper     | Merlin                  |

|          |   |                 |                         |
|----------|---|-----------------|-------------------------|
| Champion | 3 | Georgia Lewis   | Hillview Sleeping Bella |
| Reserve  | 5 | Courtney Ashton | Dexta                   |

## Ring 2

**JUDGE: Katie Meyer**

**STEWARD: Michael  
Fitzsimons**

**Class 6 Best presented**

|     |    |                  |                   |
|-----|----|------------------|-------------------|
| 1st | 11 | Katie Fitzsimons | Skibbereen Upbeat |
| 2nd | 13 | Emma Hay         | Huckleberry Bob   |
| 3rd | 9  | Jack Daly        | Pheonix           |
| 4th | 12 | Toby Benison     | Jazz              |
| 5th | 10 | Meg Pluck        | Cappuccino        |
| 6th | 14 | Katie Heald      | Reti              |
| HC  | 15 | Lauren Etheridge | Dolly             |

**Class 7 Best Rider**

|     |    |                  |                   |
|-----|----|------------------|-------------------|
| 1st | 11 | Katie Fitzsimons | Skibbereen Upbeat |
| 2nd | 13 | Emma Hay         | Huckleberry Bob   |
| 3rd | 10 | Meg Pluck        | Cappuccino        |
| 4th | 9  | Jack Daly        | Pheonix           |
| 5th | 12 | Toby Benison     | Jazz              |
| 6th | 14 | Katie Heald      | Reti              |
| HC  | 15 | Lauren Etheridge | Dolly             |

**Class 8 Best Mannered Pony/Hack**

|     |    |                  |                   |
|-----|----|------------------|-------------------|
| 1st | 15 | Lauren Etheridge | Dolly             |
| 2nd | 14 | Katie Heald      | Reti              |
| 3rd | 10 | Meg Pluck        | Cappuccino        |
| 4th | 9  | Jack Daly        | Pheonix           |
| 5th | 11 | Katie Fitzsimons | Skibbereen Upbeat |
| 6th | 13 | Emma Hay         | Huckleberry Bob   |
| HC  | 12 | Toby Benison     | Jazz              |

**Class 9 Best Pony Club Combination**

|     |    |                  |                   |
|-----|----|------------------|-------------------|
| 1st | 10 | Meg Pluck        | Cappuccino        |
| 2nd | 14 | Katie Heald      | Reti              |
| 3rd | 15 | Lauren Etheridge | Dolly             |
| 4th | 13 | Emma Hay         | Huckleberry Bob   |
| 5th | 11 | Katie Fitzsimons | Skibbereen Upbeat |
| 6th | 12 | Toby Benison     | Jazz              |
| HC  | 9  | Jack Daly        | Pheonix           |

**Class 10 Handy Pony /Hack**

|     |    |                  |                   |
|-----|----|------------------|-------------------|
| 1st | 12 | Toby Benison     | Jazz              |
| 2nd | 13 | Emma Hay         | Huckleberry Bob   |
| 3rd | 9  | Jack Daly        | Pheonix           |
| 4th | 10 | Meg Pluck        | Cappuccino        |
| 5th | 11 | Katie Fitzsimons | Skibbereen Upbeat |
| 6th | 15 | Lauren Etheridge | Dolly             |
| HC  | 14 | Katie Heald      | Reti              |

|          |    |                  |                   |
|----------|----|------------------|-------------------|
| Champion | 13 | Emma Hay         | Huckleberry Bob   |
| Reserve  | 11 | Katie Fitzsimons | Skibbereen Upbeat |

# Ring 3

**JUDGE: Natalie Gameson****STEWARD: Sharon Melhopt****Class 11 Best presented**

|     |    |                 |                      |
|-----|----|-----------------|----------------------|
| 1st | 19 | Izzy Mehlhopt   | Star                 |
| 2nd | 16 | Jaimee Adams    | Fyffe                |
| 3rd | 21 | Tess Norton     | Alberto              |
| 4th | 20 | Ella Fitzsimons | Apsley Golden Secret |
| 5th | 23 | Renee Pluck     | Mochachino           |
| 6th | 17 | Jane Eastmond   | Shakira              |
| 6th | 22 | Stella Williams | Paladin Park Viva    |

**Class 12 Best Rider**

|     |    |                 |                      |
|-----|----|-----------------|----------------------|
| 1st | 20 | Ella Fitzsimons | Apsley Golden Secret |
| 2nd | 19 | Izzy Mehlhopt   | Star                 |
| 3rd | 16 | Jaimee Adams    | Fyffe                |
| 4th | 22 | Stella Williams | Paladin Park Viva    |
| 4th | 17 | Jane Eastmond   | Shakira              |
| 5th | 23 | Renee Pluck     | Mochachino           |
| 6th | 21 | Tess Norton     | Alberto              |

**Class 13 Best Mannered Pony/Hack**

|     |    |                 |                      |
|-----|----|-----------------|----------------------|
| 1st | 20 | Ella Fitzsimons | Apsley Golden Secret |
| 2nd | 19 | Izzy Mehlhopt   | Star                 |
| 2nd | 16 | Jaimee Adams    | Fyffe                |
| 3rd | 23 | Renee Pluck     | Mochachino           |
| 4th | 21 | Tess Norton     | Alberto              |
| 5th | 22 | Stella Williams | Paladin Park Viva    |
| 6th | 17 | Jane Eastmond   | Shakira              |

