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THE AUSTRALIAN HEAVY

HORSE ASSOCIATION 2026 STATE SHOW



Date Saturday April 18 & Sunday April 19, 2026

Classes start at 9:00am SHARP

GATES OPEN at 5am

LOCATION: Tonimbuck Equestrian Centre

410/370 Sanders Rd, Bunyip North VIC 3815

**ALL COMPETITORS MUST BE A CURRENT FINANCIAL MEMBER OF
THE AUSTRALIAN HEAVY HORSE ASSOCIATION**

Pre-Entry Only - \$8 per class

Entries close Wednesday April 15 at 6pm!

NO entries on the day!

HAY AND MANURE

Hay & manure **MUST** be placed in the allocated manure pits and **NOT** in garden beds or skip bins.

All entries and enquiries to ahssecretary@outlook.com

SUPREME CHAMPIONS FOR ALL BREEDS

Prizes, Rosettes, Garlands and Sponsored Prizes.

- **GRAND CHAMPION YOUNGSTOCK IN SHOW**
- **GRAND CHAMPION SENIOR HORSE IN SHOW**
 - **GRAND CHAMPION RIDDEN IN SHOW**
 - **GRAND CHAMPION HARNESS IN SHOW**



HORSE REGULATIONS

- **Entries close Wednesday April 15 at 6pm!**

MANDATORY FEES

- Class Pre-Entry Fee - **\$8 per class**
- Ground Fee per horse - **\$10 per horse**

HAY AND MANURE

- Hay & manure **MUST** be taken home **OR** placed in allocated manure pits and **NOT** in the gardens or skip bins.

CAMPING & CAMPING FEES (Please indicate on entry form if you are camping)

- Camping is available from Friday afternoon 2pm. Set up, wash ponies, and relax for the evening!
- **\$30 per night** for a powered site
- **\$15 per night** for an unpowered site
- Please indicate on the entry form if you require camping on Friday April 17 and Saturday April 18.

STABLE HIRE & FEES (MUST be pre-booked with entries)

- **\$25 per stable per night.** (You **must** provide own bedding - not straw, feed and water buckets) Manure **MUST** be placed in manure pits close to the stables and **NOT** in the garden beds or skip bins.
- Please indicate on the entry form if you require a stable (**Pre-booking ONLY!**). **NO stables will be allocated on the day!**
- **Stables will be checked before you leave for cleanliness. If they are NOT clean, you will be charged a \$30 cleaning fee after the event, and pictures will be taken as proof of the state of the stable/s.**

UNDERCOVER YARDS (MUST be pre-booked with entries)

- **\$10 per day** (10 only) (You must provide own bedding - not straw, feed and water buckets) Manure **MUST** be placed in manure pits close to the stables and NOT in the garden beds or skip bins
- Please indicate on the entry form if you require an undercover yard. (**Pre-booking ONLY!**). **NO yards will be allocated on the day!**
- **Yard will be checked before you leave for cleanliness. If they are NOT clean, you will be charged a \$30 cleaning fee after the event, and pictures will be taken as proof of the state of the yard/s.**

MANDATORY FORMS

- Exhibitor Waiver (waiver to be sent in with pre-entries or provided at secretary office when entering on the day)
- Copy of Horse Registration & Memberships (to be emailed in with pre-entries)
- Event Facility Fee: All competitors must pay the compulsory, non-refundable event facility fee of \$10 per horse at the time of entry.
- Stable or Undercover yard fees paid for if booking these.
- AHHA Membership form – if a new member
- Proof of payment

CONDITIONS and SHOW RULES

- There is **NO** entries on the day, Pre-Entries only
- All horse or ponies must wear a number that is clear and visible to our stewards. Numbers will be issued by the AHHA in an email once entries are processed
- Junior competitors in the harness classes **MUST** wear an approved safety helmet
- Organiser reserves the right to measure an exhibit should a dispute arise
- Stallion/colts must be bitted/restrained under adult supervision at all times (persons over 17yrs). Failure to do so may result in being asked to leave
- For led classes, all handlers are required to wear closed toe shoes covering the top of the foot. Failure to do so may result in you being asked to leave the ring. While mounted, all competitors must wear regulation safety helmet and riding boots. Any competitor not adhering to this regulation will be asked to dismount from horse/pony immediately
- The committee reserves the right to reject or refuse any competitor entry
- No Exhibitor, owner or spectators shall be permitted to be with the Stewards or Judges during the time of judging the exhibits, unless by special request of the Stewards. Exhibitors in any particular section are not permitted to act as stewards for that section. Competitors should not address the judge by name. All contact from competitor to the judge should be conducted through the steward

