



# PONY CLUB RALLY

**BC LOWER MAINLAND (BCLM)**  
2025 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 9th:** Stall, tack & feed rooms setup

**Thursday, July 10th - Sunday, July 13<sup>th</sup>:** 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  
purchase meals at  
the restaurant



## 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)

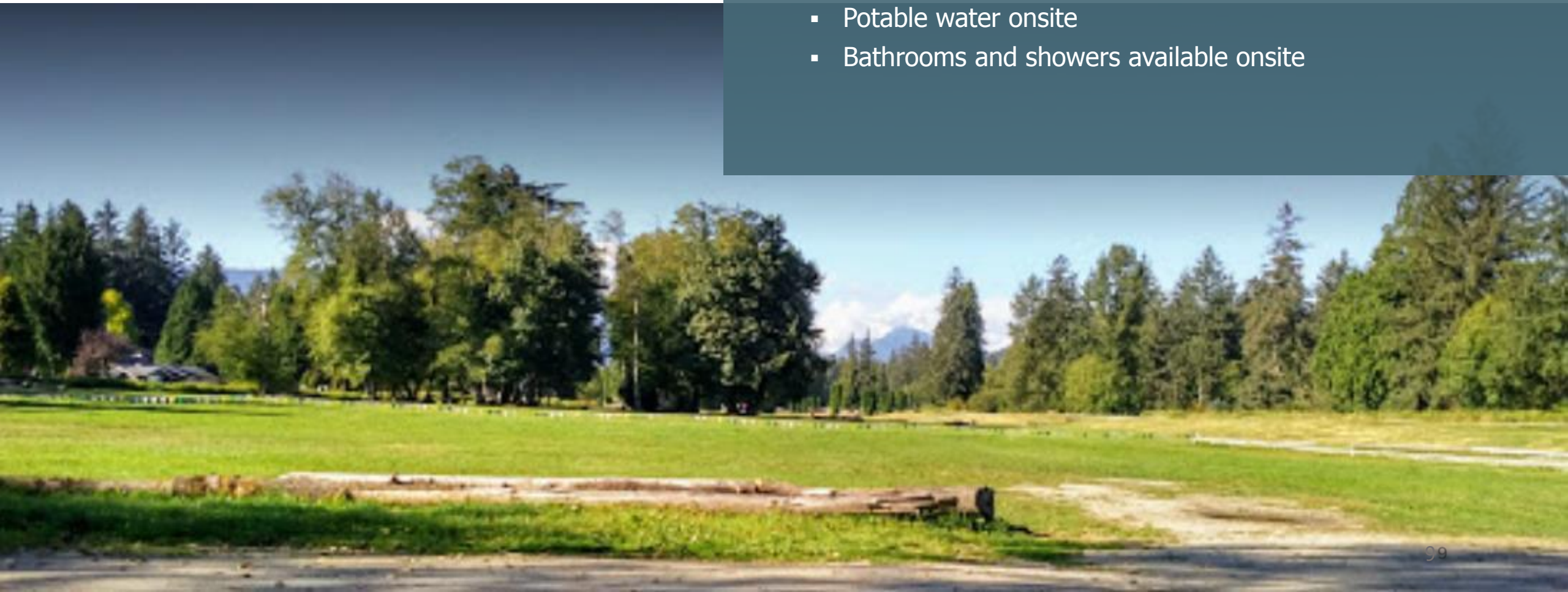
All stalls are to be stripped upon departure





## 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

(June 26, 7pm)

*REQUIRED attendance for all CAPTAINS*



### Rally Prep Clinic

(June 20, 6pm)

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





## OTHER FUN THINGS HAPPENING AT RALLY



### Theme: Neon Disco

*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!*

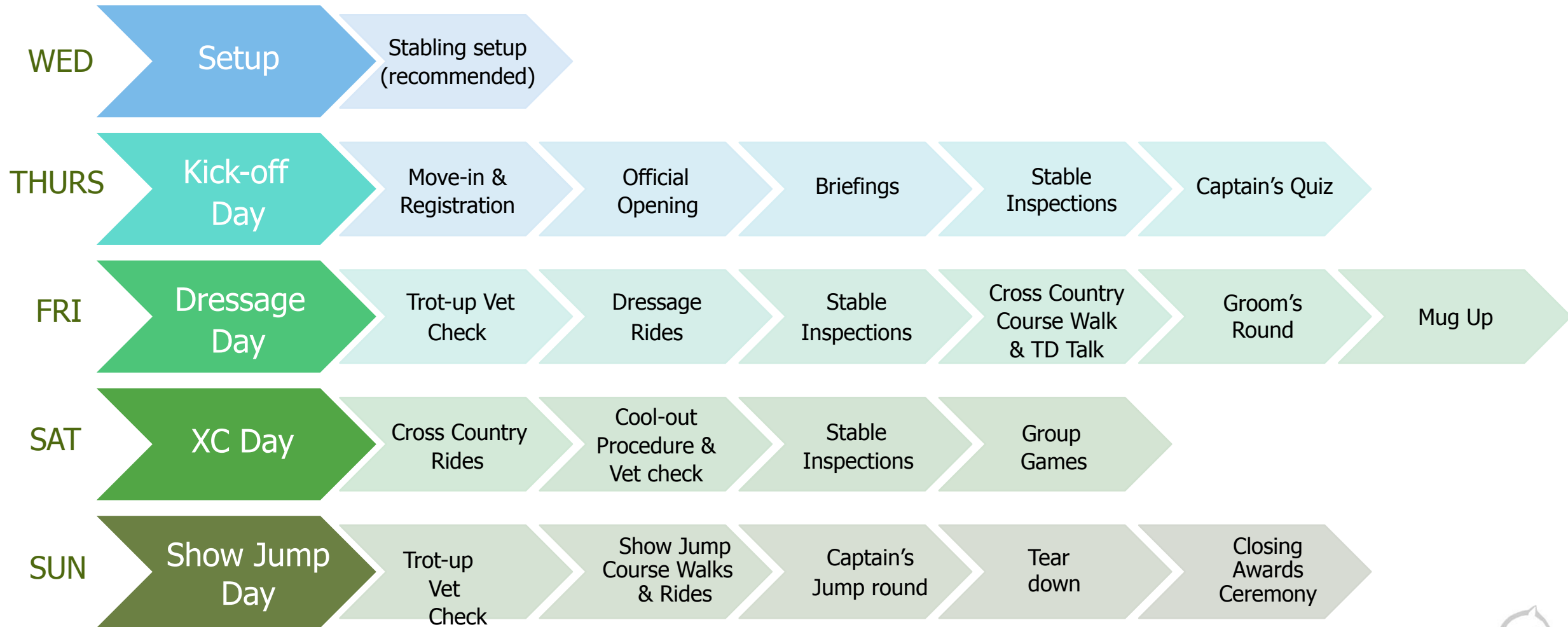


### Mug Up

*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** (June 20, 6pm) to learn about some stable management pieces
- Captains: attend virtual **Captains Clinic** (June 26, 7pm) 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 2025 Rally Qualification form





# THANK YOU



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## BCLM 2025 Rally Committee

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Amanda	----->	Heritage Grove
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