



**Mildura Alcheringa Pony Club  
Winter Woollies Open Gymkhana**

**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> of July - Topsy Ring, Open Hacking & Novelties  
Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> of July - Dressage & Show Jumping**

LOCATION – Birdwoodton Equestrian Centre  
541 River Avenue, Merbein South

Topsy, Hacking and Games \$5 per class

Dressage and SJ \$10 per class

Facility Fee of \$10 per open rider plus relevant insurance

Ribbons to Fourth Place

Entries Close: Wednesday, 10<sup>th</sup> of July 2024

**NO RIDING JACKETS (Neat Casual Dress)**

**NO PLAITING (Will not be penalised if not plaited)**

**LIMITED CANTEEN AVAILABLE**

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## **SATURDAY RING 1- TOPSY RING, 10:00AM**

This ring has been designed for riders that are **BEGINNERS**. Please be considerate and leave this ring for the learners. The judge will determine if participants are in the correct section/ring and will alter if needed. If you can canter independently, this ring is not for you.

**Approved helmets and boots must be worn at all times. Riders may be led.**

1. Best Handler – 6 yrs and under (Led – can be saddled up)
  2. Best Handler – 7 yrs and under 10 yrs (Led – can be saddled up)
  3. Best Handler – 10 yrs and over (Led – can be saddled up)
  4. Best Presented Mount & Rider – Rider 6 yrs and under (Ridden)
  5. Best Presented Mount & Rider – Rider 7 yrs and under 10 yrs (Ridden)
  6. Best Presented Mount & Rider – Rider 10 yrs and over (Ridden)
  7. Pony or horse with the cleanest mane & tail – Led or Ridden by child 7 yrs and under
  8. Pony or horse with the cleanest mane & tail – Led or Ridden by child 8 yrs and over
  9. Rider – 6 yrs and under
  10. Rider – 7 yrs and under 9 yrs
  11. Rider 9 yrs and over
  12. Horse or pony with the smallest ears – Led or Ridden (Must choose btw class 12 **or** 13)
  13. Horse or pony with the longest ears – Led or Ridden (Must choose btw class 12 **or** 13)
  14. Smallest pony – Led or Ridden (Must choose btw class 14 **or** 15)
  15. Tallest horse or pony – Led or Ridden (Must choose btw class 14 **or** 15)
  16. Children's mount most suitable for a beginner – Rider 7 yrs and under
  17. Children's mount most suitable for a beginner – Rider 8 yrs and over
  18. Pony/Horse with the longest whiskers
  19. Walk, trot and lead race – Rider 7 yrs and under
  20. Walk, trot and lead race – Rider 8 yrs and over
  21. Novelty elimination (Open to everyone)
- 10 Min break to get ready for Fancy Dress**
22. Fancy Dress – Rider 7 yrs and under
  23. Fancy Dress – Rider 8 yrs and over

***MOST SUCCESSFUL BEGINNERS COMBINATION & RUNNER UP MOST SUCCESSFUL BEGINNERS COMBINATION***

## **SATURDAY RING 2 – OPEN RING, 9AM**

1. Open Led Pony not exceeding 12hh
2. Open Led Pony over 12hh not exceeding 14hh
3. Open Led Galloway
4. Open Led Hack
5. Led Handler 10 yrs & under
6. Led Handler 11 yrs & under 16 yrs
7. Led Handler 16 yrs & under 30 yrs
8. Led Handler 30 yrs & over

### **15 Minute Break to Saddle Up**

9. Best presented pony/horse and handler/rider 10 yrs and under – Ridden
10. Best presented pony/horse and handler/rider 11 yrs and under 16 years – Ridden
11. Best presented pony/horse and handler/rider 16 yrs and under 30 years – Ridden
12. Best presented pony/horse and handler/rider 30 yrs and over –Ridden
13. Ridden Pony 12.2hh and under
14. Ridden Pony over 12.2hh and not exceeding 14hh
15. Ridden Horse over 14hh and not exceeding 15hh
16. Ridden Horse over 15hh and not exceeding 16hh
17. Ridden Horse over 16hh
18. Lightweight Pony/ Horse not exceeding 14.2hh
19. Lightweight Horse over 14.2hh
20. Heavyweight Pony or Horse not exceeding 14.2hh
21. Heavyweight Horse over 14.2hh
22. Open Rider 10 yrs and under
23. Open Rider 11 yrs and under 16 yrs
24. Open Rider 16 yrs and under 30 years
25. Open Rider 30 years and over
26. Educated Pony/Horse not exceeding 14.2hh
27. Educated Horse over 14.2hh
28. Childs Mount not exceeding 14.2hh, rider to be under 17 years
29. Childs Mount over 14.2hh, rider to be under 17 years
30. Ladies/Gentlemans Mount, (mares only) rider to be 17 years and over
31. Ladies/Gentlemans Mount, (geldings only) rider to be 17 years and over
32. Pleasure Pony/Horse not exceeding 14.2hh
33. Pleasure Horse over 14.2hh
34. Pair of riders, any age

