



## **RAS Equestrian Competitor Forums**

At the recent RAS Horse Steward's Council Executive (HSCE) Meeting it was agreed to run two RAS Equestrian Competitor Forums – one in Feilding and one in Christchurch. (This was a follow on from the forum held at HOY.) These were well received and two other equestrian forums have therefore been scheduled.

The purpose of these forums is to allow the competitors to have a say in shaping the RAS Equestrian Organisation going forward, and to explore on going lines of communication between the Showing Movement and their competitor clients.

**Tuesday 15 November 2016 – Franklin A&P Showgrounds Office, 58 Station Road, Pukekohe – 6.30pm-8.30pm.**

**R.S.V.P required for attendance to RAS Head Office – [enquiries@ras.org.nz](mailto:enquiries@ras.org.nz) by 11 November. State which forum.**

**Friday 25 November 2016 – South Otago A&P Grounds (Rugby Club Building near Cattle Pavilion), 10 Glasgow Street, Balclutha – 6.30pm -8.30pm.**

**R.S.V.P required for attendance to RAS Head Office – [enquiries@ras.org.nz](mailto:enquiries@ras.org.nz) by 21 November. State which forum.**

### **Agenda**

- 1. Welcome**
- 2. Apologies**
- 3. Call for further items for the agenda – prioritise**
- 4. Overview of RAS Structure**
- 5. Discussion on current database & improvements for future**
- 6. RAS Memberships**
- 7. Introduction of competitor representatives – is there value in this?**
- 8. Royal A&P Show – flagship event of the A&P Showing Movement**
- 9. HOY update**
- 10. Riding helmets**
- 11. Wish List from the competitors**