

A photograph of a rider on a light brown horse in an outdoor arena. The rider is wearing a dark blue jacket and light-colored breeches. The horse is wearing a red saddle pad and a red boot on its front left leg. The background shows a white fence and trees. The text is overlaid on the image.

PONY CLUB RALLY

BC LOWER MAINLAND (BCLM)

2024 Information Package



WHAT IS RALLY

Team competition
combining Stable
Management with riding
disciplines (dressage,
cross country, show
jumping)



- Builds teamwork skills
- Promotes horsemanship – participants are the “sole” caregivers for their horse
- Promotes responsibility – youth participants compete without their parents/guardians
- Great way to meet other Pony Clubbers
- All inclusive 4-day event



WHERE & WHEN

Maple Ridge Equi-Sports Centre

21973 132 Ave, Maple Ridge, BC

- Sand rings + Grass Grand Prix field
- Flat XC field with dyke
- Restaurant/pub onsite

Wednesday, July 10th: Stall, tack & feed rooms setup

Thursday, July 11th - Sunday, July 14th: Competition

Optional extended horse stays (Wed / Sun nights) available



WHAT'S INCLUDED



COMPETITION

Team and individual based divisions for stable management and riding



MEALS

Lunches (Fri – Sun)
Dinners (Thurs – Sat)

Non-participants can join in on meals (additional \$)



CAMPING

Onsite field camping
Thursday – Sunday (extensions possible by request)



MEMORIES

Connect with old friends and meet new ones. Enjoy fun activities such as games, skits, and loads of laughter!



TEAM COMPOSITION



CAPTAIN

1 PER TEAM

- Keeps team working together
- Serves as the organizer
- Assists other team members when necessary
- Competes in Captain's Quiz
- Rides in Captain's Jump Round (optional)
- May also be a Rider on same or another team



RIDER

2-3 PER TEAM

- Provides horse care
- Rides in all phases of the competition
- Works with team to ensure safe and fun environment
- Asks for help when needed



GROOM

1-3 PER TEAM

- Provides horse care
- Works with team to ensure safe and fun environment
- Asks for help when needed
- Competes in Grooms Quiz



ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS



CAPTAIN

- Any fully tested level
- Preference for experienced Captains on D-teams
- If riding on a different team, must be 16 years or older.



RIDER

- **Coach & Rally Rep or DC endorsement**
Cross country attendance (3 sessions and/or events) at desired competing level
- **Youth:** min. full D-level tested
- **Horsemasters:** testing not required



GROOM

- **Youth:** min. D-level stable management tested
- **Horsemasters:** testing not required



WHO ELSE IS AT RALLY



TEAM CHAPERONE

- The designated Parent/Guardian available onsite at ALL times
- Go-to support for teams outside of stabling and competition areas
- Ensures breakfasts, drinks/snacks are available



RALLY COMMITTEE

- Organizer of the event
- Responsible for running the event
- Handles inquiries and concerns



OFFICIALS

- Stable Management judges & assistants
- Technical Delegate
- Dressage Judge
- Show Jump Judge
- Safety Officer
- Rally Committee Chair
- Ring Stewards



OTHER TEAMS

Great source of help for all participants at any time or place in the competition



FAMILY

Families are welcome to camp and support participants, however NOT ALLOWED to assist in competition areas (barns, arenas, xc course, cool-out)



STABLING

Each team will be assigned:

- Horse stalls (incl. bedding)
- 1 stall for Tack Room
- 1 stall for Feed Room

Available Wednesday afternoon for optional early setup

Extended horse stay available for pre/post event

(Wed and/or Sun nights)

All stalls are to be stripped upon departure



CAMPING

- Camping in MREC field (no charge)
- Adjacent to cross country course, close to stabling
- Section marked off for each branch
- Campers/RVs/trailers and/or tents allowed
- No hook-ups
- Potable water onsite
- Bathrooms and showers available onsite



RIDING DIVISIONS

Division	Dressage	Cross Country	Stadium
S69	EC 2023 EV85 Test 1	1400-1800 meters 350 mpm 12-15 jumps; 0.69m max	8-9 jumps 0.69m max height No oxers
PE77	EC 2023 EV85 Test 1	1500-1900 meters 350 mpm 14-18 jumps; 0.77m max	8-10 jumps 0.77m max height
EV85	EC 2023 EV85 Test 2	1400-2000 meters 350 mpm 0.85m max	9-10 jumps 0.85m max height
EV90	EC 2023 EV90 Test 1	1500-2250 meters 400 mpm 0.91m height	9-10 jumps 0.91m max height
EV100	EC 2023 EV100 Test 1	1800-2500 meters 400-450 mpm 1.00m height	11-12 jumps 1.00m max height

PREP BEFORE RALLY



Online Rider Qualification Form

REQUIRED be completed
by Coaches for all RIDERS



Virtual Captains Clinic (Date TBD)

REQUIRED attendance
for all CAPTAINS



Rally Prep Clinic (Date TBD)

OPTIONAL attendance; get
tips and practice stable
management skills for
CAPTAINS, GROOMS,
RIDERS



OTHER FUN THINGS HAPPENING AT RALLY



Theme: Olympics

OPTIONAL decor of stalls, tack and feed rooms, and Opening Ceremony team attire - have fun with it!



Skits and Games

Various team activities for loads of fun and laughter!

