



Working Equitation Down Under Inc

Minutes Summary

Wednesday 8th January 2020

The situation with fires over the Xmas period and beyond has been a serious issue and has taken priority for most Committee members, some of whom had the fires dangerously close. Because of this, some of the work to be for WEDU was delayed. However the Committee was able to make the following decisions:

The issue with the Novice Point Score was worked through and a letter sent to Gaye James explaining that the placings were made using the information given. The information was incomplete from one of the clubs, which adversely affected Gaye's placing at the time, but subsequently she has sent the Committee a copy of her results, and on that basis the Committee has now awarded Gaye Novice Champion. Congratulations Gaye!

- The 2020 Point Scores results should be updated every month.
- Guidelines for judges wanting to upgrade are now up on the website.
- Costing for Judges' Clinics has been set at \$80 per person per day, \$50 per day per spectator; travel - 20-30cents per kilometer and Accommodation provided. The exception is H2H and Stroud, who had already booked Kim for February clinics before the fee structure had been finalised. Their fees are \$110 per person for the two days.
- The Rule Book V4 has been finished and will be put up on the website. There is a Clean version, a Marked version and a Summary of Important Changes.
- The Point Score 2019/2020 financial year should be awarded first to tenth placings for each level following established criteria.
- Attainment Medal Awards are to be introduced:
over three competitions, including both Dressage and Ease of Handling Phases
GOLD – over 70%
SILVER – 63-69%
BRONZE – 55-62%
- A new sub-committee has been created involving Education, which will focus on developing workshops and clinics that are designed to help riders and clubs improve.

