



Thank you for showing interest in the EAT.SLEEP.PLAY with your horse 2011 Camp at Tongo Station in the Outback of NSW.

It is our hope that this will be the first of some truly great adventures to come for like-minded natural horsemanship students.

We understand the commitment, travel and logistical details that you will endure before ever arriving at Tongo, and we realise this is not an adventure that will suit everyone. This course will ask you to look within yourself for a leader, way before it ever begins.

What we are offering is a unique, purpose-filled and partnership building, Outback experience. Some will choose to come; some will choose to stay home.

We hope that whatever you decide; 2011 is a progressive and rewarding year for you and your equine partnership.

If you are interested in the details, filling in the paperwork and signing up please see the information contained below.

# EAT . SLEEP . PLAY . *with your horse* 2011



## Looking for somewhere to go in 2011 with your horse?

Leave the arena behind this September and join us in the Outback of Australia. This education vacation will be situated on a large cattle and sheep station, over 1 million acres of land, to roam with your horse; guided by some of Australia's top Licensed Parelli Instructors, Rob McAuliffe of NSW and Sam Caporn of WA.

## Are you and your horse searching for the leader in you?

Discover the Parelli blueprint of horse training by putting it to purpose in the paddock.

This horsemanship experience combines the Principles and techniques of Parelli Natural Horsemanship while adding a bit of purpose to it; allowing you to find the leader in yourself.

## It's not just a trail ride and it's not just a horsemanship clinic, it's both plus a bit more.

Enjoy riding in an iconic bush setting during the day while practicing your natural horsemanship skills and settle down with your horse at night by the campfire with a group of like-minded students.

This event will be the one everyone wants to attend in 2011!  
Will you be there?

5 NIGHTS AND 6 DAYS

1 MILLION ACRES  
OF VARIED TERRAIN IN THE OUTBACK  
OF AUSTRALIA

COVER NEW GROUND EVERY  
DAY, *physically, mentally and  
emotionally.*

**When:** 11-16 September 2011

**Where:** Tongo Station, 160km north of Wilcannia, NSW between Wanaaring and White Cliffs

**Price:** \$2,950.00 SCM or Regular Price of \$3,600.00

**What:** Six days of riding/playing with your horse plus instruction, all meals are provided, bring your own tents

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**1 million acres of varied terrain in the Outback of Australia**

**This is something you won't forget!**



Have you ever been in a new environment with a friend or your partner and had to rely on each other for support and respective strengths? This camp has been developed to allow for you and your horse to experience this same kind of partnership growth. What better way to develop respect and rapport with your horse than spending a week with them at Tongo Station.

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## The Details

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**Who:** Open to all riders whom feel confident riding their horse at a walk and trot minimum in an open area.

- Students should have passed Level 2 of the Parelli Program **or**
- attended a clinic with a Licensed Parelli Professional in the last 12 months and can gain a letter of reference from that Instructor that you meet the qualifications of riding your horse in an open area confidently at a walk and trot minimum **or**
- can film a 5 minute DVD of you riding your horse in an open area at a walk, and trot and post with your application.

**Days will be long, horses should be well prepared including their fitness and their feet. There will not be a vet on site.**



# Frequently Asked Questions

## What will be covered during the 6 days?

Overall, you will learn how to join the dots between Levels 1-4 of the Parelli Program, On Line, FreeStyle and elements of Finesse riding using the Parelli Seven Games.

We will go over the Qualities of a natural horseman, which include, heart and desire, respect, impulsion, flexion, attitude, feel, timing, balance, savvy and experience. You will gain a better understanding of how each quality relates to the Parelli Program and how it directly affects your partnership with your horse.

## What will a typical day include?

We will start early each morning with catching and feeding our horses, followed by breakfast served at that days campsite. The day will include a minimum of 4 hours riding to a new camp area and will include On Line ground skills, as well as FreeStyle riding and elements of Finesse Riding. There will be a mid-day break for lunch and rest. Evenings will include setting up that days camp, feeding horses and preparing dinner as a group around the campfire.

