



# 2026 BALLARAT HORSE SHOW SCHEDULE

**SUNDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2026**

BALLARAT SHOWGROUNDS & EVENTS CENTRE  
6 ROSE HILL ROAD, MOUNT ROWAN



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# HORSE EVENT SUMMARY

## Ballarat Showgrounds and Events Centre

**Entries via Showdayonline.com.au**

**ENTRIES CLOSE ON 12noon, Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> February, 2026**

# NO LATE ENTRIES

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Email: [admin@ballaratshow.org.au](mailto:admin@ballaratshow.org.au)

**Horse Numbers-** every horse will be allocated a chest number prior to the show. The number will be advised for you to print. Numbers are to be worn by all horses when competing.

## HORSE REGULATIONS

<b>Special Note:</b>	<b>Due to the large number of sections being offered, rings will not be held up. Every endeavour has been made to prevent sections clashing. Competitors must decide which section will take priority.</b>
<b>Age of Horses:</b>	The age of horses will date from 1 <sup>st</sup> August.
<b>Age of Competitors:</b>	Taken on the day of the event.
<b>Breed Events:</b>	Competitors entering breed events must be current financial members, where required, of the breed society class they are entering. Horses must be properly registered with the applicable breed society(s). Proof of registration & current membership may be requested on the day. Spot checks may be undertaken. Competitors found to be non-compliant with this rule may be disqualified from the event. Classes listed for Arabian Amateur Owners or Riding Pony Newcomers must present their cards prior to the classes commencing.
<b>Championships:</b>	Winners of Champions in Open rings must not compete in the same events in the other rings.
<b>Children's Mount:</b>	Competitors must ride using an ordinary snaffle, single jointed in the centre. Please note that straight bar snaffles, drop nosebands, whips and spurs are not allowed.
<b>Competitor Behaviour:</b>	All competitors and their associates must behave in an appropriate manner towards judges, stewards, show organisers and other competitors at all times during the event. Abusive behaviour will not be tolerated. Any inappropriate behaviour reported by judges or stewards and/or witnessed by a member of the organising committee may result in elimination from the event. The organising committee may also forward the competitor's details and the reported/witnessed behaviour to EA and VAS Ltd for further sanction(s).
<b>Disease:</b>	The signing of the Certificate of entry of any animal shall be taken as a guarantee that the animal is free from disease, as far as is known to the exhibitor. In case of infectious disease being spread through or by an exhibit, the exhibitor shall be held responsible. Should there be any reason to suspect an exhibit is either diseased or dangerous, the Society reserves the right of refusing admittance to or removing the same from the grounds at the expense of the exhibitor.
<b>District Events</b>	District is within 80kms radius of Ballarat Post Office.
<b>Entries:</b>	The Society has the right and power to reject or cancel any entry at any time without assigning any reason. Refunds will not be given for any reason.
<b>Entry Fees</b>	<b>Entries: \$8.00 per class</b> <b>NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED</b> BAPS Membership - Cost \$65.00
<b>DOGS</b>	<b>No Dogs permitted in the Showgrounds.</b>
<b>Gate Entry</b>	<b>\$10 per car and float. Gate entry fees are to be paid at the time of entry.</b>
<b>First Ridden</b>	Height limit is 12.2hh and the riders must be 5 years & under 12 years old. Pony is to be ridden in a simple snaffle bit, cavesson nose band, cane must be no longer than 40cm, NO whips or spurs.
<b>Good Hands Competition Rules:</b>	Good Hands competitors shall be judged solely on their riding ability. Mount, saddle and costume will not be taken into account. Special attention will be paid to hands and seat, general management and control of the horse or pony. Competitors must ride using an ordinary snaffle, single jointed in the centre. The mouthpiece must be smooth and of one metal with or without a cavesson noseband. A gear check may take place. Please note that straight bar snaffles, drop nosebands, whips and spurs are not allowed. Finals will be held at the 2026 VAS Saddle Horse Championships.
<b>Headgear:</b>	<b>All riders riding a horse in an EA or affiliated event must wear protective headgear to the current AS/NZ Standard.</b> The retaining harness must be secured and fastened at all times. Riders without approved headgear will be ineligible to compete until the headgear is rectified. This rule applies to all events
<b>Intermediate Ridden Events:</b>	Open to horses, ponies or riders that have not won a Championship at any Agricultural Show. The winner of an Intermediate event is eligible to compete in the championship that is appropriate to the winner's height.

