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## Deloitte Australian International 3 Day Event



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### STABLE TALK : October 2011



#### In this edition:

**STOP PRESS :** Northpoint Toyota have come on board as our Vehicle Partner for 2011! See story in next issue of Stable Talk!

#### An eventful time

Event director and dual Olympic medallist, Gillian Rolton is flat out finalising a stack of exciting equestrian eventing experiences for this year's event. Here's an update on the course and the state of the main arena.

#### Volunteers Needed!

Our Volunteer Co-ordinator Sue Brown explains why volunteering at the event is so much **fun and you don't have to** know anything about horses to be a part of this **year's team!**

#### Official Introductions

Meet Anne-Mette Binder who will Chair the Ground Jury this year before going to London to Chair the Ground Jury at the 2012 Olympics where **she'll be joined by** Adelaide Event Director Gillian Rolton.

#### South Australia

While visitors are here for the 3 Day Event, SA Tourism would like to tempt you to explore further and discover the many delicious delights and breathtaking beauty South Australia has to offer.

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### Event Director's Corner

Things are heating up at Victoria Park with final renovations coming together in the Grandstand, top



dressing of the Main Arena is completed and Course Designer Wayne Copping and Ops manager, Cameron Pagon are trucking in the first loads of jumps to be put into place. Wayne will be starting in Victoria Park followed by the fences in the middle Park 15 and finally all the new tests in

Rymill Park - with a few exciting additions there.. After a wonderful wet winter the Parks are just beautiful and the footing Ab Fab!



GILLIAN  
ROLTON



Up close...

### Volunteers

SUE  
BROWN  
Volunteer Co-ordinator



Hundreds of volunteers help make the Australian International 3 Day event and without them, the event simply would not run.

The task of gathering, co-ordinating and managing volunteers rests with Sue Brown and she does the job brilliantly.

Volunteers are involved in all areas of the event. Roles include jump judges, scoring assistants, hospitality assistants, administration assistants, fence repair crew, arena crew, media centre helpers and time keepers.

"Best thing about volunteering is volunteers don't need to know anything about eventing or even horses, they just need to be enthusiastic and happy to be part of a friendly, supportive team" said Sue.

Volunteer details are on our website or you can call **0409 090 547** and Sue will let you know all the volunteer opportunities available for you this year.

### Officials

ANNE-METTE  
BINDER

Anne-Mette Binder has presided over many of the most prestigious equestrian events in the world including last years WEG. She is judging "pure" dressage to the highest level and has trained dressage horses for top competition. Until November 2011 she was a member of the FEI Eventing Committee paying particular interest to the task of training of officials, as befits a former Head Master.

Her husband Christian Struck is a course designer and Technical Delegate while their son, Jakob, is an enthusiastic teenage competitor.

Next year, Anne-Mette joins will Chair the Ground Jury of the 2012 Olympic Games in London where she may well be judging some of the riders she sees here in Adelaide. . Bringing a wealth of knowledge and expertise, Anne-Mette will be expecting to see the best here in Adelaide in November 2011.



### Meet the Board—and our Chairman!

The biggest event in the Australian Eventing season doesn't arrive without some vision! The concentrated group of Gill Rolton - Event Director, Geoff Sinclair - Vice Chairman, Belinda Lindh media and Marketing , and Wendy Hunt EA liaison have ensured that a 'classic' and memorable event will be delivered to you this year. Also working hard on the Board this year is Adelaide City Councillor, Tony Williamson and our incredible Treasurer Marilyn Tregilgas. With the expert help of the competition committee, A great team behind an even greater event!

As we grow and evolve bigger and better each year, we welcome a new board member and Chairman— Graham Ingerson! Graham is a past South Australian Minister of Sport and has been on the V8 Supercars Board so he knows how to grow major events and loves South Australia. The future of the Australian 3 Day Event is full of even more exciting opportunities and entertainment so stay tuned!



The Stallion Service and Olympic Float Auction is happening online NOW!

The Stallions this year are all extremely talented and will be in highly sought after and our good friends at Olympic Trailers have kindly donated a magnificent y appointed mid-length Olympic Mustang float valued at \$19,995.

