

KERGUNYAH PONY CLUB INC.

No A0000465C



2021 HORSE TRIALS

Qualifier for State Horse Trials Grades 1, 2 & 3 and Inter-Zone Horse Trials Grades 4 & 5, subject to accreditation.

Sunday 18th of April 2021

Entries close midnight Sunday 11th of April 2021

SANDY CREEK RECREATION RESERVE, SANDY CREEK

(Lockharts Gap Road Sandy Creek)

(Vicroads Ref: Map 36 C6)

Enter via Event Secretary: <https://eventsecretary.com.au/equestrian/>

Enquiries for entries: office@eventsecretary.com (reply within 24 hrs)

Event Co-ordinator: Julie Hamilton 0456 082423

Event Enquiries: Carolyn Harris 0412 572236

Dressage Tests January 2020 [PCV Dressage Tests](#), Gear Rules 2021 [PCV Gear Rules 2021](#) & PCV By-laws 2021 [PCV By-Laws 2021](#) available on website: [PCV Rules](#)

Back Numbers will be supplied and must be worn for show-jumping and cross-country phases. Bridle and saddle cloth numbers may be worn for dressage only.

Scratchings on the day – Elle Walker 0418 473 677

CANTEEN WILL BE AVAILABLE BOTH DAYS

Entry Fees: **Pony Club Horse Trials** – Grades 1 to 6 - \$50
Open Horse Trials – Grades 1 to 5 - \$60 plus \$15 per day fee for riders without specified insurance – see below. Open riders must comply with their insurance provider requirements.

Pony Club only Combined Training - Grade 5 and 6 - \$35
Only PC combination who are graded the same grade for HT & CT may enter both competitions.

Camping (un-powered) - \$10 per site/per night, to be paid with entry. Collect camping pass at office.

Horse Yards (limited) - \$10 per yard to be paid with entry. Extra nights are \$10.00

Late entries if accepted would incur a \$20 fee.

Open Riders please note:

All participants in an Open Competition, **excluding current Pony Club Members**, must sign and provide a copy of the [Day Participant and Liability waiver form](#) (if applicable). Participants do not need to pay \$15/day or fill in the Day Participant Waiver, if they are a current member of: PCV, HRCV, EA/EV, Interstate Pony Club, AHSA, AERA, SHCA or can provide proof that they are covered by Personal Liability Insurance Cover of at least \$10,000,000 – however proof of current membership is required and a copy must be sent with entry.

Prizes:

Horse Trials (Pony Club) – Embroidered Rug for 1st place and sashes to 6th. (No equals for 1st)

Horse Trials (Open) – Prize for 1st place and sashes to 4th. (No equals for 1st)

CT (Pony Club only) – Prize for 1st place and sashes to 6th. (No equal placings)

Times:

Dressage, Show Jumping and Cross Country: All phases for all grades will be held on Sunday.

Dressage:

All Tests are PCV 2020. Arenas: Grade 1-3 – 60m x 20m/Grade 4-6 – 40m x 20m

Grade 1: Open & PCV Dressage **HT1**

Grade 2: Open & PCV Dressage **HT1**

Grade 3: Open & PCV Dressage **Test 3.2**

Grade 4: Open & PCV Dressage **Test 4.2**

Grade 5: Open & PCV Dressage **Test 5.2**

Grade 6: PCV Dressage **Test 6.1**

Copies of individual tests are available at [PCV Dressage Tests](#)

Horse Trials Rules

[http://www.ponyclubvic.org.au/Portals/231/Rules/2021/RULES HORSETRIALS 2021_070121.pdf?ver=2021-01-13-171655-300](http://www.ponyclubvic.org.au/Portals/231/Rules/2021/RULES_HORSETRIALS_2021_070121.pdf?ver=2021-01-13-171655-300)

Show Jump Specifications

Extract from PCV Horse Trials Rules 2021 (for both pony club and open sections).

