



# CLUB MEMBER GUIDE

VERSION 1.1



Established in 1974, welcome to one of the  
**largest equestrian communities** in Queensland

Mudgeeraba Pony & Hack Club

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## 2 About our community

Our club is a **not-for-profit, volunteer run** community group. Established in 1974 at the picturesque Mudgeeraba Showgrounds on the Gold Coast, Queensland, Australia.

With a rich history spanning over four decades, we are dedicated to fostering a **love of riding and horsemanship** in riders of all ages and skill levels.

We hold rally days on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month for members to bring their own horses and join in. We also host events attended by **riders from across Queensland**.

Our club is **vibrant and diverse**. No matter your age, riding ability, or gender identity, our supportive environment allows everyone to thrive.

In a recent survey conducted by the local council, we were recognised as the **largest equestrian community** in the area.



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## 3 Member benefits

### 3.1 Insurance:

**Personal accident** and public liability coverage for activities, **even when not at pony club**. Find out more and see if this policy is right for you at

<https://www.gowgates.com.au/sport-programs/pony-club-australia/>

### 3.2 Education & Skills:

Our volunteer instructors are **qualified & insured coaches**.

We provide structured learning and recognition based on the most up-to-date equitation science. Riders can also gain **proficiency certificates** through the Pony Club Australia syllabus. Some of these certificates are necessary for riders to compete at State, National and International levels.

Find out more at <https://ponyclubaustralia.com.au/education-accreditation/members/>

### 3.3 Competitions:

Members have opportunity to participate in various disciplines (dressage, show jumping, eventing, games, etc.) at **club, state, national and international levels**.

At our club, we generally hold 5 competitions a year. Find out more at [www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events)

### 3.4 Community & Friendship:

A supportive network, social activities, group trail rides, and annual camps.

Our 3-day equestrian camp, held in the September school holidays, is a highly sought after event, and a great way for riders to grow in confidence and make new friends.

### 3.5 Facilities & Resources:

Access to club grounds, equipment, and facilities. See more at [www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/facilities](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/facilities)

Sometimes, the grounds might be closed for an event, so it is always helpful to check the calendar [www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events#Calendar](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events#Calendar)

### 3.6 International Opportunities:

Access to exchanges and travel, even for junior members.

Find out more about National & International opportunities at <https://ponyclubaustralia.com.au/pca-activities/events-competitions/>



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# 4 Membership types

Pursuant to our constitution and PCQ and PCA rules, we have following membership types:

## 4.1 Social member

This is the membership required if you are:

- A guardian to a junior riding member
- Volunteering and attending club events, but not riding

Social members 18 years + have voting rights

## 4.2 Junior riding member

- Riding members 3 – 17 years
- No voting rights

## 4.3 Associate riding member

- Riding members 18 – 26 years
- Has voting rights

## 4.4 Riding member

- Riding members 27 years+
- Has voting rights



# 5 How to join

All Pony Club Australia memberships are set up and managed through a platform called Just Go.

## 5.1 Important note

Your Just Go account can have multiple profiles/members attached.

If your member is under 18, it is best to create a parent account first, and then add the child as a profile to the account.

**IT IS A PONY CLUB QUEENSLAND REQUIREMENT THAT ALL MEMBERS UNDER 18, MUST HAVE A LEGAL GUARDIAN AS A MEMBER (SOCIAL OR RIDING) AS WELL**

## 5.2 Step 1 – create an account or sign in

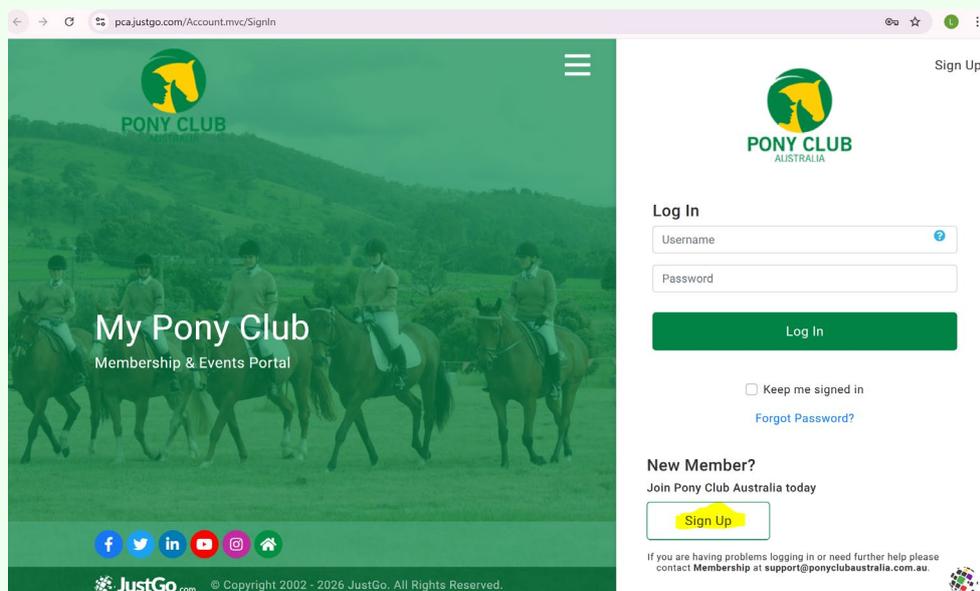
Go to <https://pca.justgo.com/Account.mvc/SignIn>

If you have a Just Go account already, simply sign in.

If you have not previously been a member of a Pony Club in Australia, select “sign up” and follow the prompts.

