

# Orange Grove Horse & Pony Club

## Event Placings and Series Points Allocation

**\*\*\* Competitors must compete in 2 or more events to be eligible for the Series \*\*\***

At each event placings will be given out for that class which is broken down into Open (EA & PC) and PCWA groups.

In dressage, the PCWA group has also been broken into age groups for prep, prelim and novice test while elementary and medium are not. For dressage, series points will be allocated to either Open EA/PC combined or PCWA classes. As all PCWA riders or Open EA/PC riders for that level of test are judged by the same judge, the highest percentage score for that level of test in PCWA or Open EA/PC combined will be allocated the maximum points of 7 for 1st, going down to 2 points for 6th place and 1 point for completion of a dressage test without being eliminated. In Open EA/PC classes these points will reflect the combined placings given out on the day and points for Series awarded accordingly. In the PCWA group however, there can be up to 4 age groups for one test. This means that there could be up to 4 winners of the PCWA dressage test for the day as there is a winner in each age group but only one horse/rider combination will be awarded 7 series points for the test, unless in the case of the same percentage achieved. The highest percentage scored by a rider in the PCWA group will receive 7 points, with second highest receiving 6 and so on to 6th place for 2 points.

In the show jumping, series prizes are given out for each height combining PCWA (All Ages) and Open (EA/PC) classes. We are awarding series points to the closest to the optimum time with a clear round for the 30cm to 60cm rounds and the fastest clear round in the AM7 65cm to 105cm. Placings will be given out on the day split into the classes, Open EA, Open PC and PCWA. For series points allocation, all riders will be compared to have an overall first to sixth place for that height and points awarded appropriately. 1<sup>st</sup> will receive 7 points, going down to 2 points for 6<sup>th</sup> place and 1 Point for completion of a jumping round without being eliminated.

Organisers reserve the right to amend/ join classes as required and have the absolute discretion to refuse entry to, or eject any competitor from any class, event or series for any reason. Organisers reserve the right to reschedule any event. Organisers reserve the right to determine and amend prizes (including rugs) for each and any class, event or the series according to the level of entries or any other reason. Points are allocated based on horse/rider combination. In the event of equal placings a count back system will be applied to determine the winner, attendance at all 3 events will then place higher. No horse/rider combination will be eligible to win in consecutive leaderboard classes, the higher class will take precedence as deemed by the Organisers. Series placegetters will be announced and awarded at the final event