

**MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL MEETING  
OF THE PONY CLUB ASSOCIATION OF NEW SOUTH WALES INCORPORATED**

**DATE: TUESDAY 27 NOVEMBER 2018**

**VENUE: THE CATHOLIC CLUB, (PHILIP ROOM) CAMPBELTOWN**

Mr W Pernice thanked everyone for attending the Council meeting and welcomed Ms Michelle Harper and Mr Mark Bradley from Pony Club Australia who were here to provide an overview on the PCA insurance for our consideration.

**1. PRESENT:**

Chairman	Mr W Pernice (Zone 26)	Zone 15	Apology
Zone 2	Apology	Zone 16	Mrs A McGrath, Mrs H Fletcher
Zone 3	Mr G Hamer	Zone 17	Apology
Zone 4	Ms F Pennell, Mrs D Cullen	Zone 18	Mrs S Woodhouse
Zone 5	Mrs J Alston *	Zone 19	Mr S Buckingham
Zone 6	Mrs M Tanti, Mrs L Riley	Zone 20	Ms N Carlson, Mr K Felton
Zone 7	Mr P Logue, Mrs C Martin	Zone 21	Not available
Zone 8	Mrs J Morgan*	Zone 22	Mrs L Smith, Mrs M Marsh
Zone 9	Mrs K Wood, Mrs C Hodges	Zone 23	Mrs A Wunderlich
Zone 10	Apology	Zone 24	Mr P Petherbridge
Zone 11	Mrs A Davis, Mrs T Foster	Zone 25	Mrs S Adams, Mr G Adams
Zone 12	not available	Zone 26	Mr B Gribben
Zone 13	Ms B Williamson*	Zone 27	Mrs L McRae
Zone 14	Mrs S Feeney	Zone 28	Mrs P Durant

Visitors: Mrs K Britton (Executive Officer) \*indicates members present holding proxy forms.

Mr W Pernice opened the meeting at 10.50am.

**APOLOGIES:** Mrs M Pestell OAM (Zone 2), Mr C Dolin (Zone 5), Mrs J Towns (Zone 8), Mrs J Frankum (Zone 10), Mr G Croft (Zone 13), Mr P Painter (Zone 15), Mr A Morrall (Zone 17), Mr A Newham (Zone 19), Mrs E Caswell (Zone 28).

**C46/18 That the apologies be accepted.**

Moved: Mr P Petherbridge                      Seconded: Mrs S Adams                      (carried)

It was announced that there were 33 registered voters, including proxies and excluding latecomers or visitors.

**2. MINUTES** of Council Meeting held Tuesday 31 July 2018.

**3. CONFIRMATION** of the above Minutes.

**C47/18 That the Minutes of the previous Meeting dated 31 July 2018 be adopted as true and accurate.**

Moved: Mr P Petherbridge      Seconded: Mrs S Adams                      (carried)

4. **BUSINESS ARISING** out of the above Minutes.

Nil

5. **REPORTS**

i) **Presidents Report- Mr W Pernice** – as per the Annual Report

**C48/18 That the Presidents Report be accepted.**

Moved: Mr W Pernice                      Seconded: Mr P Petherbridge                      (carried)

Membership numbers

Mr W Pernice said it was terrific to see that membership numbers seemed to have remained steady this year with only a small decrease to date however we need to work on how to arrest this and move forward.

Governance

Mr W Pernice said that it was very important that the association consider succession planning with Mr P Petherbridge and Mrs J Frankum both having advised that they will not be standing for re-election in 2019. Mr W Pernice said that if re-elected 2019 was likely to be his last year as President and asked members present to take it back to their zones and clubs that we need to see more professionals putting their hands up for these roles to help guide the association into the future.

Pony Club Australia

Mr W Pernice reported he had attended a Digital Marketing Strategy workshop conducted by the Australian Sports Commission, the feedback from this meeting will be used by PCA as part of their strategic planning. Mr W Pernice said that it was obvious from the feedback from the ASC that these types of strategies and governance compliance would in the near future be tied to funding.

Insurance

Mr W Pernice said that the presentation from Pony Club Australia's board members Michelle Harper and Mark Bradley had given us all some things to consider and noted that the Executive would follow up on tenders with due diligence for our members.

