

## West Plantagenet Pony Club Celebrates 50 years

2014 marks the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of West Plantagenet Pony Club.

All Past and Present members are invited to attend our rally on Sunday the 5<sup>th</sup> October at the grounds from 10am. We will be having morning tea, lunch and a get together.

West Plantagenet Pony Club is one of 68 affiliated clubs within Western Australia. We are a member of the Great Southern Zone and are located on Martagallup Rd Tenterden, West of Kendenup.

The club was first formed in 1962 and was called The Perrillup Pony Club with instructors Mrs Val Symons and Mrs Norma Squire. With maintained strong interest, the club affiliated with PCAWA in February 1964 and became West Plantagenet Pony Club. On June 26<sup>th</sup> 1965 the club moved to Martagallup School Reserve and still uses these grounds today.

The Club is one of the oldest in the Great Southern and during the past five decades members have competed at the highest level including Dressage, Show Jumping, Eventing and Games. Most recently representing Australia with current member, Victoria Squire, competing at the Tetrathlon in Perth. The Tetrathlon is a combination of Horse riding, swimming, running and shooting.

The Pony Club members have included several generations of the same family with some current riders having Grandparents who were involved from the beginning.

Hundreds of members have enjoyed Rallies, One Day Events, Camps, Shows and Gymkhanas. Wonderful memories have been created and friends made at the Pony Club Grounds which have a charm all of their own!

If you attended the Pony Club, we would love you to join us for a celebration of all the great times experienced at this amazing little Pony Club over the last fifty years.

Please RSVP by Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September to Julieann Climie on 0428 860 979 or Ferne Faulkner on 0427 230 280

