

**2024 MIDLAND ZONE FLAT/PAIRS/MUSICAL
GAMES STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS QUALIFIER**



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**FLAT/PAIRS/MUSICAL & GAMES
STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS QUALIFIER
Sunday 21st April 2024**

Hosted by **Section C** at **Bealiba Pony Club**
Park Lane, Bealiba Vic 3475

ENTRIES CLOSE – SUNDAY 14th APRIL 2024

Horse yards available \$10

Camping \$10

Book via Julie Gould email: jaidgould@activ8.net.au

FULL CATERING AVAILABLE

Enquiries: Jill Marshall 0428542524

All Entries Via email: mzeventsec@outlook.com

Team payments via Direct Transfer from Pony Club Accounts

Times will be posted on the Midland Zone Website

<http://www.midlandzoneponyclub.org.au/>

ENTRY FEE:	Flat Teams	\$60.00 per team
	Musical Ride	\$60.00 per team
	Pairs Teams	\$30.00 per team
	Games Teams	\$15.00 per rider
	Non Competitive Riders	\$10.00 per rider

The PCV State Championships 2024:

DATE: June 22nd (Games) and June 23rd (Flat)

Venue –Bacchus Marsh Pony Club

Midland Zone will cover half the State entry fee for 1st & 2nd Teams in each event.

Pony Club Cards - Any pony club member who does not present an accurate card will be disqualified. It is your responsibility to ensure that your membership card is accurate and presented to the organizing committee on the day. Note that DC's may not alter or correct grading at the competition. If you are not sure about how a membership card must be completed, please read the Membership Cards Guidelines i. Click here: <https://www.ponyclubvic.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2022/04/Membership-Card-Guidelines-2019.pdf>

These competitions are conducted in accordance with **PCV State Championship Booklet Rules** and:-

- PCA Gear Rules
- PCV Handbook of By-laws (current)
- PCV Sun Smart, Smoke Free and Alcohol Policies
- PCV Code of Conduct

Note for Team Managers: All riders wanting to attend the PCV state event need to fill in the **MEDICAL VET WAIVER FORM** and Team managers need to hand into the admin area with riders membership cards. The form is available online. The link is on page 11

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PCV State Rule for Composite Teams

- Composite Teams for Games, Flat and Musical (which is at the Zone Representatives discretion). Teams must meet the criteria for age groups and eligibility; members of each team must be from the same Zone.
- The Midland Zone allows clubs to form Composite Teams thus encouraging riders to join in and have a go. Composite Teams that meet the rider eligibility guidelines can compete for placings. If a Composite Team qualifies for State they may be eligible to compete at the Zone Reps discretion. The Composite Team is not eligible to win the **Cyril Martin Perpetual Trophy**. This Trophy can only be won by the highest placing Club Team.

NON-COMPETITIVE CLUB TEAMS

A club may make up a non-competitive team. The team may consist of riders being assisted, with card annuities, and excess riders in a higher age group. These teams will compete in a competition against other clubs riding **“NOT TO SCORE”**.

ELIGIBILITY

‘C’ Certificates – Riders who have been in pony club for more than two years and are aged over 13 years (have passed their 14th birthday by the day of the championships) must have attained their ‘C’ Certificate in order to compete at the State Championships in accordance with criteria for State events in the PCV Handbook of By-laws.

Flat or Pairs or Musical or Games – Eligible combinations may compete in all or any of the flat competitions (Flat Teams and/or Musical Ride) and/or the Kay Irving Memorial Games in the same year.

GEAR RULES

Strictly in accordance with the PCA National Gear Rules . <https://ponyclubaustralia.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/National-Gear-Rules-JANUARY-2024-marked.pdf>

Also refer to specific sections in the gear rules for Flat Teams, Musical Ride and Games.

Gear check is required once before the Flat Tests, Pairs Ride, Musical Ride and once before the Games program begins.

All team members must present to gear check with their Team Manager.

For games, no helmet covers, other than the one supplied by the Organising Committee, are to be worn.

Each Flat Team is responsible for providing their own back numbers 1 - 4 or 1 & 2 (Pairs)

Letters for Games Teams will be provided on the day by the Organising Committee. Team Managers must collect letters in sets of seven.

