

PRESIDENTS WELCOME

Welcome members, to what looks to be a promising year from those on the land locally and feeding livestock with the good drenching of rain we have recently received.

For those of you that don't know me my name is Sam Musgrave, our young family joined Beaudesert club a few years ago when our eldest son Boston moved over from Western Pleasure to Cutting. We enjoy the sport as a family and are very grateful for the warm and supportive start we received at the club. This feeling of encourage was one of my main motivations for nominating as President for this year.

A strong sense of community is increasingly harder to find in our busy day to day lives, when we all meet to share something, we enjoy this is a great opportunity to build on. The feeling of being welcomed and supported comes from every one of us. Whether it is encouraging a beginner rider for their first run, complimenting those working on improving, welcoming returning members back to the club with a smile, appreciating the snaffle bit riders working on their cut out or respecting those cutters that utilise the club for training their horse for outside events. We each have our reasons for getting up early and pulling into the gates, we are all there to enjoy our horses and have fun in the sand pit after all that's how memories are made.

The club has been around a long time we are fortunate enough to have a few of the long-standing members still attending the grounds and on the committee. The club was blessed to receive the Sue West funding, through her generosity we have such a lovely under covered work arena and facilities. Over recent years the sport has been understandably affected by the drought, economy and cattle supply. Our club has a good reputation amongst local cattle suppliers, and we have been extremely lucky to have their continued support even when times are tough.

There is a lot of work that goes into the running's of the club and it would be lovely to attract some more members to the committee to help share the load of duties. If you aren't in a position to commit to the committee we understand , but please don't let that stop you if you would still like to help out we are always looking for help with the variety of tasks we have to fill to get the weekend together for everyone.

Overall, it is my hope to continue to build on the club's foundations as a place to come and enjoy your horses with like minded people. Show each other respect and support a family friendly environment. Constructive feedback is always welcomed and if you would like something raised or considered please feel free to reach out to me personally or send an email to the club.

Kind Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sam Musgrave". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Sam Musgrave