



MAIN RIDGE PONY CLUB INC.

Registered Association: A0012812D

HORSE TRIALS FOR GRADES 1 to 5



State Qualifier for Grades 1 & 2 (subject to course accreditation)

Main Ridge Equestrian Ground, 305 Baldry's Road, Main Ridge

Sunday 13th November 2016

To be held under current rules of Pony Club Association of Victoria with PCAV dressage tests as follows:

PCAV Grade 1	1HT2 (PCAV Feb 2013)	60 x 20m arena
PCAV Grade 2	2HT2 (PCAV Feb 2013)	60 x 20m arena
PCAV Grade 3	3C (PCAV Feb 2013)	60 x 20m arena
PCAV Grade 4	4C (PCAV Feb 2013)	40 x 20m arena
PCAV Grade 5	5C (PCAV Feb 2013)	40 x 20m arena

Jumping specifications, please refer to PCAV website for new maximum heights and dimensions

Rugs for First place, Sashes to 6th place, Award for best dressage (must complete all 3 phases without elimination)

Entry Fees: \$ 70

Entries Open: Monday 5th September entries will be taken on a first in basis

Entries close: Wednesday 2nd November (or earlier if class is full – sections are limited)

Enter online via: www.eventsecretary.com.au

Email enquiries to: MRPC Event Secretary Kerry - kpwickenden@bigpond.com

Prior scratchings: www.eventsecretary.org.au

Scratchings on the day: Kerry 0438 831 146

Cross country course will be open for inspection between 2pm and 5pm the day prior to competition.

Grounds will be open from 6.30 am on the day of competition

Full canteen facilities will be available all day including breakfast from 7am

You must bring water for your horse as there is no water connected at the grounds

Due to environmental sensitivity of the grounds, all feed, hay and manure must be removed at the end of the day

All horses must present to hoof bath prior to gear check and exit through bath before leaving grounds

Times will be emailed to competitors by Wednesday 9th November

Conditions: Information on the following page forms part of the Conditions of Entry



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COMPETITOR INFORMATION

Please read the following information:

RULES

Entering the competition constitutes your acknowledgement that PCAV rules apply and your acceptance of these rules. This event will be conducted under current PCAV Horse Trials rules (February 2016)

Entry fee is \$70 per entry. Scratchings prior to closing date will incur a \$10 admin fee.

No refunds after closing date except with vet or medical certificate – no exceptions. An admin fee of \$10 will be deducted.

PCAV membership card must be presented at event office for inspection before riding. It is the rider's responsibility to present an accurate card on the day. PCAV membership cards must prove eligibility and grading in accordance with the PCAV handbook.

Competitors must be prepared to ride earlier than scheduled if required.

Riders under 8 years old may not compete.

No horses under 4 years, no stallions, colts or rigs.

Competitors may ride more than 1 horse dependant on ballot of entries and subject to the conditions of PCAV Handbook of By-laws multiple horse rules.

GROUND RULES

Dogs are prohibited without exception

No lunging permitted

Bring your own water for horses

Feed, hay and manure must be removed and taken with you at the end of the competition

STATE QUALIFIER

Classification of event as a State Qualifier is subject to course accreditation

BACK NUMBERS

Main Ridge Pony Club will provide back numbers upon registration – these must be worn for all three phases

GEAR CHECK

PCAV rules apply

Complying helmets must be worn, spot checks may occur.

Competitors must present to gear check at least 20 minutes prior to each phase, wearing official uniform, arm band and back number.

All riders must wear a medical armband for all phases

Hair must be tied up for cross country phase so that it does not obscure body number

QUERIES & PROTESTS

Judges decision is final. Queries protests, horse abuse rules as per the PCAV handbook of by-laws.

DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Neither the organising committee of this event nor the PCAV accepts any responsibility whatsoever for any accident, damage, injury or illness to horses, riders, ground spectators or any other person or property.

RESERVATION OF RIGHT

The organising committee reserves the right to cancel any class or event, to divide any class, to alter the advertised times, and to refuse any entry, with or without stating the reason.