- **The judge's decision is final.** Protests must be lodged with the Chief Steward of the applicable horse section with a \$50 deposit within 30 minutes after the class
- **All horses will be judged under their official breed** standard and should be presented correctly for their breed
- Cruelty to, or the abuse of any animal, by any person at this event is forbidden and an offender may be subject to withdrawal from further event classes
- **The Judges may award a 2nd or 3rd prize instead of 1st prize or may withhold a prize altogether where there is only one exhibit, or where the exhibits are not considered worthy.** Judge's decision is final
- All horses must compete drug free
- An Exhibitor showing an animal which appears unsound, or showing signs of lameness, exhaustion or distress may be asked to withdraw immediately from further competition
- Horses may not be left tied up and unattended
- 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, without refund, and banned from any future events within the AHHA
- Championships: Winners of Champions in Open rings must not compete in the same events in the other rings
- Age of Horses: The age of horses will date from **1st August.**
- Age of Competitors: Taken on the day of the event
- **Breed Events:** Competitors entering breed events must be current financial members of the AHHA. Horses must be properly registered with the applicable breed society(s). Proof of registration & current membership must be included with entry and 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, without refund
- No refund on entry fees, facility fee
- All competitors enter at their own risk
- Competitors must remove horse manure and leave the grounds in a tidy manner. Please remove any manure, rubbish and excess hay from your surrounding area
- The AHHA is not responsible for any damage or loss of property
- No dogs are permitted on the grounds unless they are on a leash at **ALL TIMES!**
- Splitting Classes: The Horse Committee will determine if classes are to be split. The decision to split classes will be made on the day of the show, based on number of entries and class sizes

PHOTOGRAPHERS

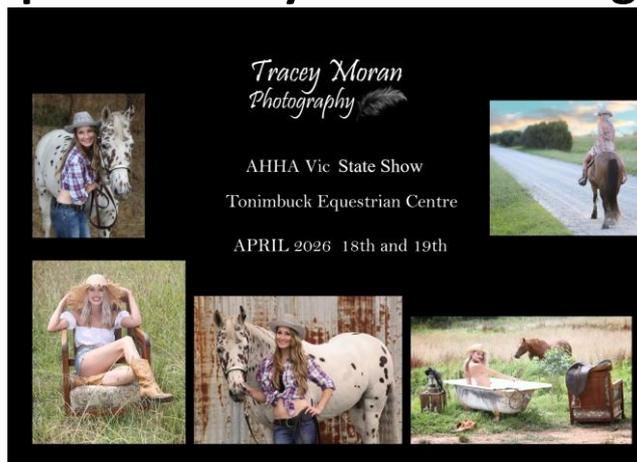
- Please note **ONLY** our hired Photographers are permitted on the grounds in the exhibition rings and arenas to take professional photos over the weekend. Anyone that just walks in without our permission will be asked to leave
- All photographers must have current kids check, police check and photographer's public liability insurance
- Competitors are more than welcome to take photos of themselves and their horses outside the rings before and after their classes. **DO NOT ENTER THE RING** as refusal may offend.

Judges:

RING ONE: Terry Pirlo

RING TWO: TBA

Photographer: Tracey Moran Photography



WELCOME TO OUR JUDGES

The Australian Heavy Horse Association would like to thank and welcome our judges for the day.

Judge One:

Terry Pirlo

A lot of you will know Terry as our National Secretary, but he is also a seasoned heavy horse competitor, having successfully shown his Pure Breed Clydesdale *Ruaidri River Zackery* (pictured right) for the past 6 years.

