



Training Weekend

9th 10th November 2024

Wunghnu Recreation Reserve, Goulburn Valley HWY
Wunghnu Victoria

TRAINING ACTIVITY OFFICIALS

Secretary - M Byers
Dressage Judges - A Austin
R Pearce

This activity is SELF STEWARDING – please help where you can. The weekend organisers will arrange a job for you to do if possible, or volunteer your services if you would like to do something in particular!

PROGRAMME

Lessons with pre-eminent carriage driving coach Michelle Jones!

We are fortunate enough to have secured the services of Michelle Jones, the current Victorian Dressage Convenor and experienced driver, competitor, horse trainer, coach and Dressage judge. Michelle has been involved in the sport of Carriage driving from the early days of the sport, and during that time has represented Australia in CDEs as well as successfully competing all around Australia in Dressage and CDE.

Michelle is offering 45 min 1-to-1 or group lessons for \$75. Book early to secure your lesson with the most experienced dressage coach in Australia!

FENCE SITTERS WELCOME!

Carriage Driving Training Activity

The carriage driving training activity allows attendees to practice the skills required for competition without the pressure, as the emphasis will be on developing skills and having fun.

Dressage will be judged by our candidate judges Alice Austin and Rosemary Pearce in a 40M X 100M arena.

Dressage test used will be ACDS Novice Test B

ENTRIES CLOSE 30/10/2024

ENQUIRIES AND ENTRIES TO

Merryn Byers chdtcvic@gmail.com

Direct Debit to:

Carriage Horse Driving Trials Club, Bendigo Bank
633 000 109 917 567

Entries will not be accepted without payment.

SCHEDULE

GROUPS

1. Novice small single
2. Experienced small single
3. Novice large single
4. Experienced large single
5. Multiple

APPROXIMATE TIMETABLE

Lessons with Michelle Jones will be conducted during the day

Fence sitter's welcome!

Training Activity 9 am start

Dressage, followed by Cones and Obstacles; take the opportunity to try out our new obstacles!

We will schedule your times to provide enough time for a lesson and the training activities.

Approximate times will be emailed prior to the event.

FEES

Entry fee	\$60 for the weekend.
Yards	\$10 (limited number – first in first served) – whole WE
Horse on Grounds Fee	\$5 per weekend
Lesson (45 mins)	\$75
Group Lesson	\$75

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

The training weekend will be run under the Current ACDS Indoor/Outdoor Horse Driving Rules, ACDS Driven Dressage Rules and/ or ACDS CDE Rules (as required) and any additional conditions included in this schedule.

1. This is a **self-stewarding** activity. You will be expected to help make the weekend a success by helping out where requested.
2. One Activity Membership is allowed for the weekend.
3. Full Membership of the ACDS is encouraged.
4. Horses must be minimum 4 years of age and ACDS registered.
5. All competitors compete at their own risk.
6. Junior drivers age, 6 -10 must be accompanied in the vehicle by an ACDS adult member (an experienced driving person) seated next to the driver at all times and holding a second pair of reins attached to the bit. Junior Drivers 11-15 must be accompanied in the vehicle by an ACDS adult member (an experienced driving person).
7. Livestock control: Entrants /Owners of livestock are advised that horses must be adequately and securely restrained and controlled at all times.
8. Dress code: Marathon gear, gloves and whip. Protective headgear is compulsory in accordance with ACDS rules.
9. Properly completed medical information bands to be worn by Drivers & Grooms.
10. Parents are responsible for the supervision of children at all times at this venue
11. Only the horses/ponies listed on the official entry are able to attend this event. Permission to bring additional horses/ponies must be sought and granted by the Organizing Committee prior to the event.
12. Dogs MUST be kept on leads at ALL TIMES. PLEASE CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOGS
13. **LIMITED YARDS AVAILABLE, PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN if possible**
14. Please send any special requests to the secretary ASAP. No guarantee any special requests will be met, but we will try our hardest!



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ENTRY FORM

Name: _____

Mobile: _____

Email: _____

ACDS Affiliated Club: _____ ACDS Member No: _____

One Activity Membership required? (\$30 – maximum use 3 times/year – NO TIMED EVENTS): YES / NO (Please Circle)

Junior Driver: YES / NO (Please Circle) If yes, date of birth: ___ / ___ / ___

If Junior Driver, name of groom (experienced driving person who is an ACDS member)

ACDS member no _____

Group	Horse/Pony Name	ACDS Reg No.	Horse/Pony Height	Fee
Lesson with Michelle Jones: \$75 for 45 mins				
Horse/Pony name	What do you want to focus on?	Saturday	Sunday	Fee
Group lesson		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
1 on 1 lesson		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Number of people camping				
There are a LIMITED number of yards. First in first served. Yard fee \$10		Number of yards		
Have you sent payment via direct deposit? (Please circle) Yes No		TOTAL AMOUNT		\$

Note; Please check with the organising committee if you wish to drive twice or are sharing a carriage or have any other special requests prior to entering.

All competitors and their navigators/grooms compete at their own risk. Neither the ACDS, nor their appointed officials accept any liability for any accident, theft, illness or damage to horses, grooms or any person or property whatsoever. All competitors, by entering this event, agree to be bound by this regulation. I am aware of and agree to pay the excess that applies to any insurance claim which may arise from my participation in this event.

Competitor Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature (if under 18 years old) _____

Please complete and return form by 30/10/24 to:
Merryn Byers
chdtcvic@gmail.com

All cheques should be made payable to
Carriage Horse Driving Trials Club

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