

Judges Update #6 NOT JUST ONE UPDATE BUT 3!

THERE IS SOMETHING ON THESE PAGES FOR EVERYONE – PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO READ THEM ALL.

2017 RULE BOOKS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE (\$15) AT EACH OF THESE SEMINARS.

1. Para-Equestrian Seminar, Sue Cunningham and Jan Geary

Sunday, March 26th, at Evans Park, 56 Godalla Road, Freemans Reach/Glossodia. This is our first PE seminar since 2015 and everyone is welcome. It's time to take a close look at the new FEI PE Tests for 2017 and the challenges they provide to both the judges and the riders. Morning tea and lunch will be provided free of charge. Accommodation also available if necessary. (david@regprom.com.au) Bring your rule book and copies of the new FEI PE 2017 tests please. This is a refresher course for National PE Judges, and an information workshop for coaches and riders and interested people. We have a super venue with indoor school, this will go ahead regardless of the weather.

9.00 Registration for 9.30 start, anticipated finish 3.00pm

RSVP: Sue Cunningham 0419203346 Email: suziecunningham99@gmail.com

2. Preliminary Seminar – Totally new approach, Complete all upgrading requirements in one weekend. Sue Cunningham and Julie Jones

Saturday and Sunday, April 8th and 9th Theory, practical and then **s**hadow judging to complete all requirements to become a Preliminary level judge in one weekend.

Please give this new concept your fullest support. If you know someone who wants to become a judge, this is your chance to encourage them to come along. You can achieve your goal to become a Preliminary Judge and take home your Certificate as a fully qualified Preliminary Judge at the end of this weekend.

Morning tea and lunch provided free by Dressage NSW. Bring your own rule book and writer if you can. If you can't find a writer you may have to write for yourself which can be done. We will provide tests sheets for you. On Sunday all the shadow judging will be completed sitting beside the arenas at Clarendon. (You will be advised the Where and When as soon as the draw for the April competition is completed).

*Saturday 8th: *Be a little early as parking may be a problem at the Motel

Venue: The Hawkesbury Motor Inn dining/breakfast room

Time: 9.00am Registration for 9.30 start for Theory Session

12.00 finish and move to Clarendon for lunch.

Ready to start practical demonstrations around 1.00pm.

Finish around 4.00pm

Sunday 9th:

Venue: Clarendon grounds for Shadow judging.

Time: TBA but expect 8.30 at the latest

RSVP: Sue Cunningham: suziecunningham99@gmail.com

Julie Jones: tennysondale@bigpond.com

3. Medium and Advanced (D and C) Seminar, Jan Geary

Sunday, April 9th

Dressage NSW is running its annual C & D level seminar. This is a refresher seminar for C & D level judges, an upgrading seminar for those judges seeking to upgrade later in the year and a workshop for coaches and other level judges.

We have some new material to entertain you and motivate your interest as well as hopefully some good discussion about those difficult areas like the clarity of the walk, transitions, half pirouettes, sequence changes and anything else you might like to share with this group.

Morning tea and lunch will be provided free of charge by Dressage NSW and the Clarendon Committee. Please bring your new rule book, or purchase one on the day as well as copies of the Medium and Advanced tests, although copies can be made available for you.

*Venue: The Hawkesbury Motor Inn dining/breakfast room

*Come a little early as parking may be a problem

Sunday: 9.00am Registration for 9.30 start for Theory Session 12.00 finish and move to Clarendon for lunch. Ready to

start around 1.00pm. Finish around 4.00pm

RSVP: Jan Geary: jgeary6@bigpond.com