

Awatere Pony Club ODE

Sunday 24th May 2026

671 Seaview Road, Seddon/ Marlborough

Entry Fee: PC members \$60 (non-members + \$15 casual fee) includes a \$10 non-refundable admin fee + \$3.65 EvoEvents fee

Entries close Friday 17th May 2026 or when classes are full. Entries via Evoevents Entry fees are to be paid at the time of entry via Poli on EvoEvents or direct credit to APC Bank Account – ASB 12-3167-0008876-00 (Awatere Branch Marlborough Pony Club) Please include rider's initial & surname as reference.

Event secretary: Kiri McDermott P: 021 0224 7832 or E: awatereponyclub@gmail.com

Entries will not be accepted or released on EvoEvents until payment is made in full.

Class 1: 105cm ESNZ Eventing Test A2 (2009)

Class 2: 95cm ESNZ Eventing Test A2 (2009)

Class 3: 80cm Eventing Test L1 (2009)

Class 4 65cm NZPCA J:10 (2018)

Classes may be divided into age groups once entries are closed.

**** All entries must provide one helper ****

It is impossible for a small club like ours to run an event like this without the help of volunteers. It is a condition of entry that ALL riders must provide a volunteer by completing the volunteer section on evo.

The full event will be held at the Redwood property in Seddon, Plenty of free accommodation options at the Ward Domain with 24 yards available and toilet...also communal shed for getting together on Saturday night. Also farm stays an option

DRESSAGE & SJ: Will be held in front of the Homestead.

PARKING: Parking for horse floats will be marked, please follow directions.

DRINKING WATER: A change in Government regulations for water supply means that the tap water on the ground is deemed not suitable for drinking. The water is fine for your horses to drink. Please bring your own cold drinking water.

NO DOGS ARE ALLOWED ON THE GROUNDS

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. This competition is run under current ESNZ eventing rules and NZPCA rules – see links below.
2. Riders (Parent/Guardian) by submitting an entry means you will abide by the conditions of entry. Awatere Pony Club (APC) accepts no responsibility for injury, loss or damage to property, horse or pony, rider or spectator.
3. The Event Health & Safety Plan will be at the secretary's office – please ensure you have read it.
4. Any rider who has suffered a concussion within 21 days of competition may not compete.
5. RIDING HELMETS shall be NZPCA approved and tagged with a yellow tag.
6. BACK PROTECTORS shall be NZPCA approved with a red tag and are compulsory for the crosscountry phase.
7. Gear check is required for all phases for 65cm and 80cm; for 95cm and 105cm riders there is a compulsory gear check for cross-country only and random dressage and showjumping checks.
8. Correct attire for all phases. Pony Club uniform acceptable. Long hair must be tied up.
9. Dressage tests can be called for 65cm and 80cm classes only.
10. Whips are not permitted in the dressage phase, but spurs can be worn.
11. Saddles and Halters should be tagged with contact details.
12. Disciplinary action will be taken if any person purposely jabs a horse/pony in the mouth or for excessive use of the whip and/or spurs.
13. Please print and bring your own back numbers.
14. Riders can collect prizes approximately 30 minutes after the posting of final class scores. Please note there will be no prize giving to allow for people to travel home at a reasonable time. Ribbons/Prizes will be sent out to winners.
15. Protests must be submitted to the event secretary in writing within 30 minutes of the incident and accompanied by \$30 which will be returned if the protest is upheld.
16. Withdrawals, substitutions and refunds as per Article 646 of ESNZ Rules for Eventing. The admin fee of \$10 per rider applies, and this and the EvoEvents fee are non-refundable.
17. Late Entries will be accepted subject to availability and payment of the \$20 late fee.
18. The event will be held wet or fine. In the unlikely event of a cancellation, for example, due to extreme weather conditions or a natural disaster, all riders will be notified via email and a notification will be posted on APC Facebook page
19. St John Ambulance will be on site.
20. No class changes will be accepted on the day.
21. Please keep the parking area clean and tidy by picking up hay and manure before you leave.
22. All riders must provide a volunteer.
23. There may be photographers on the day and by entering you are allowing us to use photos for publicity and to thank our sponsors.
24. Riders eliminated on the XC course must not continue and must walk back. Three stops at one jump or four stops over the course is elimination, do not carry on.
25. It is compulsory to be checked by a medic following a fall anywhere on the grounds.

Medical fitness declarations

Entry forms will include a declaration confirming that riders are fit to ride, are not suffering from concussion, and are not on medication that may impact their safety.

This is about reinforcing personal responsibility and supporting safe participation across all Pony Club activities.

ESNZ Rules for Eventing 1st August 2025: <https://www.nzequestrian.org.nz/esnz/rules-regulations/eventing-rules/>
NZPCA General Regulations August 2023: <http://www.nzpca.org/Rules-Regulations/Rules-Regulations-1>