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TETRATHLON 2025



05 May 2025



14 Worongary Rd, Mudgeeraba, 4213

7.30AM START

PIC QIGC0446

Nominations via www.nominate.com.au

\$35 Per rider \$10 per rider medic fee

\$10 per person per team (Class 9-11)

(\$5 if rider entered in the individual event)

\$20 PCQ Day membership (riding only)

Nominations close 28 April 2025

Swimming Pool located at Mudgeeraba State School – 38 Old coach Road, Mudgeeraba

The draw will be emailed to competitors & available on the Facebook event page

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CLASSES

Class	Group	Run	Swim	Ride	Shoot
OFFICIAL CLASSES					
Class 1 Sub Junior	10 – 12 Years	1km	1min 20 sec	40, 50, 60 or 75cm	7m 1 or 2 hands
Class 2 Junior	13 – 16 Years	2km	2 mins 30 sec	50, 60, 75 or 85cm	10m 1 hand
Class 3 Senior	17 - 25 years	2km	2 mins 30 sec	60, 75, 85 or 95cm	10m 1 hand
Class 4 Masters	26 – 50 years	2km	2 mins 30 sec	60, 75, 85 or 95cm	10m 1 hand
Class 5 Masters	51 + years	1km	1 min 20 sec	60, 75, 85 or 95cm	10m 1 hand
UNOFFICIAL CLASSES					
Class 6 Mini	7 & Under	250m	30 sec	40, 50 or 60cms	3m 1 or 2 hands
Class 7 ** Mini	7 – 9 years	500m	40 sec	40,50 or 60cm	5m 1 or 2 hands
Class 8 Assisted Any Age	Assisted Any Age	As Per Age	As Per Age	x-rails	As Per Age
TEAMS					
Class 9	Parent/ Child or Sibling Team	Up to 2 competitors per team –Max of 2 phases each A competitor can be in a maximum of 3 teams Compete as per age group rules Give your team a name			
Class 10	Club / Zone Team				
Class 11	Any Age				

**** Class 7 is an Unofficial class, however competitors are eligible to qualify for the State Championships but not the National Championships.**

TEAMS CLASSES:

1. The team events will run in conjunction with the individual events. A competitor can enter in both the individual event and the team event. If competing in both, the score from the individual entry will count towards the team's score.
2. A competitor may enter in a team only, they do not have to do the individual event as well.
3. Teams consist of up to 2 team members – they each do up to 2 phases to count towards their overall score.
4. Competitors must pre-nominate which phases they are doing.
5. Competitors can be in up to 3 teams.
6. Parent/child/sibling team must be from the same family.
7. Non-PCQ members can compete in the riding phase, however, will need to pay for PCA day membership of \$20 and signed waiver required to compete.

SCORING:

CHOOSE YOUR JUMPING HEIGHT:

- Max Points available 1400 .
- Rider may select a lower jumping height. This will result in a lower maximum points available.
- Non PCQ members require PCQ day Membership to compete in the riding phase.

Class	A - Max Points	B - Max Points	C - Max Points	D - Max Points
Any Age Assisted	30cm = 800			
Minis	60cm = 1400	50cm = 1200	40cm = 1000	
Sub juniors	75cm = 1400	60cm = 1200	50cm = 1000	40cm = 800
Juniors	85cm = 1400	75cm = 1100	60cm = 900	50cm = 700
Seniors	95cm = 1400	85cm = 1200	75cm = 900	60cm = 700
Masters	95cm = 1400	85cm = 1200	70cm = 900	60cm = 700

RUNNING

Optimum times earning 1100 points are as follows:

Age Group	Distance	Boys	Girls	Penalties
Under 7	250m	0:45	0:45	± 6 pt/sec
7-9 yrs	500m	1:30	1:30	± 6 pt/sec
10-12yrs	1000m	3:40	3:45	± 6 pt/sec
13-16yrs	2000m	7:30	8:00	± 4.5 pt/sec
17-25 yrs	2000m	7:20	8:00	± 4.5 pt/sec
26-50 yrs	2000m	8:00	8:00	± 4.5 pt/sec
51+	1000m	3:45	3:45	± 6 pt/sec

SWIMMING

Optimum times earning 1100 points are:

Age	Optimal Distance	Gender	Time	Penalties earned/ metre
Under 7	25m	All	30 secs	44pts/m
7-9 years	50m	All	40 secs	22pts/m
10-12 years	100m	All	1 min 20s	11pts/m
13-16 years	200m	All	2min 30s	5.5pts/m
17 – 25 years	200m	All	2min 30s	5.5pts/m
26-50 years	200m	All	2mins 30s	5.5pts/m
51+	100m	All	1 min 20s	11pts/m

- Competitors will be required to swim for a set length of time.
- A signal (horn, whistle or bell, etc.) will indicate when the time is up.
- Marshalls will follow competitors up and down the length of the pool until the signal is given. Marshalls will stop in line with where the competitor is at the time of the signal. The distance swum in the allocated time is then measured.

