



Oxenford Pony Club
PO Box 290, Oxenford
www.oxenfordponyclub.net
Charlies' Crossing Road, Oxenford



Official & Unofficial Dressage Competition
State Qualifying Event
Sunday 17th June 2018

Open to all Zones and Clubs

To be held at Oxenford Pony Club Grounds, Charlies' Crossing Road, Upper Coomera

Gear Check: 7.45am / Start: 8.00am SHARP

Entries to be capped at 50 Riders on a First In Basis

Nominations: \$25 per class

Nominations Close: 7th June 2018

Online Nominations:

<http://www.pcaq.asn.au/EventsOnline.aspx>

LATE NOMINATIONS (with an additional \$10 fee) MAY BE ACCEPTED AT THE DISCRETION OF THE COMMITTEE BUT NOT AFTER THE DRAW HAS BEEN COMPLETED

General Enquiries / Scratching's by SMS Text to 0428 186 052 and email to:
opcsecretary185@gmail.com

Draw will be posted on the Oxenford Pony Club Facebook page by the Friday prior

Note:

- Horse Health Declaration Form must be handed in when collecting back numbers – NO FORM NO RIDE
- PIC Numbers MUST be on the nomination form or your nomination will not be accepted
- Registration & Performance cards are required for All Official Classes (01.01.16) and must be handed to the organising secretary prior to the commencement of event, or they will ride HC (June '11).

RESERVATION OF RIGHT: The organising committee reserves the right to: cancel any class or event, combine classes if less than 3 competitors, or divide classes according to the numbers nominated and the rules governing splitting of groups, alter advertised times, transfer competitors between sections of a class, and to refuse any entry with or without stating a reason.

DISCLAIMER: Neither the organising committee of any contest to which these rules apply, nor the PCAQ, accept any liability for any accident, damage, injury or illness to horses, owners, riders, ground, spectators or any other person or property whatsoever.

Each rider will be required to provide one helper for the event. The Helpers Roster will be posted on the Oxenford Pony Club Facebook Page by the Friday prior to the event. Oxenford Pony Club Riders are to assist with set up (the day before) and pack up, and other tasks on the day where required.



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OFFICIAL DRESSAGE PROGRAMME

Class	Group	Tests
Class D1	10 yrs & Under	1C & 1.2
Class D2	11 & Under 13 Years	1C & 2A
Class D3	Preliminary - 13 & Under 26 Years	1C & 1.2
Class D4	Novice - 13 & Under 26 Years	2D & 2.3
Class D5	Elementary - 13 & Under 26 Years	3C & 3.1

UNOFFICIAL PROGRAMME

Class	Group	Tests
Class D6	Under 13 years	WTB & 1.1(ii)
Class D7	13 & under 26 years	1.1(ii) & 1.1(III)
Class D8	Seniors	To choose from classes D3, D4, D5, if not stated will be placed In D3 Preliminary

AWARDS: Ribbons to 5th Place in all Classes – points to 10th place
OVERALL: Trophy/Prize to Champion and Reserve Champion (Official Classes)
Trophy/Prize to 1st and 2nd (Unofficial)

RULES:

- This Event will be run under the Current 2018 PCAQ Protocols, Rules and Regulations including the **Two Horse Rule**.
 - Riders may enter two horses in the same or different class/grade
 - Each horse may gain qualifying results
 - Each horse may be placed in its class and is eligible for overall awards
- Dressage tests from 2014 PCAQ book.
- Horse Health Declaration Forms are essential on the day – NO FORM NO RIDE.
- Under Bio-security precautions please understand the ramifications should a contagious outbreak occur, you will by entering the event agree to abide by the directions of the appointed bio-security officer, should this need arise.
- Riders must be current 2018 Financial PCAQ members.
- You must personally be in attendance in full pony club uniform for presentation of awards; otherwise your award will be forfeited.
- Protests should be lodged within 30 minutes of the results being posted, or the incident and should be accompanied by a \$50 fee which is refundable only in the protest is upheld.