Nationals

Mr W Pernice said that he had received a great reply to the EOI's for the musical ride and said that he would follow up with the riders and Commander Don Eyb (Rtd) to organise training days etc. Mr W Pernice said that one of the concerns that the former PCA QLD president Kev Walsh had with the nationals was obtaining the loan horses for the Tri Nations Cup, EOI's have been received which is terrific and he has been in negotiations with Racing NSW on a project to train in conjunction with Ms Jane Frankum and Paul Athanasoff a number of horses from their off the track program with the ultimate view that these horses may be used as pool horses along with those from the EOI.

Mr W Pernice said that the feedback from the National Training weekends had been very positive and that the National Committee were working hard to ensure the success of the 2019 Nationals and that the committee hoped to have a program ready for February 2019. The Nationals Committee would need a lot of volunteer support and to this end expressions of interest would be circulated for members to update to advise when they would be available to assist.

## Executive Recommendations

**C49/18 That PCA NSW fund 40%, up to a maximum of \$2,000 per rider as a grant for all state sanctioned Internationals Championships and Exchanges.**

Moved: Mr W Pernice                      Seconded: Mr P Petherbridge                      (carried)

### **2019 State Camp selections**

Mr W Pernice said that it was his pleasure to announce the 2019 State Camp selections and congratulated everyone, the office would be in touch directly with riders to confirm details as soon as possible.

#### ***Dressage***

26	Chelsea	Brown	Evenstar Juliette	Woodlands Park
19	Sharne	Haskins	Rocksbury Oliver Twist	Londonderry
24	Lucah	Sturgeon	Trendee FB	Wyong
26	Melanie	Johnston	Fiorelli	Woodlands Park
28	Emma	Tinslay	Comet	Shoalhaven
28	Charlotte	Phillips	Aloha Gladiator	Shoalhaven
28	Sari	Boardman	Gordon Park Royal Parade	Berry
24	Olivia	Palfreyman	Hustler SP	Toronto
26	Andrea	Hollis	Coolidowns Cherokee	Woodlands Park
3	Saskia	Smith	Harvest Jazz Singer	Cudal
20	Catelin	Crawford	Riverside At Last	Tumut
10	Alana	Richards	Harry	Lopline
<b>Reserves (In Order)</b>				
10	Jasmine	Kolster	Glitzzy Carton	Lopline
7	Georgia	Thrift	Coolidowns Rebel Yell	Denman
16	Billie	Miles	Riverside Rafter	Gearys Gap

#### ***Showjumping***

23	Rachael	Temm	Cece Moscato	Forest Hills
23	Victoria	Temm	General Fluke	Forest Hills
8	Jacqueline	Coombes	Rainman	Bingara
9	Paton	Simpson	Port Command	Willawarrin
23	Sarah	Wilton	Not Yet	Dural
26	Michelle	Niass	Station Master	Woodlands Park
8	Jessica	Towns	Slaybaugh	Gravesend
24	Olivia	Johnson	Sitting Pretty	Mangrove Mountain
3	Maaike	Riphagen	Majestic Midnight (1st Pref)	Carcoar
27	Katelyn	Staples	Can't Wait	Goulburn
22	Ruby	Jones	Run A Muck	Kiama
24	Patrick	Carraro	Captain Kirk	Mangrove Mountain
11	Katie	Townsend	Sir Graham	Forbes
26	Serina	Ridge	Joey (1st Pref)	The Vines
23	Kelly	Bridgland	Flashdance DH (1st Pref)	Forest Hills
<b>Reserves (In order)</b>				
12	Chloe	Mannell	Athena	Lake Albert

26	Jessica	Galea	Antarctica	Hills District
25	Laura	Norley	Limbo Lower	Hinton/Wallalong
7	Gabrielle	Johnston	ACK Budapest	Singleton

### ***Eventing***

14	Clare	Feeney	Icarus Oliver	Batemans Bay
19	Matilda	Seppelt	Tsarina	Londonderry
23	Elouise	Bacon	Laser Flash	Forest Hills
9	Zoe	Campbell	Jacquetta WPD	Corindi
26	Fiona	Campbell	Quirran Lea Strait Skip	Woodlands Park
21	Rebecca	Groat	Statford Gamekeeper	Griffith
12	Ryleigh	O'Hare	Spot the Crown	Lake Albert
5	Melinda	Ryan	Lady of Pearls	Coonabarabran
26	Tahlia	Coleiro	Hillcrest All About Marvin	Glenorie
19	Kiara	Radke	Hugo	Hawkesbury Valley
7	Ashley	Randle	Asham Riverman	Denman
5	Anastasia	Haling	Kirby Park Irish Empress	Kootingal
21	Kate	Langley	Poncho	Narrandera
24	Claudia	Fuerschke	Hathras	Mangrove Mountain
<b>Reserves (In Order)</b>				
16	Caitlin	Hackett	Silver Hills Toy Boy	Womboin
23	Zoe	Powell	I'myourhuckleberry	Avondale

