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DRESSAGE

Saturday 6th April 2019

Time:

Starting at 8.30am both days

Conducted by:

PCT Northern Zone

Closing date of entries: 19th March 2019

ENTRY FEES

Dressage

Entry fee \$40 per rider

\$25 per quadrille/musical ride team

Entry Secretary

Grada Andrews (Lilydale District Pony Club)

Ph: 0438 568 041

Email: lilydalepc@gmail.com

Entries will be submitted via the **Nominate** website www.nominate.com.au.

Individual riders will enter via the following Nominate event:

“PCT Dressage and Jumping Champs 2019 (RIDER ENTRIES)”

Event Link: <https://www.nominate.com.au/EquestDn/Event.aspx?event=14087&eventlist=8>

A Club representative will enter the Quadrille and Musical Team entries via the following Nominate event”
“PCT Dressage Championships 2019 (QUADRILLE/MUSICAL ENTRIES)”

Event Link: <https://www.nominate.com.au/EquestDn/Event.aspx?event=14096&eventlist=8>

It is a condition of entry that any monies owing to PCT must be paid in full before the close of entries unless an arrangement has been made with the PCT Treasurer.

Disclaimer of Liability

Neither the organising committee of this event, or the PCT itself, accepts liability for any accident, damage, injury or illness to horses, riders, ground, spectators, or any other person or property whatsoever.



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GENERAL RULES

General

The competitions will be conducted under the rules of the EA and regulations as stated in Section 7 of the PC Handbook (V3 October 2018) - Inter-Club Championships and Competitions. Making an entry for these competitions constitutes implicit acceptance of PCT General and EA Discipline rules, and the conditions laid down in this schedule. <http://www.ponyclubtas.com.au/Handbook.aspx>

Eligibility

Riders must be bonafide members of the club, which they represent. Riders must attend at least three working rallies, and horses one working rally, of their club during the twelve months prior to the closing of entries. For definition of a working rally, see section 2.7.1. Horse and rider must rally qualify together. Riders may not gain qualification unless they have paid their insurance and affiliation fees and carry their current pony club membership card.

Horses must either be owned or leased by the rider or another member of their club. See section 2.8.1 for details of ownership or lease of horses. Horse and rider must qualify together as a combination and must be 4 years old or over. They may be any height.

Entries

Entries will be via www.nominate.com.au. Clubs may nominate any number of qualified riders per class.

Riders will enter via the Nominate event "**PCT Dressage and Jumping Champs 2019 (RIDER ENTRIES)**" Immediately following the close of entries, a list will be forwarded to DC's for ratification.

Event link: <https://www.nominate.com.au/EquestDn/Event.aspx?event=14087&eventlist=8>

A Club representative will enter the Quadrille and Musical Team entries via the Nominate event "**PCT Dressage Championships 2019 (QUADRILLE/MUSICAL ENTRIES)**"

If a musical team has more than 10 riders, contact the event secretary with details of additional riders.

Event link: <https://www.nominate.com.au/EquestDn/Event.aspx?event=14096&eventlist=8>

Riders wanting first-timer badges must enclose an extra \$5 per badge and grade badges an extra \$3 per badge. These must be pre-ordered.

Zone teams may only consist of riders from clubs that cannot form a club team. A Zone team may only consist of riders from two clubs. The Zone must, at close of entries, name the two clubs which can make up each Zone team.

Substitution

After the closing of entries, no horse or rider entered for the competition may be changed, except in the event of illness, unsoundness or accident, when a certificate signed by the DC shall be produced. The DC must certify that any substitutes comply with the requirements of the rules.

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Club Representative

If the DC of a competing club is unable to be present at the competition, he/she must inform the organiser in writing of the person nominated to be his/her representative.

Objections

Objections may only be lodged by the DC or his/her authorised agent. Objections must be made in writing and lodged with the secretary or Technical Delegate, together with supporting evidence, names of witnesses and not later than half an hour after the happening that gave rise to the objection. The Ground Jury will adjudicate upon the objection and their decision will be final.

Trophies and Sashes

Sashes will be awarded to fourth place for the teams and sixth place for individuals in all classes. The Homevale Perpetual Trophy – Barwidgee Snowdon Memorial – donated by Mrs L.Hedberg is awarded to the most successful club over the Jumping and Dressage Championships weekend.

Checking Scores and Placings

The club representative is asked to check that all the scores of their riders are entered correctly (particularly when the three best riders form a team) BEFORE the presentations to prevent wrong ones being made.

The organisers must ensure that all zone teams' members are also listed on the scoreboard at the beginning of the championships.

Gear Inspection

Will take place prior to the competitor entering the working arena as per PCAT Handbook, Section 6. DC's are advised to ensure that all entered riders fulfil the requirements before presenting to the gear checkers.