<b>Judging:</b>	A competitor may not compete before a judge if: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The judge or their business partner provided privately arranged tuition to the horse or competitor/exhibitor in the last 6 months (not including open clinics); or</li> <li>• Where the competitor/exhibitor has provided privately arranged tuition to the Judge or has trained or leased a horse owned by the Judge within the last 6 months. (not including open clinics)</li> </ul>
<b>Definitions: per EA Show Horse Rules and Guidelines (and amendments).</b>	
	All judges will be published on the website <a href="http://www.ballaratshow.org.au/">http://www.ballaratshow.org.au/</a>
<b>Leading Rein:</b>	Lead rein pony (mare or gelding) not exceeding 12.0hh ridden by a child 3 years and under 8 years old. The pony must be shown in a snaffle bridle with a leather lead rein, held by the handler in the left hand, attached to the cavesson noseband. A narrow strap may be attached to the front of the small saddle for the child to hold if necessary. The handler may carry a cane but the rider must have neither whip or spurs.
<b>Marshalling:</b>	Any competitor placing their horse in any unauthorised area will be liable to disqualification by the stewards. Each competitor must keep contact with the Marshall's Office to ensure they are ready for their event.
<b>Measuring:</b>	Current RASV or EA/EV/SHC will be recognised.
<b>Naming:</b>	Names of horses must be given at the time of entry. For riding events the name of the rider must be given.
<b>Novice Ridden and Rider events:</b>	Novices have not won a first placing in a similar class to which they are entered at any Agricultural Show. The winner of a novice event is eligible to compete in the championship that is appropriate to the winner's height.
<b>Open Ridden and Rider Events:</b>	No restriction placed on the horse's or ponies performance, as long as it comes within the specified ruling. Open exhibits cannot compete in Show Hunter events.
<b>Parking:</b>	Competitors are requested to park vehicles and floats as directed by the parking attendant. <b>Parking restrictions will apply for OHS compliance. You may be asked to move your vehicle if it is not parked appropriately. It is a condition of entry that you comply with the parking officers or show officials instructions.</b>
<b>Prize Ribbons:</b>	Ribbons will be given for the first three placing's except where otherwise specified.
<b>Show Hunters:</b>	To have more substance than the modern show horse, but still maintain the quality. They are expected to move freely at all paces. They may be expected at any time to gallop for the judge, but are not expected to jump. Presentation of Show hunters is more subdued. There must be no coloured brow bands or multi-coloured hair ribbons or flowers on riders. Junior riders should not wear top boots. <b>Show Hunters cannot compete in the open events.</b>
<b>Stallions:</b>	<b>Stallions and Colts must be handled by a person over 18 years of age. Exceptions may be made for saddle stallions under 12hh, upon representation to the Society.</b> All Stallions and Colts are to be led in bridles with bits, except where this is contradictory to breed association rules.
<b>Substitution of horses:</b>	Where any horse entered for the show is unable to compete due to illness or injury, another horse in the same ownership may be substituted, but <b>only into the same section</b> . Competitors wishing to substitute another horse to different will have to pay separate entry fees.
<b>Swabbing:</b>	Random Swabbing may take place
<b>VAS Ltd and Barastoc First Season Newcomers:</b>	Eligibility: For ridden Hacks, Galloways and Ponies competing in their first season under saddle. Newcomers must not have been shown under saddle prior to 1 January of the year of the event.
<b>VAS. Ltd Saddle Horse Championships:</b>	Eligibility: All Champion & Reserve Champion Open Ridden Hacks, Galloways or Ponies and Champion and Reserve Champion Ridden Shetlands from respective classes. <b>Only one qualification from one open ring at the Ballarat Show can be used to qualify for the V.A.S. Ltd Saddle Horse Championships.</b>
<b>VAS Ltd Champion Rider:</b>	Eligibility: Winning riders in specified age groups ( <b>10yrs and under 12yrs and under 14yrs, 14yrs and under 16yrs, 16yrs and under 18yrs, 18 and under 21yrs, 21yrs and under 30 years, 30 years and over, as per V.A.S. Ltd</b> ) from rings 1, 2 and 3. To qualify, entrants must have won a riding class at a V.A.S. Ltd Affiliated show between 01/05/25 and 31/12/2026
<b>Warm Up:</b>	<b>Horses are only permitted on the arena for competition and judging. Warm up and practice is permitted in designated areas only.</b>

## **RING 1 – START 9:00AM**

**Judge:** Judges will be listed on the Ballarat Agricultural Show Website

**Entry Fee: \$8.00**

- 101 Smartest on Parade, Lady or Gent 18 yrs and over (Sashes to 3rd place)
- 102 Racing Victoria's Off The Track Led Open Series
- 103 Racing Victoria's Off The Track Led Show Hunter Series
- 104 Led Hack over 15hh n.e. 16hh
- 105 Led Hack over 16hh

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED HACK**

- 106 Led Show Hunter Hack over 15hh n.e. 16hh
- 107 Led Show Hunter Hack over 16hh

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED SHOW HUNTER HACK**

- 108 Open Ridden Hack over 15hh n.e. 15.2hh
- 109 Open Ridden Hack over 15.2hh n.e. 16hh
- 110 Open Ridden Hack over 16hh n.e. 16.2hh
- 111 Open Ridden Hack over 16.2hh
- 112 Heavyweight Ridden Hack 15hh & over
- 113 Lightweight Ridden Hack 15hh & over
- 114 Racing Victoria's Off The Track Ridden Open Series

**CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN HACK** *Eligible for Supreme Ridden Horse of the Show*

## **OFF THE TRACK LED AND RIDDEN SERIES**

REFER PAGES 11, 12, 13 FOR SERIES QUALIFIER REGULATIONS



**Racing  
Victoria**



- 115 Ridden Show Hunter Hack over 15hh n.e. 15.2hh
- 116 Ridden Show Hunter Hack over 15.2hh n.e. 16hh
- 117 Ridden Show Hunter Hack over 16hh n.e. 16.2hh
- 118 Ridden Show Hunter Hack over 16.2hh
- 119 Heavyweight Ridden Hunter 15hh & over
- 120 Lightweight Ridden Hunter 15hh & over
- 121 Racing Victoria Off The Track Ridden Show Hunter Series

**CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN SHOW HUNTER HACK** *Eligible for Supreme Ridden Show Hunter of the Show*

- 122 First Season Newcomer Hack over 15hh & n.e. 16hh
- 123 First Season Newcomer Hack over 16hh & n.e. 16.2hh
- 124 First Season Newcomer Hack over 16.2hh

**CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION FIRST SEASON NEWCOMER HACK** *Eligible for Supreme Rider of the Show*

- 125 Rider 18 yrs & under 21 years
- 126 Rider 21 years & Under 30 years
- 127 Rider 30 years & over

**CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR RIDER** *Eligible for Supreme Rider of the Show*

- 128 Open Ridden Galloway over 14hh n.e. 14.2hh
- 129 Open Ridden Galloway over 14.2hh n.e. 15hh

**CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN GALLOWAY** *Eligible for Supreme Ridden Horse of the Show*

- 130 Ridden Show Hunter Galloway over 14hh n.e. 14.2hh
- 131 Ridden Show Hunter Galloway over 14.2hh n.e. 15hh

**CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN SHOW HUNTER GALLOWAY** *Eligible for Supreme Ridden Show Hunter of the Show*

- 132 Open Ridden n/e 10.2 hands
- 133 Open Ridden Pony n.e. 10.2 n.e. 11 hh
- 134 Open Ridden Pony over 11hh n.e. 11.2hh
- 135 Open Ridden Pony over 11.2hh n.e. 12hh
- 136 Open Ridden Pony over 12hh n.e. 12.2hh

**CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION SMALL SADDLE PONY** *Eligible for Supreme Ridden Horse of the show*

- 137 Open Ridden Pony over 12.2hh n.e. 13hh
- 138 Open Ridden Pony over 13hh n.e. 13.2hh
- 139 Open Ridden Pony over 13.2hh n.e. 14hh

**CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LARGE SADDLE PONY** *Eligible for Supreme Ridden Horse of the show*