SHOOTING

- Under 7yr olds will shoot at 3m - 1 or 2 hands
- 7-9 Year olds will shoot at 5m - 1 or 2 hands
- 10-12 year olds will shoot at 7m - 1 or 2 hands
- 13 years to 51+ will shoot at 10m - 1 hand

RULES:

- Formal Club uniform to be worn for the riding phase and presentation.
- Bibs provided lost bibs will be charged for.
- The shooting phase is club formal uniform, club polo shirt or sport shirt for non PCQ members..
- Footwear for shooting is to be sneakers that don't cover the ankle.
- Swimsuits to be 1 piece – no bikinis.
- Running preferably the club polo or a running shirt in your club colour but is not compulsory. No crop tops.
- For specific phase requirement details see rules.
- The riding phase will include a mixture of show jumps, a gate, and a sliprail. Note some obstacles may be adapted for Unofficial mini riders.

- As per the PCA (Pony Club Australia) 2024 National Tetrathlon rules with a few scoring modifications to create the unofficial classes. Please read the 2024 [Tetrathlon Rulebook](#) and the [2024 Addendum](#)
- All riders are required to stay for the presentation, unmounted and in club uniform.
- The final copy of the draw will be emailed out. Please listen for scratchings/changes on the day.
- 1 horse 1 rider – 1 rider 1 horse for Tetrathlon
- Age is as at 1 Jan 2024 (to match PCA rules).
- No rider is to have their phone whilst mounted, using phones whilst mounted will be eliminated for the day.
- Powered Camping available.
- uncovered yards available. Can BYO shavings but must be left shavings, hay and manure free.
- **Horses cannot be left at floats without vehicles attached. Organise your own transport/car-pooling to the swimming pool prior to the event.**
- Horse Health Declarations to be handed in prior to the start of the event.
- **One event helper per family is mandatory.** By nominating you are also agreeing to help with an appropriate event role assigned by the committee, if helpers miss their allocated role and do not find a replacement the associated competitor will ride HC and not receive a qualifier.
- No dogs allowed.
- Whilst an official gear check will be carried out, the safety of rider's gear is ultimately the responsibility of the competitor and their parent / guardian.
- Please ensure you do the necessary DPI travel requirements and checks prior if leaving a tick property.
- Competitors will ride/compete in the order of the draw. A provisional draw will be emailed. Riders must be prepared to ride earlier if there are scratchings's. Start times will be announced over the PA on the day of competition.
- If there are less than 3 riders in any class, classes may be combined. If there are more than 3 boys AND 3 girls in a class then they may be split. Run under current (2025) Pony Club Australia & Pony Club Queensland rules – please familiarize yourself with these rules.
- Judges' decision is final
- **ALL COMPETITORS MUST BE CURRENT 2025 RIDING MEMBERS OF PCA.**
- Protests must be in writing to the Club Secretary, accompanied by \$50, within 30 minutes of the results being posted, or the incident. \$50 is refundable only if the protest is upheld.
- Bad language, excessive striking of the horse, abuse or disrespect to the judge or officials will result in disqualification.

DISCLAIMER

- Neither the Organising Committee of this event to which these rules apply, nor PCQ accepts any liability for any accident, damage, injury, illness or harm to horses, owners, riders, ground, and spectators or any other persons or property whatsoever, howsoever caused.

RESERVATION OF RIGHTS

- The Organising Committee reserves the right to:
 - cancel any class or event
 - divide any class
 - alter advertised times
 - refuse any entry with or without stating a reason.
 - transfer competitors between sections of a class
 - combine classes if less than 3 competitors and the rules governing combining groups

REFUNDS

- No refunds of entry fee, with the exception of scratching prior to the commencement of the event AND a written request for a refund of nomination, including a vet/medical certificate or Chief Instructor's report, to be received within 7 days after the event. A 10% administration fee may be retained. If the event is cancelled due to rain, nominate will withhold their fees



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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) are 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 or dogs 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 to 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 if 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 cost and if venue is locked down and quarantined will be responsible for all costs associated with this.

