

Editorial

What great fall weather we have had so far, it has made up for a lot of those wet summer days. We have had a record amount of members playing fall polo at the outdoor arena and the additional rated players have added to the level of play. And what about those kids? Hook them while you can!



Should the weather remain with us we will play in the outdoor arena until the end of October and then head to the Foxden arena.

We are pleased to welcome two new members to our polo team **Scott Weir**, the **Field Director of Training for Polo Canada** has joined us and will be playing with you and keeping your ponies tuned throughout the winter.

Scott is also an excellent Coach having lead many Toronto teams to North American Interscholastic Championships. If you are looking to further improve your game or riding skills, Scott would be delighted to assist.

Also joining us in the barn is **Emma Parrish**. She has previously worked with harness horses, quarter horses, thoroughbreds and has completed a course of studies in Equine Management. Emma is sure to brighten the winter for all.

Keep your heels Down!

Brian

Announcements

Congratulations to the Kirby Family. Peter and Erin welcomed the birth of their healthy Daughter, **Elle Victoria Kirby** on September 19, 2008.

Congratulations to the King Family. Graham and Virginia welcomed the birth of their healthy Son.

We wish all the best of luck and hope to see the boys back on the polo field this fall.

Calendar of Events

October 28, 2008

- **AGM of the Toronto Polo Club** 7 pm at Timberlane Athletic Club, 155 Vandorf Sideroad, Aurora, ON L4G 3G8.

November 1, 2008

- Foxden Arena Polo Begins

November 7, 2008

- **Polo Canada Annual General Meeting of Members** 4:30 pm in 108N at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair.

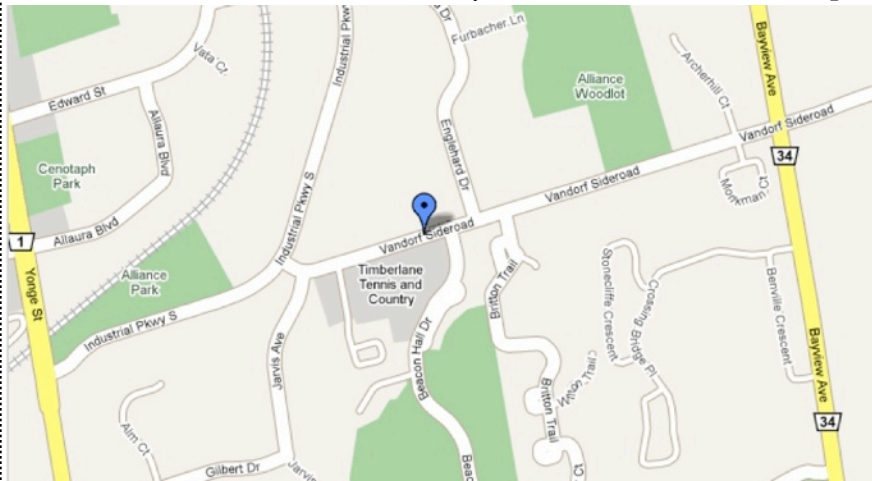
Elle Victoria Kirby, just 3 weeks old. The youngest polo player ever recorded at Bancroft Farms. October 17, 2008.





AGM of the Toronto Polo Club

The Annual Meeting of Members of the Toronto Polo Club will be held at Timberlane Athletic Club, 155 Vandorf Sideroad, Aurora, ON L4G 3G8 on Tuesday the 28th of October at 7 pm.



Bancroft Farm Awards

Most Improved Progression League Player

- Lawrence Hyland

Best Playing Pony

- Nirvana

Arena Player of the Month

- Alyson Hannas

Polo Canada Annual Meeting of Members



The Polo Canada Annual General Meeting of Members will take place at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair and Horse Show, in

Toronto, on **Friday November 7, 2008.**

The meeting will start at **4:30 pm in room 108N.**

Immediately following the meeting there will be a wine and cheese reception for Polo Canada members in the Tanbark Club. We would greatly appreciate it if you could **please RSVP your attendance to the AGM** so that we can plan accordingly with the caterers.

Polo Canada has reserved a group of box seats to the evening horse show, which starts at 7 pm. Tickets are \$70/person and must be reserved by October 17 at the very latest. **To purchase tickets to the horse show or to RSVP to the meeting please contact Karen White (905) 505-0088.**

Feature Groom



Paul Kiarie
aka DJ

DJ first came to Canada in 2006 having worked at the Nairobi Polo Club in Kenya. Along with his grooming responsibilities DJ maintains the Bancroft Farm properties. A lover of karaoke and dancing, DJ's bongo's can be heard throughout King City on summer nights.

Wish you were here...

Our annual pilgrimage to Argentina to play polo and watch the Argentine Open kicks off in November.

Booked to go so far are:

- Brian
 - Wally
 - Chris
 - Jayson
 - Beverly
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- Wendy
 - Alyson
 - Lawrence
 - David B

There are a few spots left so if you're interested let Brian or Enrique know ASAP.



Polo Tip

To progress in polo requires that you evaluate your limitations rather than your strengths.

Alberto Heguy
former 10 goaler

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