- 140 Ridden Show Hunter Pony 11.2hh & under
- 141 Ridden Show Hunter Pony over 11.2hh n.e. 12hh
- 142 Ridden Show Hunter Pony over 12hh n.e. 12.2hh

**CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION SMALL SHOW HUNTER PONY** *Eligible for Supreme Ridden Show Hunter of the Show*

- 143 Ridden Show Hunter Pony over 12.2hh n.e. 13 hh
- 144 Ridden Show Hunter Pony over 13hh n.e. 13.2hh
- 145 Ridden Show Hunter Pony over 13.2hh n.e. 14 hh

**CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LARGE SHOW HUNTER PONY** *Eligible for Supreme Ridden Show Hunter of the Show.*

## **RING 2 – START 9:00 AM**

**Judge:** Judges will be listed on the Ballarat Agricultural Show Website

**Entry Fee:** \$8.00

- 201 Smartest on Parade 12 yrs & under 16 yrs – Sashes to 3rd place.
- 202 Smartest on Parade 16 yrs & under 18 yrs – Sashes to 3rd place.
- 203 Led Galloway over 14hh n.e. 14.2hh
- 204 Led Galloway over 14.2hh n.e. 15hh

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED GALLOWAY**

- 205 Led Show Hunter Galloway over 14hh n.e. 14.2hh
- 206 Led Show Hunter Galloway over 14.2hh n.e. 15hh

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED SHOW HUNTER GALLOWAY**

- 207 Open Ridden Galloway over 14hh n.e. 14.2hh
- 208 Open Ridden Galloway over 14.2hh n.e. 15hh
- 209 Heavyweight Ridden Galloway over 14hh n.e. 15hh
- 210 Lightweight Ridden Galloway over 14hh n.e. 15hh

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN GALLOWAY**

*Eligible for Supreme Ridden Horse of the Show*

- 211 Ridden Show Hunter Galloway over 14hh n.e. 14.2hh
- 212 Ridden Show Hunter Galloway over 14.2hh n.e. 15hh
- 213 Heavyweight Show Hunter Galloway over 14hh n.e. 15hh
- 214 Lightweight Show Hunter Galloway over 14hh n.e. 15hh

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN SHOW HUNTER GALLOWAY**

*Winner eligible for Supreme Ridden Show Hunter of the Show*

- 215 First season Newcomer Ridden Galloway over 14hh & n.e. 14.2hh
- 216 First season Newcomer Ridden Galloway over 14.2hh n.e. 15hh

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION FIRST SEASON NEWCOMER GALLOWAY**

- 217 Children's Show Galloway over 14hh & not over 14.2 Rider 18yrs and under
- 218 Children's Show Galloway over 14.2hh not over 15hh Rider 18yrs and under

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION CHILDREN'S SHOW GALLOWAY**

- 219 Rider 12 yrs & under 14 yrs
- 220 Rider 14 yrs & under 16 yrs
- 221 Rider 16 yrs & under 18 yrs

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE RIDER**

*Winner eligible for Supreme Rider of the Show*

### **222 Good Hands Competition –**

**Open to girls and boys aged 10 years and under 15 years on day of the local Show (free entry)**

#### **Rules and Regulations**

- The competitors shall be judged solely on their riding ability, Mount, saddlery or costume will not be taken into account.
- Special attention will be paid to hands and seat, general management and control of the horse or pony.
- Competitors must ride using an ordinary snaffle, single jointed in the centre. The mouthpiece must be smooth and made of the same type of metal or without a cavesson on the noseband.

- Please note straight bar snaffle, drop nosebands, whips and spurs are not allowed.
- A Gear check may take place.

- 223 Open Ridden Pony n.e. 11hh
- 224 Open Ridden Pony over 11hh n.e. 11.2hh
- 225 Open Ridden Pony over 11.2hh n.e. 12hh
- 226 Open Ridden Pony over 12hh n.e. 12.2hh

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION SMALL SADDLE PONY**

*Eligible for Supreme Ridden Horse of the show*

- 227 Open Ridden Pony over 12.2hh n.e. 13hh
- 228 Open Ridden Pony over 13hh n.e. 13.2hh
- 229 Open Ridden Pony over 13.2hh n.e. 14hh

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LARGE SADDLE PONY**

*Eligible for Supreme Ridden Horse of the show*

- 230 Ridden Show Hunter Pony 11.2hh and under
- 231 Ridden Show Hunter Pony 11.2hh & n.e. 12hh
- 232 Ridden Show Hunter Pony 12hh & n.e. 12.2hh

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION SMALL SHOW HUNTER PONY - Winner eligible for Supreme Ridden Show Hunter of the Show**

- 233 Ridden Show Hunter Pony over 12.2hh n.e. 13hh
- 234 Ridden Show Hunter Pony over 13hh n.e. 13.2hh
- 235 Ridden Show Hunter Pony over 13.2hh n.e. 14hh

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LARGE SHOW HUNTER PONY - Winner eligible for Supreme Ridden Show Hunter of the Show**

- 236 Open Ridden Hack over 15hh n.e. 15.2hh
- 237 Open Ridden Hack over 15.2hh n.e. 16hh
- 238 Open Ridden Hack over 16hh n.e. 16.2hh
- 239 Open Ridden Hack over 16.2hh

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION OPEN RIDDEN HACK**

*Eligible for Supreme Ridden Horse of the show*

- 240 Ridden Show Hunter Hack over 15hh n.e. 15.2hh
- 241 Ridden Show Hunter Hack over 15.2hh n.e. 16hh
- 242 Ridden Show Hunter Hack over 16hh n.e. 16.2hh
- 243 Ridden Show Hunter Hack over 16.2hh

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN SHOW HUNTER HACK**

*Winner eligible for Supreme Ridden Show Hunter of the Show*

### **RING 3 – START 9:00 AM**

**Judge:** Judges will be listed on the Ballarat Agricultural Show Website

**Entry Fee: \$8.00**

301 Miniature Turnout, 10.2hh & under, Rider 6 years & under, may be led. (Sashes to 3<sup>rd</sup> place) Green ribbons will be awarded to all other competitors

