









# ACTIVE RIDING QUALIFIER

2023

5 & 6 August 2023

Avon Valley SJ & Pony Club Suburban Rd Northam, WA 6401

# **HOSTED BY**

Pony Club WA State Active Riding Committee

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**ENTRY PACK** 



Pony Club WA would like to acknowledge that this event is held on Balardong land. We acknowledge the Noongar people, the traditional custodians of the land and pay our respects to elders, past present and emerging.

# **ACTIVE RIDING PPMG & NOVELTIES STATE QUALIFIER**

WHERE: Avon Valley Showjumping and Pony Club

Northam Equestrian Park, Suburban Road, enter via Clarke Street

WHEN: Saturday, 5 August & Sunday, 6 August 2023

ENTRIES CLOSE: Sunday, 23 July 2023 at 8:00pm

via Nominate online entry system

www.nominate.com.au

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### **EVENT INFORMATION**

• All entries are online via Nominate online entry system and are completed by the individual rider. Entries close on **Sunday**, **23 July 2023 at 8:00pm**.

- Each Club must submit a Pony Club WA Active Riding Qualifier Team Spreadsheet and Qualification Declaration. This must be endorsed by the Club President/Secretary and the Chief Coach/Coordinator by **Sunday**, **23 July 2023 at 8:00pm** to <a href="mailto:sports@ponyclubwa.asn.au">sports@ponyclubwa.asn.au</a>.
- If a rider enters a class that is not endorsed by their Club, their entry will be deleted.
- The Rally Qualification Period is from 24 July 2022 to 23 July 2023, unless an exemption is sought.
- The Chairperson and Committee members do not have authority to accept/forward late entries.
- Only PPMG Teams who participate in the Qualifier Event will be eligible to participate in the State Championships unless an exemption is granted.
- The Active Riding Committee have included the opportunity for riders to participate in Novelties after their PPMG Championship Qualifier event. Each rider can have up to two runs at each of the five Novelty races. These are the same novelties that will be held at the 2023 Active Riding Championships. There will not be a Pony Club Mount at this event. We will be holding an Active Riding Challenge on Sunday at this event.
- Zones may use the State Active Riding Qualifier as their Zone Qualifying Event for Novelties.
- There will be a High Point for the Overall Winner and Runner-up in each of the three age groups:
- 12 years & under, 13-16 years and 17 years & over. The age of the rider is as at 1<sup>st</sup> January 2023. As there may be some younger riders competing in Novelties on Sunday, these awards will have to be calculated at the end of the Sunday competition and will be presented at the Active Riding State Championships.

#### **ENTRY FEES AND LEVIES**

PPMG Junior Rider / PPMG Open Rider	\$30 per Competitor
Novelties	\$20 per Competitor
First Aid Levy	\$15 per Competitor per Day
Ground Fee	\$10 per Horse per day
Camping Fee (payable if staying overnight)	\$10 per Family per night

#### **REFERENCE DOCUMENTS**

- Active Riding PPMG Rules 2023
- Novelty Rules 2023
- State Competition General Regulations
- Pony Club Australia National Gear Rules

### **COMPOSITE TEAMS**

A club may enter a full team plus enter additional riders as part of a composite team.

A club who does not have sufficient riders to field a team can submit their eligible riders to be placed in a composite team.

No requests from individual riders will be accepted to join teams with other clubs.

No rider shall be disadvantaged by the combination of Club teams

The Active Riding Sport Committee will make up composite teams using the riders submitted by clubs to be placed in composite teams.

Composite teams must participate in the championship qualifying event to be eligible to ride at the Semi Finals & State Championships in the same year.

A composite team which qualifies to go through to the semi-finals & state championships, must remain as composite team of the same composition unless the Active Riding Subcommittee allow a replacement rider to be selected from a different club to the rider withdrawing from the team. Every effort will be made to form composite teams geographically to enable training together.

Please note this is not always possible for the Active Riding Sport Committee.

Composite Team Managers/coaches are to make every effort to ensure that all riders are treated fairly and given opportunities to participate in competition while ensure the safety of the horse and rider combinations.

#### **QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS**

Horse/Rider combinations must have completed a **minimum of two rallies** at the club they are representing in the 12 months prior to close of entries AND be signed off as competent by the Club Chief Coach and President. The definition of a working rally is in the current State Competition General Regulations.

#### **CANTEEN**

The canteen will be open on both days. There will be no meal served on Saturday night.