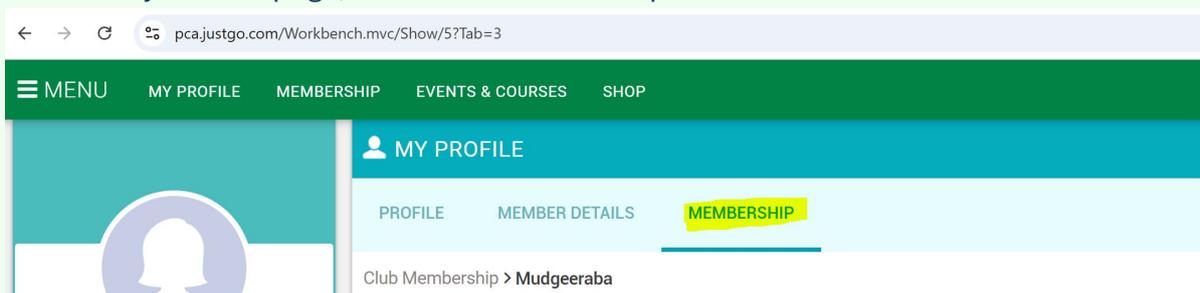
If you are creating an account for the first time, make sure to:

1. Check your email to get your password reset link
2. Go through the Agreements & Opt-ins then select Accept & Continue
3. Check all your Basic Details
4. Complete the Emergency Contact tab
5. Update your OPT-INS
6. Then go to MEMBER DETAILS , complete the MAILING ADDRESS form, and check your EQUALITY details



## 5.3 Step 2 - Add Mudgeeraba to your membership profile

On the “My Profile” page, click the “membership” tab



Select your Club (Eg. Mudgeeraba) under the Club Membership option, and follow the prompts. Click “sign up” at the end.

## 5.4 Step 3 - Wait for the club to approve you

The committee must vote to approve your application to be a member, before you can proceed.

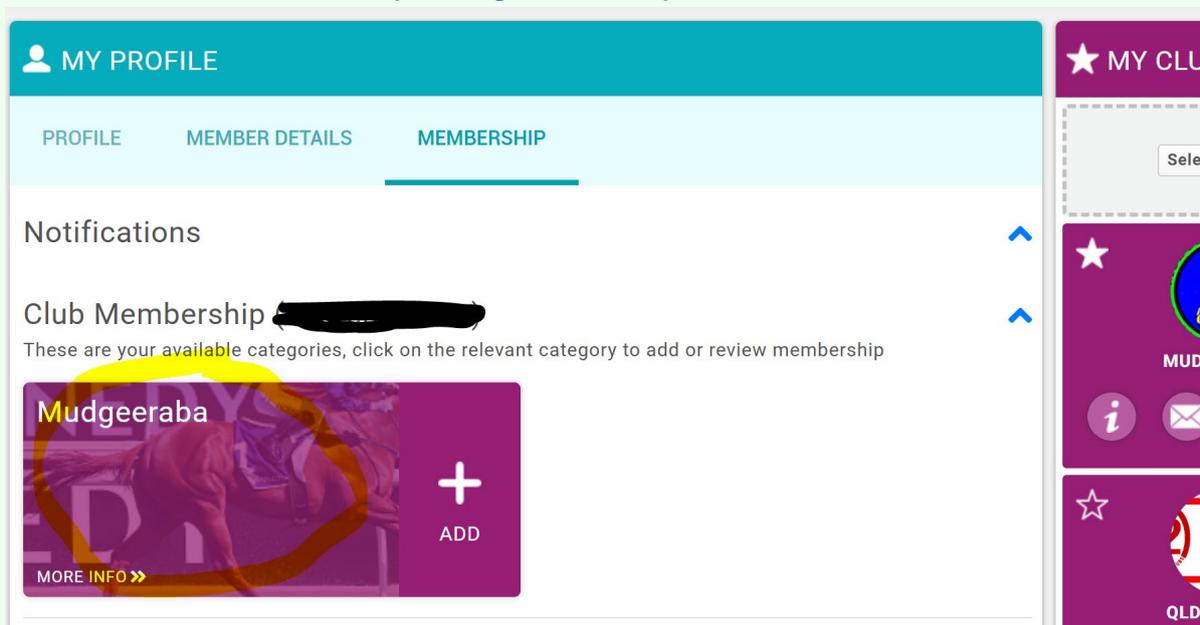
Once approved by the club, you will get an email from Just Go confirming same.

## 5.5 Step 4 - Proceed with membership purchase

Once you have received your approval email, log back into your Just Go account.

On your “My Profile” page, click the membership tab again.

You should see a box that says Mudgeeraba Pony Club. Click on that.



You should then see several membership options that are available to you. Click the membership that you are after.



Club Membership > Mudgeeraba



Benefits

- Access to the world leading Pony Club Australia syllabus of instruction in riding and horsemanship
- International opportunities as part of the Pony Club International Alliance

Senior Riding Member 2026

1 Year Membership

More Info



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Social Member

More Info



Benefits

- Access to the world leading Pony Club Australia syllabus of instruction in riding and horsemanship
- International opportunities as part of the Pony Club International Alliance

Coach Riding

More Info



Follow the prompts and complete your payment.

Congratulations, you are now a member of Mudgeeraba, Pony Club Queensland, and Pony Club Australia!



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## 6 Newsletter & member only groups

We understand members like to receive communications in different ways, and the committee tries its best to communicate effectively with all members.

We have a **members only facebook group**. **If you are a member, you can request to join here: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/463937763993887/>**

We also keep members up-to-date by:

- Regular newsletters. You can sign up and see past newsletters at [www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/newsletter](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/newsletter)
- Keeping our website updated [www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com)
- Facebook posts on our public page [www.facebook.com/mudgeerabaponyclub](http://www.facebook.com/mudgeerabaponyclub)
- Instagram posts [www.instagram.com/mudgeerabaponyclub](http://www.instagram.com/mudgeerabaponyclub)

We will always try our best to communicate with members quickly, **please remember, we are a volunteer committee**, with most of us having jobs and other commitments outside of pony club.



