



2026 FRASER COAST AGRICULTURE SHOW

Show Theme: *Cultivating the Future*

SECTION 17:

FRUIT & VEG

Thursday & Friday 21st & 22nd May 2026

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GENERAL REGULATIONS

(For the conduct of competitions at Queensland Ag Shows affiliated Queensland Agricultural Shows)

Subject to the Rules, By-Laws and Regulations of the Queensland Chamber of Agricultural Society's Inc. (Queensland Ag Shows) and the society relevant to this schedule (Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society Inc.), the following regulations shall apply. Where there is a conflict between these regulations and the regulations and the rules of the local Agricultural Society, (Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society Inc.), the rules of the Affiliated Agricultural Society prevail.

GENERAL REGULATIONS AND ACCEPTANCE OF ENTRIES

1. The attention of Exhibitors is drawn to the fact that entries are accepted subject to the Rules, By-Laws and Regulations of the Queensland Ag Shows and the Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society Inc. in addition to any Special Regulations which appear in this schedule. Copies of the Rules and By-Laws may be obtained the Queensland Ag Shows website www.queenslandshows.com.au/competitions or the show society relevant to this schedule (Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society Inc.)
2. These By-Laws and Regulations, together with Special Regulations and notes as set forth in the respective sections of the Competition Schedules or Catalogues, are to be the conditions of competition. In these By-Laws, the Regulations, the Special Regulations and notes the words "entry form" shall, unless the context otherwise indicates or requires mean the form supplied by the Show to persons desiring to apply to enter an Exhibit in any of the Show's competitions or to compete in any event which those persons are required to complete and lodge with the Show in order to apply to do so.
3. Subject to this by-Law and to any Regulation, Special Regulation or condition of Entry in any section or class (a) An Exhibit must be the bona fide property of the person who enters the Exhibit or class.
4. In any class in which entries are accepted from a club or other groups of Owners, the name of the club or particulars sufficient to identify the group shall be stated on the Entry Form together with a statement of the name and address of a person who is authorised to act on behalf of the club or group in relations to all matters relating to the entry. The Show shall be entitled to deal with the person so authorised as if he were the sole Owner of the Exhibit and delivery or payment to that person or the club or group by whom such person is authorised to act of any trophy prize or moneys won by or payable in respect of the Exhibit shall be a complete discharge to the Show.
5. Entries entered in the wrong class by the Exhibitor/Competitor may be transferred to the proper class by the Chief Stewards.
6. In the case of insufficient numbers being nominated or shown in any class, the society retains the right suspend classes at any time. The section Chief Steward retains the right to reduce prize money where classes are not sufficiently patronised.
7. **The Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society Inc. is operating under the Queensland Ag Shows and the Maryborough Showgrounds & Equestrian Park covid safe plan. You must adhere to COVID safe key principles that apply to Maryborough Showgrounds & Equestrian Park and the Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society Inc.**

JUDGING

8. Judging will be performed by a Judge or panel of Judges appointed by the Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society Inc.
9. In all affiliated Agricultural Show Sections, Judges should not judge the same section within a two (2) year period of the same show.
10. An exhibitor shall not compete in a section if the Exhibitor is a member of the Judge's immediate family.
11. Any person causing a nuisance by loud comments, or the decision of the judge or otherwise unseemly behaviour will, after being cautioned, be expelled from the judging area and in the case of exhibitors, be liable for disqualification.
12. All Judges and Stewards who accept engagements with Queensland Ag Shows and Show Societies must follow the rules set in the Code of Practice and Conduct – Show Judges and Stewards document obtained from the Qld Ag Shows website www.queenslandshows/competitions or the show society relevant to this schedule (Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society Inc.)

NOTICE TO INTENDING EXHIBITORS

13. Entries for the upcoming Fraser Coast Agriculture Show can be made as described for each section in this schedule. Entries submitted other than on the correct form or online will be returned to the Exhibitor and, unless all requirements are complied with, and the forms returned to the Fraser Coast Agriculture Show office by completion of business on the closing date, as shown in this Schedule, they will not be considered.
14. Notwithstanding the provisions of General Regulation 6, late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Section Chief Steward.
15. Entries are accepted subject to the Rules, By-Laws and Regulations of the Society, in addition to any Special Regulations, which appear in the Schedule and **MUST be your own work**. All completed Entry Forms remain the property of the Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society Inc. and are to be returned to the Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society Inc. office after the Show for further office procedures as required.
16. Exhibitors whose entries have not been accepted shall be advised accordingly and entry fees refunded.
17. The Exhibitor must complete the Exhibitor's Declaration on the Application for Entry. Queensland Ag Shows recommends that the Exhibitor seeks professional advice before completing the Exhibitor Declaration.
18. The exhibitor irrevocably consents to the Society publishing or reproducing in any manner whatsoever any particulars or information in relation to their exhibits; the publication or reproduction may be in a printed form or visual image through electronic means and/or on the internet. **See Over**

