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Happy New Year to all, wishing all of our friends, both two and four legged a very successful and enjoyable 2014. We started the new Year with an outing to the other side of Adelaide for a Young Horse competition for Roulette. It was a three hour trip each way, just to do one four year old test, but made well worth while by the way Roulette handled both the trip and his second dressage outing, winning his class with a very nice 7.3, this followed on from his dressage debut at SVDC in December when he won both of his Preliminary tests and had the highest percentage of the day from all classes with a 73.4%. What a little super star he is and Anna-Mary Hansen, our Danish working pupil, who has only just turned 17yo herself, is doing a wonderful job of riding him.



Geneva and I also had our first dressage outing late in November and she was also a very clever girl and won her preliminary test with a high sixties score. Such a good girl, a 9 for her long rein walk and an 8 for her stretch trot, very exciting start to our dressage career.