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Hi there Members and Non-Members (yes this is definitely the last newsletter you'll get),

To everyone who has joined up with the Club for this year, thanks for your support. Judging by the roll-up at our training days so far, it looks as though the show jumping scene might be on it's way up again this year.

A few new horses on the scene; Karen Smith has a new nedly (Fred), if his size is anything to go on he should be able to jump the moon; Theresa Cunnington's young horse Denby Park Highway by the lovely Hanoverian stallion Skyhigh arrived recently (up the warmbloods); our President Chris Edgoose will be starting Fifth Avenue on his jumping career this year; Paul Grey is jockeying my old steed, Quest, I think we may have a few more polocrosse riders competing, and I'll be hitting the ring (well hopefully not) on young Thomas too.

#### 1987 SHOW JUMPING SCHOOL

This year we have been fortunate enough to secure the services of Miss Maree Hewitt for our annual school. Maree was recommended to us by Rod Brown (last year's instructor) who himself couldn't make it as he will be in the U.S.A. (lucky devil). Maree, who tells me she feels as though she's been showing for years and years, is a well known and very highly regarded show jumping instructor (she has a Level III accreditation for show jumping with the EFA). She was also one of the leading lady riders on the show jumping circuit, having represented Australia on numerous occasions overseas - 1973 in New Zealand, 1975/77/78 in Europe and England. Some of her top horses were Springtime, Maritime and Royal Richard, the latter two having both won the Melbourne Royal Grand Prix. These 3 horses only make up a small portion of the A grade horses that Maree has had under her. In the past few years she has been concentrating on instructing and training and producing young horses. I think you'll agree Maree measures up to the high standard of instructors we try and maintain for our school.

The dates for the school are 2-4 May inclusive (long weekend). We are hoping that the Palmerston Indoor Complex will be available in time for our school. If not it will be back to the showgrounds and scorching heat again. Four classes will be available and they are: Beginner, Medium I, Medium II and Advanced. If the school is held at the Indoor Complex daily instruction will consist of 1 x 2 hour lessons for each class due to the unavailability of stabling facilities at this venue. If the Showgrounds venue is used instruction will consist of 2 x 1 hour lessons, one in the morning and one in the afternoon. As there is a limit to the number of entries we can accept for the school, if you wish to attend please complete the attached nomination form and forward ASAP to:

The Secretary,  
D.S.J.C.,  
P.O. Box 36978,  
WINNELLIE N.T. 5789

The last day for nominations will be C.O.B. 17/4/87. Cost of the school will be:

\$80.00/non-member

\$60.00/member

\$40.00/additional family member (DSJC members only)

\$40.00/additional horse (DSJC members only)

The above works out to be only \$10/hour for members. Times of classes and confirmation of venue will be advised after nominations have closed.

### OTHER DATES TO REMEMBER

2.00 p.m. Saturday 28th March, 1987 - Training/Freshman's Day & Barbecue - Fred's Pass

Training: \$1/person as many rounds as you wish.

Following training there will be a competition or competitions (depending on numbers) to be run on a jackpot basis (winner takes all). Entry fees: \$1/entry.

This will be followed by a barbecue. BYOG, salad and chairs.

8th June, 1987

### **Qualifying and practise for 13th June Indoor Show Jumping Championships.**

It has been decided that, as a time-saver and to ensure a high standard of jumping on the 13th of June, that junior riders will have to qualify to compete at the Indoor Show Jumping Championships on the 13th June. Therefore, qualifying rounds and practise for all other riders will be held on 8th June. Times will be advised at a later date.

### 13th June, 1986 - Darwin Indoor Show Jumping Championships

This will be an official EFA event and the programme is as follows:

Junior D & C combined Championships (pony club rules)

Junior A & B combined Championships (pony club rules)

D & C (EFA) Championships

Open Bareback Fancy Dress Jigsaw

The club is negotiating sponsorship for this event and anticipate receiving support to enable a substantial 'purse' to be up for grabs. Catering facilities will be available and we hope you'll all join in to help make it a gala evening.

Happy jumping,

ROSEMARIE LAW  
Secretary/Treasurer  
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### **FOR SALE**

County 17" unmounted dressage saddle, black, in good condition, \$800 ono., phone Rosemarie 881377  
Falcon dark brown dressage saddle, unmounted, \$600 ono. phone Rosemarie 881377

P.S. If anyone else wishes to advertise something for sale in our newsletters please phone Rosemarie on 88 1377.