VPS Start of Season Show

Sunday October 4th 2026

Ayr Hill Equestrian Centre – Clyde North

- GRAND CHAMPION 8.2HH & UNDER EXHIBIT
- GRAND CHAMPION 8.2 -10.2H EXHIBIT
- GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE OVER 10.2HH
- GRAND CHAMPION ENTIRE OVER 10.2HH
- GRAND CHAMPION GELDING OVER 10.2HH
- SUPREME CHAMPION LED PINTO EXHIBIT
- SUPREME CHAMPION RIDDEN PINTO



All Entries Close Friday 25th September 2026

ENTRY BY PRE NOMINATION ONLY –tickets available on the day for extra classes

Email:- vpsentries@gmail.com

Email entries MUST be accompanied by an online deposit receipt

Please bring your lunch and refreshments as there will be no catering available.

** CHECK THE LENTH OF YOUR CANE AND WHIP. YOU CAN NOT CARRY A CANE OR WHIP THAT IS LONGER THAN 75cm

*Sensory/tactile hairs on muzzle, ears or eyes must NOT be removed.

Random measuring may take place

No First Aid will be in attendance at this event

YARDS & CAMPING AVAILABLE – Limited Stables book DIRECTLY to:

Áyr Hill Equestrian Centre

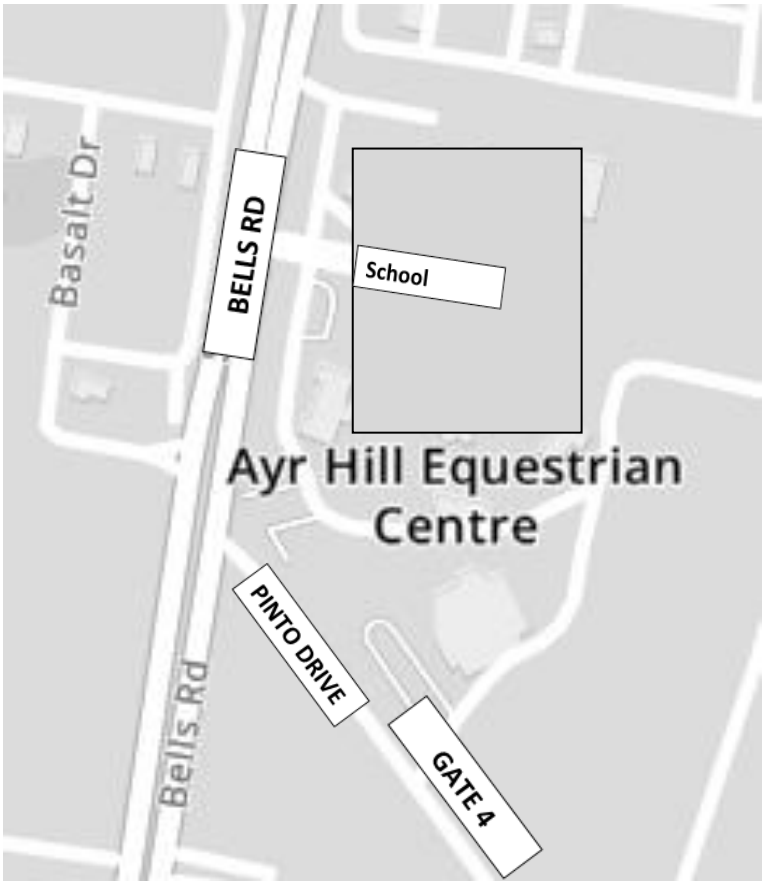
EXIT MONASH FREEWAY / PRINCES HWY AT O'SHEA ROAD

TAKE YOUR 1ST LEFT TURN ONTO BELLS ROAD

CROSS CARNIVAL BVLD, GRICES RD & SKYLARK RD

SWING LEFT ONTO PINTO DRIVE IMMEDATIELTY AFTER THE SCHOOL ENTRANCE – (Pinto Drive is not a main intersection)