<http://www.ponyclubtas.com.au/Handbook.aspx>

Reservation of Right

The Organising committee reserve the right to:

- Alter the advertised starting times
- Cancel any class or event
- Divide any class or
- Refuse any entry, with or without stating a reason

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General

The competitions will be run in three groups:

- Grades 1 & 2 – Seniors and juniors will compete together in one class for each grade.
- Grade 3 will be divided as follows:
 - i. Juniors under 17 years may count for the team and compete for the trophy.
 - ii. Seniors under 25 years may not count for the team and compete for sashes only.
- The age of riders will be taken as at 1st January 2019.
- Competitors shall only compete on one horse.
- Competitors may take part in three tests only—the two team tests and either of the non-team tests (either quadrille or musical).
- Riders in the group (non-team) tests shall be named so that the organisers can slot them into the draw at suitable times, however, they may be substituted if necessary.
- The organisers shall be notified of any substitutions and scratchings ASAP.

Qualifications

Horses must be 4 years old or over. Both horse and rider must qualify as a combination, having gained at least 55% for Preliminary and Novice and 50% for Elementary in two dressage tests of the equivalent standard, under approved judges. Competitors may qualify:

- i. Under the same judge on different days;
- ii. On the same day under different judges. NOT at an ODE.

Classification

The total percentage of the two team tests added together will give each competitor's individual score. The competitor with the highest score in his/her grade will be awarded the Individual Championship.

The winning club will be that club whose total score from their best rider in each grade is the best. In the case of a tie, the winning team is the one whose lowest placed member has the higher score. Clubs may have more than one team. The second best rider in each group will count towards the club's no 2 team score, and so on.

Team Tests

Enter team tests via the Nominate event **“PCT Dressage and Jumping Champs 2019 (RIDER ENTRIES)”**

Two team tests in each group. These tests are the EA 2014 tests. Grade 1 – Elementary 3.1 and Novice 2.3. Grade 2 – Novice 2.3 and 2.2. Grade 3 – Preliminary 1.2 and 1.3.

All competitors take part in both tests, but must not partake in any more than three tests – the two team tests and one other (either quadrille or musical ride). Competitors may compete on one horse only. The team tests may not be called.

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Optional, non-team tests (Quadrille and Musical Ride)

A Club representative will enter the Quadrille and Musical Team entries via the Nominate event “**PCT Dressage Championships 2019 (QUADRILLE/MUSICAL ENTRIES)**”

A rider may compete for a club in only one of these tests. These tests may be called.

Quadrille

Quadrille (refer to form 10.7.7) is for teams of four riders. Clubs may enter more than one team if they wish but the organisers have the right to restrict the numbers competing. It will not be divided in to divisions.

Musical Ride

Musical Ride (refer to form 10.7.8) may be in club uniform or fancy dress. The ride is to be devised by the club and must be of 5 to 6 mins in duration. A minimum of four riders must take part. There is no maximum but only four sashes will be awarded. Clubs are to provide their own music on a clearly marked USB Flash Drive on the morning of the event (or earlier if possible).

Saddlery

Snaffle Bits only shall be worn in all tests. A whip may be carried. Only blunt spurs may be worn.

Draw

A draw will be conducted and positions strictly adhered to. Where possible, one of each club's riders will go before a second one, however, riders may be seeded to allow for travelling and to accommodate optional test riders, etc. Details of the draw will be sent to club DCs a few days prior to the event. Please notify the Entry Secretary of any scratchings ASAP.

JUMPING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Format

Jumping Equitation (JE,) and the Two Round Show Jumping Championship (SJ). The JE will be held before the SJ class. Competitors may, but do not have to, take part in the two competitions. The team competition will be conducted over the Two Round Show Jumping Championship (SJ) competition only.

Competitors may ride two horse's maximum, but only one of these may be in grade 3, however they may ride two horses in either Grades 1 or 2. They may only be considered once for a team and the horse which is the most beneficial to the team score will be counted as the team entry if in different grades.

Qualifications

Horses must be 4 years old or over with the corners in wear. Both horse and rider together must have completed at least two Show Jumping rounds on different days at recognised shows, gymkhanas or PC competitions over a course

- for grades 2 and 3 at their equivalent grade heights – see clause 7.7.2;
- for grade 1 at or above 1.04 m.

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Jumping Equitation Championship

To be judged by two judges using JE scoresheet form 10.7.9. To be conducted over one round of a course of 8 - 10 fences, including a double (9 - 11 efforts). There is no set speed but the course should be ridden at a good canter pace, and will depend on the horse.

