

Riding for the Disabled Association (N.S.W.) Wauchope/Port



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Dear Jenny

Thanks for expressing your sentiments of the current situation. It has been very distracting, confusing and concerning in terms of the behaviour of some, given the high standards of conduct expected of all volunteers.

The Wauchope/Port Macquarie agree with your comments and support your suggestion that RDA continues as it has done for many years. We are a small centre and rely on our committee, coaches, assistant coaches, and volunteers to provide people with a disability the opportunity to benefit from the joy and happiness, horses bring to all our lives.

We agree that if there are views that the Constitution needs to be updated or modernised, then it should be managed through an appropriate consultation process with a view to dealing with it through the AGM. There are well established consultation processes available that have worked successfully for many years. It is not appropriate to have 'random emails' being sent to all and sundry without appropriate background and options being explained.

Accordingly, our committee agrees with your suggestion of the proper way forward.

kind regards

Cathy Wagstaffe Secretary

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