302 Smartest on Parade, 7 years & under 12 years (**Sashes to 3<sup>rd</sup> place**)

303 Led Pony n.e. 10.2hh

304 Led Pony over 10.2hh n.e. 12hh

305 Led Pony over 12hh n.e. 13hh

306 Led Pony over 13hh n.e 14hh

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED PONY**

307 Led Show Hunter Pony n.e.12hh

308 Led Show Hunter Pony over 12hh n.e 13 hh

309 Led Show Hunter Pony over 13 hh n.e 14hh

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED SHOW HUNTER PONY**

310 Open Ridden Pony n.e. 11.2hh

311 Open Ridden Pony over 11.2hh n.e. 12hh

312 Open Ridden Pony over 12hh n.e. 12.2hh

313 Heavyweight Open Ridden Pony under 12.2 hh

314 Lightweight Open Ridden Pony under 12.2hh

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION OPEN SMALL SADDLE PONY** *Eligible for Supreme Ridden Horse of the show*

315 Open Ridden Pony over 12.2hh n.e. 13hh

316 Open Ridden Pony over 13hh n.e. 13.2hh

317 Open Ridden Pony over 13.2hh n.e. 14hh

318 Heavyweight Open Ridden Pony over 12.2hh & n.e.14hh

319 Lightweight Open Ridden Pony over 12.2.hh & n.e. 14hh

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION PONY OPEN LARGE SADDLE PONY** *Eligible for Supreme Ridden Horse of the show*

320 Ridden Show Hunter Pony 11.2hh & under

321 Ridden Show Hunter Pone over 11.2hh n.e.12hh

322 Ridden Show Hunter Pony over 12hh n.e 12.2hh

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION SMALL SHOW HUNTER PONY**

323 Ridden Show Hunter Pony over 12.2hh n.e 13 hh

324 Ridden Show Hunter Pony over 13hh n.e 13.2hh

325 Ridden Show Hunter Pony over13.2hh n.e. 14hh

326 Heavyweight Open Ridden Show Hunter Pony under 14hh

327 Lightweight Open Ridden Show Hunter Pony Under 14 hh

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN LARGE SHOW HUNTER PONY** *Eligible for Supreme Ridden Show Hunter of the Show,*

328 Childs Show pony 12hh & Under. Rider Under 18 years

329 Childs Show pony 12 hh & n.e 13 hh. Rider under 18 years

330 Childs Show pony 13hh & n.e.14hh. Rider under 18years

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION CHILDRENS SHOW PONY**

331 Rider 5 years and under (may be led)

332 Rider 5 years & under 8 years

333 Rider 8 yrs & under 10 yrs

334 Rider 10 yrs & under 12 yrs

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR RIDER**

*Eligible for Supreme Rider of the Show*

335 Open Ridden Hack over 15hh n.e. 15.2hh

336 Open Ridden Hack over 15.2hh n.e. 16hh

337 Open Ridden Hack over 16hh n.e. 16.2hh

338 Open Ridden Hack over 16.2hh

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN HACK**

*Eligible for Supreme Ridden Horse of the show*

339 Ridden Show Hunter Hack over 15hh n.e. 15.2hh

340 Ridden Show Hunter Hack over 15.2hh n.e 16hh

341 Ridden Show Hunter Hack over 16hh n.e. 16.2hh

342 Ridden Show Hunter Hack over 16.2hh

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN SHOW HUNTER HACK**

*Eligible for Supreme Ridden Show Hunter of the Show*

343 Open Ridden Galloway over 14hh n.e. 14.2hh

344 Open Ridden Galloway over 14.2hh n.e. 15hh

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN GALLOWAY**

*Eligible for Supreme Ridden Horse of the show*

345 Ridden Show Hunter Galloway over 14hh n.e. 14.2hh

346 Ridden Show Hunter Galloway over 14.2hh n.e. 15hh

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN SHOW HUNTER GALLOWAY**

*Eligible for Supreme Ridden Show Hunter of the Show*

**SUPREME CHAMPION RIDER OF THE SHOW**

**SUPREME RIDDEN HORSE OF THE SHOW**

**SUPREME SHOW HUNTER OF THE SHOW**

328 Childs Show pony 12hh & Under. Rider Under 18 years

329 Childs Show pony 12 hh & n.e 13 hh. Rider under 18 years

330 Childs Show pony 13hh & n.e.14hh. Rider under 18years

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION CHILDRENS SHOW PONY**

331 Rider 5 years and under (may be led)

332 Rider 5 years & under 8 years

333 Rider 8 yrs & under 10 yrs

334 Rider 10 yrs & under 12 yrs

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR RIDER**

*Eligible for Supreme Rider of the Show*

## **RING 4 – START 9:00 AM**

**Judge:** Judges will be listed on the Ballarat Agricultural Show Website

**Entry Fee:** \$8.00

### **RIDING PONY EVENTS**

All Ponies must be registered and owners must be current financial members of the Riding Pony Stud Book Society Ltd. ponies must be shown in the registered owner's name. Registration certificates and membership cards must be produced upon request, failure to do so will lead to disqualification from the class.

Ridden Riding Ponies must be 3 years and over.

401 Senior Led Riding Pony 4 Years & over, over 13.2h and n.e. 14.2h  
402 Senior Led Riding Pony 4 Years & over, over 12.2h and n.e. 13.2h  
403 Senior Led Riding Pony 4 Years & over, n.e. 12.2h

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR LED RIDING PONY**

404 Led Riding Pony Colt, Gelding or Filly 3 yrs  
405 Led Riding Pony Colt, Gelding or Filly 2 yrs  
406 Led Riding Colt, Gelding or Filly Yearling

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED RIDING PONY YOUNG STOCK\***

#### **SUPREME CHAMPION LED RIDING PONY**

407 Ridden Riding Pony n.e. 12.2h  
408 Ridden Riding Pony over 12.2h n.e. 13.2h  
409 Ridden Riding Pony over 13.2h n.e. 14.2h

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN RIDING PONY** *Eligible for the Supreme Ridden Breed Exhibit*

#### **OVER HEIGHT RIDING PONIES**

410 Led Mare, Gelding or Stallion over 14.2hh not over 15.2hh  
411 Led Mare, Gelding or Stallion over 15.2hh

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED O/H RIDING PONY**

412 Ridden Mare, Gelding or Stallion over 14.2hh not over 15.2hh  
413 Ridden Mare, Gelding or Stallion over 15.2hh

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE RIDDEN O/H RIDING PONY** *Eligible for the Supreme Ridden Breed Exhibit*

