

## 2011 NRC POINTSCORE RULES

### Rules

- Riders do not have to nominate to be part of the Northside Riding Club Point Score Competition.
- To be eligible for the Pointscore, riders must attend clinics or competitions from three different phases. The phases are Dressage, Hacking, Eventing, Show Jumping, Mounted Games and Social (which includes Thunderbirds and Working Bees. Christmas Party & Awards Night excluded). Riders have all year to attend three phases.
- To be eligible for the Pointscore, riders must volunteer for a minimum of two half days (or equivalent) per year. This is also a condition of NRC membership. Riders have all year to complete volunteer work and must pre-register with phaseheads and sign on for their shift at the club house.
- Points will be allocated from competition entry & results sheets. No other verification is required.
- Riders must sign on at the clubhouse for events without pre entry for their attendance to count to the pointscore (eg Open Days, gymkhanas).
- Points will be allocated to horse & rider combinations, not riders separately.
- Only NRC competitions, open days and clinics are eligible for points.
- Points will be allocated to NRC members who place in a competition, if no NRC member places in an event there will be no points awarded. However, one point per entry will be awarded to each horse and rider combination.
- "Pairs" and "Team" events in any phase will be counted towards point score.
- No points will be allocated for placings in classes at events ,such as Hacking or Mounted Games, where there are no formal entry lists for each class. CHAMPION and SUPREME are equivalent to 1ST; RESERVE is equivalent to 2ND.

**\*\*Note 2011 rule change: Points are allocated for placings up to a maximum of 3 placings, per rider&horse combination, per hacking or Mounted Games event. These will be taken from the individuals highest placings at that event. \*\***

- In the event of an equality of points, the horse and rider who have competed in the most phases will be given the higher placing.
- If both combinations have competed in the same number of phases, the combination who has competed in the fewest competitions will be given the higher placing.
- The winner of the Pointscore will be the horse and rider combination with the most points won throughout the year, after any adjustments required by the above rules have been made.