

# Gisborne Dressage Awards 2017 / 2018

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## NATIONAL PERFORMANCE AWARD ROSETTES WON BY OUR MEMBERS THIS SEASON:-

These rosettes are our Area prizes so please everyone fill in your cards for this new season.

### **Karmargen Equestrian Amateur Rider Performance Awards (CN - C4 riders)**

### **All-In-Flex Dressage Masters League (50yrs +)**

## SEASON'S TROPHIES

### **INCENTIVE AWARDS**

**TURANGANUI PONY CLUB TROPHIES FOR PONIES:** Awards are given in four grades. Each combination can only win once in each grade (except grade 1), these are judged over the season by scores not placing's. The object of these awards is to raise the standard of Pony Dressage and provide encouragement from training upwards. These awards have been running since the 1990/1991 season

GRADE ONE	Tairawhiti Lad	Anya Petersen
GRADE TWO	Pine Hollow MKJ Swiper	Amelia Paull
GRADE THREE	Will 'o' the Wisp	Olivia Briant
GRADE FOUR	Bold As Brass	Harriet Savage

**HORSES:** Are awarded in each dressage grade, using placing's throughout the season; they have been going since the 1987/88 season. A combination is not to win a level twice (except in Advanced).

LEVEL 1	My Pure Magic	Kristina Hulme-Moir
LEVEL 2	Tuahu Vance	Amanda Macpherson
LEVEL 3	Regal Longshot	Amber Lewis
LEVEL 4	Diplomat MVNZ	Henrike Puketapu
LEVEL 5	Ngahiwi Indoctress	Nicky Hansen
LEVEL 6+	Tuahu Fenya	Amanda Macpherson

YOUNG RIDER SHIELD: Silver Coin Isabella Collier

KABO CELEBRATION TROPHY: For Training Grade to encourage moving forwards and upwards and participation.

1<sup>st</sup> Vicky Mottart Splash of Class

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## OTHER AWARDS

**DES MALCOLM TROPHY:** Presented by Des Malcolm to encourage **CHILDREN'S TURNOUT** and pride in themselves and their ponies.

1<sup>st</sup> Kimberly McMillan Tahi Aroha 21pts

**GRANT BYRNES TROPHY:** - A memorial trophy for **ADULT TURNOUT and ELEGANCE**. This Trophy was inspired by Grant's immaculate turnout whenever he was competing with his horses.

1<sup>st</sup> Anna Harris Mr Crème Brulee 18pts

**GISBORNE DRESSAGE AMATEUR RIDER:** - To encourage Adults who are re-entering the fray and those who are starting out, and those who haven't ridden at advanced level.

1<sup>st</sup> Amber Lewis Regal Longshot

**ALL HART TROPHY:** - **Donated** by Kris Hulme-Moir in memory of her lovely Park Hack/Dressage horse. For graded ponies gaining points from 1st - 5th over the year. This trophy can only be won once by a combination of rider/pony.

1<sup>st</sup> Pine Hollow MJK Swiper Amelia Paull 44pts

**ELGIN BUTCHERY FREESTYLE CHALLENGE Trophies:** - These were donated by Lois and Ivan Harding to encourage participation in Musical Freestyles competed for level 2.

### Horses

1<sup>st</sup> My Pure Magic Kristina Hulme-Moir 18pts

### Ponies

1<sup>st</sup> Tairawhiti Lad Anya Petersen 10pts

**HYLAND TEAMS CHALLENGE:** - Shirley's brainchild to encourage the lower graded horses. This challenge is open to all graded horses at the start of the competition. The teams of two must start the competition in different grades (levels), they may upgrade during the season. This Challenge runs over:- A&P Show; Gisborne Championships; Wairoa RC; Wairoa A&P and Gisborne Summer Tournament.

1<sup>st</sup> Nicky Hansen Ngahiwi Indoctress  
& Amanda Macpherson Tuahu Vance 75pts

2<sup>nd</sup>

**HYLAND TEAMS FREESTYLE CHALLENGE:** - Teams of two any different grade.

Over the whole season, 4 tests per horse or if this hasn't been met then at least 8 tests per team, and then the highest number of tests.