### **SHETLAND PONIES - Registered in the Shetland Section of the APSB**

#### **SHETLANDS – 8.2HH & Under**

414 Led Colt 3 years and under (Pony to mature under 8.2hh)  
415 Led Stallion – 4 yrs & over

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED STALLION OR COLT 8.2HH AND UNDER**

416 Led Filly 3 years and under (pony to mature under 8.2hh)  
417 Led Mare – 4 yrs & over

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED MARE OR FILLY 8.2HH AND UNDER**

418 Led Gelding – 3 years and under (pony to mature under 8.2hh)  
419 Led Gelding – 4 yrs & over

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED GELDING 8.2HH AND UNDER**

#### **SHETLANDS – OVER 8.2HH N.E. 10.2HH**

420 Led Colt 3 years and under  
421 Led Stallion – 4 yrs & over

**CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION STALLION OR COLT OVER 8.2HH N.E. 10.2HH**

422 Led Filly 3 years and under  
423 Led Mare – 4 yrs & over

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION MARE OR FILLY OVER 8.2HH N.E. 10.2HH**

424 Led Gelding 3 years and under  
425 Led Gelding 4 years & over

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION SHETLAND GELDING OVER 8.2HH N.E. 10.2HH**

#### **SUPREME LED SHETLAND**

426 Ridden Shetland Male  
427 Ridden Shetland Female

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN SHETLAND EXHIBIT**

*Eligible for the Supreme Ridden Breed Exhibit*

### **AUSTRALIAN PONIES – Registered in the Australian Section of the APSB**

428 Led Pony Stallion 4 yrs & over  
429 Led Colt 3 years and under

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION AUSTRALIAN PONY STALLION OR COLT**

430 Led Mare 4 yrs & over, n.e. 12.2hh  
431 Led Mare 4 yrs & over, over 12.2hh n.e. 14hh  
432 Led Filly 2 & 3 years or Yearling

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION AUSTRALIAN PONY/ MARE or FILLY**

433 Led Gelding any age, n.e. 12.2hh  
434 Led Gelding any age, over 12.2hh n.e. 14hh

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION AUSTRALIAN PONY GELDING**

#### **SUPREME LED AUSTRALIAN PONY**

435 Ridden Australian Pony Male or Female

### **APSB PART BREDS/APSB RIDING PONIES – Registered in the Part Bred or APSB Riding Pony Section of the APSB.**

436 Led APSB Part Bred or APSB Riding Pony Male  
437 Led APSB Part Bred or APSB Riding Pony Female

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED APSB PART BRED OR APSB RIDING PONY**

438 Ridden APSB Part Bred or APSB Riding Pony

#### **GYPSY COB (Pure or Part Bred)**

*Exhibitors must be current financial members of the APSB*

439 Best Presented Gypsy Cob  
440 Led Male

441 Led Female

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED GYPSY COB EXHIBIT**

442 Ridden Gypsy Cob

### **MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND & LARGER BREEDS**

*Welsh/Welsh Mountain, Shetlands and breeds already catered for are not eligible*

443 Led Stallion or Colt  
444 Led Mare or Filly  
445 Led Gelding

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND & LARGER BREEDS EXHIBIT**

446 Ridden Male or Female

## **WELSH PONIES**

*Registered with the Welsh Pony and Cob Society. Exhibitors must be current financial members.)*

### **WELSH SECTION A**

- 447 Led Stallion 4 years & over
- 448 Led Colt 3 years & under

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED WELSH SECTION A STALLION OR COLT**

- 449 Led Mare 4 years & over
- 450 Led Filly 3 years & under

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED WELSH SECTION A MARE OR FILLY**

### **WELSH SECTION B**

- 451 Led Stallion 4 years & over
- 452 Led Colt 3 years & under

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED WELSH SECTION B STALLION OR COLT**

- 453 Led Mare 4 years & over
- 454 Led Filly 3 years & under

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED WELSH SECTION B MARE OR FILLY**

### **SECTION C & D – WELSH COBS**

- 455 Led Stallion or Colt
- 456 Led Mare 4 years & over
- 457 Led Filly 3 years & under

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED WELSH COB EXHIBIT**

### **SECTION E - WELSH PONY GELDINGS**

- 458 Led Section E Gelding of Welsh Mountain type
- 459 Led Section E Gelding of Welsh B type
- 460 Led Section E Gelding of Welsh Cob, or Welsh C/D type

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED WELSH GELDING**

### **SUPREME LED WELSH EXHIBIT -**

- 461 Ridden Welsh Pony Section A
- 462 Ridden Welsh Pony Section B
- 463 Ridden Welsh Pony Section C or D

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN WELSH EXHIBIT**

*Eligible for the Supreme Ridden Breed Exhibit*

### **PART BRED WELSH**

- 464 Led Part Bred Welsh Stallion or Colt
- 465 Led Part Bred Welsh Mare or Filly
- 466 Led Part Bred Welsh Gelding

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED PART BRED WELSH EXHIBIT**

- 467 Ridden Part Bred Welsh Male
- 468 Ridden Part Bred Welsh Female

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN PART WELSH EXHIBIT**

## **PINTOS**

### **SPONSORED BY Victorian Pinto Society**

*Registered with VPS*

*Copy of Registration papers & current membership card must be available on the day*

- 469 Led Stallion or Colt n.e 14hh

- 470 Led Stallion or Colt over 14hh

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED PINTO STALLION OR COLT**

- 471 Led Mare or Filly n.e 14hh

- 472 Led Mare or Filly over 14hh

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED PINTO MARE OR FILLY**

- 473 Led Gelding n.e 14hh

- 474 Led Gelding over 14hh

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED PINTO GELDING**

### **SUPREME LED PINTO EXHIBIT**

- 475 Ridden Pinto N.E 14hh

- 476 Ridden Pinto 14hh & over

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN PINTO EXHIBIT**

- 477 Pinto Costume Class

## **RING 5 – START 9:00AM**

**Judge:** Judges will be listed on the Ballarat Agricultural Show Website

**Entry Fee:** \$8.00

### **MINIATURE PONIES**

**AMPS rules apply on the day, all handlers must be financial members. Ponies must be registered with AMPS. Height must not exceed 87cm.**