PRIVACY STATEMENT

- 19 The information provided by Exhibitors is used by the Queensland Ag Shows and the Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society Inc. to organise, process and conduct competitions at the relevant agricultural show (Fraser Coast Agriculture Show), sub chamber and state finals. By entering such competitions, you consent to your personal information being used for this purpose including this information being made available to sponsors, breed Associations, the media, the public, promotional purposes, archival purposes, published in publications and could be made available to other third parties for the purpose of promoting the Queensland Agricultural Show movement, or as otherwise required by law. Queensland Ag Shows and the Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society Inc. have the right to take or use photographs of exhibits or exhibitors (and or property) and use photos in any or all marketing and media worldwide including online, now and in the future. Exhibitors have a right of access to and alteration of personal information concerning themselves in terms of the Privacy Act. This may be done by contacting Queensland Ag Shows.

WORKPLACE HEALTH AND SAFETY

- 20 All Queensland Ag Shows affiliated Society's Showground's are designated workplaces within the meaning of the Workplace Health and Safety Act 2011 and exhibitors / competitors are required to ensure that they and all persons under their direction or control, including their contractors or subcontractors, comply with all requirements of the Act and Queensland Ag Shows holds each exhibitor responsible to discharge its obligations to provide and maintain a safe place and system of work during occupation by the exhibitor/competitor of any area of the affiliated Agricultural Society's Showground's.
- 21 Each exhibitor/competitor will assess the risk to themselves, staff, volunteers, family, other exhibitors, Agricultural Society staff, show visitors, children and any person foreseeably affected by the presentation of their exhibit.
- 22 Risks identified by exhibitors/competitors will be eliminated or controlled by the exhibitor/competitor and particular attention will be paid to ensuring public safety and safety of other exhibitors/competitors.
- 23 Exhibits will only be held and handled by competent persons whose experience is known to the Exhibitor/Competitor.
- 24 **A "No Smoking Policy" will be strictly adhered to by exhibitors/competitors. Smoking areas are marked in "ORANGE MARKINGS/FLAGS" which are located near the Cane & Cattleman's Bar & far end of Working Heritage display.. No food or drink is allowed in the smoking area.** The exhibitors/competitors are advised that the use of Primus stoves, any heating or lighting appliances of a like character, or any naked light, is strictly prohibited in pavilions.
- 25 Any exhibitors/competitors intending to bring electrical equipment to the Showground's will be required to ensure that such equipment is fitted with earth leakage circuit breakers/residual current protection and that all electrical leads, tools and appliances have been inspected by a licensed electrical contractor and currently tagged. The use of double adaptors is prohibited as well as all power boards must also be tested and tagged. This is essential for the safety of all exhibitors and the general public and is a requirement of the current Electrical Safety Regulations.
- 26 All exhibitors/competitors will comply with the requirements of the Act and its Regulations and Standards in every other respect. This is essential for the safety of all exhibitors/competitors and the general public. The Act imposes very severe penalties in the event of noncompliance with its provisions. Any exhibitors/competitors who do not comply will not be allowed to exhibit at QCAS affiliated Shows.

DISCLAIMER

- 27 The information contained in the Competitions Schedule is gathered for the purpose of providing information to Exhibitors and show patrons. The information is a compilation of information provided by third parties and the QCAS. and affiliated Agricultural Society's does not warrant its accuracy and advises that any such information may be subject to change or amendment occurring at any time and thereby making the information incorrect. Subject to the QCAS legal obligations and responsibilities if you require confirmation of any information, please contact the QCAS Office.

