

Darryl Hayes

I commenced riding for clients from the age of 13, riding stallions for the Owendale Pony stud as well as showhorses of all heights. I have continued riding for others ever since until retiring from the ring in late 2018.

I competed at Royal level since 1974 and I have shown at every royal in Australia except Perth.

I have been lucky to have exhibited many lovely horses for clients winning State Horse of the year titles as well as National titles on many occasions.

I served on the Equestrian Victoria Show horse committee for a number of years. I was EA National Riders Rep for approx 4 years and I have also served on the EQ Showhorse Committee and was the Queensland Representative to the EA National Showhorse committee until recently.

In 2018 I was part of a subcommittee that rewrote the EA National Showhorse Rules.

I am passionate about educating horses and riders. I love helping people make a connection with their horse and seeing them improve.