

Boonah Show Society Newsletter

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Theme:- "Remembering The ANZAC's"

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VOLUNTEERS THANK YOU BBQ:- 14TH JUNE

Meeting Dates

Show Meeting :- Tuesday 14th April, 2015

Night Show Meeting :- Wednesday 15th April

Horse Stewards Meeting:- Monday 27th April

**Management Committee Meeting :- Tuesday
28th April**

All Meetings commence at 7.30p.m.

**Gatekeepers/Parking Stewards Meeting
Thursday 30th April at 4p.m.**

SHOW NEWS:- Only 6 weeks to the Show, and there is still heaps to do!. I always think we are on top of everything, and running to schedule, then suddenly the Show is on top of us!! Our Show meeting is Tuesday Night, 14th April, so this is the last chance to check that everything is in hand and organised for your Section. It is the responsibility of all Stewards to ensure that your area has been cleaned and prepared before the Show. If any maintenance is required that you need help with, please advise the Committee at this meeting.

You might like to use the following check list. Trophies, Ribbons, Prize Cards , Judges, Prize books. Etc. The Section Boxes are being set up and it is helpful if Chief Stewards can check these before Show Week, but please don't remove them before then, because there is always last minute things to be included in these boxes. We are looking for lots of Scarecrows around the Grounds, and especially from all the Sections so if you have not already planned for one, please do. Think of the theme "Remembering the ANZAC's"

We have some really exciting entertainment booked for the Show. The main feature for Saturday night will be Wayne Boatwright with the D Max Isuzu Stunt Team. Remember the Holden & Toyota Stunt teams which we have had previously? Wayne & his team are now presenting even more daring stunts with the Isuzu Utes!! I also hear that there may be a surprise visit by the Jet Truck which stunned the crowd a few years ago!! The Crack-up Sisters have organised a group called "The Grannies" who will be doing a similar Comedy Circus style entertainment. You will also see Noah's Farm Pig Races making their first appearance at Boonah Show and you need to look out for the special Scarecrow, which is afraid of birds!!.

NIGHT SHOW MEETING:- This meeting will be held on Wednesday 15th April, and Anthony would love to see a lot more of our younger members attend so they can plan the running of the Night Show.

ID LANYARDS:- These will be in each Section's Box, and it is the responsibility of Chief Stewards to ensure that they are worn by all Stewards and collected and returned to the Office at the end of the Show. There will be blank Steward Lanyards for those Stewards who have not had ID Photos taken. Wearing these Lanyards gives all Stewards authority and allows them to be identified as a responsible person to assist them in their Section. It is still not too late to call at the Office to have your Photo taken for these ID Lanyards. (Steward Ribbons are no longer being used) .

PRIME CATTLE YARDS:- The Prime Cattle Stewards, with the tremendous help from the Palen Creek boys, have almost completed the final stage of the Cattle Yards. This has been a tremendous achievement, done over the last 4 years, and the all steel cattle yards are a credit to them.

RODEO ARENA:- Many thanks to the members of the Rodeo Assn for all the work they have done to finish the upgrade to the Rodeo Arena. This is looking really good, and it will be tremendous to see this area back in use after 12 months. Just waiting for the new fence to be erected along Macquarie Street.

HORSE STABLES:- Hopefully, the upgrade to the Horse Stables will also be completed before the Show.

CATERING:- Lyndell Christensen has taken on the role as Convenor, and will be managing the catering for the show. We still need our volunteer base if we are to continue offering all the free meals for all our volunteers. Therefore we are asking for assistance. If you can spare a few hours, either Thursday, Friday or Saturday, it would be greatly appreciated. I will be setting up a roster, so please advise me if you are able to help at any time.

CARAVAN PARK:- The Caravan Park is totally full, and the Camping Ground has also been busy. 16 Clubs have already booked for this year, and we will soon have all the southern travellers coming through. This is tremendous for us and also for the Businesses in town. The Caravan Park now has it's own Web Page. Just google "Boonah Showgrounds Caravan Park", and read all about it!. While you are on the Webpage, check out the Boonah Show, and also "like" the Boonah Show on Facebook.

SHOW BALL:-. Remember, the Show Ball is on the 11th April.

SOCCER CLUB:- We welcome the Boonah Soccer Club, who are now using the main arena for night Soccer Matches. These matches will be held on Friday Nights, with training 1 or 2 nights a week. This is tremendous to see our new lights being put to use, and we wish the Soccer Club every success with the Over 30 Night Fixtures, and supporting grades who will also have some night fixtures.

VOLUNTEERS THANK YOU BBQ:- This will be held on Sunday 14th June , commencing at 11 a.m at the Dining Hall with a BBQ Lunch, followed by Stewards Reports for all the Sections. This is a great opportunity for all our workers to get together and relax, and get a first hand report of the Show, and for the Committee to personally thank everyone for all your support and hard work.

Wishing everyone a very happy Easter, and a safe holiday break. See you at the meeting on 14th April.

Beth Hern
Secretary