PRIZES AND GST

- 28 The Australian Taxation Office has deemed that GST is payable on prizes if an Exhibitor is registered for GST and enters an Exhibit as part of a business enterprise.
- 29 The information an Exhibitor provides on the Application for Entry determines whether GST is applicable.
- 30 Any prize stated in this Schedule does not include GST.
- 31 GST will not apply:
- (a) If an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as a hobby or private recreational pursuit; or
 - (b) If an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as part of a business enterprise, the Exhibitor has an ABN, but the Exhibitor is NOT REGISTERED for GST.
 - (c) If an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as part of a business enterprise, the Exhibitor is not entitled to an ABN as the business or enterprise is not operating in Australia.
- 32 GST will apply if an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as part of a business enterprise, the Exhibitor has an ABN, and the Exhibitor is REGISTERED for GST.
- 33 Where GST applies, the Society will pay the prize money quoted in this Schedule plus 10% GST. The Society will issue a recipient created tax invoice.
34. All cash prizes, sashes, cards and trophies etc. **must be claimed within 4 weeks** from the closing date of the show. Prizes not claimed will become a donation to the Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society.

SECTION 17 FRUIT & VEGETABLES

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sponsorship by Businesses and

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Chief Steward:

Eunice Holmes 0409 822 149

Stewards: Denice Holmes

Kylie Lilley

Jen Winton

Zena Wallace

Section Conditions:

1. All exhibits and **entry forms and payment (by cash only)** will be accepted in the Charlie Lenthall Pavilion – **Tuesday 19th May 2026 from 2pm to 7pm.**

2. **No late entries accepted.**

3. All entries MUST be grown by the exhibitor and **displayed using jars or paper plates.**

4. Exhibitors have the right to make **TWO entries** in any class.

5. The Stewards would appreciate the exhibitors having their entries clean, show quality and the **ENTRY FORMS MUST BE fully completed prior to submitting their entries at the Section.**

6. **Judging will take place from 1pm on Wednesday 20th May 2026.** The Judge's decision is final. **The Pavilion will be open to the public from 9am-7.30pm Thursday 21st and Friday 22nd May 2026.**

7. **Prize money** can be collected from the Chief Steward on **Friday 22nd May after 3pm.**

8. **Cards, Ribbons and Trophies and keep exhibits** may be collected between **8:30am and 10:00am Saturday 23rd May 2026** unless prior arrangements have been

made with the Chief Steward. Donated produce will be given to charity.

9. All cash prizes, ribbons, cards and trophies must be claimed **within 4 weeks** from the closing date of the Show. Prizes not claimed will become a donation to the Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society Inc.

Adult Entry Fees: \$1.00 per entry (incl GST)

Prizes:	1st	2nd
	\$3	\$2

Please Note: Class 17093 Giant Pumpkin - see Class for Prizes

Class 17094 – 17098 Junior Classes

Junior Entry Fees: \$1.00 per entry (incl GST)

Prizes:	1st	2nd
	\$3	\$2

Champions: Champions receive \$10 and a Sash donated by the Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society and a replica trophy donated by our Sponsors.

President's Encouragement Award: (Adult & Child) Chosen from all Classes by the Fraser Coast Agriculture Show President or his nominated representative.

Note: Other special prizes are shown at the end of categories they cover.

FRUIT

CITRUS FRUIT

Class 17001 Cumquats
at least 10

Class 17002 Grapefruit
3 only

Class 17003 Lemonade Fruit
3 only

Class 17004 Lemons - Lisbon
3 only

Class 17005 Lemons – Meyer
3 only

Class 17006 Lemons - any other variety
3 only

Class 17007 Limes – Tahitian
3 only

Class 17008 Limes
any other variety - 3 only

Class 17009 Mandarins – Imperial
3 only

Class 17010 Mandarins – any other variety
3 only

Class 17011 Oranges – Navel
3 only

Class 17012 Oranges – any other variety
3 only

Class 17013 Tangelos
3 only

Class 17014 Citrus
3 only - any other variety not specified

Class 17015 Collection of Citrus
at least 4 varieties

TROPICAL FRUITS

Class 17016 Pawpaw
1 only

Class 17017 Pawpaw – Green
1 only

Class 17018 Custard Apple
Any variety - 1 only

Class 17019 Avocado
3 only - any one variety, stalk cut closely.

Class 17020 Carambola / Star Fruit
3 only

Class 17021 Pineapples
1 only - with tops

Class 17022 Passionfruit Yellow
3 only - Short stalks

Class 17023 Passionfruit Red Speckled
3 only - Short Stalks

Class 17024 Passionfruit
Any other variety - 3 only - Short Stalks

Class 17025 Bananas
1 only - Hand - any variety

Class 17026 Rosellas
Min. 20

Class 17027 Fruit - any other variety
1 only not specified

Class 17028 Collection of Fruit for Fruit Salad
at least 4 varieties.