C.11.5 specifications for Showjumping phase of horse trials

Grade	Distance	No of efforts	Max. Height	Max Spread		Speed metres/min
				At base	At highest point	
PCV 110	Not more than 470m	9-12	1.10m	2.10m	1.40m	325
1	Not more than 470m	9-12	1.05m	1.80	1.30m	325
2	Not more than 470m	9-12	0.95m	1.50m	1.00m	325
3	Not more than 470m	9-12	0.80m	1.00m	0.80m	300
4	Not more than 470m	8-10	0.65m	0.80m	0.65m	275
5	Not more than 470m	8-10	0.50m	0.65m	0.50m	250
6	Not more than 470m	8-10	0.35m	0.35m	0.35m	200

*Grade 6 – A true beginner, able to ride independently.

Rider must be age 8 or older to be eligible to complete in horse Trials, no minimum age for Combined Training.

Cross Country

Cross Country Judges:

Each Club MUST provide one cross country judge for the first rider and then a further one judge every three riders or part thereof entered.

Individual entries must supply one cross country judge.

Cross Country Course

*Please note that the Kergunyah Pony Club Cross Country Course located at Sandy Creek Reserve, will be officially closed from midnight on **4th of April 2021**. Any competitors found on the course during the 2 weeks leading up to the competition may be eliminated.

Course will be open for walking, pending accreditation, on the afternoon of Saturday 17th of April 2021.

C.10.3. Table for Cross Country Heights, Spreads, Efforts & Speeds

HORSE TRIALS & SUPERCROSS	Grade 6	Grade 5	Grade 4	Grade 3	Grade 2	Grade 1	PCV 110
NOTE: These are MAXIMUM dimensions. There is no compulsion for all fences to be at the maximum height or spread.							
Fixed	0.35m	0.50m	0.65m	0.80m	0.95m	1.05m	1.10m
Brush *see note below	0.35m	0.50m	0.80m	0.95m	1.15m	1.25m	1.30m
Top Spread	0.35m	0.50m	0.65m	0.80m	1.00m	1.20m	1.40m
Base Spread	0.35m	0.65m	0.80m	1.20m	1.50m	1.80m	2.10m
Spread Without Height	Not allowed	0.65m	0.95m	1.40m	2.00m	2.40m	2.80m
Drop- Maximum	Not allowed	0.50m	0.70m	1.00m	1.20m	1.40m	1.60m
Water							
Maximum Height of obstacle into water with drop	Not allowed	Not allowed	0.15m	0.30m ^{##}	0.50m ^{##}	0.80m	1.10m
Maximum Height of obstacle into water without drop	Not allowed	Not allowed	Not allowed	0.30m ^{##}	0.50m ^{##}	0.80m	1.10m
Maximum drop into water (incl obstacle)	Not allowed	ramp into water but MUST have a non-water option	0.50m but must have a ramp option	1.00m	1.20m	1.40m	1.60m
Water depth- entry to exit	Not allowed	0.30m [#]	0.30m	0.30m	0.30m	0.30m	0.30m
Minimum width of water crossing (See Rule C.10.6.c.)	Not allowed	6.00m	6.00m	6.00m	6.00m	6.00m	6.00m
Speed (metres per minute)	200	275	320	360	420	500	520
Distance	750-1200m	1000 - 1600m	1200- 2000m	1500- 2500m	2000- 3000m	2000- 3000m	2600- 3120m
Number of EFFORTS	Max 10, incl 1 AB, no bounces.	Min 14- Max 18	Min 14- Max 20	Min 15- Max 25	Min 18- Max 25	Min 20- Max 25	Min 20- Max 30
Minimum Age - rider must be age 8 or older to be eligible to compete in Horse Trials							
*Brush fences must be regularly maintained and allow horses to pass readily through the brush and not present a 'solid' element to the fence. Back of brush box MUST NOT be higher than front. The material used must be such that the risk of injury to horses is as small as possible. Thick stems and sharp ends after trimming/cutting must be avoided.							
[#] if water is used for Grade 5 an option not involving water must be provided.							
^{##} These heights are recommended for 2021 and compulsory from 1 Jan 2022.							
Frangible pins/deformable/MIMS compulsory for PCV110 and from 1 Jan 2022 compulsory for Grade 1 (1.05m).							