This is our major fundraiser and bidding ends 7pm Wednesday October 26th so make the most of this incredible opportunity to secure the services of one of the awesome Stallions on offer OR this amazing Olympic Mustang Float.

Bid NOW at [www.nominate.com.au/auction/adelaide3de](http://www.nominate.com.au/auction/adelaide3de)

Thursday & Friday Dressage Saturday Cross Country Sunday Show jumping

2011

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### South Australia

#### Accommodation

Interstate visitors are going to LOVE these packages put together especially for you by Holidays of Australia!

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3 day grandstand pass  
Course walk  
Merchandise pack  
\*\*\*\*\*

These event packages are selling lightning fast so book today or you will miss out!!!

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#### Explore



South Australia has so many magnificent things to taste, see, try and experience and it's all within easy reach of our fair City. Just an hour or so from the city you'll find internationally renowned tourist regions like the Barossa Valley and Kangaroo Island. Australia's leading wineries, pristine rolling golf courses, amazing natural landscapes and of course, some of the most beautiful beaches in the world.

Head south to the fabulous Fleurieu Peninsula – a coastal paradise where vineyards meet the sea and sand reaches to the skyline. Take off up the freeway, and be welcomed by the beauty of the Adelaide Hills and historic towns like Hahndorf, Stirling and Lobethal.

So while you're here take this chance to explore and find out what's down the road and round the corner from this beautiful city of Adelaide. For more inspiration and ideas, visit [www.southaustralia.com](http://www.southaustralia.com)

### General Admission

General Admission ticket holders will have access to Victoria Park, the exciting new venue for the Deloitte Australian International 3 Day Event. Dressage and Show Jumping will be in the ATCO Australia Main Arena with the Market Place (trade village) in this area as well. This year the challenging cross country course starts in front of the Victoria Park grandstand, then leads competitors through the parklands into the spectacular water jumps of Rymill Park and then back towards the finishing line in the ATCO Australia Main Arena.

All amenities will be conveniently located together with plenty of food and beverage stalls, viewing spaces and picnic spots. A big screen in the Market Place will follow every step of the action. The Logan Floats CIC\*\* dressage starts the event on Thursday 17 November with the Bates Australia CCI\*\* and Horseland Young rider Championship HSBC CCI\*\*\*\*. First Horse Inspection (trot up) with FREE entry on Thursday 17th November.



### GRANDSTAND 3 DAY PASSES GREAT VALUE!

If you don't want to miss a millisecond of equestrian action, the newly renovated Victoria Park Grandstand is your best seat. Your 3 day Grandstand pass also includes a program for \$150, a saving of \$70!!

From an elevated, shaded position, you'll look out over the dressage, show jumping and cross country course offering a panoramic view over all the action. Spectators can watch dressage on Thursday for free from the Grandstand but tickets are required from Friday to Sunday.

Tickets available now at



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### Explore MARKET PLACE



Lot of exciting new additions to the Market Place this year including Giddy Up to Africa Horse Safari's. Choose from 3 high quality riding safari's and experience Africa on horseback. Explore the Waterberg Mountains in South Africa, Limpopo Valley in Botswana or the little known Mavuradonha Wilderness in Zimbabwe.

Giddy Up to African will tailor a travel itinerary to meet your personal travel goals. Visit them this year and find out what other horse adventures, driving and canoeing safaris are available. Remember to ask about the exciting equestrian based volunteer program for an even more intense African experience!



3 day Grandstand Pass just \$150 for adults - Save \$70!!! Buy yours today!



### PARTY WITH THE STARS

After the cross country on Saturday, it's time to Party with the Stars in the Coopers Eventers Bar. Enjoy a Gourmet Roast meal and desert while re-living the days events on the big screen.

Then it's party time. Southern Stars Saddlery will present a brand new Southern Stars Jump Saddle to the rider closest to optimum time across all classes. Presented by Kelvin and Clayton Fredericks and valued at \$3,295 this will be an awesome prize. Southern Stars also have provided an Asmar Equestrian All Weather Rider Jacket to be presented to the Best Dressed party goer .. so dress to impress!

\*Tis a night when everyone gets together and has heaps of fun. Limited tickets only so get yours now - \$10 for riders, \$20 for everyone else, available now from [www.australian3de.com.au](http://www.australian3de.com.au) And [www.nominate.com.au](http://www.nominate.com.au) on rider entry forms.



