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Hello Everyone,

How nice is it to the sunshine for more than just a day or two. The horses are finally losing their winter coats and looking sleek and shiny.

MARENA STUD GOES FACEBOOK –

As you know Marena Stud is now on Facebook. Please go on and like our site, join as a friend and then you will be able to see all our up dates as they are put up.

MUM & DAD –

Leave on Saturday 22nd on the Indian Pacific to Perth to visit Peter. They will have three days on the train across the Nullabor. Just let me tell you Mum is very excited. I think she thinks she is Agatha Christie on the Orient Express going to solve a murder.

LESSONS

Are back in full swing and it is so nice to see you all back. So many of you have made such a marked improvement over the last few weeks. To see the effort and hard work you have been putting in is paying off, you should all be very proud of yourselves.

There will be no lessons on Saturday 29th October.

SCHOOLS –

There will be a Two Day School just before Christmas. As usual we will be having our Christmas Party on the last day at lunchtime.

GIFT VOCHURES are available for the schools or lessons for Christmas presents, so why not make the school part of their Christmas present.

Two Day School: - Monday & Tuesday 19th & 20th December

January dates to be advised.

PLEASE BOOK EARLY AS SCHOOL HORSES ARE LIMITED

SPORT & REC –

The next Sport & Rec will be held in **January 12th & 19th**. Please phone Sport & Rec for bookings and details. Ph. 43623184

ALLAN WALLEN CLINIC –

Date: - Saturday & Sunday, 10th & 11th December.

Already have a few bookings, bookings and deposits need to finalise by 25th November. Please phone for details and cost.

MINI CLINIC-

We are holding another Mini Clinic on **Saturday 10th December** in conjunction with our Allan Wallen clinic. Numbers will also be limited for this clinic, so please book ASAP.

SPECIAL MENTION -

Nell Evans has a lovely new hack **DP Jeremiah**, bay gelding 16hh which they purchased from Melbourne Royal. Gem fitted in right from the start with head in the feed bin and enjoying a short brake before he continues training. But due to Nell going OS next year Gem will probably not step out until February / March 2012.

Harriet Hooke has arrived home from England and also has a nice new hack **All That Jazz**, bay mare 15.1hh. Jazz has gone home and has settled in beautifully.

Kathryn and **Emma Hood** and family have not long arrived home from a holiday in England. Kathryn was fortunate to have a ride in the English countryside

Bronte Talbot won her first Champion Rider at Castle Hill.

Alexa Talbot won her first open Rider Class at Castle Hill also.

KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK GIRLS.

SHOWS –

NSW Horse of the Year last Sunday Harriet 7 Sarah Hooke and I attended HOY at Hawkesbury showground with Sandown Matinee Idol and her sister Sandown Musical Note to compete in Small Galloway of the Year. Both Idol and Pixie made it to the Top 10 and worked very well.

This is the third year in a row that Idol has made into the top 10. **Congratulations Harriet.**

Our Local shows continue with the qualifying of the horses fro Canberra and Sydney Royals. They are all doing extremely well and the young horses are sounding their ground being successful. With only a few weeks left things are looking good for the end result.

MERCHANDISE –

We have a selection of **Marena T-Shirts** in various colours and size's at reasonable prices and of course our **Marena Caps**. Please ask for your **“TEAM”** cap or T-Shirt.

Love and Best Wishes from All at Marena

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