

Equestrian Australia Carriage Driving Committee - UPDATE

Meeting held: 18th April 2018 Below a summary of proceedings of the EACDC Teleconference meeting:

The members of the committee considered whether on-carriage grooms were necessary for ponies under 121cms. It was decided that grooms should be compulsory on the carriage. The ground jury/horse welfare officer should consider if a pony is stressed and make an appropriate decision in the interest of horse welfare.

The concept of a developmental pathway was proposed for further consideration.

The issue of ponies' measuring certificates was discussed. There is a need to have more people accredited as measurers to be able to offer more opportunities for measuring.

Further discussion about workshops for juniors took place. These are already occurring or in the planning stages already.