**\*Most Successful Open Combination and Runner-Up Most Successful Combination**

## **SATURDAY RING 3 - GAMES 9AM**

**Junior – 10 years & under (may be led)**

**Intermediate – 10 years & under 18**

**Senior - 18 years and over**

1. Senior Bending Race
2. Intermediate Bending Race
3. Junior Bending Race
4. Senior Flag and Barrel
5. Intermediate Flag and Barrel
6. Junior Flag and Barrel
7. Senior Stepping Stones
8. Intermediate Stepping Stones
9. Junior Stepping Stones
10. Senior Key Hole
11. Intermediate Key Hole
12. Junior Key Hole
13. Senior Old English Plate
14. Intermediate Old English Plate
15. Junior Old English Plate
16. Senior Sack Race
17. Intermediate Sack Race
18. Junior Sack Race
19. Senior Barrel Race
20. Intermediate Barrel Race
21. Junior Barrel Race
22. Open Novelty Elimination

**\*Most Successful & Runner Up Novelty Combination**

## **SUNDAY RING 1 & 2 - Dressage, Start 9.00am**

Dressage Grades 1 to 6 ~ Tests & Rules from the PCV 2021 edition available on PCV website

**\$10 per test**

**There is a cap on the number of tests we can offer on the day.**

Dressage Grade	1	2	3	4	5	6
Test 1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Test 2	2	2	2	2	2	B2
Arena Size	60m x 20m	60m x 20m	60m x 20m	40m x 20m	40m x 20m	40m x 20m

**\*\* Recommendation \*\***

**If you ride:**

- Preliminary Tests, enter Grade 3
- Novice Tests, enter Grade 2
- Elementary Tests, enter Grade 1

**Champion and Runner Up for each grade**

## **SUNDAY RING 3 – Show jumping, Start 9.00am**

### **\$10 per class**

**Show Jumping Grades PA to PF Show Jumping Rules from PCV 2021 edition available on PCV website.**

#### **Class 1 - Table A**

Article 238 1.2 ~ Competition Not Against The Clock with a time allowed but in the event of equality of penalties for first place there will be a jump-off against the clock. Other athletes are placed according to their penalties in the first round.

#### **Class 2 - Article 274 5.2 ~ Competition In Two Phases**

- 1) This competition comprises two phases run without interruption, each at an identical or different speed, the finishing line for the first phase being identical with the starting line for the second phase.
- 2) The first phase is a course of 7 to 9 obstacles with or without combinations. The second phase takes place over 4 to 6 obstacles, which may include one combination.
- 3) Riders penalized in the first phase are halted by ringing the bell after they have jumped the last obstacle or when the time allowed for the first phase has been exceeded, after crossing the finish line of the first phase. They must stop after crossing the first finishing line.
- 4) Riders not penalized in the first phase continue the course, which finishes, after crossing the second finishing line.
- 5) The manner of judging this competition as specified in table below.

First phase	Second phase	Placing
5.2. Table A Not against the clock	Table A Against the clock	According to the penalties and time in the second phase and, if necessary, to the penalties in the first phase.

6) Athletes stopped after the first phase may only be placed after athletes who have taken part in both phases. 7) In the event of equality for first, the tied athletes will be placed first. Table 1: All measurements are in meters.

Grade	No of Obstacles	Minimum Starting Height	Maximum Starting Height	Maximum Finishing Height	Maximum Spread	Speed metres per minute
A	9 to 12	1.10	1.10	1.25	1.35	350
B	9 to 12	1.00	1.00	1.15	1.20	325
C	9 to 12	0.85	0.85	1.00	1.05	300
D	8 to 10	0.70	0.70	0.85	0.85	275
E	8 to 10	0.55	0.55	0.70	0.70	250
F	6 to 10	0.40	0.45	0.55	0.55	250

### **Champion and Runner Up for each grade**

## **CONDITIONS OF ENTRY**

Conditions of Entry: Entry is conditional upon acceptance of these condition

1. Open Riders: Complete Liability Declaration Form. \$20 Day Attendance Fee is due UNLESS you are a financial member of:
    - EA; AHSA; PCV; an Interstate Pony Club; AERA; HRCVA or can prove personal Liability Cover.
    - Must produce proof on the day.
- Day-Participant-Event-Waiver-andLiability-Declaration-2023.pdf ([ponyclubvic.org.au](http://ponyclubvic.org.au))
2. Statement of Rights: The organising committee reserves the right to:
    - a) cancel any class or competition;
    - b) divide any class;
    - c) alter times;
    - d) refuse any entry with or without stating the reason;
    - e) No refunds after closing date except with vet or medical certificate.
  3. Disclaimer: Neither the organising committee of this competition nor the PCV accepts any responsibility whatsoever for any accident, damage, injury or illness to horses, riders, ground spectators or any other person or property.
  4. PCV club member cards: For pony club members, PCV club member cards must be inspected at the secretary's office before riding.
  5. Entering this competition constitutes acknowledgement that PCV rules apply and acceptance of these rules.
  6. Medical Response form: All riders must complete a Medical Response Authority Form.
  7. Helmets: Correct 'standards' numbered helmet must be worn as specified in PCA Gear Rules. Spot checks to ensure compliance may occur and incorrect helmet will mean elimination.
  8. Gear check: PCA Gear rules & PCV whip rule for dressage apply. All riders (including non PCV members) must be gear checked to ensure the gear complies. Gear check must occur before each discipline - that is before the first dressage test & before the first SJ event.
  9. Queries, protests, horse abuse: Queries, protests, horse abuse rules as per the PCV Handbook of By-Laws.
  11. Dogs Policy: Dogs are prohibited.
  12. Horses: Must be at least 4 years old, no stallions, colts or rigs.
  13. Multiple Horses: More than one horse may be ridden subject to the conditions in the PCV Handbook of By-Laws
  14. Lunging: PCV Lunging Policy applies.
  15. Alcohol: PCV Alcohol Policy applies