Show Jumping Championship

The championships will consist of classes for grades 1-3. Grade 3 will be divided as follows:

- i. Juniors under 17 years who may count for the team and compete for the trophy.
- ii. Seniors under 25 who may NOT count for the team but compete for sashes only.
- iii. The better score from the Junior section only either age group will count for the club's team. Both rider and horse must qualify as a combination.

The Championship will be judged under Table A over two rounds as per EA show jumping rule, article 273.3.4.2:

- a. To be judged under Table A over two rounds. ·1st round – not against the clock. All riders, except those eliminated or retired, take part in the second round in the reverse order of penalties gained in the 1st round and, if equal, their same position in the draw. ·2nd round – against the clock.
- b. Competitors are placed by adding the penalties for the two rounds.
- c. In the case of equality of the added penalties for first place, a jump-off against the clock will be held over a shortened course of obstacles which may be increased in height and/or spread.
- d. Lower places are classified by total penalties and the time taken in the second round in the case of equality.
- e. The course for the second round may be identical or different and increased in size at the discretion of the CD, judge and TD.

Maximum fence sizes

	Equitation			SJ Championship (First round)		
	Grade 1	Grade 2	Grade 3	Grade 1	Grade 2	Grade 3
Height	95cm	85cm	70cm	105cm	95cm	80cm
Width – at base	135cm	125cm	100cm	145cm	130cm	110cm
– at top	105cm	95cm	80cm	115cm	105cm	85cm

Jump-offs

The first jump-off MAY go up by 10, but preferably 7.5 cm. The max increase for the second jump-off from the first round is 15cm (6").

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Team Classification

The team competition will be conducted over the Two Round Show Jumping competition only. Each team will consist of one rider from grades 1, 2 & 3. The results of the club's best rider in each grade will count towards the club's no 1 team score, the second-best rider in each grade will count towards the club's no 2 team score, and so on.

Competitors will be placed from first to last in each grade. The number of their placing is scored as points. The winning club/zone will be that whose total points from their best rider in each grade is the lowest. In the case of a tie, the jumping penalties (excluding any incurred in a jump-off) of those riders will be added together, and if still equal the winning team is the one whose lowest placed member has the better score.

Awards

The competitor with the best placing in his/her grade will be awarded an individual championship trophy.

FACILITIES

Vet

Deloraine Veterinary Centre
23 Beefeater Street, Deloraine
Phone: 03 6362 2108

Medical

St. John's Private Ambulance

After hours emergency

Launceston General Hospital

Catering

A canteen will be operating throughout the weekend, including serving breakfast.

Recycling

Recycling stations will be available for hard plastics, cardboard, paper and cans. Please use these stations to dispose of your recyclable rubbish.



Water Refill Stations

Water refill stations will be available at the canteen. Competitors and supporters are encouraged to bring refillable water bottles and refill at the water stations rather than purchasing bottled water.

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ACCOMMODATION and AGISTMENT

Westbury Showgrounds

Camping and yards are available at the venue. There are 44 yards plus 2 larger yards (2 horses) available. Temporary yards may also be constructed near floats by prior arrangement.

Horse Yards: \$10 per night and

Camping: \$12 per vehicle

http://westburyshow.com.au/?page_id=321

Contact Helen Ritter on 0418 293 719

Westbury Gingerbread Cottages

52 William Street, Westbury (1.6 kms from the venue)
Numerous cottages can accommodate up to 6 people.

From \$130 per night

<http://www.westburycottages.com.au/>

Contact 6393 1140 or email:

info@westburycottages.com.au

Quamby Pines

521 Quamby Brook Rd, Deloraine (approx. 22kms from the venue)

From \$110 per night

<http://www.quambypines.com.au>

Contact 0409 901 224

Brooklyn Park Horse Agistment

Evandale (approx.. 40kms from the venue).

Arena, yards, stables and hot wash bay.

Contact Barry Baker on 0418 911 844

Valmont Farms

90 Adelphi Rd, Whitmore (14kms from venue)

\$15 per horse or \$20 if camping

<http://valmontfarms.com.au/>

Contact India Woods on 0499 553 331 or email:

india@valmontfarms.com.au

Fitzpatrick Inn

56 Meander Valley Highway, Westbury (5 km from venue)

\$130 per night

<http://www.fitzpatricksin.com.au/>

Contact 6393 1153 or email:

info@fitzpatricksin.com.au

Discovery Parks – Hadspen

Corner Main St & Meander Valley Hwy, Hadspen (21 kms from the venue)

Cabins starting from \$140 per night

<https://www.discoveryholidayparks.com.au/caravan-parks/tasmania/launceston--tamar-valley-hadspen/info>

Contact 6393 6391

LA Performance Horses Agistment

Whitmore (approx. 17kms from the venue)

Contact Amanda Cameron on 0408 771 377 or

email: la@amandacameron.com.au