1<sup>st</sup> Rushmoor Duvanti (L3) Katie Bothamley  
& Ngahiwi Indoctress (L5) Nicky Hansen (9 Tests) 63.13%

2<sup>nd</sup>

**VOLUNTEERS AWARD** - Self-explanatory, what would we do without all our volunteers. Unfortunately, we can't give you all awards. Volunteer for this last year: - Philli Chrisp

**PRESIDENTS AWARD – Presented by Chris and Sue Harris:** - Kyla Newton

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## NOW WE MOVE ONTO THE CHALLENGES FOR THE SEASON:

### GISBORNE DRESSAGE PRIX CAPRILLI CHALLENGE

#### Horses

1 <sup>st</sup>	Bits of This n That	Diana Rogers	8pts
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#### Ponies

1 <sup>st</sup>	Where's Wally	Isobel Jayne Bevitt	8pts
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Sunland Baroque	Lily Beaufoy	7pts

### TAIMOTI RIDER CHALLENGE: - Riders who have had a limited number of graded wins.CN-C3 Riders

1 <sup>st</sup>	Amber Lewis	Regal Longshot	55pts
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Ashleigh Sheldrake	Sobranie FE	16pts

### ONE ORANGE 2 (Robbie Greenslade) TRAINING HORSE CHALLENGE: - Restricted to CN – C2 riders.

1 <sup>st</sup>	Splash of Class	Vicky Mottart	52pts
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Sitara	Jo McGoverne	45pts

### GISBORNE DRESSAGE LEVEL 1 SPECIAL CHALLENGE: -

For level 1 horses - with no more than three graded wins and riders from Category CN (never earned grading points) - C3 (Riders who have never earned points above Level 3). A minimum of 10 tests to be ridden.

1 <sup>st</sup> =	Bits of This n That	Diana Rogers	
	& Ulysses	Kelly Couper	9pts

### LITTLE PADDOCK EMERGING HORSE CHALLENGE: -

Set up to encourage young horses. They must be in their first full season of competition. Judged on average percentage over the season and a minimum of 10 tests must have been ridden.

1 <sup>st</sup>	HSP Soe	Henrike Puketapu	69.97%
2 <sup>nd</sup>	My Pure Magic	Kristina Hulme-Moir	65.22%

### M L INTERMEDIATE HORSE CHALLENGE: -

This is for Level 1 & 2 horses in their 2<sup>nd</sup> season and above of competition.

Something for those who have progressed past the emerging horse. A minimum of 10 tests must have been ridden in levels 1 & 2.

1 <sup>st</sup>	Tuahu Vance	Amanda Macpherson	68.54%
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Silver Coin	Isabella Collier	65.66%

### SHIPDALE LEVEL 2 CHALLENGE: -

Level 2 (30+ L2 points) 10 best percentages to count. CN-C5 riders.

1 <sup>st</sup>	Silver Coin	Isabella Collier	65.21%
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2 <sup>nd</sup>	Rays Girl	Charlotte Whittle	63.29%
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## WATTS MOTORS LEVEL 3 CHALLENGE: -

This challenge is percentage and tests ridden based, so that it encompasses the whole season. A minimum of 10 tests is preferred.

1 <sup>st</sup>	Rushmoor Duvanti	Katie Bothamley	63.46%
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Regal Longshot	Amber Lewis	62.49%

**GISBORNE DRESSAGE LEVEL 4 CHALLENGE:** - For those horses competing at Level 4, the award is percentage and tests ridden based, so that it encompasses the whole season. A minimum of 10 tests is preferred.

1 <sup>st</sup>	Diplomat MVNZ	Henrike Puketapu	(7 Tests) 61.32%
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Wifi	Vinessa Taylor	(6 Tests) 59.21%

**GISBORNE DRESSAGE LEVEL 5 CHALLENGE:** - For those horses competing at Level 5, the award is percentage and tests ridden based, so that it encompasses the whole season. A minimum of 10 tests is Preferred.

1 <sup>st</sup>	Ngahiwi Indoctress	Nicky Hansen	61.73%
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Alexander M	Henrike Puketapu	61.17%

**LEVEL 6 & + CHALLENGE:** - For those horses competing at Level 6 and above, the award is percentage and tests ridden based, so that it encompasses the whole season. A minimum of 10 tests is preferred.

1 <sup>st</sup>	Tuahu Fenya	Amanda Macpherson	64.92%
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**KEVIN HOLLIS GLASS YOUNG RIDER CHALLENGE:** - Set up to encourage riders under 21 riding horses and their ponies to have their own competition, when perhaps they can struggle against adults when they first enter adult competition. To be competed for over the year with percentages in their classes counting for points.

1 <sup>st</sup>	Isabella Collier	Silver Coin	66pts
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**KW PONY CHALLENGE:** - Open to all registered ponies L1 & above.