Champion Fruit from Classes 17001 –
17027 - \$10

(Does not include the Collections - Classes
17015 & 17028)

Includes Sash & Card

**John Pitt Memorial Perpetual Trophy for
Champion Fruit**

**Sponsored by the Vollerhausen Family of
Theebine**

VEGETABLES

GREEN VEGETABLES

Class 17029 Lettuce
1 only - with roots

Class 17030 Beans French Dwarf
20 pods

Class 17031 Beans - any other variety
20 pods

Class 17032 Choko
3 only – green or white

Class 17033 Green Vegetable
any other variety not specified

Class 17034 Collection of Green Vegetables
at least 4 varieties

ROOT VEGETABLES

Class 17035 Carrots
3 only – with tops

Class 17036 Radish –
3 only – Red/ White – with tops

Class 17037 Eschlotts
at least 6 bulbs with tops & roots

Class 17038 Spring Onions
3 only – with tops & roots

Class 17039 Beetroot
3 only – with tops

Class 17040 Potatoes
3 only – Sweet – any variety not specified

Class 17041 Root Vegetable
3 only – any other variety not specified

Class 17042 Collection of Root Vegetables
at least 4 varieties

CUCURBIT VEGETABLES

Class 17043 Pumpkin
1 only – Kent Special

Class 17044 Pumpkin
1 only – Queensland Blue

Class 17045 Pumpkin
1 only – Butternut

Class 17046 Pumpkin
1 only – any other variety not specified

Class 17047 Cucumber
3 only – any colour

Class 17048 Zucchini
3 only – any colour

OTHER VEGETABLES

Class 17049 Capsicum
1 only – any colour

Class 17050 Chillies
small, at least 1 branch of 6 fruit

Class 17051 Chilli Peppers
at least 6 on a plate

Class 17052 Eggplant
1 only – any colour

Class 17053 Sweet Corn
3 only - Green Cobs

Class 17054 Tomatoes - any one variety
3 only
Class 17055 Tomatoes – small or cherry
at least 6 on a plate
Class 17056 Vegetable
3 only – any other variety not specified
Class 17057 Collection of Salad Vegetables
at least 4 varieties

Champion Vegetable from Classes 17029-17057.

(Does not include the Collections - Classes 17034, 17042 & 17057)

Includes Sash & card

Perpetual Trophy sponsored by Lenthall Family - Champion Vegetable

HERBS, NUTS, EGGS, GIANT PUMPKINS

HERBS

Class 17058 Basil Green
at least 1 branch
Class 17059 Basil – any other variety
Class 17060 Chinese 5 Flavour
at least 4 sprigs
Class 17061 Chinese 5 Flavour Variegated
at least 4 sprigs
Class 17062 Comfrey
at least 4 leaves
Class 17063 Curry Plant
any variety
Class 17064 Garlic Chive
at least 6 stalks with roots & tops
Class 17065 Geranium Scented Leaf
1 bunch
Class 17066 Ginger
at least 3 corms with tops
Class 17067 Lavender French
at least 4 sprigs
Class 17068 Lavender Any Variety
at least 4 sprigs
Class 17069 Lemon Grass
clump of at least 3 stalks with leaves
Class 17070 Marigolds Salad
bunch of flowers
Class 17071 Mint Any Variety
1 bunch
Class 17072 Nasturtium
bunch of flowers with leaves
Class 17073 Oregano
any variety - 1 bunch
Class 17074 Parsley
Curled – Afro - 1 bunch

Class 17075 Parsley – Italian
1 bunch
Class 17076 Plain Chives
at least 6 stalks with roots & tops
Class 17077 Rosemary
at least 4 sprigs
Class 17078 Thyme
1 bunch
Class 17079 Tarragon
1 bunch
Class 17080 Herbs
1 bunch or branch of any variety not specified
Class 17081 Collection of Herbs
at least 4 varieties in one container

Champion Herbs from Classes 17058-17080
- \$10

(Does not include the Collection - Class 17081)

Includes Sash & Card

James and Ilene Gibson Memorial Perpetual Trophy - Champion Herbs Sponsored by the Gibson Family

NUTS

Class 17082 Macadamia
minimum 20 in a container – de-husked
Class 17083 Pecan Nuts
minimum 20 in a container – in shell