CONTINUE ON PINTO DRIVE– enter venue GATE 4



Judge – Sally Centrone Judging Starts at 9.00 am

1. Best presented pinto 10.2hh & under – Sash for 1st place, ribbons to 4th
2. Best presented pinto over 10.2hh & under 14hh – Sash for 1st place, ribbons to 4th
3. Best presented pinto 14h & over – Sash for 1st place, ribbons to 4th

Best Presented Pinto Overall – Sash and Trophy

4 Child Handler 10yrs & under – to be a VPS financial member, no stallions or colts permitted
5 Child Handler 11yrs -18yrs – to be a VPS financial member, no stallions or colts permitted

Champion & Reserve Champion Junior Haadler

6 Handler 19yrs – 30yrs, to be a VPS financial member, stallions and colts permitted
7 Handler 31yrs & over, to be a VPS financial member, stallions and colts permitted

Champion & Reserve Champion Senior Handler

8 Best Dressed Junior Handler 14yrs & under
9. Best Dressed Senior Handler 15yrs & over – In Hand Outfit
10. Best Dressed Senior Handler 15yrs & over – Western Attire

Champion & Reserve Champion Best Dressed Handler

11 Led Stallion, 4yrs & over, over 10.2h & under 14h
12 Led Stallion, 4yrs & over, 14h & over

Champion & Reserve Champion Stallion over 10.2hh

Stallions And Colts

13 Led Colt, yearling & under, to mature over 10.2h
14 Led Colt, 2 & 3yrs, to mature over 10.2hh

Champion & Reserve Champion Colt over 10.2hh

15 Led Colt, 3yrs & under, 8.2h & under
16 Led Stallion, 4yrs & over, 8.2h & under

Champion & Reserve Champion Stallion or Colt 8.2h & under

17 Led Colt, 3yrs & under, to mature over 8.2h – 10.2hh
18 Led Stallion, 4yrs & over, over 8.2h – 10.2h

Champion & Reserve Champion Stallion or Colt over 8.2h – 10.2h

SHORT MORNING TEA BREAK

19 Led Mare, 4yrs & over, over 10.2h & under 14h
20 Led Mare, 4yrs & over, 14h & over

Champion & Reserve Champion Mare over 10.2hh

21. Led Filly, yearling & under, to mature over 10.2h
22. Led Filly, 2 & 3yrs, to mature over 10.2h

Champion & Reserve Champion Filly over 10.2hh

Mares And Fillies

23 Led Filly, 3yrs & under, 8.2h & under
24 Led Mare, 4yrs & over, 8.2h & under

Champion & Reserve Champion Mare or Filly 8.2h & under

25. Led Filly, 3yrs & under, to mature over 8.2h – 10.2h
26. Led Mare, 4yrs & over, to mature over 8.2h – 10.2h

Champion & Reserve Champion Mare or Filly over 8.2h – 10.2h

27 Led Gelding, 4yrs & over, over 10.2h & under 14hh

28 Led Gelding, 4yrs & over, 14h & over

Champion & Reserve Champion Gelding over 10.2hh

29. Led Junior Gelding, yearling & under, to mature over 10.2h

30 Led Junior Gelding, 2 & 3yrs, to mature over 10.2h

Champion & Reserve Champion Junior Gelding over 10.2hh

Geldings

31. Led Gelding, 3yrs & under, 8.2h & under

32. Led Gelding, 4yrs & over, 8.2h & under

Champion & Reserve Champion Gelding 8.2h & under

33 Led Gelding, 3yrs & under, to mature over 8.2h – 10.2h

34 Led Gelding, 4yrs & over, to mature over 8.2h – 10.2h

Champion & Reserve Champion Gelding over 8.2h – 10.2h

GRAND CHAMPION PINTO 8.2H & UNDER

