

HORSE SECTION RULES

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IMPORTANT NOTICES & RULES FOR ALL COMPETITORS

NO DRUG, hormone or tranquilizer shall be administered to any animal exhibit except under the direction of a vet who shall advise the stewards if in his opinion such drug, hormone or tranquilizer is likely to have any effect upon the animal which would be material to its chances of being awarded a prize and in such case the stewards may debar the animal from competing. A steward may at any time direct the vet to take a sample of blood, saliva or urine from an exhibit for testing. Drug testing may be performed on any horse/pony or stallion

HORSE STALLS: Applications for horse stalls will close on Sunday 14th May 2018. A completed Application Form (*Forms available on the Longreach Show webpage, and back of Show Schedule*) accompanied by a **\$10 fee** per stall must be supplied for Stall Application acceptance, either by post or email to the Horse Secretary. See Horse Stall Application Forms for postal and email addresses and Bank details. Stall allocations will be posted on the notice board at D BLOCK, on Thursday 18th May 2018 by 8.00am. Do not change your allocated horse stall or take one not allocated to you unless you have spoken to the Horse Stalls Steward - Jo Thomas Ph. 46581879 or 0427581879

ALL CAMPS AND STABLES are to be left clean and free of rubbish and manure. If left in an untidy manner, The Committee reserves the right to charge a cleaning fee. No electric fences are permitted in the camping area. There are several large yards and electric fences may only be used in these yards.

NO OVERNIGHT CAMPING AROUND ARENA FENCE as per designated area.

DOGS are to be kept on a lead at all times. When tied to campsite, lead is not to exceed one meter in length. A sign is to be placed to indicate the presence of a dog. The Longreach Show Society will not be held responsible for any injury or damage caused by or to any animal kept on the grounds.

TICKET SYSTEM ENTRY: Nomination Tickets will be available from the Recording Tent/Jump Shed from 7am Friday and from 7am Saturday. A refund may be claimed on unused, clean tickets. Competitors must produce a completed Nomination Ticket to the Ring Steward at the beginning of each Class. All competitors and supporters are required to pay the normal Show Entrance fee of \$10 or be Members of the Society.

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BIOSECURITY, RIDER INDEMNITY & MOVEMENT RECORD: Queensland Government Biosecurity requires that these details must be in hard copy for the Show Society to hold for a period of time. These forms, complete with Registered PIC numbers are to be left with the Ticket Steward when purchasing Nomination Tickets. The three forms can be downloaded from the Longreach Show website.

The Longreach Show Society PIC number QBLR0183

DRESSAGE ENTRIES: Dressage entries are to be handed to the horse secretary by COB Thursday 17th May 2018.

WORKING HORSE CHALLENGE ENTRIES: All nominations for the working horse challenge to be forwarded to John Arnold.

MEASURING: All hacks, Galloway's and ponies must be measured by the Official Measurer. When measuring a hack, galloway or pony, an allowance of three eighths of an inch (3/8") is to be made for shoes.

PONIES: 14 hands and under

GALLOWAYS: Over 14 hands and not exceeding 15 hands

HACKS: Over 15 hands

MAIDEN: Has not won an event at an affiliated Agricultural Show.

NOVICE: Has won a Maiden Hack and will remain a NOVICE until winning an Open Championship at an affiliated Agricultural Show.

BREED/ASSOCIATION REGISTRATION CERTIFICATES must be available for inspection upon entering applicable Classes.

LOCAL/REGIONAL: Rider must be a resident of the Longreach Regional Shire for a minimum of 6 months.

DISTRICT: Within Longreach, Barcaldine, Winton, Barcoo and Blackall Shire.

PLEASURE: Classes must be ridden in a plain snaffle, no spurs, whips or dropped nose bands.

STALLIONS: Stallions are not eligible to be entered in Hack or Rider Classes. Stallions in Led Classes are to be handled by a competent person 18 years and over.

DUAL USE OF JUDGING RINGS: Stewards/Judges reserve the right to direct overflow classes from one ring to another if a back log occurs in one ring.

CHAMPIONSHIP WINNERS: It would be appreciated if all competitors, in particular all prize winners, participate in the Grand Parade.

RULES FOR JUMPING EVENTS: All jumping events will be run under EA Rules. All classes are one horse one rider. Any deviations will be made clear by the Judge at the commencement of the event.

ALL COMPETITORS IN LED, HACK & RIDER CLASSES WILL COMPETE AND BE JUDGED UNDER QCAS RULES

SHOWJUMPING AND DRESSAGE WILL COMPETE AND BE JUDGED UNDER EA RULES (EXCEPT PRELIM AND CLASS 127 JUNIOR AM5)

ALL COMPETITORS MUST WEAR EA APPROVED HELMETS & FOOTWEAR WHILST COMPETING

**JUDGES ARE CHOSEN AT THE DISCRETION OF THE COMMITTEE.
THE JUDGES DECISION IS FINAL**