Originally hailing from NSW, Terry brings a wealth of equine knowledge having been around horses all most of his life. In 2022, he passed and was awarded his Heavy Horse State judge qualification through *The Commonwealth Clydesdale Horse Society Australia* and most recently recognised and certified as Australia and the Pacific's only Gypsy Cob judge by the *Traditional Gypsy Cob Breeders Association UK*. We are very fortunate to have Terry back to judge our Gypsies this year.

Terry has judged everything from Minis to Clydesdales and everything in between at various Agricultural and breed shows both here in Perth and in the Eastern States. Terry was recently invited to QLD to judge the Heavy Horse feature breed section at the *Woodford Agricultural Show* in June. In 2025, Terry Successfully showed *As Eirinn Storyteller (Bunty)* (9 month old pure Clydesdale) at the *2025 Perth Royal Show* where they took out Supreme Clydesdale of Show. *As Eirinn Story Teller* is owned by our very own Vice President extraordinaire Mr Tony Cummins.



Judge Two: TBA

SATURDAY

APRIL 18

PROGRAM

➤ **In Hand Breed**

Classes

Both Rings start

at 9am sharp!

Saturday Ring One – Judge: Terry Pirlo

FRIESIAN HORSES (AFHS)

Exhibits **must be** registered with the AFHS must be current financial members of the Breed Society

1. Best Presented Friesian
2. Led Colt 3 years & under
3. Led Stallion 4 years & over
Champion and Reserve Champion
4. Led Filly 3 years & under
5. Led Mare 4 years & over
Champion and Reserve Champion
6. Led Gelding 3 years & under
7. Led Gelding 4 years & over
Champion and Reserve Champion

SUPREME CHAMPION PURE FRIESIAN EXHIBIT

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DRUM HORSE

Exhibits **must be** registered with the DRUM HORSE SOCIETY OR AHHA and must be current financial members.

8. Best Presented Drum Horse
9. Led Yearling Colt
10. Led Yearling Filly
11. Led Yearling Gelding
Champion & Reserve Champion
12. Led 2-year-old Colt
13. Led 2-year-old Filly
14. Led 2-year-old Gelding
Champion & Reserve Champion
15. Led 3-year-old Colt
16. Led 3-year-old Filly
17. Led 3-year-old Gelding
Champion and Reserve Champion

SUPREME CHAMPION DRUM HORSE YOUNGSTOCK EXHIBIT

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18. Led Stallion 4 years & over, 15.2hh & under
19. Led Stallion 4 years & over, 15.2hh a& over
Champion & Reserve Champion
20. Led Gelding 4 years & over, 15.2hh & under
21. Led Gelding 4 years & over, 15.2hh & over
Champion & Reserve Champion
22. Led Mare 4 years & over, 15.2hh & under
23. Led Mare 4 years & over, 15.2hh & over
Champion and Reserve Champion

SUPREME CHAMPION DRUM HORSE EXHIBIT

Sponsored by

SHIRE

Exhibits **must be** registered with their respective breed Society. All Exhibitors must be current financial members of AHHA and their breed Society.

24. Best Presented Shire
25. Led Colt 3 years & under
26. Led Stallion 4 years & over
Champion and Reserve Champion
27. Led Filly 3 years & under
28. Led Mare 4 years & over
Champion and Reserve Champion
29. Led Gelding 3 years & under
30. Led Gelding 4 years & over
Champion and Reserve Champion

SUPREME CHAMPION SHIRE EXHIBIT

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PURE GYPSY COBS

Exhibits **must be** registered with the AHHA, AGHS OR APSB. **ALL COMPETITORS** must be current financial members of the AHHA.

31. Best Presented Gypsy Cob
32. Led Yearling Traditional Colt
33. Led Yearling Traditional Filly
34. Led Yearling Traditional Gelding
35. Led Yearling Miniature Colt
36. Led Yearling Miniature Filly
37. Led Yearling Miniature Gelding
Champion & Reserve Champion
38. Led 2-year-old Traditional Colt
39. Led 2-year-old Traditional Filly
40. Led 2-year-old Traditional Gelding
41. Led 2-year-old Miniature Colt
42. Led 2-Year-old Miniature Filly
43. Led 2-year-old Miniature Gelding
Champion & Reserve Champion
44. Led 3-year-old Traditional Colt
45. Led 3-year-old Traditional Filly
46. Led 3-year-old Traditional Gelding
47. Led 3-year-old Miniature Colt
48. Led 3-year-old Miniature Filly
49. Led 3-year-old Miniature Gelding
Champion and Reserve Champion

