



**PONY CLUB**  
NEW SOUTH WALES

# Helmet Tagging Policy

It is now a requirement that all helmets used for Pony Club in NSW are tagged to indicate that they meet the required safety standards.

## Who can tag a helmet?

Any qualified Pony Club Instructor in NSW (Old System or NCAS) and Qualified Gear Check Certificate holders. Only Clubs in zones are able to purchase helmet tags.

## How are helmets tagged?



Eligible helmet taggers (as above) are to check the safety standard on the inside of the helmet. The internal and external condition of the helmet must also be checked for damage and if found to be damaged should not be tagged. Standards are sometimes located beneath the helmet lining. If there is no labelled standard, the helmet must not be tagged. Helmets are to be tagged on the left hand side of the helmet (the riders left hand side) on the strap that goes in front of the ear. If there is no room on the strap due to another safety tag being put there, please attach to the strap that goes behind the ear, as high as possible, on the riders left hand side.

The tag will wrap around the helmet strap multiple times and must sit flush with the strap. Try to attach the tag as straight and even as possible.

In the event of a fall, the rider's helmet must be checked. If there is visible internal or external damage to the helmet, the helmet tag must be removed, and a new helmet must be sought.