1 <sup>st</sup>	Tairawhiti Lad	Anya Petersen	68.10%
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Capriola Storm	Harriet Savage	60.03%

**KERRAH STUD – KNAUF FAMILY PONY CHALLENGE:** -

Open to unregistered ponies competing at level 1. Ponies eligible for one season only

1 <sup>st</sup>	Malibu Hot Shot	Lily Beaufoy	40pts
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Tahi Aroha	Kimberly McMillan	35pts

**B J MOSS LTD SHIPPING MYSTERY CHALLENGE:** - A mystery percentage set at the beginning of the season. The person with the closest average having completed at least 10 tests wins. This is open to all riders of all grades. Cannot be won within three years.

1 <sup>st</sup>	Splash of Class	Vicky Mottart	0.32% difference
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Regal Longshot	Amber Lewis	0.35% difference

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### GISBORNE DRESSAGE ANNUAL REPORT 2017/18

It is with pleasure that I present some of the Group's activities and achievements over the past 12 months.

We have introduced more tournament days giving our riders more opportunity to ride and achieve the number of rides needed to be eligible for the Annual Challenges. These now include a Prix Caprilli section, which has proved very popular and entertaining.

Having our Show date earlier has really increased the numbers at that event, but it is an ongoing task trying to convince the A&P that the judges travel needs to be more than \$50 to drive from Hawkes Bay or beyond. We may have to consider some other options for this show as I'm sure that we won't get judges unless they are at least covered for their costs.

Our Qualifying Champs are going from strength to strength, this year we actually had more visitors than locals riding in the registered classes. We had some challenges with Judges/writers becoming unavailable but managed to sort that even when the weather went foul on the Sunday. Again, the fantastic dinner is a draw card and riders from out of the district say they come for the dinner! – They are also impressed with all of our facilities, the yards the surfaces, even the grass is deemed to be a quality surface here.

We had a couple of date changes recently to try and accommodate some of our members, this in some cases unaccommodated some others, It is very hard to try and accommodate our riders wanting events here, wanting to attend trainers that come into the district, wanting to attend events outside the district and work around other locally run events at the grounds. It seems to become very log jammed around Feb/March with HOY nearing.

Finance- The non registered classes continue to keep our income at a positive level. Of course our sponsors at our November Tournament are the major factor in its continuation, with out them we could not deliver the program we do. We endeavor to keep our entry fees as reasonable as possible but from your start fee we are billed \$3 which goes directly to DNZ for travel for delegates and overseas riders.

I would like to thank the RDA management for their very considerate rates to us on a couple of occasions this year, this allows us to use this fantastic facility more often.

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**SPONSORS:** We are indebted to all of our local sponsors, some who have remained with us for a number of years Kevin Hollis Glass and Watts Motors in particular, more recently we have been very lucky to have attracted a number of outside supporters. The Little Paddock-Kay Landon Land and Mura Love who

have left our district, yet still support us both with sponsorship and their expertise. One Organge 2 Robbie Greenslade, Kerrah Stud Partnership Sam Knauff both of Hawkes Bay have indicated they will continue for the coming year. A very lastminute call has had Equestrian Central of Waipukurau help us out this evening.

**JUDGES:** Our judges pool is hopefully on the rise with Kathy Wallace beginning the training process, Shelley is well on her way to moving up a grade as well, and we now have Shirley Hyland back on our list after a court battle over age barriers was revoked. A huge thank you to all of our Judges both accredited and non for spending your time judging our riders. To our writers, scribes or pencilers as they are named in Australia a huge thank you as without your time the riders would not get the sheets they take away to learn from.

**COMMITTEE:** Our hard working committee spend a lot of time providing a platform for our Group to function. Di Rogers organises raffles, Marie Freeman and Gill Watts spend their time on Tournament days keeping everything on the ground and around the gazebo functioning happily, giving information to help our riders and their supporters so they are aware of any rules or procedures that need to be observed. Philli is responsible for the working bee's, this is starting to be a little more organized and it seems that a Saturday is working well.

Kyla of course not only spends a huge amount of time prior to our events putting all the paper work together but then turns up on the day to score. The rest of us all pitch in at some level to make it all work.

Thank you to Shirley who has hosted visiting judges this past year along with Liz Rau, and Kyla having people doing this really is a huge bonus for us.

Thank you to everyone who comes to help set up at the working bee's, brings food, all of this helps to make your day happen.

Sue Harris

President.

