



PONY CLUB
AUSTRALIA

PCA News

September 13, 2019

New Certificate Manuals Now on Sale

The eagerly anticipated new certificate manuals are now for sale on the MyPonyClub store.

Members place the orders themselves and the manuals will be shipped directly. This will ease workload for state offices and clubs.

Pony Club Victoria will be despatching manual orders Australia-wide from Tuesday, September 17th.

Congratulations to Sonja White from Freshwater Pony Club in Queensland for being the first member to place an order for the new manuals.

If members have started working on a certificate and have purchased a manual, they are able to continue until October 2020, then everyone is required to be using the new manuals. The new A and B Manuals and syllabus will be available early 2020.

Full set

There is a special subsidised bundle price for a set of manuals for PCA coaches and clubs. One per person.

For members and coaches who do not have a MyPonyClub login or a credit card, which hopefully is a shrinking number, there is an order form on the PCA website.

<http://www.ponyclubaustralia.com.au/Shop/PCAcertificatebooks.aspx>



Nominations Open for National Committees

Have a Say - Contribute Your Skills

Pony Club Australia seeks applications for two new committees to advise the PCA board.

The PCA board is an independent, skills-based board that seeks specialist expertise to assist with delivery of the PCA Strategic Plan. Knowledge, skills and perspectives are valued so that PCA can continue to enhance offerings for members and our contribution to sport and the community.

PCA Education and Development Committee (EDC)

The role of the PCA EDC is to develop strategies, policies and programs for coach and official education, rider syllabus and leadership.

Pony Club membership is not a prerequisite.

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PCA Youth Advisory Council (PCAYAC)

The PCA Youth Advisory Council is a consultative forum for PCA to engage with its riding members on matters including the PCA Syllabus, leadership programs and relevant PCA policies. The PCAYAC is also a training ground for future Pony Club leaders.

Applicants should be aged 16—28 years and the YAC will meet using on line conferencing.

Terms are 2 years and the council members will be selected to ensure a diversity of backgrounds, gender and location.

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PCA Education and Development Committee (EDC)

The collective skill set for the eight-member EDC is:

- Education
- Psychology
- Coaching of diverse equestrian sports
- Communication and engagement
- On line learning and development platforms
- Workplace safety
- Human resource management

Applicants are asked to provide a brief CV and

- an account of your qualifications
- experience relevant to the role
- previous board or committee experience
- current affiliations and memberships

The PCAEDC will work with the PCA Coach Advisory Council which includes leaders of coaching in each state.

PCA Youth Advisory Council (PCAYAC)

To apply please send us an application, telling PCA about yourself, including

- Why you are interested in the role
- Leadership experience from your roles in clubs, school or university
- What you are currently doing at school, university or the workplace
- Your Pony Club background such as favoured riding disciplines

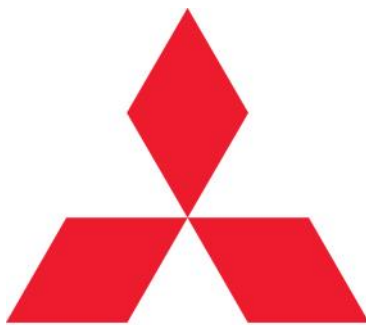
**Applications for both close
Monday September 30th 2019**

Send your application to
ceo@ponyclubaustralia.com.au

For further information, call (03) 95965390

Application forms are available from the PCA website

<http://www.ponyclubaustralia.com.au/About/PositionsVacant.aspx>



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