



Clinton Peters

I have been involved with Interschool Qld for approximately 18 years and have seen it develop into a very strong association.

The roles I have held have been, President of SEQ Regional Committee, President of West Moreton Anglican Equestrian Group and more recently the Interschool Qld State Committee Chairman.

I am interested in the continued growth and development of Interschool Queensland and the support given to its members and families. New initiatives that have come to fruition are - the EquiSkills Course and the introduction of a wider range of classes which have enabled greater participation in the sport. All initiatives that aid participation, assist all our grass roots riders and competitors are very beneficial.

Equestrian is a very challenging sport and our riders learn an enormous number of skills and life-skills from their participation.

Over the years of my involvement, I have come to know and worked with a number of families and have enjoyed watching their riders progress to the upper levels of our competition. Equally though it is great to see young first time riders having fun and enjoying being with their ponies and horses.

I am keen to continue working with the IQ State and Regional Committees and to see further progress being achieved.



Kelly Foster

In my work role I have been a registered emergency, critical care and retrieval nurse for 22 years. I can therefore work within large and complex teams in highly stressful situation.

I currently work as a lecturer in nursing and am a clinical researcher with international recognition in my specialist field of paediatric critical care. Ensuring safety of children at events is something that is of great importance to me and I am happy to share my expertise for all event planning.

My work experience relevant to this committee includes successful grant application (totalling \$1M) and project management of large multi-site research trials. This includes management and mentorship of staff as well as full and transparent budgetary cost centre management of large grants and fulfilling the relevant reporting requirements.

In previous volunteer position I have represented Moggill Pony Club as grants officer and was successful in obtaining funding to replenish equipment and build their new 24 block stable building.

For Interschool Queensland I was on the SEQ regional committee obtaining significant sponsorship and grant funding for the 2021 event and will sit on this committee in the same capacity for 2022.

I am a passionate equestrian myself and my daughter competes in the Interschool Queensland competition series. I would like to support capacity building for our young riders in Queensland to facilitate future growth in our chosen sport.



Kirstin Ferguson

My family and I live on a small farm near Clifton, with our business based in Toowoomba. I have 3 children, 2 whom have been heavily involved in IQ through their schools. Over this time I have experience being the parent of a boarder and a day student. Both of my girls have competed in all 6 IQ disciplines from school to National Level, giving me a good understanding of all the IQ disciplines.

I have been involved with Interschool Queensland for 9 years, holding positions on school, regional and the current State committee. These positions have varied from stabling and camping, Glennie School event convenor, State team CT manager, Darling Downs regionals Dressage and CT convenor and 2 years on the state committee as the current Dressage convenor.

I would like to have the opportunity to complete a second term on the IQ committee to continue developing the opportunities for our riders to prosper through the interschool platform.



Monique Searle

I have been an active member of EA for 36 years and in that time I have mainly competed in Eventing and Show jumping and the occasional Dressage Day. I currently compete alongside my 3 girls most weekends on the QLD & NSW circuit.

When my daughters started Interschool competitions, I decided to join the IQ Committee as the Eventing/CT Convenor in 2016. I finished my end of Term in 2019 and then re-joined the committee in 2021.

Having years of experience competing helped me in organizing 4 State Championships and 1 National Championships. I have also been the travelling Eventing Team Manager for QLD for a number of years at The Interschool National Championships.

I Believe my experience as a competitor; parent of competitive children and event organizer has given me the attributes to be a valued member of the IQ Committee.

Regards,

Monique Searle

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Matthew Ostwald

- Past Pres – DD. 2020 – 2021
- Past VP – DD. 2018 – 2019
- Father of 3 Interschool Riders.
- Not in my nature to sit and not help
- Want to make a difference



Nicole Doogue.

Guest of interschool Queensland 2019 – 2021 – Showman

Volunteer of the IQ State Committee and Regional /Local Events.

Active member of EA

Australian Representative for para 2014 – 2016

Reserve Rio Olympic team para 2016

Queensland Sports person of the year (para) x 2

Aust Squad – Dressage 2011 – 2016



Patrick Lowe

I have a number of years of committee experience through Pony Club and one years' experience as the show jumping convenor in 2021. 2021 was a challenging year with the uncertainty surrounding COVID restrictions but we still successfully managed to hold the IQ state championships and the inaugural IQ & PCQ Show Jumping Invitational event which was organised in lieu of the Interschool Australia National Championships.

Although it was a challenging year 2021 was thoroughly enjoyable and rewarding working with the rest of the IQ committee. I would love nothing more than to continue the growth of IQ and provide opportunities for the kids to chase their equestrian dreams.