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# 7 What is expected of you as a member

## 7.1 We ride, we help

All Pony Club events are 100% volunteer run.

All events at Mudgeeraba are run under the rule “we ride, we help”. This means riders (or their guardians) are expected to assist in set up & pack down, or in the canteen or some other capacity, at all events they are riding in.

Sometimes, life gets in the way. **If you can't help with set or pack down**, you will need to email [info@mudgeerabaponyclub.com](mailto:info@mudgeerabaponyclub.com) to arrange how you might be able to contribute on the day, such as helping with canteen or the like.

Please note – no help no ride generally applies to all Pony Club events. If you are going to an event at another club, they will usually require you to also help out with a task on the day.

## 7.2 Pony Club rules

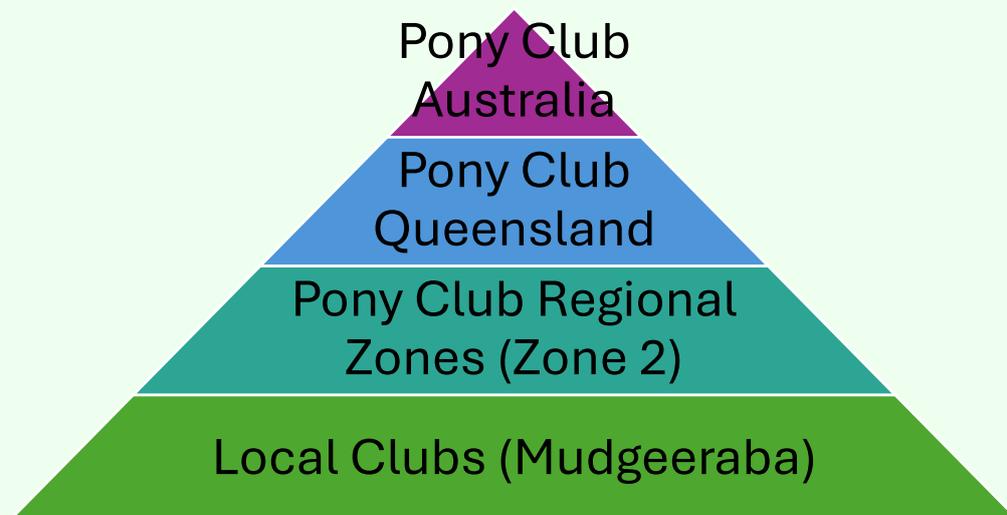
When you are a member of Mudgeeraba, you are also a member of Pony Club Queensland and Pony Club Australia.

As a member, you agree to be bound and abide by the rules, policies and by-laws of:

1. Mudgeeraba Pony & Hack Club,
2. Zone 2 Pony Club
3. Pony Club Queensland, and
4. Pony Club Australia.

Pony Club Queensland rules and policies: <https://ponyclubqld.com.au/insurance-forms/>

Pony Club Australia rules and policies: <https://ponyclubaustralia.com.au/resource-hub/>



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# 8 How to get involved

The club is 100% volunteer run by members.

Without your help, the club doesn't function.

Volunteers do need to apply for a Blue Card, which we can help you with. It is free to apply.

There are lots of ways to get involved with the club, even if you are not on the management committee.

## 8.1 Accredited volunteers

A club having accredited volunteers is so important. Without any, we really can't run events!

You can become an accredited:

- Gear checker (ANYONE can do this)
- Instructor
- Dressage, jump or jumping equitation judge
- Course builder

Find out more at [www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/accreditedvolunteer](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/accreditedvolunteer)

## 8.2 Join a sub committee

Many hands make light work, and with so much going on at the club, there are so many ways you can be involved!

So long as you are a member (social or riding) can join one of the following subcommittees:

- Tetrathlon
- Dressage & CT
- Gymkhana
- Derby
- Show Jumping
- Maintenance
- Sponsorship & admin
- Canteen

Find out more and express your interest at [www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/volunteer](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/volunteer)



### 8.3 Junior committee

Members under the age of 18 are always welcome to come along to the Junior Committee Meetings!

Junior Committee is a great way to make friends, and get your ideas heard at the club.

Meetings of the Junior Committee are announced via newsletters and on the website's event calendar.



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# 9 Grounds & facilities access & useage

## 9.1 Gaining access

The gates to the pony club areas are locked.

When you join as a member, the **committee will email you a code**. You must not share this code with non-members.

## 9.2 Non-members

It is vitally important that you do not allow non-members to ride (or lunge) horses on the club grounds.

This is because:

- They are not insured
- It can cause legal issues for the club

## 9.3 Areas you are allowed to ride

As a member of the club, you are entitled to ride on the pony club grounds only.

We are not allowed to ride on the Mudgeeraba Show lease areas.