## When can we arrive and depart?

You will arrive the 10 September (Saturday) to the base camp of Tongo Station. We will finish up back at base camp of Tongo on the 16th of September and you will depart the morning of the 17th of September (Saturday)

## What should we bring?

Please keep it as simple and light as possible. There will be one truck/trailer that moves all gear to the next days camp and will carry all of your supplies, your horses feed and our food supplies. *There will not be availability for you to bring along your own float or camper to each camp site.*

*For you-*

- Clothes for 6 days (riding appropriate)
- Swim gear
- Hat
- Sunscreen
- Riding Boots (with leather sole)
- Walking shoes
- helmet
- basic toiletries
- torch
- water bottle (hiking style that can be fastened to your body, ie-camelbak)
- tent or swag that is
  - waterproof
  - durable

- warm
- small
- easy to erect and dismantle **within seconds or minutes** (space is limited)
- any special dietary needs you may require, ie-gluten free, dairy free
  - a basic vegetarian and meat diet will be supplied

*For your horse-*

- Saddle and Pad
- Horseman's rope halter and 12' Line
- Horseman's Natural Hackamore
- Natural Snaffle Bridle with Horseman's Reins or Cradle Bridle
- 22' Line
- 45' Line
- Carrot Stick and Savvy String
- Horse feed, premixed and prepared in durable bags

**Is there mobile service/coverage on the property?**

There is very limited mobile coverage.

**How many people will be attending?**

Participant positions are limited to 20 students.

**Are there any volunteer positions available?**

Yes, there are a few volunteer positions available if you would like to come and help. Meals will be provided.

**What will be offered for people with special dietary requirements?**

We will offer basic vegetarian and meat meals. If you require anything special, ie- gluten or dairy free, please bring these food items with you.

**What will be the setup for showers and toilet facilities?**

Camping areas will have very basic facilities with a portable shower and in the ground toilet.



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### Course Application Form

*Print, Complete and Post to the above address*

Date of Course: \_\_\_\_\_ Location of Course: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Participant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Savvy Club Member Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Horse: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of horse (If different from Owner): \_\_\_\_\_

**Parelli Level Currently Studying:**

Level 2

Level 3

Level 4

On Line

On Line

On Line

FreeStyle

FreeStyle

FreeStyle

Liberty

Liberty

Finesse

**Please tick the appropriate answer to each of the following questions:**

Are you the owner of the horse?  Yes  No

Is this horse currently being ridden under saddle by you?  Yes  No

How many hours under saddle has this horse experienced so far?  20-50  50-200  200+

Do you have any physical disabilities or injuries?  Yes  No

Are you currently on any medication that your instructor should be informed about?  Yes  No

If yes, please give details \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any major allergies that your instructor should be informed about?  Yes  No

If yes, please give details \_\_\_\_\_

Have you read and signed the Agreement Liability Release included with the Logistics information for this course?  Yes  No

Is your payment attached?  Yes  No, I will direct deposit my payment

I agree for visual images of myself at the course to be used in Publications, including website pages.  Yes  No

Are you confident riding your horse at a walk and trot minimum in an open area?  Yes  No

**Which of the following prerequisites do you meet? Please tick one**

Officially passed Level 2 of the Parelli Program or

Attended a clinic with a Licensed Parelli Professional in the last 12 months and can gain a letter of reference from that Instructor that you meet the qualifications of riding your horse in an open area confidently at a walk and trot minimum or

Have included a 5 minute DVD of you riding your horse in an open area at a walk, and trot minimum with this application.



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I have read and understand the information provided me, including the liability release form enclosed. I understand that a deposit of 25% is to be paid when submitting my application to reserve my space in the course and that the full payment for the course is required by no later than 20 days prior to the commencement of the course (please contact us if you have any problems regarding payment schedules) and that no refund or transfer of my deposit will be offered if I cancel within 20 days of the commencement of the course.