- 501 Child handler 16 yrs & under
- 502 Led yearling Colt
- 503 Led yearling Filly
- 504 Led Yearling Gelding

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED MINIATURE PONY YEARLING**

- 505 Led Colt 2 & 3 yrs
- 506 Led Stallion 4 yrs & over

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED MINIATURE PONY STALLION OR COLT**

- 507 Led Filly 2 & 3 years
- 508 Led Mare 4 yrs & over

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED MINIATURE PONY FEMALE**

- 509 Led Gelding 3 years & under
- 510 Led Gelding 4 years & over

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED MINIATURE GELDING**

#### **SUPREME MINIATURE PONY EXHIBIT**

- 511 Appendix Male
- 512 Appendix Female

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION APPENDIX**

### **PALOMINOS**

**Registered with the APHA Inc. and exhibitors must be current financial members of the APHA Inc. and present papers at ringside before first class**

- 513 Best Presented Led Palomino
- 514 Best Mane & Tail
- 515 Led Stallion 4 years & over
- 516 Led Mare 4 years & over
- 517 Led Gelding 4 years & over

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED SENIOR PALOMINO**

- 518 Led Male 3 years & under
- 519 Led Female 3 years & under

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED JUNIOR PALOMINO**

**SUPREME CHAMPION LED PALOMINO EXHIBIT (Yearling palomino not eligible for supreme) (Eligible for Supreme Led Breed Exhibit)**

- 520 Ridden Male
- 521 Ridden Female

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN PALOMINO**

**Eligible for the Supreme Ridden Breed Exhibit**

### **BUCKSKINS**

#### **SPONSORED BY National Buckskin Society**

**Must be Financial Members ALL CLASSES Open to NBS or Affiliate registered horses.**

#### **NBS Led Section A (Buckskin/Dun)**

- 522 Best Presented Section A
- 523 Dual Registered Section A
- 524 Handler any age (of Section A horse)
- 525 Led Section A Colt or Stallion
- 526 Led Section A Mare or Filly
- 527 Led Section A Gelding

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED SECTION A**

**NBS Led Section B , C & D (ALL DILUTES except Buckskin/Dun)**  
(Only NBS or Affiliate registered horses & must be financial members)

- 528 Best Presented Section B C & D
- 529 Dual Registered Section B C & D
- 530 Handler any age (of section B C & D Horse)
- 531 Led Section B C & D Stallion or colt
- 532 Led Section B C & D Mare or Filly
- 533 Led Section B C & D Gelding

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED SECTION B C & D**

- 534 Ridden Section A Male
- 535 Ridden Section A Female

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN SECTION A**

- 536 Ridden Section B C & D Male
- 537 Ridden Section B C & D Female

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN SECTION B C & D** *Eligible for the Supreme Ridden Breed Exhibit*

#### **SUPREME CHAMPION BUCKSKIN EXHIBIT**

### **AUSTRALIAN STUD SADDLE PONIES**

**Registered with Australian Stud Saddle Pony Association**

- 538 Led Male
- 539 Led Female

#### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION STUD SADDLE PONY** *Eligible for the Supreme Ridden Breed Exhibit*

- 540 Ridden Male or Female

**SUPREME RIDDEN BREED EXHIBIT**  
**Open to all Breed Ridden Champions**

**SUPREME LED BREED EXHIBIT**  
**Open to all Breed Led Supremes**  
**and/or Champions if no Supreme**

## ARABIAN AND ARABIAN DERIVATIVE

*All horses in this section must be registered with the AHSA.*

**\*\*Amateur owners must be registered with AHSA – Photocopy of A/O Card to be presented to the steward before the class commences.**

### **ARABIAN PUREBREDS**

541 Led Filly

542 Led Mare 4 years & over

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED PUREBRED ARABIAN FEMALE**

543 Led Colt

544 Led Stallion

545 Led Gelding

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED PUREBRED ARABIAN MALE**

### **SUPREME LED ARABIAN PUREBRED**

546 Ridden Arabian Purebred Mare or Filly

547 Ridder Arabian Purebred Male

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN PUREBRED**

### **ARABIAN EXHIBIT *Eligible for the Supreme Ridden Breed Exhibit***

### **ARABIAN DERIVATIVES (Registered with AHSA)**

548 Led Filly 3 years & under

549 Led Mare 4 years & over

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED ARABIAN DERIVATIVE FEMALE**

550 Led Colt

551 Led Stallion

552 Led Gelding

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED ARABIAN DERIVATIVE MALE**

### **SUPREME LED ARABIAN DERIVATIVE**

553 Ridden Arabian Derivative Mare or Filly

554 Ridder Arabian Derivative Male

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN ARABIAN DERIVATIVE EXHIBIT *Eligible for the Supreme Ridden Breed Exhibit***

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BEYOND THE TRACK



## AUSTRALIAN FRIESIAN WARMBLOODS SPONSORED BY AUSTRALIAN FRIESIAN WARMBLOOD SOCIETY

***Exhibitors must be current financial members of the AFWHS Inc.***

555 Best presented Led Australian Friesian Warmblood

556 Led Stallion 4 years & over

557 Led Mare 4 years and over

558 Led Gelding 4 years and over

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED SENIOR AUSTRALIAN FRIESIAN WARMBLOOD**

559 Led Colt 3 years and under

560 Led Filly 3 years and under

561 Led Gelding 3 years and under

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED JUNIOR AUSTRALIAN FRIESIAN WARMBLOOD**

### **SUPREME CHAMPION LED AUSTRALIAN FRIESIAN WARMBLOOD EXHIBIT**

562 Ridden Stallion or Colt

563 Ridden Mare or Filly

564 Ridden Gelding

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN AUSTRALIAN FRIESIAN WARMBLOOD**

## STANDBREDS & PARTBRED STANDBRED

*Registered with the Aust. or NZ Harness Racing Studbook or Aust. or NZ Standardbred Pleasure Horse Assoc.*

565 Led Standardbred Stallion or Colt

566 Led Standardbred Gelding

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED STANDBRED MALE**

567 Led Standardbred Filly

568 Led Standardbred Mare

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED STANDBRED FEMALE**

### **SUPREME LED STANDBRED EXHIBIT**

569 Ridden Standardbred Male or Female

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN STANDBRED**

### **SUPREME RIDDEN STANDBRED EXHIBIT**

570 Led Part Bred Standardbred Male

571 Led Part Bred Standard Bred Female

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED PART BRED STANDBRED**

572 Ridden Part bred Standardbred Male or Female

### **CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN PART BRED STANDBRED**

## ALABAR HERO SERIES

**PLEASE SEE PAGE 11 AND 12 FOR SERIES QUALIFIER REGULATIONS**

573 Alabar Hero Series Led

574 Alabar Hero Series Ridden



**Racing  
Victoria**

Please make sure you split the Open & Show Hunter as separate classes in your show schedule.