## 9.4 Where to park your float

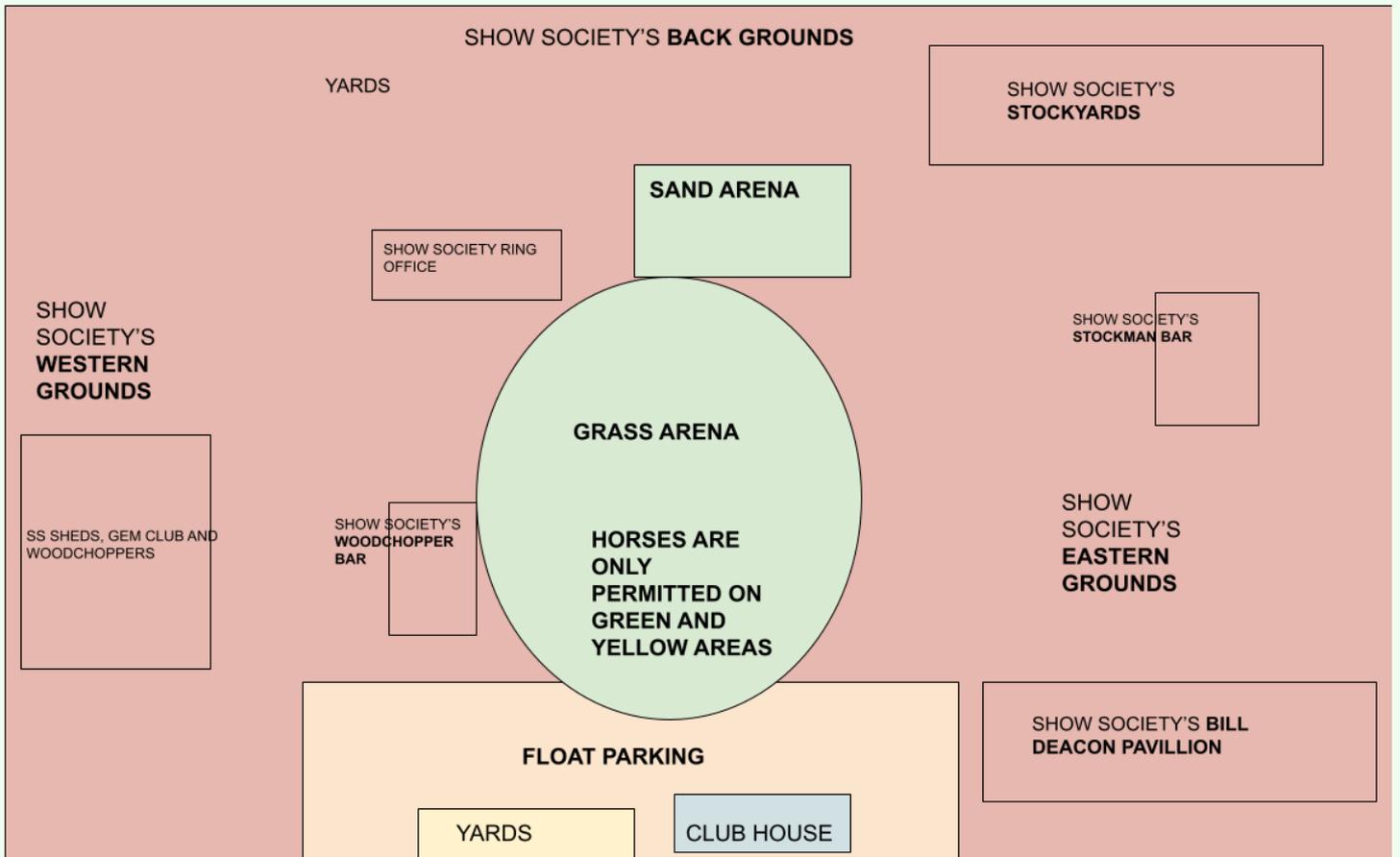
On rally & event days, the Mudgeeraba Show Society generally allows us to park on the Western Grounds.

On all other occasions, you must only park within the Pony Club lease area, around the Clubhouse/Washbay/Yards area.

**\*\*SEE MAP OVER PAGE\*\***



## 9.5 Map



## 9.6 Riding at night

Mudgeeraba Pony Club has stadium lights.

However, these are costly for the club to run.

In winter, the club will *generally* turn the lights on for **night time riding on Wednesday and Thursday nights** at no charge to members.

If you go to the grounds for a scheduled night time ride and the lights aren't on, please contact a committee member or call **[info@mudgeerabaponyclub.com](mailto:info@mudgeerabaponyclub.com)**



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# 10 Uniforms & gear

## 10.1 Gear rules

ALL riders at ALL Pony Club events must comply with the Pony Club Australia Gear Rules. The rules are regularly updated.

You can find the most recent version here:

<https://ponyclubaustralia.com.au/resource-hub/competition/>

## 10.2 Uniforms

There are different uniforms required depending on the nature of the event. Some events, there are no uniforms required, but you still must comply with the gear rules.

You can find out which uniform is required, and current pricing on our website:

[www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/uniform](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/uniform)



# 11 Rally days

Pony Club Rally days are regular group training and social events where members learn and practice riding skills, horsemanship, and horse care in various disciplines all under qualified instruction.

The days foster fun, safety, and friendship in a supportive environment.

## 11.1 No help, no ride

If you are attending a rally day, you **must help** in both **set up and pack down**, or alternatively, help in the **canteen**.

**The day is 100% volunteer run**, so if members don't help out, the day can't happen.

## 11.2 Registration

You will need to let us know you are coming to a rally day, so we can place you in an appropriate group.

Rally sign up is usually announced via email and on Facebook. The sign up link is typically found on our website at [www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events#rally](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events#rally)

## 11.3 Typical activities

Rally days involve gear checks, skill-building, and often focus on upcoming competitions or specific badge. Typically, our rally days will include flatwork, games, pole work, equitation and jumping.

Riders are generally grouped according to similar age or ability.

## 11.4 Example schedule

The groups and schedule is generally emailed out the night before the event.

This is an example only, as each rally day is a little different

	Sally / Melissa	B & Charlotte	Lauren (& Nicky)	Vic V And Mel	Jiya / Hayley
	Certificate	Jump	Pole Work	Games	Activities / game
8.15am	Certificate Group	All other riders setup			
9.00am	Gear check /warm up all riders except certificate group				
9.30am		Group 2	Group 3	Group 1	Group 4
10.30am		Group 3	Group 2	Group 4	Group 1
11.30am		Group 4	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3

## 11.5 Timing & breaks

Gear check is typically around 9am. Generally, we aim to finish at around 12.30.