EGGS

Class 17084 Hen Eggs – 6 Large Brown
Class 17085 Hen Eggs – 6 Large White
Class 17086 Hen Eggs – 6 Large – Any Other Colour
Class 17087 Hen Eggs – 6 Medium Brown
Class 17088 Hen Eggs – 6 Medium White
Class 17089 Hen Eggs – 6 Medium – Any Other Colour
Class 17090 Bantam Eggs – 6 only white
Class 17091 Bantam Eggs – 6 only any other Colour
Class 17092 EGGS – 6 only any other variety not specified

Champion Eggs from Classes 17084 – 17092 - \$10
Includes Sash & Card

Perpetual Trophy Sponsored by Brother Brother Organics – Eggs

GIANT PUMPKIN

Class 17093 Atlantic Giant Pumpkin

1 only (this variety)

**Exhibits will be received by the Stewards
in the Charlie Lenthall Agriculture Pavilion
from 2.00pm - 7.00pm Tuesday 19th May
2026 and are judged by weight.**

Champion Giant Pumpkin

**Charlie Lenthall Memorial Perpetual
Trophy - Giant Pumpkin**

**Sponsored by the Lenthall Family
Voucher from Fraser Coast Rural Supplies
- Giant Pumpkin**

JUNIOR CLASSES - Best Decorated Pumpkin

Ribbons & Cards Awarded

Class 17094 Kindergarten & Prep Children

Class 17095 Primary School Children - Years
1 & 2

Class 17096 Primary School Children - Years
3 & 4

Class 17097 Primary School Children - Years
5 & 6

JUNIOR CLASSES - 12 Years & Under

Class 17098 Collection of Herbs

at least 4 varieties, picked from the garden.

**Collection of Herbs - 1st Prize
Voucher**

**Collection of Herbs - 2nd Prize
Voucher**

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SEE ENTRY FORM ON NEXT 2 PAGES

FRASER COAST AGRICULTURE SHOW

Maryborough Showgrounds & Equestrian Park
Thursday 21st & Friday 22nd MAY 2026
This Entry Form remains the property of the Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society Inc.

Entrant No:

APPLICATION FOR SECTION ENTRY

Section No: 17	Section Name: Fruit & Vegetables		
Collecting Entries: (please circle): YES NO			
Mr / Mrs / Miss / Ms	First Name:	Surname:	
School Student: Prep to Grade 12, <i>please state</i> :			Grade:
Company or Body Corporate/Partnership Name (Provide the ABN where applicable):			
ABN:			
Postal Address:			
Postcode:			
Phone - Work:	Home:	Mobile:	
Fax:	Email:		
DECLARATION BY EXHIBITOR			
This declaration has serious implications for taxation. The Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society Inc strongly recommends you seek professional advice before completing.			
Are you undertaking this activity as a hobby?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Is this activity part of a Business Enterprise?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
If Yes, do you have an ABN?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Are you registered for GST?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
If Yes, what is your ABN?			
CONDITIONS OF ENTRY:			
<p>1. I hereby apply to enter the following Exhibit(s) subject to the terms and conditions set out in the Queensland Ag Shows and the Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society Rules and Section Conditions (collectively called the "Regulations") for the Fraser Coast Agriculture Show. I agree to be bound by these Regulations. All cash prizes, sashes, cards and trophies etc. must be claimed within 4 weeks from closing date of the show, if not they will become a donation to the Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society.</p> <p>2. Application for Entry and the Regulations shall constitute the whole agreement upon which entries are submitted and I agree that all representations and statements not appearing herein or in the Regulations are hereby excluded.</p> <p>3. The Society is at liberty to consider or to refuse this application, in its absolute and unfettered discretion.</p> <p>4. I hereby certify that all particulars relative to entries set out on this form are correct in all details.</p> <p>5. I agree to abide by the Regulations set down by the Fraser Coast Agriculture Show Society Inc. and the COVID Safe Regulations set down by Qld Health.</p>			
..... / / 2026 Signature of Exhibitor		Date	
..... / / 2026 Name & Signature of Parent/Guardian if under 18yrs of age		Date	
Please refer to the Show Section Schedule for entry dates and other details. Please complete both pages of this form.			

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Mr / Mrs / Miss / Ms		First Name:		Surname:	
Collecting Entries: (please circle): YES NO					
School Student: Prep to Grade 12, please state:				Grade:	
Class No.	Exhibitor Entry No. (Stewards use only)	No. of Entries per Class	Class Title / Description	Exhibit Selling Price	Entry Fee (\$)
Total Entry Fees \$					