SUPREME CHAMPION PURE BRED GYPSY COB YOUNGSTOCK EXHIBIT

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50. Led Stallion 4 years & over, 13.3hh & under
51. Led Stallion 4 years & over, 13.3hh & over
52. Led Miniature Stallion 4 years & over
Champion & Reserve Champion
53. Led Gelding 4 years & over, 13.3hh & under
54. Led Gelding 4 years & over, 13.3hh & over
55. Led Miniature Gelding 4 years & over
Champion & Reserve Champion
56. Led Mare 4 years & over, 13.3hh & under
57. Led Mare 4 years & over, 13.3hh & over
58. Led Miniature Mare 4 years & over
Champion and Reserve Champion

SUPREME CHAMPION PURE GYPSY COB EXHIBIT

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PUREBRED CLYDESDALE

Exhibits **must be** registered with the CCHSA, OR AHHA, must be current financial members.

59. Best Presented Clydesdale
60. Led Colt 3 years & under
61. Led Stallion 4 years & over
Champion and Reserve Champion
62. Led Filly 3 years & under
63. Led Mare 4 years & over
Champion and Reserve Champion
64. Led Gelding 3 years & under
65. Led Gelding 4 years & over
Champion and Reserve Champion

SUPREME CHAMPION PURE CLYDESDALE EXHIBIT

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ANY OTHER PURE REGISTERED HEAVY BREED

*(Any other pure heavy horse not listed in the program e.g., Percherons, Highland Ponies, Fell Ponies, Andalusian, Fjord, Haflinger, Irish Draft/Irish Sporthorse, Morgan, Welsh D & C, Morgan, Waler etc.) Exhibits **must be** registered with your Breed Society **OR** AHHA and must be current financial members.*

66. Best Presented Any Other Pure Heavy Horse

67. Led Colt 3 years & under

68. Led Stallion 4 years & over

Champion and Reserve Champion

69. Led Filly 3 years & under

70. Led Female 4 years & over

Champion and Reserve Champion

71. Led Gelding 3 years & under

72. Led Gelding 4 years & over

Champion and Reserve Champion

SUPREME CHAMPION ANY OTHER PURE HEAVY REGISTERED BREED EXHIBIT

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Saturday Ring Two – Judge: TBA

PART BRED FRIESIAN HORSES (AFWHS & AHHA)

Exhibits must be registered with the AFWHS & AHHA must be current financial members of the Breed Society.

73. Best Presented Part Bred Friesian/Friesian Warmblood

74. Led Colt 3 years & under

75. Led Stallion 4 years & over

Champion and Reserve Champion

76. Led Filly 3 years & under

77. Led Mare 4 years & over

Champion and Reserve Champion

78. Led Gelding—3 years & under

79. Led Gelding—4 years & over

Champion and Reserve Champion

SUPREME CHAMPION PART BRED FRIESIAN EXHIBIT

Sponsored by

PART BRED CLYDESDALE

Exhibits must be registered with the CCSHA, CCHSA OR AHHA and must be current financial members.

80. Best Presented Part Bred Clydesdale

81. Led Yearling Colt

82. Led Yearling Filly

83. Led Yearling Gelding

Champion & Reserve Champion

84. Led 2-year-old Colt

85. Led 2-year-old Filly

86. Led 2-year-old Gelding

Champion & Reserve Champion

87. Led 3-year-old Colt

88. Led 3-year-old Filly

89. Led 3-year-old Gelding

Champion and Reserve Champion

SUPREME CHAMPION PART BRED CLYDESDALE

YOUNGSTOCK EXHIBIT

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90. Led Stallion 4 years & over, 15.2hh & under

91. Led Stallion 4 years & over, 15.2hh & over

Champion & Reserve Champion

92. Led Gelding 4 years & over, 15.2hh & under

93. Led Gelding 4 years & over, 15.2hh & over

Champion & Reserve Champion

94. Led Mare 4 years & over, 15.2hh & under

95. Led Mare 4 years & over, 15.2hh & over

Champion and Reserve Champion

SUPREME CHAMPION PART BRED CLYDESDALE

EXHIBIT

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PART BRED GYPSY COBS

Exhibits must be registered with AHHA, AGHS OR APSB

ALL COMPETITORS must be current financial members of the AHHA.