The canteen is open for breakfast and lunch, unless otherwise advised.



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# 12 Other member-only days

## 12.1 Trail Club

Every so often, two instructors will invite members to join them on a trail ride around Mudgeeraba. Usually, these are slow rides for all ages and abilities, including lead line. However, check the details of each ride.

You do not need to wear uniform but must comply with gear rules. Hi-Vis encouraged.

Registration is found at [www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events#trail](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events#trail)

## 12.2 Jump Club

Jump Club was established as a low stress, positive environment for members to practice their jump rounds. It is mock-judged and helps learn the rules.

You are not expected to stay for the whole event, but we do ask that you either pack up, or pack down.

You do not need to wear uniform but must comply with gear rules.

There is generally no canteen on these days.

Registration is found at [www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events#jump](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events#jump)

## 12.3 Dressage Club

Dressage Club was established to help riders learn their dressage tests and receive feedback from a volunteer instructor.

You do not need to wear uniform but must comply with gear rules.

There is generally no canteen on these days.

Registration is found at [www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events#dressage](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events#dressage)



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# 13 Equestrian Camp

Usually on the Monday-Wednesday of the first week of September school holidays, we host a 3-day equestrian camp.

This camp has been running for decades, and has a reputation of bringing in the best instructors from around SEQ.

It is also a fabulous way for members to make new friends, or deepen current friendships.

## 13.1 What happens at camp

At camp, riders will have 1 lesson each day in dressage, show jumping and cross country with a leading coach in that discipline.

There will also be a bonus activity each day.

Riders will have meals provided.

Families can set up camp on the western grounds. The horses stay in the yards on the eastern grounds, or you can take the horse home each night.

There are night time activities and games.

Children must always be supervised by a guardian at camp – it is not a drop and go situation.

## 13.2 Camp fees

Attending camp does come at an additional fee.

The club is run for the benefit of members. With that in mind, we try to keep the fees as low as possible, and the **fees reflect the actual cost of running the camp – the club does not look to make a profit.**

Camp fees include all of the lessons, as well as meals, for the attendee during camp.

## 13.3 How to register for camp

This is a popular camp, and **sells out with a waiting list.** Registration and is found at [www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events#camp](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events#camp)

Camp registration is not first come first served.

Camp registration is done by a EOI process. Offers to attend camp are prioritised by those families who contribute the most to the club.

Examples of what is taken into consideration includes, but is not limited to:

- **Being an accredited volunteer**, such as a coach, judge, course builder or gear checker – find out more at [www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/accreditedvolunteer](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/accreditedvolunteer)
- Being part of the committee, or **sub-committees.** Find out more at [www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/volunteer](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/volunteer)



- Helping raise money at the annual **Swap Meet**
- Becoming a **sponsor of the club** – find out more at [www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/support](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/support)

Importantly, **doing your 'no help no ride' requirements at events is not taken into consideration in the camp EOIs**. Those are requirements of attending events. Priority is given to those who go above and beyond these efforts.



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## 14 Competitions at Mudgeeraba

Mudgeeraba hosts around five competitions a year.

Typically, the club will run:

- Official tetrathlon
- Official show jumping
- Official dressage & combined training
- Official gymkhana
- Open derby & open 6-bar

More information, including dates, programs and registration are on the website at [www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events)



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# 15 Competition rules & resources

As a Pony Club member, you are able to go and compete at events at other clubs.

It is the **responsibility of the rider to know the rules**. A seemingly small error may result in your rider **being eliminated** – it may seem harsh, but Pony Club event officials have a rule book they must follow.

## 15.1 Rally day attendance & ownership of horse

Pursuant to the Zone 2 By-laws, riders **MUST have attended 2 rally days in the last 12 months before they can compete** at any Pony Club competition in Zone 2. See the Zone 2 Pony Club By-laws.

Pursuant to the PCQ By-laws, riders may only **compete on horses they own**, unless:

1. It is a horse leased for not less than six months, AND such lease to be registered with and approved by PCQ. Leased horses are not eligible for competition until three (3) weeks from the date of the lease.

OR

2. Owned by a financial member of the same club as the rider and regularly ridden at that club, by a Junior or Associate member of the club, to which both the rider and owner belong.

Members may be required to prove on the competition day, that their mount is one that they regularly ride, at Pony Club rallies.

## 15.2 How to find upcoming competitions

For Mudgeeraba events, visit [www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events](http://www.mudgeerabaponyclub.com/events)

For all other events, visit:

- Pony Club Queensland <https://ponyclubqld.com.au/whats-on/>
- Zone 2 <https://zone2ponyclubs.org/>

NOTE: PCQ's website does not always display all events, so it is helpful to check the Zone 2 website as well.

## 15.3 How to find the rules

Rules are different for each discipline.

1. **Read the program** of the event to check to see which rules might apply, or if there are any variations to the standard rules.
2. **Read the specific rules of the discipline on the PCQ website**. There are different rules for show jumping, dressage, etc. Go to the PCQ website and click the relevant discipline in the menu: <https://ponyclubqld.com.au/>

## 15.4 “Official”, “unofficial” or “open”



If the event is “official” it means only Pony Club members may compete. Members from other pony clubs will attend. Official classes at the events count as qualifiers for State Championships.

Unofficial events or classes do not count as qualifiers for State Championships.

If the event is “open” it means non-pony club members may compete. They generally need to pay extra fees.