*Racing Victoria's Off The Track  
Led Open Series*

Show Level

Sash & \$50.00 Prizemoney sent out once qualification has been verified.  
(Prize pack collected at State Final).

*Racing Victoria's Off The Track  
Led Show Hunter Series*

Show Level

Sash & \$50.00 Prizemoney sent out once qualification has been verified.  
(Prize pack collected at State Final).

## Series Qualifier Regulations

1. **Open to any thoroughbred horse bred to race that has been stud book registered, either domestically with the Australian Stud Book or Internationally.** Registrations will be checked by VAS office.
2. Racing name to be used where appropriate. When entering if name is different to racing name, please provide the following details (if known)
  - Racing name
  - Microchip number
  - Aust ID
  - Dam and Sire
  - Date horse retired
3. Colts/Stallions are not permitted to contest a series qualifier.
4. Qualifying Shows must be VAS Ltd affiliated.
5. Qualifying classes will be judged led.
6. Once a horse has won a ridden qualifier, the horse cannot compete at another ridden show qualifier in that calendar year.
7. All qualifying winners gain automatic entry into the Racing Victoria's Off The Track Led Open or Show Hunter Series State Final to be held at the VAS Ltd Saddle Horse Championships.
8. To be judged as a good example of an Off the Track Thoroughbred, (rather than riding horse/hunter types), with the following being taken into consideration:
  - Thoroughbred qualities
  - Conformation
  - Manners, paces and performance
  - Injuries caused through racing such as blemishes are allowed
9. Judge's decision is Final in Qualifiers and State Final.
10. Qualifier Prizes: Sash, \$50.00 Prizemoney sent out once qualification has been verified by Racing Victoria (Prize pack collected at State Final).



Racing  
Victoria

Please make sure you split the Open & Show Hunter as separate classes in your show schedule.

*Racing Victoria's Off The Track  
Ridden Open Series*

**Show Level**

Sash & \$50.00 Prizemoney sent out once qualification has been verified.  
(Prize pack collected at State Final).

*Racing Victoria's Off The Track  
Ridden Show Hunter Series*

**Show Level**

Sash & \$50.00 Prizemoney sent out once qualification has been verified.  
(Prize pack collected at State Final).

### Series Qualifier Regulations

1. Open to any thoroughbred horse bred to race that has been stud book registered, either domestically with the Australian Stud Book or Internationally. Registrations will be checked by VAS office.
2. Racing name to be used where appropriate. When entering if name is different to racing name, please provide the following details (if known)
  - Racing name
  - Microchip number
  - Aust ID
  - Dam and Sire
  - Date horse retired
3. Riders to be 12 years and over on day of qualifying Show.
4. Colts/Stallions are not permitted to contest a series qualifier.
5. Qualifying Shows must be VAS Ltd Affiliated.
6. Qualifying classes will be judged ridden.
7. Once a horse has won a ridden qualifier, the horse cannot compete at another ridden show qualifier in that calendar year.
8. All qualifying winners gain automatic entry into the Racing Victoria's Off The Track Ridden Open or Show Hunter Series State Final to be held at the VAS Ltd Saddle Horse Championships.
9. To be judged as a good example of an Off the Track Thoroughbred, (rather than riding horse/hunter types), with the following being taken into consideration:
  - Thoroughbred qualities
  - Conformation
  - Manners, paces and performance
  - Injuries caused through racing such as blemishes are allowed
10. Judge's decision is Final in Qualifiers and State Final.
11. Show Qualifier Prizes: Sash, \$50.00 Prizemoney sent out once qualification has been verified by Racing Victoria (Prize pack collected at State Final).



## Series Qualifier Regulations

- 1. Open to all purebred freeze branded or microchipped Standardbreds registered with Harness Racing Australia. Raced or unraced. Registrations will be verified.**
2. Registered/Racing name to be used where available. Freeze brand number or microchip number must be provided.
3. Horse does not need to be registered with any other Association or Breed Society other than Harness Racing Australia to be eligible to compete.
4. Riders to be aged 12 years and over on the day of the Qualifying Show.
5. Colts/Stallions are not permitted to contest a series qualifier.
6. Qualifying Shows must be VAS Ltd affiliated.
7. Qualifying classes will be judged ridden.
8. Once a horse has won a qualifier, the horse cannot compete at another Show qualifier in that calendar year.
9. All qualifying winners gain automatic entry into the Alabar Hero Series Final to be held at the VAS Ltd Saddle Horse Championships.
10. To be judged as a good example of a Standardbred rather than a riding horse/hunter type with the following being taken into consideration:
  - Standardbred qualities
  - Conformation
  - Manners, paces and performance
  - Racing related injuries and/or blemishes are permitted
11. The Judge's Decision is Final in the Qualifiers and State Final.
12. Qualifier Prizes: Sash, \$50.00 Prizemoney sent out once qualification has been verified and Hero Gift Pack (Prize Pack collected at State Final).

## VICTORIAN AGRICULTURAL SHOWS LIMITED

**THIS DOCUMENT IS A NO DUTY OF CARE RISK WARNING**

**THIS DOCUMENT IS A WAIVER OF DUTY OF CARE**

Do not complete "Event" details if this document only applies to use of facilities other than for an Event.  
Event Name (Subsequently referred to as "the Event"): .....

Event Date: .....

Participant Name: Refer to Section F Participant's Date of Birth: Refer to Section F

Participant Address: Refer to Section F

Participant Contact Number: Refer to Section F

Participant Email: Refer to Section F

### **Section A - Supplier's statements about risk and duty of care**

Victorian Agricultural Shows Limited and

(Name of Show) .....(together the Suppliers) advise as set out below.

The handling of animals is a dangerous recreational activity as animals can act in a sudden and unpredictable way, especially when frightened or hurt.