HORSE RESTRICTIONS

1. The horse must be at least 4 years of age for Mounted Games.
2. Any horse which is lame, or becomes lame, will be excluded from the competition
3. Height/weight ratio of riders and mount are to be assessed by the Zone Representative

SCORING – as per the PCV Schedule

AWARDS

Flat Ride – **“Nelson Memorial Perpetual Trophy”** – sashes 1st to 6th place.

Musical Ride – **“Betty Klingenberg/Rosemary Harris Perpetual Trophy”** – sashes 1st to 6th place.

Games Team – **“Cyril Martin Perpetual Trophy”** – sashes 1st to 6th place.

Pairs Team – sashes 1st to 6th place

Presentations – Flat & Musical Ride presentations will be made unmounted. Games Team presentations will be done mounted, all riders must present wearing full pony club uniform.

PLEASE NOTE:

All clubs will be given jobs they need to fill on the day

Events:

1. Team of Four Ride (all rides in 60m x 30m Arenas)
<https://www.ponyclubvic.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/Team-of-Four-Ride-No.3-2024-1.pdf>
2. Pairs Team Ride (60m x 30m Arenas)
<https://www.ponyclubvic.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/Pairs-Rehearsed-Ride-3-diagrams-2024.pdf>
3. Musical Ride schedule (60m x 30m arena)
<https://www.ponyclubvic.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2023/05/2023-GFMR-Musical-Ride-Schedule.pdf>
4. Games competition

KAY IRVING MEMORIAL MOUNTED GAMES – 2024

EVENTS

1. Bending/Baton Relay
2. Carton Race
3. 2 Mug Shuffle
4. 2 Flag Race
5. Baton Relay
6. Tent Pegging
7. Milk Bottle Race
8. Flag and Drum Relay (at State level flags will not be attached to the poles)

2024 Schedule

<https://www.ponyclubvic.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/2024-Games-Schedule.pdf>



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Entries to

Jill Marshall email: mzeventsec@outlook.com

Entry Forms:

Team of Four

Team of Four Flat Ride Entry form Entry Fee \$60.00 per Team							
Club			Team Name				
Team Manager			Team Manger email				
No	PCV Membership Number	Rider Name	Rider Surname	Age	Horse	C Certificate	Rider willing to ride at PCV State Championships
1							
2							
3							
4							

Team of Four Flat Ride Entry form Entry Fee \$60.00 per Team							
Club			Team Name				
Team Manager			Team Manger email				
No	PCV Membership Number	Rider Name	Rider Surname	Age	Horse	C Certificate	Rider willing to ride at PCV State Championships
1							
2							
3							
4							

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Pairs Team

Pairs Team Ride Entry form Entry Fee \$30.00 per Team							
Club		Team Name					
Team Manager		Team Manger email					
No	PCV Membership Number	Rider Name	Rider Surname	Age	Horse	C Certificate	Rider willing to ride at PCV State Championships
1							
2							

Pairs Team Ride Entry form Entry Fee \$30.00 per Team							
Club		Team Name					
Team Manager		Team Manger email					
No	PCV Membership Number	Rider Name	Rider Surname	Age	Horse	C Certificate	Rider willing to ride at PCV State Championships
1							
2							

Pairs Team Ride Entry form Entry Fee \$30.00 per Team							
Club		Team Name					
Team Manager		Team Manger email					
No	PCV Membership Number	Rider Name	Rider Surname	Age	Horse	C Certificate	Rider willing to ride at PCV State Championships
1							
2							

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Musical Team Ride

Musical Ride Entry form Entry Fee \$60.00 per Team							
Club		Team Name					
Team Manager		Team Manger email					
No	PCV Membership Number	Rider Name	Rider Surname	Age	Horse	C Certificate	Rider willing to ride at PCV State Championships
1							
2							
3							
4							

Musical Ride Entry form Entry Fee \$60.00 per Team							
Club		Team Name					
Team Manager		Team Manger email					
No	PCV Membership Number	Rider Name	Rider Surname	Age	Horse	C Certificate	Rider willing to ride at PCV State Championships
1							
2							
3							
4							

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Games Team

Composition of Games Teams

Club Teams may comprise six or seven combinations that meet eligibility rules (updated in 2019);