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# 16 State Championships & Zones

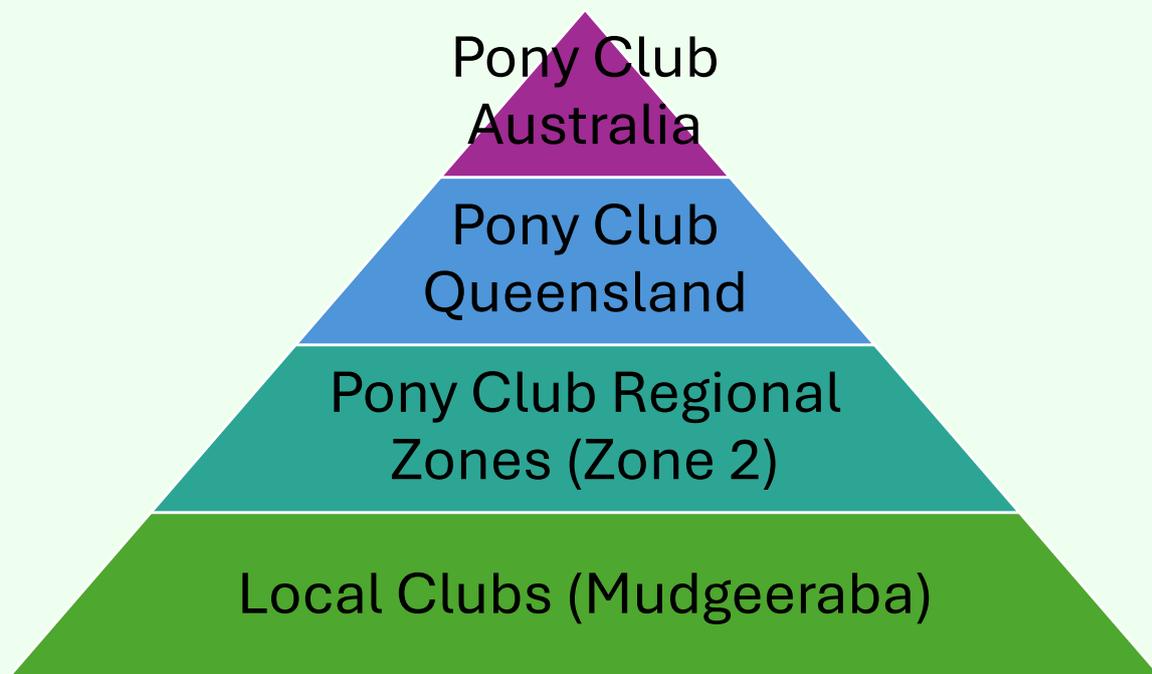
## 16.1 What are 'Zones'?

Each local Pony Club is part of a hierarchy of other clubs at regional, state and national level.

Pony Clubs within Queensland are broken up into regional zones. You can see which clubs are part of which zone here: <https://ponyclubqld.com.au/clubs/>

Mudgeeraba Pony Club is part of **Zone 2 Pony Club**, made of clubs in the Gold Coast, Logan and Scenic Rim areas.

Zone 2 Pony Club has its own website <https://zone2ponyclubs.org/> and a facebook group <https://www.facebook.com/groups/176860972410786>



## 16.2 Representation & uniform at State Championships

When you compete at State Championships, you are competing for Zone 2 Pony Club (not directly Mudgeeraba).

Zone 2 Pony Club has its own uniform and rules. **The rider will need to wear the Zone 2 Uniform at State Championships.**

You can find out more on the Zone 2 website <https://zone2ponyclubs.org/>

## 16.3 State Championship event disciplines

PCQ runs State Championships at different times of the year for different events.

- Show Jumping
- Jumping equitation



- Dressage
- Combined Training
- One Day Event/Horse Trials
- Tetrathlon
- Masters
- Gymkhana, show horse formal and sporting
- Camp drafting

## 16.4 Dates and venues for State Championships

PCQ will list the dates and venues for each State Championship, once confirmed, on their website calendar:

<https://ponyclubqld.com.au/whats-on/>

## 16.5 How to qualify for State Championships

PCQ runs State Championships at different times of the year for different events.

To qualify, you will need:

1. To be at least 7 years old
2. To have attended at least TWO Rally Days at your club in the past 12 months
3. Hold the following qualifications:
  - a. Under 13 Years: Either PCA D Proficiency Certificate or Copper State Chief Instructor's Medal.
  - b. 13 years and Over: Either PCA C Proficiency Certificate or Bronze State Chief Instructor's Medal.
4. Your horse to be registered with PCQ in Just Go
5. Have a performance card for that discipline
6. Qualify for States according to the PCQ the specific requirements for that discipline (recorded in your performance card)

You can find the most up-to-date PCQ requirements on the PCQ website:

<https://ponyclubqld.com.au/qualifying-for-state-events/>

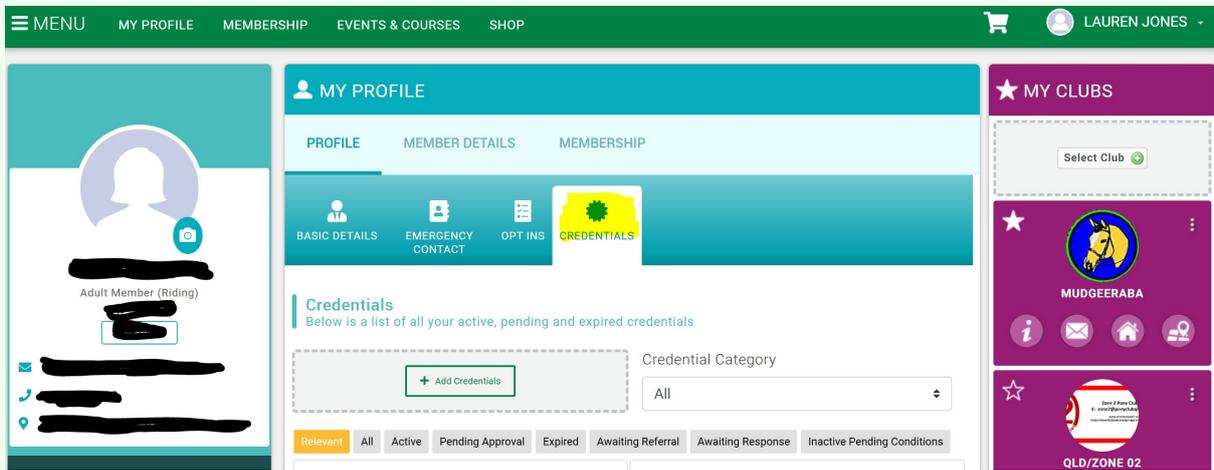
## 16.6 How to register your horse & order a performance card

To qualify for State events, your horse needs to be registered with PCQ in Just Go.

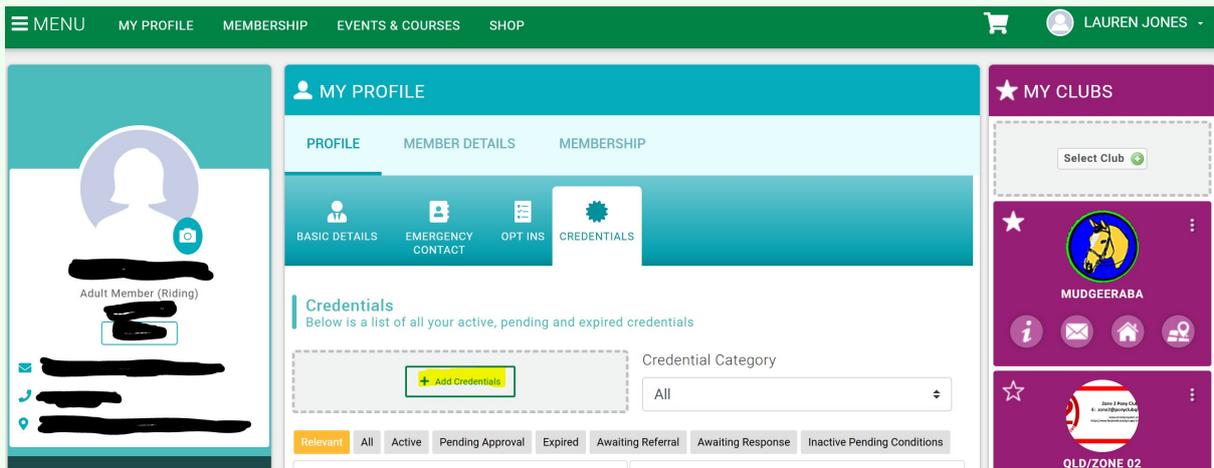
If you have any issues please contact PCQ directly, as Mudgeeraba is not involved with this process.

1. Login to your Just Go account <https://pca.justgo.com/>
2. When on your "My Profile" page (for the relevant rider) click the "credentials" tab

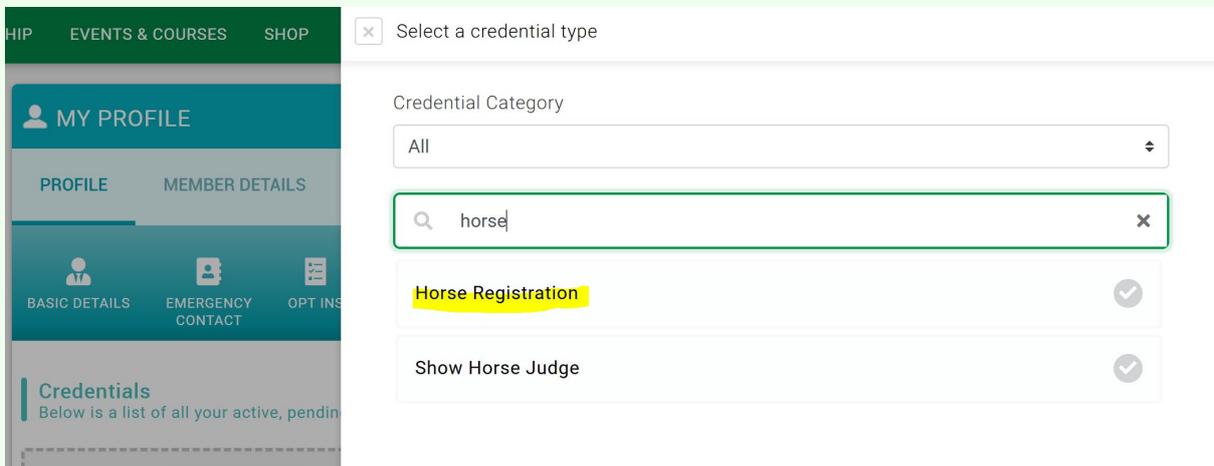




3. Click “add credentials”



4. Choose “Horse Registration”



5. Complete the questions, selecting the disciplines you want a performance card for, and hit save



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Setup credential ✓ Save

**Horse Registration**

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Start date

17/01/2026

**Horse Details**

Please chose if Official or Unofficial \*

Official Name \*

6. You will need to then make payment for each performance card. They are around \$7 each. PCQ will send you an email with bank transfer details, or you can call PCQ (07 3216 1255) and pay for the performance cards over the phone.
7. Once paid, PCQ will then review and register the horse, and mail you your performance card.

## 17 PCA Certificates

To be eligible to compete at State, National and International competitions, riders are required to hold certain certificates.

