

# Pathway to becoming a Hickstead/Hunter Trial Inspector

This training will provide you with the information and skills necessary to become a pony club WA Accredited Hickstead/Hunter Trial Inspector. Hickstead/Hunter Trial Inspectors may officiate at any Hickstead/Hunter trial Event held by a Pony Club WA Affiliated Club including their own.

## **UPON COMPLETION OF THIS TRAINING CANDIDATES SHOULD BE ABLE TO:**

1. Develop and approve crisis management procedures.
2. Provide appropriate help and guidance to organisers and competitors
3. Ensure Hickstead/Hunter Trial events are conducted in accordance with Pony Club WA rules
3. Inspect and approve Pony Club WA venues and facilities including:
  - a. Mixed style Cross country and jumping courses up to and including 95cm,
  - b. Mixed style Cross country and Jumping practice arenas
  - c. Skill Obstacle in Hunter Trial events
4. Understand your duty of care obligations including mitigating risk

## **ASSUMED KNOWLEDGE:**

1. Pony Club WA Hickstead/Hunter Trial Rules
2. Pony Club WA Hickstead/Hunter Trial Organiser Pack
3. Pony Club WA Showjumping Rules
4. Pony Club WA Eventing Rules
5. Pony Club WA Event Organisers Pack
6. Pony Club WA Codes of Conduct

## **COURSE STRUCTURE:**

Self-paced study / hands on learning over 12 months:

1. Attend one Cross Country Course Building or Technical Delegate Seminar. This must be organised with Pony Club WA and include the 'Hickstead/Hunter Trial Inspectors Component'
2. Attend a minimum of one (1) Pony Club WA or EWA ODE's under the supervision of a Technical Delegate as organised with Pony Club WA. Two candidates may attend any one event at the discretion of the Officiating Technical Delegate.
3. Attend a minimum of (1) Pony Club WA Hunter Trial under the supervision of a Technical Delegate or an Accredited Hickstead/Hunter Trial Inspector

You will be required to:

- a. Participate in Showjumping and Cross Country course inspections.
- b. Submit a report within 21 days after the event using the Hickstead/Hunter Trial Inspectors Checklist.

4. Shadow officiate a One Day Event other than their own club's, as the Pony Club WA Hickstead Inspector for the Showjumping and Cross Country sections of an event under, the supervision of an accredited Pony Club WA Technical Delegate.or Shadow Officiate at a Hickstead/Hunter trial event under the supervision of a Hickstead/Hunter Trial Inspector or Technical Delegate
5. Complete the AIS 'Online Introductory to Officiating General Principles' course <https://learning.ausport.gov.au/Auth/login> and provide a copy to Pony Club WA.
6. Subject to the Hickstead/Hunter Trial Committee receiving a recommendation from the supervising Hickstead/Hunter Trial or Technical Delegate as competent in all aspects of a Hickstead/Hunter Trial Inspector duties. The Hickstead/Hunter Trial committee will issue the candidate with an Official Hickstead/Hunter Trial Inspector Certificate and be added to the list of Pony Club WA Hickstead/Hunter Trial Inspectors.
7. Recognition of Prior Learning may be considered and applicants are encouraged to include all qualifications held in their application.

#### **RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING**

Technical Delegate Accreditation will automatically count as Hickstead/Hunter Trial Inspectors.

Candidates with other qualifications may apply to the committee for RPL. This will be granted at the discretion of the committee.

#### **PREREQUISITES:**

Candidates must:

1. Be at least 21 years of age to be accredited, training may begin from 18 years of age.
2. Be a current financial member of Pony Club WA.

#### **COURSE RESOURCES:**

1. Pony Club WA Hickstead/Hunter Trial Rules
2. Pony Club WA Hickstead>Hunter Trial Organisers Pack
3. Pony Club WA Event Organisers Pack
4. Pony Club WA Eventing Rules EA National Jumping Rules

#### **LEARNING PATHWAY:**

Upon successful completion of this course, further learning opportunities within Pony Club WA include recognized prior learning toward the Technical Delegate Officials Course.

#### **HOW DO I ENROLL?**

- Email Pony Club WA Hickstead and Hunter trials Committee [hicksteadhuntertrials@ponyclubwa.asn.au](mailto:hicksteadhuntertrials@ponyclubwa.asn.au)
- Phone the Office directly (08) 9296 1500
- Pony Club WA Hickstead/Hunter Trial Inspector Application for Accreditation

## **REACCREDITATION REQUIREMENTS**

Hickstead/Hunter Trial Inspectors must have completed the following to qualify for reaccreditation at the end of their 3 years' accreditation expiry.

- Must have officiated or Shadow officiated at one event per year.
- Must have completed two seminars over the past two years. These seminars can include Showjumping Course Designer, Cross Country Course Designer or Hickstead/Hunter Trial Inspector seminars.