Participation (including passive participation) in animal handling and/or physical competitions and/or Events at an agricultural show and/or use of the Suppliers' facilities contain elements of risk, both obvious and inherent.

Physical competitions and activities, Events and use of the Suppliers' facilities are all dangerous recreational activities. This document is a risk warning for the purpose of the Wrongs Act (1958) VIC.

Any and all warranties, conditions and guarantees in relation to the competitions and activities, Events and use of Suppliers' facilities which are implied by Australian Consumer Law are excluded to the fullest extent permitted by law.

This risk warning is given by or on behalf of the Suppliers.

This document acts as an exclusion of liability under the Wrongs Act (1958) VIC if the services supplied by the Suppliers are supplied without reasonable care and skill.

### **Section B - Participant's acknowledgements**

By signing this document I acknowledge that:

Participation in the Event and/or use of the Suppliers' facilities is a recreational activity for the purposes of the Wrongs Act (1958) VIC.

1. I participate in the Event and/or use of the Suppliers' facilities at my own risk.
2. Participation in the Event and/or use of the Suppliers' facilities is a hazardous activity and involves a significant risk of physical harm and may result in injury, loss, damage or death to me and others.
3. Participation in the Event and/or use of the Suppliers' facilities requires certain skills and experience. I declare that I have sufficient skills and experience to be able to safely and properly participate in the Event and/or use the Suppliers' facilities.
4. Animals can act in sudden and unpredictable ways, especially if frightened or hurt, or if exposed to loud or unfamiliar noises.
5. The Event will be held in close proximity to rides and large groups of people and there may be loud and unfamiliar noises which can frighten animals used in the Event.
6. If the Event is held outdoors, there are risks to me as a result of the weather conditions, including either extreme hot or cold weather, rain or wind.
7. Insects or other animals may cause animals used in the Event to become frightened and act in an unpredictable way.
8. In handling animals, there is a risk of suffering injury including injuries caused by the animals.
9. I am responsible for ensuring that I have and will wear equipment suitable for my safety in my participation of the

- Event and/or in using the Suppliers' facilities.
- 10. I am responsible for the condition of any tools and equipment and ensuring that they are appropriate for the Event and/or in using the Suppliers' facilities.
- 11. I use the Suppliers' facilities, including for the Event entirely at my own risk, as I find them and with the prior acceptance of the risk of possible danger to me, both obvious and inherent.
- 12. At the time of participating in the Event and/or in using the Suppliers' facilities, I will not to any degree be under the influence of alcohol or illicit drugs.
- 13. I will not consume any alcohol or illicit drugs while participating in the Event and/or in using the Suppliers' facilities and agree that such use may result in my being excluded from the Event and/or from using the Suppliers' facilities with no entitlement to any refund of money paid to the Suppliers for entry.
- 14. I agree to be bound by the rules and guidelines of the Suppliers as varied from time to time.

### **Section C - Participant's acceptance of risk & no duty of care & waiver of rights**

- 1. I acknowledge and agree that my participation in the Event and any associated activities and/or my use of the Supplier's facilities is dangerous and may have obvious and/or inherent risks as a result of which personal injury (and sometimes death) may occur.
- 2. I acknowledge that my participation in the Event and any associated activities and/or my use of the Supplier's facilities carry with them a significant risk of physical harm.
- 3. I accept and assume all risks of personal injury or death in anyway whatsoever arising from my participation in the Event and any associated activities and/or my use of the Supplier's facilities.
- 4. I waive my individual right to sue the Suppliers for all claims I may have for such personal injury or death against the Suppliers in any way whatsoever arising from or in connection with my participation in the Event and any associated activities and/or my use of the Supplier's facilities.
- 5. If I suffer personal injury or death while participating in the Event and/or from my use of the Supplier's facilities, I will not hold the Suppliers, their employees or agents legally responsible for any personal injury or death I suffer.
- 6. I will not sue the Suppliers, their employees or agents for any claims, actions, costs, damages or liability.
- 7. I release the Suppliers and their employees from legal responsibility for the services I have been provided and/or activity I have participated in, including the Event.

### **Section D – Signature (Please ignore and sign at Section F if using a Bulk Waiver)**

#### **Where the participant is 18 years of age or over:**

I agree that I have read and understood this waiver prior to signing it.

I acknowledge that the Suppliers have permitted me to participate in the activity the subject of this document in reliance on the matters acknowledged by me and the representations I have made in this document.

I agree that this waiver is governed in all respects by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of Victoria and Commonwealth of Australia where applicable.

I agree that everything in this document is binding on me and my heirs, next of kin, executors and administrators.

Signature: .....

Dated: .....

#### **Where participant is UNDER 18 years of age (to be completed by a parent or guardian):**

Participant's Date of Birth .....

I ..... (insert parent/guardian name), being a parent or legal guardian of the above named participant, hereby consent to my child using the Suppliers' facilities and/or participating in the Event.

I confirm that I have read and understood and explained to the participant this waiver prior to signing it.

I acknowledge that the Suppliers have permitted the participant to participate in the activity the subject of this document in reliance on the matters acknowledged by me and the representations that I have made in this document.

I agree that this waiver is governed in all respects by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of Victoria and Commonwealth of Australia where applicable.

I agree that everything in this document is binding on me and my heirs, next of kin, executors and administrators.

Signature: .....

Dated: .....

## **Section E - Horse Details and Acknowledgement**

If there are no horses in this activity then leave this Section Blank. If there are horses in this event then this Section MUST BE COMPLETED.

I, the owner/rider/exhibitor of the above horse, declare that, to the best of my knowledge, it is fit and healthy and I agree that if found to be otherwise, it will not be allowed to compete at this event. If prior to the event, the health of the horse changes from the date of this declaration, I will inform the event organizer for their due consideration.

## **Section F – Bulk Signature Facility (if required)**

- I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD the above SECTIONS A through to D WARNING ME OF THE RISKS OF MY PARTICIPATION IN THE ACTIVITY
- I HAVE MADE ALL FURTHER ENQUIRIES WHICH I FEEL ARE NECESSARY OR DESIRABLE AND FULLY UNDERSTAND THE RISKS INVOLVED IN THIS ACTIVITY
- I SIGN THE DOCUMENT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT MADE TO ME

I, ..... have observed the sighting and signing of this document by the participants (PLEASE PRINT) listed above.

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Date: .....