96. Best Presented Gypsy Cob Part bred

97. Led Yearling Traditional Colt

98. Led Yearling Traditional Filly

99. Led Yearling Traditional Gelding

100. Led Yearling Miniature Colt

101. Led Yearling Miniature Filly

102. Led Yearling Miniature Gelding

Champion & Reserve Champion

103. Led 2-year-old Traditional Colt

104. Led 2-year-old Traditional Filly

105. Led 2-year-old Traditional Gelding

106. Led 2-year-old Miniature Colt

107. Led 2-year-old Miniature Filly

108. Led 2-year-old Miniature Gelding
Champion & Reserve Champion

109. Led 3-year-old Traditional Colt

110. Led 3-year-old Traditional Filly

111. Led 3-year-old Traditional Gelding

112. Led 3-year-old Miniature Colt

113. Led 3-year-old Miniature Filly

114. Led 3-year-old Miniature Gelding

Champion and Reserve Champion

**SUPREME CHAMPION PART BRED GYPSY COB
YOUNGSTOCK EXHIBIT**

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115. Led Stallion 4 years & over, 13.3hh & under

116. Led Stallion 4 years & over, 13.3hh & over

117. Led Miniature Stallion 4 years & over

Champion & Reserve Champion

118. Led Gelding 4 years & over, 13.3hh & under

119. Led Gelding 4 years & over, 13.3hh & over

120. Led Miniature Gelding 4 years & over

Champion & Reserve Champion

121. Led Mare 4 years & over, 13.3hh & under

122. Led Mare 4 years & over, 13.3hh & over

123. Led Miniature Mare 4 years & over

Champion and Reserve Champion

SUPREME CHAMPION PART BRED GYPSY COB

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ANY OTHER PART BRED HEAVY BREED

(Any other part bred heavy horse not listed in the program e.g., Percherons, Highland Ponies, Fell Ponies, Andalusian, Fjord, Haflinger, Irish Draft/Irish Sporthorse, Morgan, Welsh D & C, Morgan, Waler etc.)

Exhibits must be registered with your Breed Society OR AHHA and must be current financial members.

124. Best Presented Any Other Part Bred Heavy Horse

125. Led Colt 3 years & under

126. Led Stallion 4 years & over

Champion and Reserve Champion

127. Led Filly 3 years & under

128. Led Female 4 years & over

Champion and Reserve Champion

129. Led Gelding 3 years & under

130. Led Gelding 4 years & over

Champion and Reserve Champion

**SUPREME CHAMPION ANY OTHER PART BRED
HEAVY REGISTERED BREED EXHIBIT**

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ANY UNREGISTERED HEAVY BREED

*(Any other unregistered heavy horse. This class is for exhibits that are **NOT** registered with and association or Society. But participants **MUST** become **OR** are already members of The AHHA to participate).*

131. Best Presented Any Unregistered Heavy Horse

132. Led Colt 3 years & under

133. Led Stallion 4 years & over

Champion and Reserve Champion

134. Led Filly 3 years & under

135. Mare 4 years & over

Champion and Reserve Champion

136. Led Gelding 3 years & under

137. Led Gelding 4 years & over

Champion and Reserve Champion

**SUPREME CHAMPION ANY UNREGISTERED
HEAVY HORSE BREED EXHIBIT**

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GRAND CHAMPION YOUNG STOCK

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RUNNER UP GRAND CHAMPION YOUNG STOCK

GRAND CHAMPION HORSE OF SHOW

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SUNDAY

APRIL 19

PROGRAM

➤ **Kids - 9am**

➤ **Harness – 9am**

➤ **Ridden -12pm**

Sunday Tippy Topsy Ring - 9am Start
All Topsy Competitors must wear APPROVED safety helmets at all times

TT1. Best presented 3- to 7-year-olds

TT2. Best presented 7- to 12-year-olds

TT3. Best led Pony under 12hh

TT4. Best led Horse/Pony 12hh and over

TT5. Longest Tail

TT6. Longest Mane

TT7. Handler 3 to 6 years

TT8. Handler 7 to 12 years

Champion & Reserve Champion

TT9. Rider 3- to 7-year-olds

TT10. Rider 7- to 12-year-olds

TT11. Ridden Egg and Spoon Race all topsy ages.

