

HOT WEATHER/EXTREME POLICY

Rationale:

The Pony Club Association of South Australia Incorporated has a duty of care to the health, comfort and welfare of **all** members, volunteers, officials and to the equine members of the organization.

This policy has been adopted to assist clubs/Zones when organizing rally days /Events or Functions to be aware for the need of shade and plenty of water for both human and equine participants.

In the event that the local radio or TV station broadcasts the evening before the rally day is to commence the weather is to be in excess of 35 degrees Celsius the rally **will** not be held between the hours of 11 am and 4 pm.

Clubs may wish to program an early morning or evening rally to compensate for the daytime if resources permit.

Check: www.bom.gov.au/sa/ if unsure of conditions in your area.

Also see the PCA weather policy for further information on WBT at following link

<https://ponyclubaustralia.com.au/integrity/pony-club-integrity-policies/>

Signing off:



President... .. Print name...Ann Olsen

Date: 01/01/2026 Name of Club: Pony Club Association of S.A. Inc.

This policy or code is set for review every twelve months by Pony Club Association of S.A. Incorporated.