### BRETT PARBURY



This year we welcome Australian Dressage sensation Brett Parbury and his horse Victory Salute. Brett is running a dressage Masterclass on the Friday and it's sure to be standing room only.

Sponsored by Pryde's Easi Feeds, Brett holds the Australian record for the highest Grand Prix and Grand Prix Freestyle score. The stunning list of achievements chalked up to this combination include 2010 Australian Dressage Champions, 10th World Cup Final 2010, 10th 2010 Aachen Grand Prix and Kur and 2nd at the 2010 Hickstead World Dressage Masters CDI 5\* Grand Prix Special. This will be one of the Dressage highlights of 2011. Don't miss it!

Market Place sites filling fast

Market Place Bookings

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### Renniks 4\*



### SUPPORTERS CLUB

For more comfortable viewing, treat yourself to a ring-side seat in the Renniks 4\* Supporters Club. Enjoy uninterrupted views over the ATCO Australia Main Arena for all 3 days of action in this Olympic standard competition.

Your 3 day pass includes general admission, tea, coffee, a light lunch and a shaded non-reserved seat adjacent to the newly renovated Heritage Grandstand. Guests can also purchase a range of alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks and "real" coffee!.

**At \$250 for all 3 days, that represents excellent value for money!**

Get a group of friends together and buy your Supporters Club tickets today from Ticketek.



### ST JOHN AMBULANCE



St John volunteers will be on hand again this year to look after us and this is an invaluable service, not only for events like ours, but for South Australians in general. St John volunteers have been serving this State for more than 100 years delivering quality First Aid at events and emergencies and we are so grateful for their knowledge, expertise and attendance. You may not know but St John is a charitable not-for-profit organisation and their existence depends upon support from us.



Next time you're thinking about First Aid Training, First Aid Kits, products or making a charitable donation, put St John at the top of your list. They do a fabulous job for South Australia. Visit their website where you can also download their latest i-phone app to keep you up-dated on all the St John news as it happens.



### Adelaide Equity Partners HOSPITALITY MARQUEE

Experience the event in First Class Style all the way with a seat in the Adelaide Equity Partners Hospitality Marquee. The place to see all the action and be seen with fantastic food, Tomich Wines and a ringside seat to all the Main Arena action in the ACTO Australia Main Arena. Friday's Dancing with the Stars luncheon features a fashion parade the very best of South Australian food and wine and hotly contested and very popular auctions on all three days.

Book your table at [www.ticketek.com](http://www.ticketek.com)



Competitors—get your entries in early and start preparing!

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#### Thursday 17 November

- Logan Floats CIC\*\* Dressage
- FEI Officials Seminar
- Riders briefing
- Riders course inspection
- Trot Up HSBC CCI\*\*\*\*, Bates Australia CCI\*\*, Logan Floats CIC\*\*
- Market Place shopping

FREE ENTRY

#### Friday 18 November

##### **Dancing with the Stars Dressage Day.**

- HSBC CCI\*\*\*\* Dressage
- Bates Australia CCI\*\* Dressage
- Brett Parbury masterclass
- Course walk with the stars
- Equestrian SA Twilight FEI Dressage
- Equestrian Australia Riders forum
- The French Horsemen
- Market Place shopping

#### Saturday 19 November

**Qantas Cross Cross Country Day** means the thrills and excitement of finely trained equine athletes conquering the Olympic standard cross country course.

- XC Masterclass with Beijing silver medallist/ 2 times World Cup Champ Clayton Fredericks & Australian team member Sam Griffiths in the main arena
- Party with the Southern Stars—Coopers Eventers Bar
- The French Horsemen



#### Sunday 20 November

**The Grand Finale where milliseconds and single rails decide winners, losers and possible Olympic selection.**

- Trot up breakfast
- Trot Up HSBC CCI\*\*\*\*,
- Bates Australia CCI\*\*, Logan Floats CIC\*\*
- ATCO Australia Show Jumping Competition
- Presentation ceremony
- Last jump party
- The French Horsemen



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3 day Grandstand pass adult \$150.00; 3 day Grandstand seating child \$70.00  
Renniks 4\* Supporters Club 3 days \$250.00