JEFF EVANS

SHORT PERSONAL BIOGRAPHY-76 YEARS OF AGE

Australian show jumping champion at age 19

Won 2 Australian show jumping titles

Won 14 SA show jumping titles

Won 20 Balharry Cups

Started my own business at 23, and self employed ever since.

Owner of Fieldbrook Constructions and several other entities

Have been on EA committees for over 50 years.

Member of SA Board for several years

Chairman of SA jumping committee for some 10 years

Chairman of National jumping committee for 6 years, and Chairman of selectors for Australian teams.

Have been a level 3 course designer and also level 2 judge

My interest in the sport has been very involved over the years, my passion is good horses and capable riders being developed over the years. The development and welfare of horses and riders and the education of officials is of utmost importance.

Sheridan Manuel

Professionally:

I am involved in the Civil Construction Industry as a Senior Site Manager. I have been involved in the construction industry for over 18 years.

Equestrian:

I have ridden at Senior level for 22 years. Competed for South Australia and Internationally. Competed at World Cup Level. Produced, Trained, Competed multiple horses from breaking in through to Grand Prix. Volunteered my time at shows locally and interstate.

Natasha O'Brien

Member of the Eyre Peninsula Showjumping Club, I have only been involved in Showjumping for a few years. My experience primarily comes from being a founding member of the very successful first Team Penning Club in South Australia "Wudinna Team Yarders" that grew to the largest horse sport on the Eyre Peninsula. I have been involved with many sporting clubs on the Eyre Peninsula at Club and association level coaching and executive positions. I offer ESA Jumping fresh eyes and new ideas with a passion for Youth Development.

Andrew Paech

I commenced as junior competitor in 1973 and finished in 2001 having competed at FEI World Cup level. I have been a member and past chairperson of the South Australian Showjumping Committee since 1978, the committee governing jumping in SA prior to the creation of the current State Jumping Committee. I was appointed to the inaugural State Jumping Committee and have served as chair, riders representative, squad coordinator, selector and chair of selectors.

I was the Riders representative on the National Jumping committee for six and during this time was on the High Performance Panel and World Cup committee

I am a current FEI-2 Course Designer and EA level 2 judge.

I am employed as a Prosecution Manager for SAPOL responsible for about 40 staff prosecuting in regional SA.

I believe I have a current connection with our sport and that the state squads, state awards, development of officials and the state championships are things I can assist with.

Lara Pizimolas-Kluske

I am 35 years old and have been an EA member now for 22 years. I have Evented at 3-star level for many years bringing numerous horses up through the grades. Over the past 5 years I've been Showjumping consistently, taking me all over SA and interstate at a reasonable level.

I run two retail business in the Adelaide Hills, one of them I manage which is Sportspower Barker I have now done this for 15 years.

I am the Director of Dapple EQ which is an equestrian boutique store, which I have had now for 7 years.

I'm currently still on the Eventing committee, which I have now been on for 9 years. My involvement has been organising squad clinics and been the riders' rep for many years. I was also a selector for Eventing SA for 3 years.

What I think I can bring to jumping SA!

Being a current rider who is competing most weekends at a reasonable level, I understand what riders are wanting and needing to help our sport go forward. My experience of being on the Eventing committee, can help jumping SA go forward with squad clinics and helping our juniors go forward.

Wayne Spencer

I have been involved in showjumping as a brief competitor and father of a competitor for the last 6 years. I am a member of the Eyre Peninsula ShowJumping Club and have been President and now Vice president of the club for the last 3 years.

I live in Port Lincoln and am a business owner.

Susie Verco

I have been competing in Showjumping for 20 years, producing multiple horses to Grand Prix level, with 2 of those horses going on to World Cup level. I have been on the State Squads for Showjumping, Dressage and Showhorse, and I understand their value to riders. I am an EA Level 1 coach and secondary school teacher. I have successfully organised the Urrbrae Interschool Gymkhanas, with jumping, dressage, showhorse and novelties, when we had access to the grounds.

I would like to help structure the Showjumping calendar/ leagues and programs, in a timely manner, to help all competitors get as many opportunities to compete as possible in the long term. I understand that horses and riders have set backs, so being able to regain confidence is very important, along with being able to reward success as you become competitive at the next height. I have been developing a 'High Point Handicap' system, that takes into account the height, place, jumping and time faults, that I believe is an equitable way forward.

I would like to structure some 'at shows training' to help people learn the skills required on their journey to become a Judge, Course Builder or Official.

I look forward to collaborating with you to help make Showjumping accessible and fun.