- I. At least 4 riders in the team must be 16 years of age or younger (on the day of the State Finals)**
- II. The other 2 or 3 riders can be of any PC age (on the day of the State Finals)**

- Teams that qualify at Zone level with six riders may include a 7th rider in accordance with the PCV rules.
- The Team Manager may select any six combinations for any event
- The selected combinations may compete in any order in each event
- The order of riders must not be changed once an event has commenced

Games Team Entry form Entry Fee \$15.00 per rider							
Club		Team Name					
Team Manager		Team Manger email					
No	PCV Membership Number	Rider Name	Rider Surname	Age	Horse	C Certificate	Rider willing to ride at PCV State Championships
1							
2							
3							
4							
5							
6							
7							

Entries to
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Non Competitive TEAM

Assisted Non Competitive Games Section

\$10.00 per Rider –

This section is for Riders who are not ready to be a part of a competitive games Team and may require assistance.

If clubs only have a few riders for this section they can be entered and will be placed into a non competitive composite Team

Rider	Age	Mount	Club
		Total Entry Fee	

Composite Teams

The Midland Zone encourages the formation of Composite Games Teams (made up of two or more clubs) this is an ideal way of maximising riders and club participation and a great way to make new friends.

Clubs can make up composite teams jointly or put forward riders to be placed in teams where positions are available.

If there is a rider in your club that is not able to be a part of the club team please contact the Zone Event Secretary, Jill Marshall, so that she can help riders to join a team.

Email: mzeventsec@outlook.com

We ask Club DC's to ensure these composite riders have been practicing skills at rallies.



Conditions of entry

- Entering this competition constitutes acknowledgement that PCV/PCA rules apply and acceptance of these rules.
- The organising Committee reserves the right to alter times; refuse any entry with or without stating the reason.
- Neither the organising committee of this competition nor the Midland Zone accepts any responsibility whatsoever for any accident, damage, injury or illness to horses, riders, ground spectators or any other person or property.
- PCV Club Member Cards must be presented at Zone Qualifier before riding to ensure eligibility is proven in accordance with the current PCV Handbook of By-Laws.
- **NO REFUNDS** will be given unless a vet or medical certificate is produced within 7 days of the event
- PCV membership cards must be inspected at the office before riding.
- Gear check will be carried out prior to riding. Only pony club regulation gear will be acceptable. Current PCA pony club gear rules must be adhered to. <https://ponyclubaustralia.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/Pony-ClubAustralia-Gear-Rules-National-2023.pdf>
- PCV No smoking and alcohol policies apply.
- Lungeing is allowed only in the designated area. (Round yard)
- No dogs allowed
- Queries, Protests, Horse Abuse and Doping: as per the current PCV Handbook of Bylaws.

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Club Payment Form

Club Name: _____

Flat Teams x \$60.00 Total \$ _____

Pairs Teams x \$30.00 Total \$ _____

Musical Ride Teams x \$60.00 Total \$ _____

Games Team Riders x \$15.00 Total \$ _____

Non Competitive Riders x \$10.00 Total \$ _____

Total Club Entry \$ _____

Club Payments must be made by Direct Debit to the Midland Zone Account.

Account Name: Midland Zone

Bank: Bendigo Bank

BSB: 633 000

Account Number: 161 780 325

Job List

Midland Zone will need clubs to supply helpers for the following jobs

- ❖ Gear Checkers all events
- ❖ Pencillers – Flat & Musical Rides
- ❖ Games marshal (Coordinate Teams)
- ❖ Games – lane stewards x 15
- ❖ Dismantle the flat rings & set up the games events (all Clubs expected to help)
- ❖ Pack up at the end of the day (all Clubs expected to help)

Clubs will be allocated jobs on the day and it will be their responsibility to ensure they have a person allocated to this job.

Equipment - Clubs will be asked to supply equipment on 'as needed' basis.



ATTENTION ALL RIDERS:

ALL MIDLAND ZONE RIDERS WISHING TO RIDE AT THE PCV STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS IN ANY OF THE 4 EVENTS MUST HAND IN A COMPLETED MEDICAL VET WAIVER FORM AT THE START OF THE ZONE EVENT (ONE FORM EACH HORSE/COMBINATION) Form available here:

<https://www.ponyclubvic.org.au/gfmr-champs/#1677642387119-1f4e9cbb-3ebe>