

# VOL.U.MES JUNE 18

## A BIG HELLO!

It has been freeeeeeezeing the last couple of weeks and I hope you are all keeping warm!

We are approaching the half way mark for the year and I'm looking at putting together a movie night in August... who would be interested in attending??? Flick me an email and if there is enough interest, I'll organise something for us! It would be awesome to catch up with you all!

We don't have any Out of Show opportunities coming up on the horizon but if I do have anything I'll let you all know by email or newsletter.

Well that's it from me for June! Stay awesome and stay warm! ☺

**Helani**

## SOCIAL POLICY REMINDER



We wanted to take this opportunity to remind you that defamation laws extend online and encourage you to refresh yourself with our SRES Volunteers Social Media Policy. It can be found in your Volunteers Handbook and is also available on our website.

## REMINDER



Hi Team! Just a reminder that we will only be accepting online application forms for the 2019 Show and beyond. If you are yet to set up an email address please do so as soon as possible so you are ready to submit your application when they open in October. If you need assistance with setting up an email address, ask a family member or a friend, or please give me a call.

## POST SHOW FEEDBACK SURVEY



The 2018 Survey is still open! This is your chance to have your say on what went well this year, what could be improved and any suggestions you may have for the 2019 Show.

Your feedback will be used to help shape the future of the RAS Event Volunteer Program. Don't forget to jump online to fill out the form. The link was sent in an email to you in May. **Survey Closes Sunday 1 July!**



VOLUNTEERS

## ANIMAL SPOTLIGHT! HORSES



1. A male horse is called a stallion and a female horse is a mare
2. Baby horses can walk and run after a few hours of being born
3. In total, there are 205 bones in the skeleton of a horse
4. Horses which have been tamed usually live to be around 25 years old. However the oldest domestic horse on record was Old Billy, who died at the age of 62
5. A group of horses will not go to sleep at the same time – at least one of them will stay awake to look out for the others
6. Horses are often seen in photographs 'laughing' or 'smiling', but this movement is to help them smell better
7. There are an estimated 60million horses in the world, combining wild and domesticated horses
8. The eyes of a horse are bigger than those of any other land mammal, and the fact they are located on the side of their heads means they can see almost 360 degrees
9. Horses have been used in the police force since the 17<sup>th</sup> century, and although they became less popular with the introduction of the automobile in the early 20<sup>th</sup> century, hundreds of horses are still being used by the police today
10. There are hundreds of horse breeds. Seriously. Hundreds! They can be divided up into several groups, including light horses, heavy horses and feral horses
11. Australia used to be horse-less. The first horse arrived in Australia in 1788 when a British fleet brought them to Sydney. No indigenous horse remains or fossils have ever been found in Australia



# VOLUNTEERS

## WHAT'S ON AT THE SHOWGROUND!



- **Oxygen Conference 2018**  
*Monday 25 June - Thursday 28 June, 2018.* Oxygen is a conference designed to refresh, equip and encourage Christian leaders and ministry workers. Click [here](#) for more details
- **Western Sydney Careers Expo**  
*Thursday, 28 June to Sunday, 1 July 2018.* The Western Sydney Careers Expo provides resources and information for tertiary courses, career and employment options, the HSC, study strategies, the gap year and much more. Click [here](#) for more details
- **Eutopia Cheer & Dance**  
*Saturday 30 June to Sunday 1 July, 2018.* Dynamic, entertaining and captivating cheer & dance competitions. Click [here](#) for more details
- **GWS GIANTS vs Hawthorn**  
*Saturday, 30 June 2018.* Main Gates Open at 3.50pm. First Bounce at 7.25pm. click [here](#) for more details

## SHOW STORY – DANGER MOUSE



*This story was submitted from one of our Team Leaders, Tracie Murphy 😊*

A “large” sheep escaped from Farmyard Nursery and I chased after it. Kids were screaming and running everywhere. The sheep headed for the dairy cows. With the help of a couple of Dairy Farmers we cornered the sheep. It ran up and down, under the legs of the cows, and the cows were going crazy. As I reached out for the sheep I found myself being lifted off my feet and thrown aside, just as the cow kicked out. My hero was a lovely young Dairy farmer and if it wasn't for him... I'd have a lovely large bruise somewhere on my body.

### SPREAD THE WORD!

Do you know a friend or family member who would love to be part of the Sydney Royal Easter Show family? Please direct them to our volunteer website for more information. Applications for new volunteers open in September with interviews taking place in early February 2019.

# VOLUNTEERS



# PUZZLEMANIA!

## Difficult Transport Word Search

Transport is the movement of people, animals or goods from one place to another. There are lots of different modes of transport from the simple bike to the hot air balloon and space rocket.



### Word List

See if you can find our transport related word in our word search.

- |                 |           |            |
|-----------------|-----------|------------|
| Ambulance       | Bulldozer | Caravan    |
| Crane           | Dinghy    | Helicopter |
| Hot air balloon | Jeep      | Jumbo jet  |
| Lifeboat        | Limousine | Race car   |
| Rocket          | Spaceship | Taxi       |
| Toboggan        | Tractor   | Transport  |
| Truck           | Van       |            |

VOLUNTEERS