### ***Horsemanship***

16	James	Smith	Tucklan Ghost	Queanbeyan
7	Anastasia	Martin	The Echo Phantom	Merriwa
18	Caitlyn	Pratt	Comets Haley	Jindabyne
10	Brielle	Powell	Runaroo Tomcat	Loopline
6	Gabrielle	Mills	Cobblegully Rockstar	Mudgee
16	Emily	Andres	Irish Clover	Bungendore
12	Ella	Bent	Yella Fella	The Rock
23	Olivia	Jones	Spy Agency	Dural
16	Jessica	Zeiler	B My Bree	Canberra Riding Club
16	Isobel	Pluis	Bliss	Murrumbateman
27	Heidi	Staples	Can't Resist	Goulburn
26	Georgia	Crebbin	Ella	Hills District
<b>Reserves (In order)</b>				
21	Elliane	Boulton	Statford Moriarty	Leeton
16	Dylan	Jowett	Saddle Up The Trick	Hall
2	Camille	McKenzie	Boonara Caine	Canowindra

### ***Mounted Games***

23	Jasmine	Minness	Hickery Wind Dippey	Forest Hills
22	Jorja	Dallacosta	Belle	Woonona
19	Aaron	Newham	Gizmo	Londonderry
22	Charlotte	Wells	Heidi Rose	Jenko Sutherland Shire
16	Leah	Vroomans	Jett	Canberra Riding Club
22	Abbey	James	Bump	Woonona
22	Ella-lin	Macmillan	Princess Jennifer	Woonona
23	Douglas	Gosling	Kenda Park Wendall	Dural
26	Olly	Conn	Ace	Vines

***Sporting***

19	Jared	Newham	Dottie	Londonderry
22	Jemma	Corneteg	Candy	Woonona
24	Darcy	Heffernan	Cheeky Attitude	Toronto
16	Archie	McGrath Weber	Clairvale Tiger William	Canberra Riding Club
16	Samantha	Burge	Bertie	Murrumbateman
26	Emily	Deece	Creagans Rocklow Lady	Hills District
25	Alana	Buresti	Barnetts Destiny	Salt Ash
7	Nicole	Martin	Mulwaree Charm	Merriwa
23	Montana	Jonker	Candy	Dural

**iii) Treasurers Report – as per the Annual Report**

**C50/18 That the Treasurers Report be accepted.**

Moved: Mr P Petherbridge      Seconded: Mr G Hamer      (carried)

Mr P Petherbridge said that although the P & L as at the end of October looked relatively healthy there would be little or no further income for the balance of the year however, we still had all of our normal expenses to pay. On looking at the accounts in closer detail he believes that we are likely at this stage to make a small loss for the year. Some of this will be offset as payments in advance for Nationals like the deposit for the official dinner and Tetrathlon equipment and computers.

Mr P Petherbridge suggested that we needed to include an agenda item for the next meeting on what/how we make changes to state camp for 2020 as per the feedback from the Tamworth Administration Workshop. Mr P Petherbridge said that we needed to be financially responsible and ensure that the association in the main makes a small profit each year.

iv) **Chairman of Chief Instructors Committee – Mrs S Woodhouse on behalf of Mrs J Frankum**

Zone Chief Instructors & Advisory Committee Recommendations

Showriding and Dressage – reminder that entries close on the 7 December, the organising committee are very mindful of horse welfare for this event especially in regard to bio-security and will take action accordingly at the championships, please remind riders to ensure that horses are fit and prepared for the conditions and note that the entry process will be slower due to bio-security procedures.

Sporting, Campdraft, Team Penning, Mounted Games and Team Sporting – no changes to races or games for the 2019 championships. Campdraft and Team Penning will only go ahead if cattle are available and that will be dependent on the weather conditions in the next few months, the host zone will confirm cattle availability as soon as possible in 2019.