Conditions of Entry: Entry is conditional upon acceptance of these conditions.

COVID 19 Regulations – Current PCV and State COVID 19 Guidelines and Regulations will be followed.

1. Open Riders (including Pony Club open riders)

- a. **Everybody** fills in the [PCV Liability Declaration Form](#) via [Event Secretary](#) excluding Pony Club members who are able to provide a current membership card and PCV member number. Please read instructions carefully.
 - b. \$15 Day Attendance Fee is due UNLESS you are a financial member* of EV/EA; HRCav; AHS; SHCA; AERA; an Interstate Pony Club; or can prove personal Liability Cover of at least \$10,000,000. ***Must** produce proof with entry. If not provided you will have to pay insurance at c below. Please ensure all cards are available on the day. Note: some insurance does not cover you whilst riding above your grading. If so you must pay the \$15 per day insurance also.
 - c. Riders without adequate Insurance Cover pay \$15 per day (ie, \$30 for weekend event) for Liability Only cover for the duration of the event. (Not personal Medical) and complete the [PCV Day Participant Waiver](#) via [Event Secretary](#).
 - d. PCV club member cards must be inspected at the secretary's office.
PCV Insurance Policy specifically states anyone not following PCV Rules may be left uninsured.
2. No refunds after closing date except with vet or medical certificate. An admin fee of \$10 will be deducted for all refunds.
 3. Entering this competition constitutes acknowledgement that PCV rules apply and acceptance of these rules.
 4. The organising committee reserves the right to cancel any class or competition; divide any class; alter times; refuse any entry with or without stating the reason.
 5. Competitors may ride more than one horse, subject to the conditions of *PCV Handbook of By-laws* multiple horse rules.
 6. Complying helmets must worn, spot checks may occur.
Helmet Standards PCA: <https://ponyclubaustralia.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/PCA-helmets-2020.pdf>
 7. **Gear Check:** required for all riders before each phase. PCV Gear rules must be followed: [PCV Gear Rules 2021](#)
 8. Medical Armbands: are optional, but recommended to be worn by all competitors in all phases.
 9. Riders under eight years of age may not compete in the Horse Trials competition, horses must be at least age four, no stallions, colts or rigs.
 10. Competitor numbers - the organising committee will pre-allocate and advise numbers. Competitors may supply their own numbers. Body numbers must be used for cross-country and show jumping phases. Body numbers will be supplied at the event.
 11. All riders must report to the office before riding.
 12. All PC riders should wear approved club uniform which includes white, fawn, beige or oatmeal jodhpurs and a sleeved garment.
 13. Open riders must wear jodhpurs/breeches and sleeved garment in club colours if appropriate. The minimum requirement is PCV Approved Helmet, jodhpurs/breeches of banana, cream, fawn, white or beige colour, boots and a sleeved garment.
 14. All riders' hair must be tied up to allow competitor number to be seen.
 15. PCV Alcohol Policy applies.
 16. Dogs and other pets are prohibited without exception.
 17. Queries, protests, horse abuse, rules as per the *PCV Handbook of By-Laws*.
 18. PCV Lunging Policy applies. Lunging is not permitted at this competition.
 19. 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.
 20. Stabling and portable yards must be of solid construction. The use of electrified tape, strings, ropes or chains, is not permitted. Electric tape can be used as a top line "standoff" on a steel or solid yard, but not as a standalone yard.
 21. PLEASE NOTE: Draw will be posted on www.northeasternzone.com Please access the website on *Thursday before event for your times. Times will not be emailed unless prior arrangements are made with the event secretary.*

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