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- Abusive or profane language or bad behaviour by the rider may result in disqualification for the rest of the event during which the offence occurs. A repetition by the same competitor will mean disqualification for the remainder of the day's program, together with loss of all points gained up to the time of the repeated offence. Competitors and mounts are disqualified together. A competitor who refuses to obey the direction of any officiating steward may be refused the right of competing in any further events.
- CODE OF CONDUCT: PCAQ & Oxenford Pony Club's Code of Conduct will be in effect. Bad language, excessive striking of horse, abuse or disrespect to the judge or Officials, will result in ELIMINATION.
- Gear Check – Is the final responsibility, especially for safety, rests with the rider. Failure to compile with the rules may entail elimination from the competition.
- PCAQ has a Zero Tolerance Blood Policy. Under no circumstances is the horse to be ridden at the Pony Club Event again that day.
- Refund of Nominations: Prior nominations will be refunded providing the organising body is advised of the scratching in writing or by telephone before the commencement of the event. A written request for a refund of nomination, including a vet or doctor's certificate to be received by the organising committee within one week of the event. 10% of the entry fee may be retained by the organising committee to cover administration costs.
- EVERY EVENTUALITY CANNOT BE PROVIDED FOR IN THESE RULES. In any unforeseen or exceptional circumstances, it is the duty of the PCAQ Steward (TD), to make a decision in a sporting spirit and adhere in as closely as possible to the intention of these rules.**
- First Aid will be in attendance.
- No Stallions or Rigs allowed on grounds.
- All riders must wear approved ASA 3838 Riding Helmet or better, along with riding boots.
- No Horses on grounds unless competing.
- Full Canteen Facilities Available.

BIOSECURITY FACT SHEET

We take biosecurity seriously and have measures in place to mitigate the risk of infection, diseases and pests.

OUR BIOSECURITY POLICY:

All horse owners and competitors should be aware that you have a biosecurity obligation to take all reasonable steps to ensure your activities do not spread a pest, disease or contaminant.

Competitors are asked to ensure good biosecurity practices at home and at the event and to follow the instructions of the organising committee and the Biosecurity Manager or risk expulsion from the event.



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All horses entering grounds must be from a property actively practising good biosecurity principles within their management.

Horse Health Declarations (HHD) are mandatory requirement for all events. Please read the HHD form and ensure:

- Your horses are shampooed, rinsed and allowed to dry, and their hooves are picked clean of all solid material and washed with shampoo.
- Your vehicles and equipment accompanying the horses are cleaned to remove all solid material that could contain disease agents, and then disinfected.

Acceptance into the event will be refused if the required HHD is not presented at point of entry or designated registration point, as advised by the organising committee. The property identification code (PIC) of the horse's origin must be included on the HHD.

Other biosecurity and workplace health and safety measures that aim to provide the safest environment for horses, competitors, volunteers and visitors include:

- No horses or dogs with signs of illness are to be brought onto the grounds.
- No communal horse water troughs are available at this event.
- Do not share equipment, including food and water containers, between horses.
- Competitors are responsible for cleaning up manure from yards and placing it in designated areas. Please use your own rakes/shovels.
- Competitors are required to advise the event organisers immediately if a horse is sick. Stop all non-essential contact with the sick horse. Do not allow children to have close contact with the sick horses.
- Everyone handling horses should wash or sanitise hands between contacting different horses.

OUR BIOSECURITY PLAN

Our event biosecurity plan is a set of preventative control measures and actions aimed to reducing the risk of infectious diseases and pests on and off the venue, and between horses at the venue.

WHAT TO EXPECT IN THE UNLIKELY EVENT OF A BIOSECURITY INCIDENT

In the unlikely event of a biosecurity incident, the Biosecurity Manager and the Organising Committee will implement our Event Biosecurity Plan. You will be notified about the incident and expected to follow the directions given by the organising committee. Everyone will be expected to remain at the venue until cleared to leave by the organising committee and Biosecurity Manager.

In the event if horse movement restrictions participants are responsible for the care, maintenance and cost of their horses and themselves, including feeding, bedding, vets and personal needs.

If a horse is confirmed to have an infectious disease/s the owner/lessee will be responsible for all vet costs and if venue is locked down and quarantined will be responsible for all costs associated with this.