



Tallebudgera Pony Club

60th Anniversary Formal Gymkhana

24th March 2024.

State Qualifying Event

To be held at Tallebudgera Pony Club 29 Andrews Road Tallebudgera (PIC QBGC1593)
Gates open at 6.30am /Office open 7.00am/Gear Check 8.30am
Staggered Start Times - 9.00am for 13 Yrs. & over/10.00am for 12 Yrs. & under.
Formals will be completed then lunch break, before jumping & novelties commence.

Nominations: via Nominate.com.au. \$35 per class includes First Aid Levy
 Seniors must nominate height for jumping. Riders must present their sporting cards, HHD's & PCQ membership card at the office to receive their wristband.
No wristband - No ride, 2 Horse rule applies as per PCQ Rule book.

- Nominations close: **Friday 22nd March 2024** at 9.00pm. Entries on the day \$40 per class.
- Camping: Available Saturday 23rd March -\$20 powered camp/\$15 non powered/\$10 undercover horse yard including use on Sunday. Refundable stable bond of \$20 upon inspection at the end of the event.
- Enquiries: Danielle Bel-Saunders secretary@tallebudgeraponyclub.com or 0414 437 678
- Chief Steward: Ping Jaa president@tallebudgeraponyclub.com or 0418118188

8 YRS & UNDER, 9 YRS, 10 YRS, 11 YRS, 12 YRS, 13 YRS, 14 YRS, 15 YRS, 16 YRS, ASSOCIATES (17 YRS & U26) AND SENIORS PROGRAMME

Formals	Sporting
	Keyhole
Natural Presentation with Rein Drill	Bending
Rider	Half Hitch
Hack	Right Angle Bounce
Jumping Equitation	Clover Leaf
	Scudda Ho

ASSISTED ANY AGE - LED LINE PROGRAMME

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	Clover Leaf
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AWARDS: Ribbons to 5th Place in all Classes – points to 10th place
OVERALL: Awards for 1st, 2nd & 3rd in each group
Assisted will not be placed but will receive ribbons for classes & overall participant rosettes
Spot Prizes



Canteen facilities available all day

**** No Help No Ride for all Tallebudgera Pony Club Members ****

FIRST AID POINT WILL BE LOCATED IN THE CLUB'S OFFICE

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. If there are less than 3 competitive riders in a class or a combined class, the organising committee reserves the right to withhold the overall prize for that class.

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

EVENT RUN TO COVID SAFE PLAN:

- Adherence to the current COVID-19 Guidelines as provided by Queensland Health
- Compliance with physical distancing and hand hygiene
- If you are unwell do not attend the grounds

Thank you to our wonderful sponsors: -



RULES:

- 2020 Horse and Participant Health Declaration form must be handed in when collecting back numbers – NO FORM NO RIDE <https://ponyclubqld.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2020/10/Horse-and-Participation-Health-Declaration-v2.pdf>
- PIC Numbers MUST be on the nomination form, or your nomination will not be accepted
- 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 if the protest is upheld.
- First Aid will be in attendance.
- No Stallions or Rigs allowed on grounds.
- All riders must wear an approved riding helmet or better, along with riding boots

- <https://ponyclubaustralia.com.au/sports/national-gear-rules/>
- No Horses on grounds unless competing.
- Tallebudgera Pony Club is a non-smoking Club.
- Full Canteen Facilities Available.
- NO DOGS ON THE GROUNDS OR IN FLOATS**
- This Event will be run under the Current PCQ Protocols, Rules, and Regulations.
- 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 financial PCQ members.
- You must personally be in attendance in full pony club uniform for presentation of awards; otherwise, your award will be forfeited.
- 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: PCQ & Tallebudgera Pony Club's Code of Conduct will be in effect. Bad language, excessive striking of a horse, abuses 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, (see PCA National Gear Rules).
- PCQ 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. **NOT VIA FACEBOOK.** 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 PCQ Steward (TD), to decide in a sporting spirit and adhere as closely as possible to the intention of these rules.**

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.

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

Horse Health Declarations (HHD) is a 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 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 at reducing the risk of infections, 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 of 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 the venue is locked down and quarantined will be responsible for all costs associated with this.

TALLEBUDGERA PONY CLUB (PIC QBGC1593) DOES NOT HOLD A LOW RISK CLASSIFICATION BY DPI, AND AS SUCH SELF CERTIFICATION CANNOT BE USED. ALL COMPETITORS TRAVELLING FROM NSW WILL NEED TO HAVE THEIR HORSES SPRAYED BY A VET OR AN ACCREDITED CERTIFIER.