**Class 14 Best Pony Club Combination**

|     |    |                 |                      |
|-----|----|-----------------|----------------------|
| 1st | 16 | Jaimee Adams    | Fyffe                |
| 2nd | 20 | Ella Fitzsimons | Apsley Golden Secret |
| 3rd | 23 | Renee Pluck     | Mochachino           |
| 4th | 17 | Jane Eastmond   | Shakira              |
| 5th | 19 | Izzy Mehlhopt   | Star                 |
| 5th | 21 | Tess Norton     | Alberto              |
| 6th | 22 | Stella Williams | Paladin Park Viva    |

**Class 15 Handy Pony /Hack**

|     |    |                 |                      |
|-----|----|-----------------|----------------------|
| 1st | 20 | Ella Fitzsimons | Apsley Golden Secret |
| 1st | 17 | Jane Eastmond   | Shakira              |
| 2nd | 16 | Jaimee Adams    | Fyffe                |
| 3rd | 19 | Izzy Mehlhopt   | Star                 |
| 4th | 23 | Renee Pluck     | Mochachino           |
| 5th | 21 | Tess Norton     | Alberto              |
| 6th | 22 | Stella Williams | Paladin Park Viva    |

|                         |    |                 |                      |
|-------------------------|----|-----------------|----------------------|
| Champion<br>and Supreme | 20 | Ella Fitzsimons | Apsley Golden Secret |
| Reserve                 | 16 | Jaimee Adams    | Fyffe                |

## Ring 4

**JUDGE: Stephanie**

**Wendelken**

**STEWARD : Keryn Wilson**

**Class 16 Best presented**

|     |    |               |                |
|-----|----|---------------|----------------|
| 1st | 30 | Xanthe Wilson | Ashby Damascus |
| 2nd | 29 | Hayley Gillan | Hazel          |
| 3rd | 24 | Lily Pluck    | Grand Illusion |
| 4th | 27 | Emily Heald   | Scout          |
| 5th | 26 | Sonya Benison | Rigby          |
| 6th | 25 | Raewyn Adams  | Spice it Up    |
| HC  | 28 | Melissa Green | Waimarie Alice |

**Class 17 Best Rider**

|     |    |               |                |
|-----|----|---------------|----------------|
| 1st | 25 | Raewyn Adams  | Spice it Up    |
| 2nd | 30 | Xanthe Wilson | Ashby Damascus |
| 3rd | 26 | Sonya Benison | Rigby          |
| 4th | 28 | Melissa Green | Waimarie Alice |
| 5th | 24 | Lily Pluck    | Grand Illusion |
| 6th | 29 | Hayley Gillan | Hazel          |

**Class 18 Best Mannered Pony/Hack**

|     |    |               |                |
|-----|----|---------------|----------------|
| 1st | 25 | Raewyn Adams  | Spice it Up    |
| 2nd | 28 | Melissa Green | Waimarie Alice |
| 3rd | 26 | Sonya Benison | Rigby          |
| 4th | 24 | Lily Pluck    | Grand Illusion |
| 5th | 29 | Hayley Gillan | Hazel          |
| 6th | 27 | Emily Heald   | Scout          |
| 6th | 30 | Xanthe Wilson | Ashby Damascus |

**Class 19 Best Pony Club Combination**

|     |    |               |                |
|-----|----|---------------|----------------|
| 1st | 25 | Raewyn Adams  | Spice it Up    |
| 2nd | 28 | Melissa Green | Waimarie Alice |
| 3rd | 24 | Lily Pluck    | Grand Illusion |
| 4th | 30 | Xanthe Wilson | Ashby Damascus |
| 5th | 26 | Sonya Benison | Rigby          |
| 6th | 29 | Hayley Gillan | Hazel          |
| 6th | 27 | Emily Heald   | Scout          |

**Class 20 Handy Pony /Hack**

|     |    |               |                |
|-----|----|---------------|----------------|
| 1st | 24 | Lily Pluck    | Grand Illusion |
| 2nd | 25 | Raewyn Adams  | Spice it Up    |
| 3rd | 28 | Melissa Green | Waimarie Alice |
| 4th | 29 | Hayley Gillan | Hazel          |
| 5th | 26 | Sonya Benison | Rigby          |
| 6th | 27 | Emily Heald   | Scout          |
| 6th | 30 | Xanthe Wilson | Ashby Damascus |

|          |    |               |                |
|----------|----|---------------|----------------|
| Champion | 25 | Raewyn Adams  | Spice it Up    |
| Reserve  | 28 | Melissa Green | Waimarie Alice |

## Birthdays

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### HAPPY BIRTHDAY IN NOVEMBER

Sonya  
Toby  
Ebony



## **Classifieds**

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Please let me know if you have anything for sale ([pauline\\_jarvis@hotmail.com](mailto:pauline_jarvis@hotmail.com))

### **Horsefloat for Sale**

Double horsefloat. Older model, 80's, tidy. Sound wooden floor. Recent brakes overhaul. New bolts, bushes and idler arms to suspension. Good tyres. Fibre glass roof has small crack - could be repaired. New rubber matting on floor. Head divider. Tows well. \$4500 ono. Phone Bruce 027 2747292

### **Jackets for sale**

Show jumping jacket navy blue size UK28 eur 32.(Shires brand) Good condition, \$20 donation to Springston Pony Club.

Show jumping jacket black size UK30 eur 34.(Shires brand) Good condition, \$20 donation to Springston Pony Club.

Contact Tracey Peoples Ph 0276513396, happy for you to pop round and try on for size.

### **Hay for sale**

Standing Hay for sale, contractor can be arranged for small bales. Contact Sue Jarvis on 0211001009 for the details. Very cheap price negotiated for Pony Club members.