

DRAFT Disability Action Plan

State: Tasmania

Key Focus Area	Strategies (How are you going to do it?)	Budget (What \$ are needed?)	Responsibility (Who will ensure it's completed?)	Timeline (When will it be done by?)
<p>PUBLICITY and COMMUNICATION To ensure members of both RDA and PCAT are fully aware of the objectives of Project Connect</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Press release on Project Connect to be placed on both RDA and PCAT web sites • Seek approval to use Deep blue Imagery website as a promotion using photographs from PC and RDA activities • Each body to take the initiative and this draft action plan to their full Executive executive to ensure they understand what Project Connect is. • PC and RDA delegates to communicate to establish if their Executives are supportive. • If Executives are supportive of the Action Plan put the information on both websites with contact numbers for enquiries. Websites to be linked. • Develop an information package/handout to be placed on both websites (and in newsletters) for delegates to use and fall back on. • Develop a communication action plan between RDA and PCAT, regular exchange of newsletters, notification of coaching clinics • Logo link (suggested snaffle bit with RDA logo in one ring and PC logo in the other) 	<p>Nil</p>	<p>Helen Brown RDA Phyllis Fairhurst PCAT</p> <p>Phyllis and Helen to put the information together</p>	<p>Completed on PCAT website RDA website 8 December 2005</p> <p>PCAT 27 November 2005 RDA 8 December 2005</p>

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IDENTIFY WHERE WE STAND TO DATE WITH THE TWO ORGANISATIONS WORKING TOGETHER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We have coaches who are NCAS accredited as both RDA and Pony Club, see if others are intersted • Some PC riders work with RDA as part of their K Test • We have RDA centres and Pony Clubs working towards sharing facilities 	NIL		
INTEGRATED EVENTS - COMPETITION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One RDA centre already runs an integrated gymkhana at PC ground • Older PC riders will be encouraged to volunteer for RDA (to help increase awareness) Schools are already promoting this • Inclusion of RDA riders in PC dressage competition • Inclusion of younger PC riders in integrated gymkhana and games days • Exemption certificates for RDA riders (which are already available and will be developed further by RDAA) 		To be determined	To be determined
EDUCATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Think about reps attending each others' state meetings • Promoting the 'abilities' not the disabilities in a positive way 		To be determined	To be determined
DEVELOPMENT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase the sharing of facilities • Notification of each others' workshops 		To be determined	To be determined

SUMMARY

We see Project Connect as providing a clear pathway for riders moving between both organisations

FURTHER CONTACT: TASRAD for further information and assistance