Champion Stallion or Colt 8.2h & under

Champion Mare or Filly 8.2h & under

Champion Gelding 8.2h & under

GRAND CHAMPION PINTO OVER 8.2H – 10.2H

Champion Stallion or Colt over 8.2h – 10.2h

Champion Mare or Filly over 8.2h – 10.2h

Champion Gelding over 8.2h – 10.2h

GRAND CHAMPION STALLION OR COLT OVER 10.2H

Champion Colt over 10.2h

Champion Stallion over 10.2h

GRAND CHAMPION MARE OR FILLY OVER 10.2H

Champion Filly over 10.2h

Champion Mare over 10.2h

GRAND CHAMPION GELDING OVER 10.2H

Champion Junior Gelding over 10.2h

Champion Gelding over 10.2h

SUPREME CHAMPION LED PINTO EXHIBIT

Eligible: -

Grand Champion Led Stallion or Colt over 10.2h

Grand Champion Led Mare or Filly over 10.2h

Grand Champion Led Gelding over 10.2h

Grand Champion Led Pinto over 8.2h – 10.2h

Grand Champion Led Pinto 8.2h & under

35. Led Mare or Filly owned & shown by a Junior VPS Member, 18yrs & under
36 Led Gelding, owned & shown by a Junior VPS Member, 18yrs & under
Champion & Reserve Champion Pinto Exhibit owned & shown by a VPS Junior Member

LUNCH BREAK

LENGTH OF LUNCHBREAK WILL BE ANNOUNCED ON THE DAY

37. Fancy Dress – Rainbow Ribbons sponsored by S & T. Leggett
Rainbow fringed sash for 1st, Rainbow ribbons to 6th

38. Smartest on Parade, 10.2h & under – Sash for 1st, ribbons to 4th
39. Smartest on Parade, over 10.2h & under 14h – Sash for 1st, ribbons to 4th
40. Smartest on Parade, 14h & over. – Sash for 1st, ribbons to 4th

41 Newcomer Ridden Pinto 10.2h & under
42 Newcomer Ridden Pinto over 10.2h & under 14h
43 Newcomer Ridden Pinto 14h & over
Champion & Reserve Champion Newcomer Pinto

- Champion Newcomer does not entitle the winner for Supreme Ridden Pinto

44 Ridden Male Pinto 10.2h & under
45 Ridden Female Pinto 10.2h & under
Champion & Reserve Champion Ridden Pinto 10.2h & under

46 Ridden Male over 10.2h & under 14h
47 Ridden Female over 10.2h & under 14h
Champion & Reserve Champion Ridden Pinto over 10.2h & under 14h

48 Ridden Male 14h & over
49 Ridden Female 14h & over
Champion & Reserve Champion Ridden Pinto 14h & over

SUPREME CHAMPION RIDDEN PINTO

Rider Classes For VPS Financial Members Only

50. Rider over 18yrs – 30yrs – to be a financial VPS member
51. Rider over 30yrs – to be a financial VPS member
Champion & Reserve Champion Senior Rider

52. Child Rider, 10yrs & under, to be a VPS Member
53 Child Rider, 11yrs -18yrs, to be a VPS Member
Champion & Reserve Champion Junior Rider

54 Ridden Pinto under 14hh, owned & ridden by a Junior VPS member
55 Ridden Pinto 14 & over, owned & ridden by a Junior VPS member
Champion & Reserve Champion Pinto owned & ridden by a Junior VPS Member

All Pintos must be registered or Colt Foal recorded with the
Victorian Pinto Society. Owners to be current financial Members of the Victorian Pinto Society
All entry forms must be in the name of the Financial Member / Owner of the horse being entered.

RULES & REGULATIONS

To be read in conjunction with Society Constitution, Rules & Regulations.