Showjumping and One Day Event – the organising committee is mindful of horse welfare with this combined event and recommends that riders ensure horses fitness for the event, further information will be circulated to riders to help achieve this as soon as possible.

v) **State Championship Reports** – all reports be accepted together.

**C51/18 That the State Mounted Games and Team Sporting report be accepted.**

Moved: Mr P Logue                      Seconded: Mr P Petherbridge                      (carried)

**C52/18 That the State One Day Event report be accepted.**

Moved: Mr P Logue                      Seconded: Mr P Petherbridge                      (carried)

**C53/18 That the State Combined Training report be accepted.**

Moved: Mr P Logue                      Seconded: Mr P Petherbridge                      (carried)

vi) **Other Reports**

6. **APPLICATIONS** for venues for 2019 State Championship –

Zone 7, Denman – State Showjumping and One Day Event

**C54/18 That the application for State Showjumping and One Day Event from Zone 7 be accepted.**

Moved: Mr P Petherbridge                      Seconded: Mrs S Adams                      (carried)

Mrs K Britton said that to date we have not received any nominations for State Jumping Equitation or Combined Training for 2019 and urged zones to nominate a host venue and possible dates as no dates have been set nor did zones need to nominate for both championships together, traditionally State Jumping Equitation was the third weekend in May.

## 7. NOTICES OF MOTION

### Motion 1

**C55/18 That riders are permitted to wear correctly fitted Roper/Dogger type boots with riding trousers, whenever riding trousers are permitted.**

Moved: Mr P Petherbridge                      Seconded: Mr P Logue                      (carried)

### Motion 2

**C56/18 That Section 8 Point 36 be altered to;**

#### **36. CALCULATION OF SCORES**

- For each judge, the mark as a percentage of maximum possible good marks obtainable is then calculated. This percentage is obtained by dividing total good marks of the judge (minus any error of course or test) by maximum possible good marks obtainable and then multiplying by 100 and rounding the result to two decimal digits. This value is then shown as the individual mark for this judge.
- Average percentage for the competitor is obtained by adding together the percentage for each judge and dividing by the number of judges always rounding the result to two decimal digits.
- In order to convert average percentage into penalty points, this must be subtracted from 100 and multiplied by 1.0. The result is the score in penalty points for the test.

Moved: Mr G Hamer                      Seconded: Mr P Petherbridge                      (carried)

### Motion 3

**C57/18 That in the Olympic Disciplines; Dressage, Showjumping, and Eventing, the following wording be added to the Paragraph headed Competition Rules. Eventing Section 8, page 3. Showjumping Section 9, page 7. Dressage Section 10, page3.**

COMPETITION RULES In the event of conflict between association rules and the rules of other equestrian bodies hereafter referred to, precedence will be in the order set out:

- a. The Pony Club Association of NSW
- b. E.A. Rules (current edition)
- c. F.E.I. Rules (current edition)

If a discrepancy between the rules of Pony Club NSW and E.A of a technical nature ONLY is discovered, upon recommendation from the relative discipline Advisory Committee the Executive may approve a change to that rule. That change may be updated in the relevant Blue Book Section immediately. This is not to apply to any rules regarding gear or safety. Examples may include a change in scoring systems, refusals, errors of course, update of tests etc. If the Executive is not satisfied the change is of a technical nature the decision is to be held over to next meeting of the State Council.

Moved: Mr G Hamer                      Seconded: Mrs A Davis                      (carried)

#### Motion 4

C58/18 To amend the wording in the handbook under Section 7 Gear, Uniform Regulations and Section 10 Dressage Rules to include \*\*\* Ear plugs be allowed in noise sensitive horses for rider's safety\*\*\* so that both sections reads as follows:

##### SECTION 7 Clause 5 Gear

o) For Dressage only - Martingales, any kind of gadgets (such as bearing, side, running or balancing reins etc.) any kind of boots or bandages, tongue depressors and **any form of blinkers, including ear muffs, hoods and any others, are, under penalty of elimination, strictly forbidden.** BREASTPLATES (without rings) are not defined as "gadgets" and are permissible for dressage \*\*\* Ear plugs be allowed in noise sensitive horses for rider's safety\*\*\*

##### SECTION 10 Clause 29 Saddlery, Equipment and Dress

b. Martingales, any kind of gadgets (such as bearing, side, running or balancing reins etc.) any kind of boots or bandages, tongue depressors and any form of blinkers, **including ear muffs, hoods and any others, are, under penalty of elimination, strictly forbidden.** BREASTPLATES (without rings) are not defined as "gadgets" and are permissible for dressage \*\*\* Ear plugs be allowed in noise sensitive horses for rider's safety\*\*\*