## **YARDS**

Yards can be reserved for \$10 each. There are a limited number of stables available and can be reserved for \$20 each. If you would like to reserve a yard or stable contact Angela Herzer at avsjpc@gmail.com

Yards and stables must be left clean and be free of manure and leftover feed.

### **LEVIES**

A First Aid levy of \$15 per rider per day applies. The levy assists to cover the costs of having the qualified Medical crew on duty for the competition. The safety of our riders is a priority. A compulsory Ground Fee of \$10 per horse per day. A Camping Fee of \$10 per family per day.

### **WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECK**

A **WWC Check** is required by a person if they engage in certain paid or unpaid work with children, described as 'child-related work' under the WWC Act.

Volunteers engaged in helper duties at Pony Club WA State Championships where the **usual duties** involve, or are they likely to involve, <u>contact</u> with a <u>child</u>, such as Team Manager, Gear Checking, Marshalling will be required to have a current WWCC unless a parent exemption applies. Parent exemption applies if you are volunteering and have a child under the age of 18 actively involved in the event you are volunteering at.

## **RESERVATION OF RIGHT**

The State Active Riding Committee reserves the right:

- To cancel any class or event.
- To amend the placing's awarded according to class numbers.
- To divide any class.
- To transfer competitors between classes.
- To alter the advertised times.
- To refuse any entry with a valid explanation.

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# **CLASS INFORMATION**

# **PPMG Age Groups**

Open Division - 24 years & under (age as at 1 January) Junior Division - 13 years & under (age as at 1 January)

### **PPMG Games**

Bottle Race	Tyre Race	Stepping Stone Dash
Litter Race	Ball and Bucket Race	Sharp Shooters
Five Flag Race	Pony Express Race	Two Mug Race
Pony Club Pole Race	Rope Race	Wizards Castle Race

## **PPMG Spares**

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Team Bending Race	Ball and Flag Race	

# **Novelties Age Groups**

12 years & under (age as at 1 January)

13 – 16 years (age as at 1 January)

17 years & over (age as at 1 January)

# **Novelties 12 years & under** (age as at 1 January)

Barrel Race	Western Bending	Keyhole Bounce
Five Flag and Drum	Bonfield Bounce Bend	Pony Club Mount (Saturday only)

## Novelties 13 – 16 years (age as at 1 January)

Barrel Race	Western Bending	Keyhole Bounce
Five Flag and Drum	Bonfield Bounce Bend	Pony Club Mount (Saturday only)

## **Novelties 17 years & over** (age as at 1 January)

Barrel Race	Western Bending	Keyhole Bounce
Five Flag and Drum	Bonfield Bounce Bend	Active Riding Challenge (Sunday only)

# **PROPOSED TIMETABLE**

A more detailed program will be available after the close of entries.

Event Briefing and Gear Checking at 9.30 am with the Junior Competition to start at 10:00 am on Saturday. Team member nomination is a requirement, this includes composite riders wishing to form a composite team — an updated/final declaration form to be handed in at the briefing on Saturday and Sunday mornings ONLY if there have been changes to the original teams entered.

8.00 am	Saturday	Setup
9.30 am	Saturday	Event Briefing & Gear Checking - Juniors
10.00 am	Saturday	Junior Division Run Off
Approximately 1.30 pm	Saturday	Novelties & Pony Club Mount
9.00 am	Sunday	Event Briefing & Gear Checking - Open
9.30 am	Sunday	Open Division Run Off
Approximately 1.00 pm	Sunday	Novelties & Active Riding Challenge



# **MERCHANDISE**

Pony Club WA Merchandise is available to order online from existing stock before Tuesday, 1 August 2023.

Orders placed before this date can be picked up across the weekend at the Event Office.

https://www.ponyclubwa.asn.au/shop/



# **STATE LEADERBOARDS**

## HAVE YOU REGISTERED FOR THE ACTIVE RIDING LEADERBOARDS?

Get involved and start gaining points for the events you complete.

Please Note: PPMG team placings will be allocated against each individual rider in that team. Novelties are placed for each novelty.

There are 6 leader boards that you can enter:

Active Riding, Dressage, Eventing, Hickstead & Hunter trials, Showjumping and Tetrathlon.

Event	Date
Pony Club Festival (Double Points)	4 June 2023
Marsden Cup	17 June 2023
Beverley PPMG Prelim	26 June 2023
Pony Club WA Active Riding State Qualifier	5 & 6 August 2023
Pony Club WA Active Riding "The Shield"	26 August 2023
Pony Club WA State Active Riding Championships (Double Points)	9 & 10 September 2023

Visit the Leaderboard page on our website to read the Information pack and register!

