

Guidelines for the Rally Day Presentation Trophy

5 POINTS - RIDER

Overall Appearance

- Pony Club Rally Day Uniform should be worn and should be tidy and clean, with boots well polished or cleaned.
- A long or short sleeved Club Polo Shirt **SHOULD BE** worn. Sun Safety. All shirts to be tucked into riding pants.
- Jeans, moleskins, jodphurs (beige, fawn or coloured) can be worn.
- Tallebudgera Pony Club Saddle cloth/blankets should be clean on both sides.
- Chappetts may be worn on a rally day, but must be clean.
- **Gaiters can be worn in the same colour as the boot, may be used with jodphur boots under the same conditions as long top boots. Can wear brown or black jodphur boots with same colour gaiters. Gaiters must be worn with at least the exposed side of gaiter to be of full grain leather (full grain hide). PCAQ 2008.**
- Only sleeper or stud earrings to be worn - Rings only allowed **UNDER GLOVES**. PCAQ 2005.
- Helmets AS/NZS 3838, EN 1384 or ASTM F1163 with effective chin strap, Helmets must be worn whenever mounted. PCAQ 2004.

ONE POINT DEDUCTED FOR:

- Dirty boots, Gaiters, Chappetts, Dirty Jodphurs, Moleskins, Jeans, Dirty Shirt, Dirty Saddle Cloth/Blanket, Untidy hair (hair should be pulled back off face). Shirt not tucked into riding pants.

5 POINTS - HORSE

- **Plaited or unplaited or hogged manes, plaited, pulled or shaved tails, horses clipped or unclipped - Presentation is NOT a hack or showing class. Confirmation of the horse is not taken into account. It should be remembered that the majority of pony club horses are kept in paddocks not stabled, and it is necessary to maintain natural oils in the coat. PCAQ 2007.**
- Well presented, good condition, shiney coat (clipped or un-clipped), hooves well maintained (shod or un-shod), clean mane & tail.
- Horses suffering from Qld Itch or having seedy toe or greasy heal, and are under treatment **WILL NOT** have points deducted. Some horses are more susceptible to these conditions than others, ask rider if they are being treated.
- Correctly fitting boots & bandages must be clean.
- Clean hooves.

ONE POINT DEDUCTED FOR:

- Dirty coat, mane, tail, feet needing attention (nails lifting), long toes etc. Bott eggs, bandages or boots dirty or incorrectly fitted.

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5 POINTS - TACK

- Should NOT be judged on its newness, brand or cost. There should be NO BASIS against synthetic saddlery, or stock saddles. Saddlery should be judged on whether it is well preserved and clean and well fitted and comfortable for the horse. It should, of course, be with pony club rules of permitted gear. PCAQ 2007.
- NO WESTERN SADDLES ALLOWED - PCAQ 2008
- BRIDLE (LEATHER OR SYNTHETIC) - To be fitted well, clean, oiled if leather, clean bitt, keepers in place.
- SADDLE (LEATHER OR SYNTHETIC) - To be fitted well, clean, oiled if leather, stirrup irons and rubbers to be clen, (Check stitching on leathers & girths), girth/s to be clean and not pinching horse.

ONE POINT DEDUCTED FOR:

- Bridle incorrectly fitted, straps not in keepers, cheek straps too long or too short, bitt to small or too big and not clean. No stoppers on reins if wearin a martingale. Saddle incorrectly fitted, loose and dirty girth/s, rusty stirrup irons and dirty rubbers, leathers in need of repair, saddle sitting to low on horses back.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH PCAQ & TALLEBUDGERA PONY CLUB RULES FOR PRESENTATION AT A RALLY DAY.