1. All Stallions and Colts must be handled by persons 18yrs & older.
2. All Stallions and Colts must be double tied with a headstall & collar, with a lead rope attached to each separately whilst not being shown. Alternatively, they may be kept in a stable, float or truck with the rear / top door closed and secured.
3. All Pintos height to be taken from the highest point of the whither.
4. All animals competing under saddle must be 3yrs of age and older.
5. Any person deemed by the organising Committee to be excessively reprimanding or inappropriately treating an animal will be removed from the ring.
6. It is a condition of entry that all competitors and spectators whether actually engaged in or competing in an event or not, do so at their own risk, and no liability of any kind attaches itself to the Society, its Officials, Committee or Members of any kind what so ever.
7. Australian Safety Approved Helmets must be worn by all competitors, regardless of the riders age, whilst mounted, at all times. This includes competitors in the Costume Classes, Fancy Dress classes.
8. Stewards have the power to refuse entry into the ring for any competitors not wearing an Australian Safety Approved helmet & riding boots in a mounted class, including the Costume and Fancy Dress classes and Western Pleasure.
9. The Risk Management Officer has the power to instruct any persons not in compliance with the Risk Management Policy, to bring them in accordance with the Risk Management Policy as set out by this Society. Failure to adhere to this Policy will result in disqualification.
10. All protests must be in writing with the Show Secretary not later than one hour after Judging and must be accompanied by a deposit of $100.00 which may be forfeited if the protest is considered by the Committee to be frivolous.
11. Any dispute will be determined by the Committee, whose decision will be final, and no correspondence on the decision will be considered.
12. No refunds will be given for animals that are scratched.
13. While every attempt is made for classes not to clash, there will be no refunds for entrants that miss their classes through no fault of the organisers.
14. By signing the official Start Of Season Show Entry Form, the entrant is acknowledging that they have read and understand these Rules and Regulations and are prepared to abide by them.
15. Foals must be a minimum of 1 month old. No foal is to be clipped, plaited or bitted. All foals must be led behind the mare if not weaned. No free running foals allowed.
16. No competitor is to approach a judge for conversation. Any competitor who wishes to converse with a judge must do so via the attending steward. If the judge agrees to converse, the steward must be present during any and all conversation.
17. All Stallions & Colts 1yrs of age & over must be shown in a bitted bridle.
18. The Committee reserves the right to refuse entry to competition for any animal or person at their discretion.
19. All Members & participants agree to abide by the Victorian Pinto Society Code Of Conduct & are aware of penalties applicable to the breach of this Code.
20. No person is to use or carry any whips, canes, crops or hacking canes, exceeding 75 centimetres in its entirety (including the tassel) when leading, riding or holding a horse or pony.
    Anyone breaching of this rule will be asked to lay the whip down whether competing or marshalled.
21. No Sensory / Tactile Hairs are to be removed from any horse.
22. Any rider falling off while competing will not be permitted to re-mount until cleared by a certified medical person.

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PLEASE NOTE – RULE 2, MEANS A RECOGNISED, AFFILIATED PINTO BODY WHICH IS LIMITED TO:

PASA – Pinto Association of South Australia

PHANSW – Pinto Horse Associate of New South Wales

QPHA – Queensland Pinto Horse Association

TPSI – Tasmanian Pinto Society Inc

PHSWA – Pinto Horse Society of Western Australia.

Victorian Pinto Society 'Start Of Season Show' – 2026– Official Entry Form.

PRE ENTRIES $10.00 PER CLASS & $10.00 PER CAR GATE ENTRY FEE
EXTRA CLASSES ON THE DAY FOR PRE NOMINATED HORSES - $12.00 PER CLASS

Name of Pinto.	Reg. No.	Class numbers										Levy Fee per horse	Entry Fee Total
												$15.00	

Entries total:	$
Gate Fee	**$ 10.00**
AON Day Ins. If app	$ 20.00
Total Enclosed:	$

INCLUDE SIGNED NON MEMBER WAIVER

PRE ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN FRIDAY September 25th 2026

Post entries to: Entry Secretary: 630 Clarkes Rd. Hazelwood North. 3840
Email entries to: vpsentries@gmail.com scan entry form and attach direct deposit payment receipt
If you require a receipt, please enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope

Name: (entry to be in a financial members name)_____ VPS Membership Number: _____

Address: _____ Post Code: _____

Mobile Phone: (this number will be used in the event of VPS needing to send relevant show info) _____

Name & Number for Emergency Contact: _____ Ambulance Cover Y / N .