For State competitions, the following generally applies:

1. For riders under 13 Years: Either PCA D Proficiency Certificate or Copper State Chief Instructor's Medal.
2. For riders 13 years and Over: Either PCA C Proficiency Certificate or Bronze State Chief Instructor's Medal.

### 17.1 The levels

1. E Certificate (optional but recommended)
2. D Certificate
3. D\* Certificate (must have D Certificate)
4. C Certificate (must have D\* Certificate)
5. C\* or K Certificate (must have C Certificate)
6. B Certificate (must have C\* or K Certificate)
7. A Certificate (must have B certificate)

### 17.2 What is covered in the certificates?



To find out more about the certificate work and their importance, download the Syllabus of Instruction from the Pony Club Australia website:

<https://ponyclubaustralia.com.au/education-accreditation/members/>

### 17.3 Certificate manuals

You will need to purchase the certificate manuals from Pony Club Australia.

Manuals are purchased through Just Go. You can find the link on the Pony Club Australia website:

<https://ponyclubaustralia.com.au/education-accreditation/members/>

or directly here

<https://pca.justgo.com/Workbench/i/r/Shop/booking-details/C1947D75CBD01032E2197251D72EB0CE6AFA160E>

### 17.4 Assessment checklists

Before attempting assessment, make sure you are ready via the Pony Club Australia's checklists.

You can find them here:

<https://ponyclubaustralia.com.au/resource-hub/learning-education-development/#syllabus>

### 17.5 How you are assessed

Journal records

- Candidates will be required to keep a journal for C\*/K and above

Written assessment

- Written assessments are mandatory for C and above.
- Candidates will complete an open book assessment as either hard copy or online. The assessment will then be reviewed by the nominated Assessor
- Access the written assessments from C, C\* and B here: <https://ponyclubaustralia.com.au/resource-hub/learning-education-development/#syllabus>

In-person assessment

- Each certificate requires an in-person assessment by a recognised assessor

### 17.6 Who can assess you

Recognised assessors are listed on PCQ's assessment panel.

We have some assessors at our Club.

However, our club's assessors may only assess or members for E, D and D\* Certificates.



Assessors should not test C Certificate in their own Club, pursuant to Pony Club Australia rules.

## 17.7 How to find an assessment day

Within our club

- If you are looking to obtain you E, D or D\* certificates, our club will let members know in our newsletter when those days may be taking place.

Outside of our club

- You will need to go to an assessment day outside of our club for C certificate and above.
- Check the **Zone 2 event calendar**, or keep an eye on club emails, to see when one is scheduled.

## Let us know if you plan on obtaining a certificate

Please fill out the form here, so our chief instructor is aware:

<https://mudgeerabaponyclub.com/faq#certificates>

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# 18 End of year awards

At the end of each season, we celebrate the achievements of some of our stand-out members!

## 18.1 Most improved category

This is awarded by the instructors of the club. Awarded to the rider who has shown the most improvement across all disciplines throughout the year.

The following awards are available:

1. Most improved junior (under 13 years)
2. Most improved senior (18-26 years)
3. Most improved senior (26+ years)

## 18.2 Most consistent trier category

Awarded by the instructors. Awarded to the rider who consistently works hard to achieve the best from themselves and their horse.

## 18.3 Clubmanship category

Awarded by the President to a rider/member who shows a keen interest in all aspects of Pony Club riding activities, regularly assists with equipment set-up and/or pack up on rally days, volunteers their time to assist with Club fundraisers and working bees, displays a friendly attitude, assists fellow riders in times of need, willingness to help, and encourages others by example.



The following awards are available:

1. Junior clubmanship award
2. Senior clubmanship award

## 18.4 All-rounder category

Presented to the riders who accumulated the highest point score during the year representing our Club at gymkhanas held in Zone 2. Points allocated for 1st to 5th.

The following awards are available:

- All-round junior (under 13 years)
- Runner-up all round junior
- All-round senior
- Runner-up all round senior

## 18.5 Highest achievement categories

Awarded to the rider (junior or senior) who accumulates the highest point score during the year at any Official PCQ authorised competition for that discipline. Points allocated for 1st to 6th.

The following awards are available:

1. Highest achievement in dressage
2. Highest achievement in show jumping
3. Highest achievement in one day event
4. Highest achievement in tetrathlon

## 18.6 Highest achieving horse

Presented to the Horse (junior or senior) who accumulates the highest point score during the year at Official Dressage, Combined Training, Show Jumping or One Day Events. Points awarded for overall placings from 1st to 6th.

To be eligible the horse must have place in at least 3 of these 4 disciplines

## 18.7 Eligibility for awards

To be eligible you must have attended:

- A minimum of 7 Mudgeeraba rally days, OR
- at least **4 rally days at Mudgeeraba**, and **3 days away at official PCQ events that are scheduled on Mudgeeraba rally days** (in other words, you couldn't come a rally because you were competing elsewhere that day).

This criteria does not apply to the Junior and Senior Clubmanship Awards.

## 18.8 How to nominate for an award



The most improved, consistent trier and clubmanship awards are not open for nomination. They are nominated and chosen by the instructors.

The all-rounder & highest achievement categories are open for nomination.

The rider (or their parent) must email through all results to the committee by the cut off date communicated by the committee.

If you do not email through your results at the end of the year, you can not be considered for the award.



# 19 Version history

VERSION	DATE	CHANGE
1.0	25 January 2026	
1.1	27 January 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Item 13 amended - Camp is first week September holidays</li><li>• Item 15.1 – minimum rally attendance and ownership of horse for competitions</li><li>• Item 16 – amended and added to include Zone information</li><li>• Item 17.1 amended – errors in prerequisites for PCA certificates</li></ul>