I understand that if I wish to receive a refund or transfer of any funds deposited, including full payment due to cancellation within 20 days of commencement of the course I will need to produce a doctor's certificate or vet's certificate of injury or ill health.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Witnessed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Gaurdian(for students under 18 years): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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### **Agreement and Liability Release**

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Savvy Club Member #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Course Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Course: \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Rider Specifications**

Applicants are to be over the age of 16, some conditions may apply.

Physically, riders must be able and reasonably fit, well balanced on a horse at all gaits.

Applicants must meet the prerequisites listed on the Course Application.

As a matter of safety Rob McAuliffe, as part of RMHB Pty Ltd, and Parelli™ reserves the right to recommend that you do not ride.

#### **Your Horse**

Please do not bring horses with serious behavioral problems to a course, please contact Rob for assistance.

All horses should be started under saddle with a minimum of 50 hours riding.

Days will be long; horses should be well prepared including their fitness and their feet. There will not be a Vet or Farrier available.

Stallions are not permitted

#### **Rider and Horse Requirements**

For you-

- Clothes for 6 days (riding appropriate)
- Rain Jacket
- Swim gear
- Hat
- Sunscreen
- Riding Boots (with leather sole)
- Walking shoes
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- basic toiletries (portable shower and in the ground toilet area provided at each camp site)
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### **Other Requirements Required by Insurance**

Australian Standard approved helmet to be worn whilst riding and recommended to be worn at any time you are with your horse.

Appropriately heeled shoes or boots

Parelli approved equipment

Helmet must comply with PAS015 or EN1384 and must be less than five years old from the date of manufacture

Helmets must be properly fitted including the use of a chinstrap

Helmets that have had a significant impact which has affected the strength of the helmet, must not be worn

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### Terms & Conditions

No STALLIONS allowed on the course

At any time in its absolute discretion, the INSTRUCTOR may:-

- a) Revoke its approval for the Applicant to attend or participate in the COURSE
- b) Recommend that the APPLICANT transfer to 'Auditor' status
- c) Make an adjustment or refund of fees if either event a) or b) occurs

The APPLICANT agrees to release and discharge the INSTRUCTOR from any , loss, liability or damage or cost that may be incurred by the INSTRUCTOR

a) as a result of any act or omission, whether caused by negligence of the applicant or otherwise

b) in respect of any injury, loss or damage any person who may accompany the APPLICANT to the COURSE may suffer whilst at the COURSE

This Agreement, Releases and Indemnities shall be binding upon the APPLICANT, the APPLICANTS legal representative, heirs and next of kin and that this agreement may be pleaded in bar to any course of action commenced in any court contrary to the Terms & Conditions.

Various words and phrases used in this agreement shall have the following meanings:

"the INSTRUCTOR" also includes any directors, shareholders, employees, agents or sub-contractors who may run or assist in running the COURSE: "the COURSE" refers to any instructions, training or demonstrations relating to the starting, training, selection, care, handling and riding of horses.

### Riders Acknowledgement and Declaration

I declare that:

-Physically I am able and reasonable fit and well balanced on a horse at all gaits and that I meet the prerequisites listed on the Course Application

-The horse I will use on this course does not have any serious behavioral problems which may disrupt the clinic or other horses or other riders and my horse is physically sound including his feet to endure six full days of riding. I will accept and follow all reasonable directions of the INSTRUCTOR.

-I am aware that activities involving horses can be dangerous and unpredictable and that I can be injured or killed. I accept all risks of personal injury, death or property damage to myself or caused to others.

-I am aware I may be personally liable for injury or damage to other horses, people or property that is caused by myself or my horse and I have been advised that I should insure myself against such risks.

-I have fully read and understand the Terms & Conditions on this form and I agree that all terms and conditions are included in the Agreement between myself and the Instructor.

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Guardian/Parent (for students under 18 years)



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### **Helmet Waiver**

*Print, Complete and Post*

*please ensure you post the hardcopy well before the start of your course*

I am aware of the instructors requirement of wearing a helmet at all times whilst participating in horse sport activities and accept that I am solely responsible for ensuring I wear a suitable helmet at all times whilst participating and I take sole responsibility for my actions should I choose to refrain from wearing a helmet.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Witness Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Witness Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_