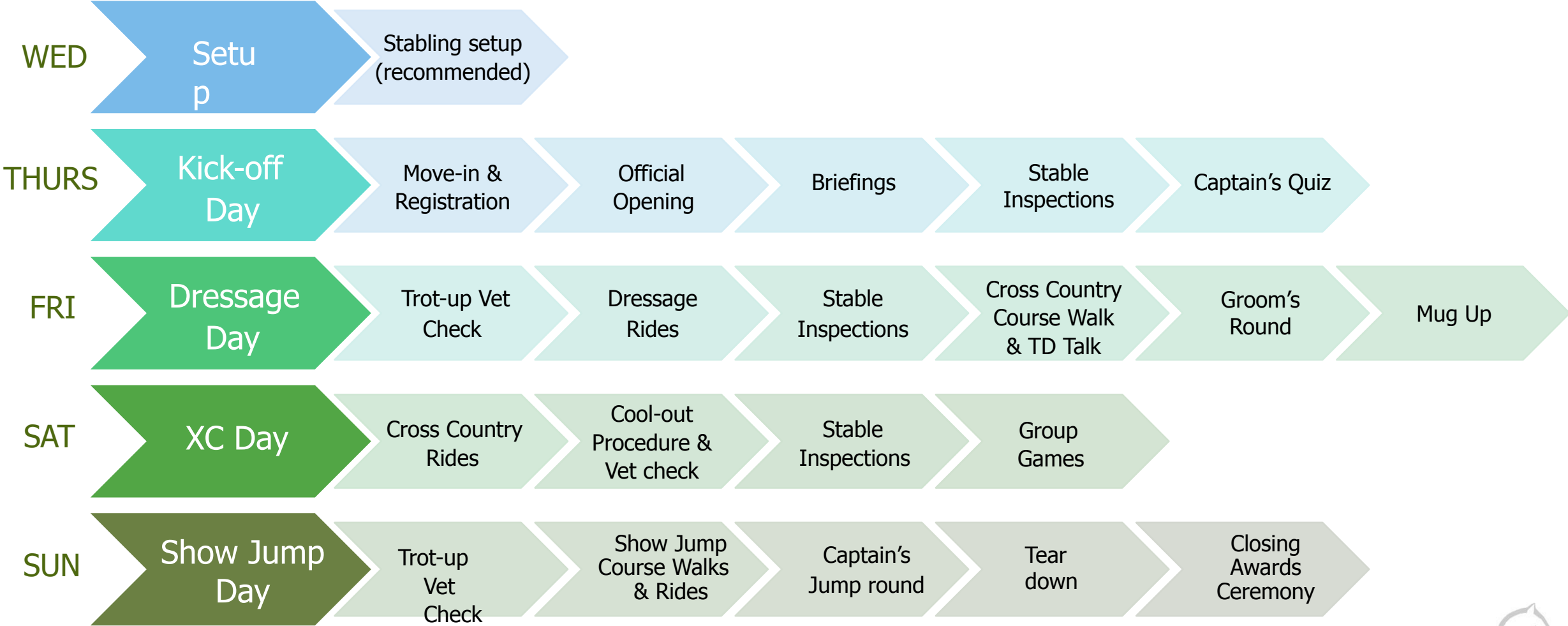


Mug Up

Evening social - bring your mug for a hot chocolate and connect with fellow members!



EXAMPLE SCHEDULE OVERVIEW



WHAT DO YOU BRING...

COMPETITION RELATED SUMMARY



FOR STALLS

- Fit & healthy ponies/horses
- Participant Posters
- Water bucket
- Grain bucket
- Stall guard
- Equipment mounting hooks

FOR FEED & TACK ROOM

- Team identification
- Feed & Feed charts
- Wheelbarrow, forks, brooms, shovels
- Tack (inc. racks, hooks)
- Tack cleaning kit (1 per team)
- Grooming kit (1 per mount)
- Extra equipment
- Equine First Aid kit (1 per team)
- Human First Aid kit (1 per team)
- Flashlight, trash container, notice board, boot jack
- Binder with all rules/regs/schedule
- Utility kit (1 per team)

FOR COMPETITORS

- Competition attire:
 - Riding
 - Stable
- Passport & Pony Club Pin
- Headlamp or flashlight
- Positive attitude





WHAT DO YOU BRING...

FOR EVERYTHING ELSE

CAMPING RELATED

- Tent or trailer
- Sleeping bags, foamie, pillow
- Pop-up shelters (for rain / shade)
- Tables & chairs
- Flashlights, lanterns or headlamps
- Coolers
- Cooking equipment
- Breakfasts, snacks, and drinks
- Enclosed fires (propane) allowed as per local fire regulations

PERSONAL ITEMS

- Weather appropriate clothing (incl. swimsuits)
- Toiletries
- Bicycles (if preferred)
- Appetite for fun and supporting atmosphere



HOW DO YOU PREPARE



- Work with your Branch Rally Rep to **determine participants' interest, plans to reach testing/riding goals, and plan teams**
- Familiarize yourself with associated **rules and information**; online form at [BCLM Rally webpage](#)
- Riders should plan how to meet their **qualification requirements**; online form at [BCLM Rally webpage](#)
- Join in at **BCLM Rally Prep Clinic** (date TBD) to learn about some stable management pieces
- Captains: attend virtual **Captains Clinic** (date TBD) to learn more about Rally need-to-know items like trot-up, cool-out, stable management expectations and stabling setup
- Work with your team to gather equipment, create **posters** and plan **theme decor, costumes/attire**
- Look out for **Rally Entry packages** & submit as soon as possible



RESOURCES

Find all on [BCLM Pony Club Rally webpage](#):

- ✓ CPC National Rally Rules 2020
- ✓ CPC National Stable Management & Groom Handbook 2019
- ✓ BCLM Rally Policies
- ✓ BCLM Rally FAQ
- ✓ BCLM Equipment Lists
- ✓ Online 2024 Rally Qualification form



THANK YOU



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