Moved: Mrs S Adams                      Seconded: Mrs K Wood                      (lost)

#### Motion 5

C59/18 That NSW Pony Club allows open riders to compete at Clubs level events

Moved: Mrs N Carlson                      Seconded: Mr K Felton                      (withdrawn)

#### Motion 6

C60/18 That Minimum Age for NSW Pony club State One Day Event be reduced from 12 to 8 years

Moved: Mrs N Carlson                      Seconded: Mr K Felton                      (withdrawn)

#### Motion 7

C61/18 Minimum age for regional schools to reduce from 10 years to 8 years to align with minimum age for state competition and EA

Moved: Mrs N Carlson                      Seconded: Mr K Felton                      (withdrawn)

#### Motion 8

C62/18 **That members of the Paid Instructors Panel be paid directly by the host zone or club.**

Moved: Mr P Petherbridge                      Seconded: Mrs S Adams                      (carried)



## Motion 9

**C63/18** That in state competitions where there are multiple grades per age group that the highest grade for the age group be awarded state champion receiving relevant awards. And the winner of the lower grade / grades also be acknowledged as champion of the age/ grade but receive an award (yet to be determined) stating they were the champion of that grade / age.

Moved: Mrs S Adams                      Seconded: Mr G Adams                      (carried)

## Motion 10

**C64/18** Balance support reins be allowed for use in pony club NSW as an alternate option to the existing grass reins.

Moved: Mrs S Adams                      Seconded: Mr P Petherbridge

Discussion held that motion needed to have with elastic added before 'be allowed'

**C65/18** That an amendment be made to the motion to add 'with elastic' to be inserted before 'be allowed for use etc.'.

Moved: Mrs S Adams                      Seconded: Mrs K Wood                      (carried)

The amendment becomes the motion

**C66/18** That balance support reins with elastic be allowed for use in Pony Club Association NSW as an alternative option to the existing grass reins.

Moved: Mrs S Adams                      Seconded: Mrs K Wood                      (carried)

## Motion 11

**C67/18** Section 3 Blue Book PCA NSW Bylaws be Replace it with

***Each Club shall determine whether to allow riding members between the age of 26 years and 80 years of age to receive instruction and/or compete at Club events. When making that determination the Club shall take into account the best interests of the Club, safety considerations, the number of instructors, size of the grounds and any other matters as the Club considers appropriate.***

***Such riders may be permitted to ride for the purpose of assisting, demonstrating or supervision with the approval of the Club Senior Instructor. Instructors or those applying to become Instructors, may, with the approval of the Club Senior Instructor, ride and receive instruction at instructional schools. Voluntary Workers and Non-riding members will only be covered by Pony Club Personal Accident Insurance if they are unmounted, all mounted personnel must be registered with the Pony Club Association as a Riding Member.***

Moved: Mr W Pernice                      Seconded: Mr P Petherbridge                      (lost)

## Motion 12

C68/18 Show Jumping should not be conducted near sunset when the sun is setting or after the sun has set unless done under adequate (approx. 100lux) artificial lighting.

Moved: Mr W Pernice                      Seconded: Mrs S Adams                      (lost)

## Motion 13

C69/18 Blue Book PCA NSW Section 7 – Gear, Uniform regulations be replaced with

### **6. WHIPS**

Dressage Whips for riders of horse must not exceed 1.2m (120cm) long (including tassel or flap) & riders of ponies must not exceed 1.0m (100cm) long (including tassel or flap), are permitted in dressage competition up to and including advanced level. They are also permitted in the warm-up area for the competition and for dressage instruction with the permission of the Senior Instructor. Dressage whips may have either a tassel or a flap on the end. Other than as above, whips shall not exceed 75cm in length overall nor must they be weighted at the end. No substitute for a whip or a whip without a flap is permitted. Hacking canes (with or without a flap) not exceeding 75cm in length overall are permitted in Riding and Hacking classes only. Whips when used must be carried in the hand only. Only one whip may be used at a time.

Moved: Mr W Pernice                      Seconded: Mrs S Adams                      (withdrawn)

## Motion 14

C70/18 That at Pony Club NSW State Championships competitors can choose to supply their own steel yards or hire yards.

