



## 2026 PCQ STATE HORSE TRIALS CHAMPIONSHIPS

20/21 June, 2026

- Many thanks to Warwick Horse Trials' Club for facilitating the running of our Championships in conjunction with their competition



**VENUE:** Warwick Horse Trials' Club, Morgan Park, Warwick (PIC – QKWW0486)

**TECHNICAL DELEGATE:** John Hughes - 0467951738

**JUDGE IN CHIEF:** Tracey Camilleri - 0418778023

**SECRETARY/ENQUIRIES:** Melinda Hughes – 0407370422 or mhughespcq@hotmail.com

**ENTRY FEES:** \$75 + \$35 for first aid levy

**CHANGE FEE:** \$10 – for adjustment to draw times or change of class after draw is done

**CAMPING:** Powered site - \$45 per night  
Unpowered site - \$35 per night

**YARDS:** \$25 per day. BYO yards - \$20 per day but NO access to power. MUST seek permission before nominating - contact WHT, Secretary@warwickhorsetrials.com.au

**Entries To:** ALL nominations are to be lodged online via the Nominate website: [www.nominate.com.au](http://www.nominate.com.au)

**CLOSING DATE: 11.00pm, Sunday, 24 May, 2026** (to assist in allocation of yards and camping prior to WHT opening their nominations)

**Please note: for those who are in need of a Q from Burpengary HT competition, 30/31 May, you will be able to edit your nomination when this is obtained (by 11.00pm, Sunday, 31 May, 2026) and it will be accepted. Otherwise, nomination will be refunded.**

*Nominations will only be accepted via Nominate. Zones will be sent notification of your nomination. **TO FACILITATE THIS, YOU MUST SCAN A COPY OF YOUR CARD TO BOTH YOUR CLUB AND ZONE SECRETARY BY CLOSE OF NOMS, 24 MAY.** If the nomination is not endorsed by your Zone, the nomination will be rejected. Please refer to PCQ rules for qualification requirements or contact your Zone for clarification prior to nominating.*

**YARDS:**

- Cost does not include sawdust
- Yards to be clean prior to departure
- Manure is to be put in designated areas. **DO NOT PLACE IN LANEWAYS OR AROUND TREES**
- Yards, with camping space, will be allocated to you before your arrival.

**ARRIVALS:** Arrivals are permitted from midday, Friday, 19 June, 2026. If arriving on Friday, prior to midday, please advise WHT, [Secretary@warwickhorsetrials.com.au](mailto:Secretary@warwickhorsetrials.com.au) beforehand Can arrive from 1.00pm, Thursday, 18 June but **MUST** contact WHT, [Secretary@warwickhorsetrials.com.au](mailto:Secretary@warwickhorsetrials.com.au) beforehand and pay appropriate Yard and camping fees when nominating.

**Zones to advise Secretary of name and number of each Team Manager, prior to the start of the event.**

**TEAM MANAGERS' MEETINGS:** 5.00pm, Friday, 19 June at Riders' Retreat (please bring all HHDs and completed performance cards)

**GENERAL INFORMATION:**

- **ASSISTANCE REQUIRED:** Remember this event is being run for your enjoyment by a group of dedicated volunteers. WHT will be using the Signup app (see point 10 below) so **ALL** parents and older riders will be required to assist. Extra assistance will be asked for, at times, so don't look the other way.
- **Warwick is in a tick free area.** For horses coming from a tick infested area please seek advice from your local DPI or look at their website: <https://www.dpi.qld.gov.au>, as horses may have to be sprayed before entering
- **RIDERS' and PARENTS' GET TOGETHER:** At Riders' Retreat on Saturday night from 5.30/6.00pm – **BYO** drinks, chairs, dinner, nibbles and an appetite to renew old friendships or meet new people and have a chat. There will be some fire drums to keep us warm.
- Please bring your own brazier for your own camp fire.
- **RUBBISH:** Please make sure all your rubbish is either taken home with you or placed in the skip bins provided around the grounds.