Waiver for Non VPS Members, (AON Day Insurance Fee) MUST BE SIGNED & paid for above if applicable.
If paying by DIRECT DEPOSIT, a printed online receipt must accompany entries

DIRECT DEPOSIT DETAILS: BENDIGO BANK. VICTORIAN PINTO SOCIETY BSB – 633 000 ACC – 1504 07666
PLEASE STATE SURNAME AND SHOW NAME AS REFERENCE (EG: Smith, SOS Entries)

BIO – SECURITY TRACING DETAILS: YOU MUST COMPLETE THIS SECTION

Address of Property horse(s) will originate from _____ PIC No: _____

Address of Property horse(s) will return to _____ PIC No:_____

NO ENTRY WILL BE PROCESSED UNTIL ALL OF THE ABOVE REQUIRED INFORMATION IS PROVIDED

THE FOLLOWING AON FORM IS ONLY TO BE USED BY NON FINANCIAL MEMBERS

THIS IS DAY INSURANCE FOR ANY NON MEMBER WHO MAY BE LEADING OR RIDING FOR A FINANCIAL MEMBER

PLEASE DO NOT EMAIL THE AON DAY INSURANCE FORM UNLESS YOU HAVE A NON MEMBER WHO WILL BE LEADING OR RIDING FOR YOU ON THE DAY.

Release and Waiver of Liability
Horse Sports are a Dangerous Activity

Supplier of recreational service: Victorian Pinto Society Inc.

In consideration for being permitted to participate in any way in horse sport activities, I, the undersigned, understand, acknowledge and accept that:

Horse sports are a dangerous recreational activity and horses can act in a sudden and unpredictable (changeable) way, especially if frightened or hurt.

There is significant risk that serious **INJURY** or **DEATH** may result from horse sport activities and in particular this activity.

I/We confirm the Recreational Service Supplier has explained this document to me/us and I/we am/are aware of the implications, intent and effect of agreeing to signing the document. I/We furthermore confirm I/we am/are aware of the obvious risks associated with activities involving horses and I/we knowingly and freely assume all such risks, both known and unknown, even if arising from the negligence of the Recreational Service Supplier (hereafter referred to as the "Releasees") or others and **I voluntarily PARTICIPATE** at my **OWN RISK** and assume sole responsibility for any injury, death or property damage I may suffer that arises from my participation in horse related activities.

I understand and acknowledge the dangers associated with the consumption of alcohol or any mind altering drugs before and during the activity and I take full responsibility for any injury, loss or damage associated with their consumption. I agree not to drink alcohol or take drugs prohibited by law before or during this trail ride.

I agree to follow the directions given to me and that any misconduct or refusal by me to follow any direction can result in the **CANCELLATION** of participation in the activity and my immediate removal from any horse **NO MATTER** where that may occur. I understand that any such non-compliance may result in injury, death and/or permanent disability and I agree to indemnify the Releasees against all claims made by any person as a result of my failure to comply.

I agree to wear a helmet at all times whilst riding and agree that I am solely responsible for ensuring that I wear a suitable helmet at all times and take sole responsibility for my actions.

I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS AND AGREE NOT TO SUE the Recreational Service Supplier, their officers, officials, volunteers, coaches, agents and/or employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors and if applicable, owners and lessors of premises used to conduct the activities (all of whom are referred to as "Releasees") WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL INJURY, DISABILITY, DEATH, OR loss or damage to person or property, WHETHER CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE.

Name of Participant: _____

Phone: _____ Date of birth: _____

Occupation: _____

Details of riding experience: _____

Agreement to exclude, restrict or modify your rights:

I agree that the liability of the above named Recreational Service Supplier for any personal injury that may result from the supply of the recreational services that may be suffered by me (or a person for whom or on whose behalf I am acquiring the services) is completely and unconditionally —

(a) Excluded;

I/we have had sufficient opportunity to read this release of liability and assumption of risk agreement or where required, explained to me/us, fully understand its terms, understand that I/we have given up substantial rights by signing it, and sign it freely and voluntarily without inducement, undue pressure or influence of any kind.

Signature of Participant: _____ Dated: _____

Name and address of Participant: _____

Signature of witness: _____ Dated: _____

Name and address of witness: _____