Moved: Mrs L McRae                      Seconded: Mrs T Foster                      (lost)

## 8. AGENDA ITEMS

- a) Work Health and Safety – Mrs K Britton said that it was great to see clubs already sending in Safety Checklist for 2019 with office bearer forms and reminded everyone to ensure that they have all paperwork in hand as the office have been contacted in regard to two incidents where SafeWork NSW have been involved with accidents at pony club events with one club being issued a stop work notice as they didn't have sufficient documentation to back up their claims that they had assessed the horse and rider combination involved in the accident.

The other club had all of the paperwork and are able to continue operating. Clubs needed to ensure that they sight and note somewhere that they have sighted grading cards or assessed horse and riders' competencies and use the horse and rider assessment form to document that process, along with conducting safety briefings and minuting any organising committee meetings held.

- b) Working with Children Checks - Mrs K Britton said that information regarding the changes to the WWCC Act have been circulated to clubs, noting that pony club's recommendation that all volunteers attending overnight camps was ahead of the changes to the Act so already compliant. Reminder to finalise the process by verifying any WWCC registration numbers received and always following child safe practices at all times.

## 9. CORRESPONDENCE

1. PCA Memo to states – Member Protection Policy – Mr W Pernice advised that the State Executive provide feedback on this document and that a zone and club policy would be circulated shortly.
2. Email from Steve Reynolds - STS Irons – ZCI committee did not recommend these and letter to be sent to advise.
3. Sport NSW – Sector Capability Basic Financial Assessment – tabled
4. Reply from Office of Sport to letter from Elaine Caswell – tabled
5. NSW Sport – notice of AGM and director nominations – tabled
6. RAS re 2019 Rural Achiever Awards – tabled and circulated online and website
7. PCA re information on international opportunities and Certificate age limits – tabled and discussed at ZCI meeting with positive feedback
8. Email from Zone 22 noting that Mollymook are now in recess – tabled

### **C71/18 Ratify that Mollymook from Zone 22 in recess.**

Moved: Mrs M Marsh                      Seconded: Mrs T Foster                      (carried)

9. PCA re extra travel opportunities to China & September newsletter – tabled
10. Active Kids follow up meeting – tabled Mrs K Britton said it was great to see so many pony clubs in NSW registered for this program.
11. Letter from PCA WA re pool horses for National Championships (see E30 reply) – tabled reply from PCA noted as below that states may approach host state members to source suitable horses.
12. Zone 7 application for 2019 Showjumping and ODE – tabled earlier and ratified
13. Moruya PC cross country grant application and Zone 14 support letter – tabled

### **C72/18 That cross country grant be ratified for Moruya PC pursuant of signing off by qualified course designer.**

Moved: Mrs S Feeney                      Seconded: Mrs L McRae                      (carried)

14. PCA Member Forum information 1/11/18 agenda items – PCA hot weather policy, consultative & collaborative process, selections procedures and PCA awards – tabled
15. Helene Manger re thanks PPMG – tabled
16. Zone 19/Londonderry re concerns over hosting championship in known Hendra area – tabled dealt with earlier in Advisory Committee recommendations, please circulate to riders.
17. PCA re international opportunities roster – tabled
18. PCA re communications policy – tabled and accepted
19. EBM reply re zone 27 motion on portable/own yards for state championships – tabled and dealt with in motions
20. PCA re Digital Strategy for Pony Club meeting 8-9 November – W Pernice address in President Report
21. PCA reply to PCA WA re pool horses (relates to E15) – tabled and discussed earlier
22. Jenny Frankum re advice to members re traveling to known Hendra area – tabled as per number 16 above.
23. Office of Sport re Participation Plans for Sydney Districts – tabled

24. PCANT re proposal to increase participation at National Mounted Games – tabled and discussed with a number of issues being raised in regards to problems with reserve riders preferring to ride for another state as a pool rider, members present could see some merit for those states who were not able to submit a team and suggestion that smaller states only be in pool riders, further feedback to be submitted by the 7 December for reply to PCANT

#### **10. GENERAL BUSINESS**

- Mr P Logue reminded everyone that there were a number of styles of Roper/Dogger boots.
- Mrs A McGrath said that there was a mistake in the State Mounted Games championship report, Mrs K Britton asked for an email to confirm the error so that the report could be updated.

#### **11. CLOSE MEETING**

There being no further business Mr W Pernice thanked everyone for their attendance and closed the meeting at 1.00pm.