- **DOGS:** Dogs are welcome but are NOT allowed on the cross country course, the competition arenas or warm up areas. Dogs must always be on a leash and secure.
- **TROTUP:** There will be NO trotup before the start of this event, however horses will be monitored in all phases.
- **BIOSECURITY:** Horse Health Declaration Forms must be handed in on arrival. One form per property/owner or person in charge of horse/s. In case of a lockdown, the responsibility and expenses incurred at this event will rest with the owners of the animals.  
Will adhere to WHT's Biosecurity Plan
- **BANNERS:** Zones are requested to bring their banners
- **PRYDES' EASIFEED** will provide feed vouchers and other items as lucky bib prizes
- **INTERSTATE RIDERS:** Nominations must come through your State Secretary. All competitors ride under PCQ Rules: <https://ponyclubqld.com.au/disciplines/horse-trials/>
- **PLEASE BE FAMILIAR WITH THESE PCA POLICIES:**  
**PCA HORSE MEDICATION POLICY:**  
<https://ponyclubaustralia.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2025/02/PCA-Horse-Medication-Policy-2023.pdf>
- **PCA CODE OF CONDUCT:**  
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### **RULES and INFORMATION:**

1. **RULES: All competitions will run according to PCQ rules (not EA rules).** Team Managers and competitors are expected to be familiar with all applicable rules of PCQ:  
<https://ponyclubqld.com.au/disciplines/horse-trials/>
2. **Riders will be allowed to compete on two horses but only in the PCQ competition** ie you CANNOT ride one horse in the PCQ competition and another in the WHT competition
3. **Riders will use PCQ bibs in ALL phases** for ease of recognition
4. **Bad language, excessive striking of the horse, abuse or disrespect to the judge or officials will result in disqualification, as per PCQ/PCA Rules**
5. **GEAR RULES:**  
as per the National Gear Rules: <https://ponyclubaustralia.com.au/national-gear-rules-jan-2026-marked-up/>

6. **ENTRY QUALIFICATIONS:**

As per the PCQ Guidelines: <https://ponyclubqld.com.au/qualifying-for-state-events/>

7. **ENTRY FORMS:** Incorrect or misleading information will incur elimination.

8. **DRAW:** The draw and other relevant information will be emailed.

9. **BACK NUMBERS:** The Zone Team Manager will be responsible for the collection and return of Back Numbers. Back numbers not returned at the end of competition will be billed to Zones at \$100/bib.

10. **ZONE TEAM MANAGER:** Each Zone will appoint a Team Manager for each discipline. Their duties are to be:

- Responsible for all team members whilst at the event.
- Inspect uniforms and gear of competitors before they report to gear check steward.
- Arrange with the team to walk the course for the showjumping round and cross country
- Responsible for lodging of protest, which must be made in writing within one hour of the incident or of results being posted, accompanied by a \$50 fee. Please note, no parent is to approach any scorers, officials directly – you MUST go via your team manager
- Responsible for the back numbers and their return
- Assemble riders for presentation ensuring that all competitors are mounted and present at Presentation
- Collect and submit grading cards - please prefill performance cards before submitting them at the team managers' meeting
- Ensure that zone duties are fulfilled

11. **NOMINATED HELPERS:** Zones will be required to supply helpers throughout the event. **WHT will be using the Signup.com for volunteers in all phases of this event. The link will be sent out with the draw and it is expected that parents and older riders will assist. We will need PC members to sign up to do gear check for all phases.** Team Managers will be given lists of those who have logged in to assist so that this can be monitored, and work is shared fairly. Please note that if helpers are not provided by their Zone their riders will not be allowed to compete.

12. **PRESENTATION:** All riders are required to stay for the presentation, mounted and in full uniform, **ribbon winners or not** for the final parade. An unmounted assembly may be organized at the discretion of the Organising Body in extenuating circumstances.

***Request for special permission to leave must be made in writing by the Zone Team Manager and may be granted by the Judge in Chief and the Chief Steward in exceptional circumstances.***

13. **REFUND OF ENTRY FEES:** Entry fees will be refunded if the Organising Secretary is advised before the start of the competition, such advice of withdrawal being accompanied by either a Veterinary Certificate for the horse or a Medical Certificate for the rider. 10% of the entry fee maybe retained to cover administration costs.

14. **DISCLAIMER:** Neither the organising Committee nor the PCQ accepts any liability for any accident, damage, injury or illness to horses, owners, riders, and ground spectators or any other person or property whatsoever

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



### **AWARDS:**

**PERPETUAL TROPHIES:** Perpetual trophies remain the property of PCQ and are to be returned following photographs taken at presentation

**REPLICA TROPHIES:** Awarded to members of winning Zone & State Teams

**CHAMPIONSHIP RUGS:** Presented to the winners of each Grade/Age Group, sponsored by Aussie Blue Heeler Products

**RESERVE CHAMPION:** Saddlecloths to the runner-ups in each Grade/Age Group, sponsored by Aussie Blue Heeler Products

**MEDALLIONS:** Medallions will be presented to 3<sup>rd</sup> place in each Grade/Age Group

**SASHES:** To 10th place overall in each Height/Age  
To 3rd place in Zone Teams (Qld Teams Only)  
To 1<sup>st</sup> place in the winning State Team. Gidgee Eyewear will provide a pair of sunglasses to each member of the winning State Team

**STATE POLO SHIRT:** Members of the Queensland State Team are entitled to receive a Maroon State Polo Shirt from PCQ. Club Secretaries are to apply to PCQ giving the size required within two weeks of the fixture.





# PONY CLUB

QUEENSLAND

## PCQ STATE HORSE TRIAL CHAMPIONSHIPS, 2026

**Saturday, 20 June:** Starting Time: 8.00am

**Dressage Phase** - Tests are from: <https://www.equestrian.org.au/Eventing-Dressage-tests>

**Some showjumping** will be done on Saturday and rest on Sunday, as per the draw.

**Riders' briefing** on Saturday afternoon – time to be advised.

**Sunday, 21 June:**

**Cross country judges' briefing** at 7.00am.

**Starting time for XC phase and remainder of showjumping** to be advised on draw

Horse Trials' performance cards, for all riders, must be handed to the office by 7:30 am on 20 June or the day before by the Team Manager at Team Managers' Meeting.

Class	Grade/Age	Test	XC Speed	XC and Showjumping Height
HT1	Two Star <b>Goodwin Family Trophy</b>	CCI 2star 2024 Dressage Test B	520 mpm	110 cm
HT2	One Star <b>Le Bherz Family Shield</b>	Ev-Test-B-CCN1-2020	500 mpm	105 cm
HT3	Preliminary <b>Kevin Dawes Trophy</b>	EvA Test B 95 2020	450 mpm	95cm
HT4	Introductory <b>Kennedy and Middleton Trophy</b>	EvA Test B 80 2020	400 mpm	80 cm
HT5	Pre-Introductory <b>Melinda and John Hughes Shield</b>	Ev Test B 45 & 60 2020	350 mpm	65 cm
HT6	12 years & under Introductory <b>Kevin Lingard Trophy</b>	EvA Test B 80 2020	400 mpm	80 cm
HT7	12 years & under Pre-Introductory <b>PCQ Shield</b>	Ev Test B 45 & 60 2020	350 mpm	65 cm
<b>Zone Teams: Awarded the T.A. Field Cup</b>		<b>Queensland Zones only</b> Teams to consist of 4 riders from one Zone - best 3 scores to count		
<b>State Teams: Awarded the Eagers Holden Trophy</b>		Teams to consist of 4 riders from one State with the highest points.		
<b>Percy Bishop Trophy</b>		To be awarded to Highest Points for 1 Horse/1 Rider Combination over State Dressage, Combined Training and Horse Trials – to be decided after State Dressage and Combined Training		

## MERCHANDISE

- Please choose your items carefully, using size guides included, as there are **NO refunds available**
- Items will be available for collection at Warwick
- When you wish to purchase, please use this link to order and pay for your items:  
<https://www.cavaleira.com.au/collections/pcq-state-horse-trials-merchandise>



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upgrade - rider  
& horse name  
**\$25**



Adult \$59.95



Youth \$54.95

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upgrade - rider  
& horse name  
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