Champion & Reserve Champion

TT12. Fancy Dress 3 to 6 years

TT13. Fancy Dress 7 to 12 years



Sunday – HARNESS/LONG REIN CLASSES – 9am – 11am

INDOOR ARENA – Judge: Terry Pirlo

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138. Heavy Horse Long Rein - Junior Driver

Under 18 years old. The horse/s can either be harnessed in winkers, long reins, collar, hames, backband (optional) and trace chains, spider harness **OR** just long reins and bridle.

139. Heavy Horse Long Rein - Beginner Driver

Open only to those competitors who have **NOT** won a 1st place ribbon in a beginner long rein class. If placed 2nd or fewer competitors in past classes, then this does not apply.

The horse/s can either be harnessed in winkers, long reins, collar, hames, backband (optional) and trace chains, spider harness **OR** long reins and harness.

140. Heavy Horse Open Long Rein Driver (18yrs and over)

The horse/s can either be harnessed in winkers, long reins, collar, hames, backband (optional) and trace chains, spider harness **OR** just long reins and bridle. **Cannot compete in beginner**

141. Heavy Horse Long Rein - Beginner Horse

Horse has never won a first place at a working show. The horse/s can either be harnessed in winkers, long reins, collar, hames, backband (optional) and trace chains, spider harness **OR** just long reins and bridle.

142. Heavy Horse Long Rein - Open Horse

The horse/s can either be harnessed in winkers, long reins, collar, hames, backband (optional) and trace chains, spider harness **OR** just long reins and bridle. **Cannot compete in beginner horse as well.**

143. Heavy Horse Led Horse - Led Obstacle Course (horse any age)

This event is open to any horses. The horse must be in a halter and lead and entire male horses over 12 months must have a bit in their mouth. A show cane or similar may be used to help guide your horse, but the cane must not exceed 1.2m in length. **Using the cane to hit the horse will result in immediate disqualification.**

Points will be lost if the horse refuses any part of the course or if any part of the course is knocked or eaten. This is a timed event around an obstacle course and penalties per fault apply. A clear round without penalties will beat a timed round with penalties. This is a horsemanship class not a speed event, but a total time limit on the course may be set.

144. Heavy Horse Long Rein - Junior Driver Obstacle

A competitor must be 17 years and under on the first day of competition. Proof of age may be required. All competitors must be closely attended by an adult at all times whilst competing. This adult must be a competent horse handler. Competitors shall negotiate obstacle courses as directed by the Judge.

Penalties are incurred for mistakes or if Junior is assisted in any way by the adult. The horse must be driven at a walk, trotting will incur penalties, except in a wheeled vehicle and cantering will result in disqualification.

145. Heavy Horse Long Rein - Driving Obstacle Course

The horse/s can either be harnessed in winkers, long reins, collar, hames, backband (optional) and trace chains, spider harness **OR** long reins and harness. Competitors shall negotiate obstacle courses as directed by the judge.

Points will be lost if the horse or harness touch any part of the course. The course must be driven from the ground, while walking beside or behind the horse. Any break into a trot will be penalised, a break into canter or gallop will be disqualified. Shouting and whipping is not allowed. This is a timed event and penalties per fault apply. A clear round without penalties will beat a timed round with penalties. Fewest faults within a given time is the priority.

146. Cone Driving Obstacle course

Cone driving is open to all heavy and light horses and ponies in long rein driving.

Cone knock down = 5 Second Penalty, missing a Cone set or entering via the reverse side = 5 Second Penalty, failing to pass through the start/finish = 5 Second Penalty. Cones width will be 190 cm. There are no exclusions, except where there is a safety or welfare issue identified by the judge.

Sunday – RIDDEN CLASSES

12pm Start

Ring 1 – Judge: Terry Pirlo

PURE BRED HEAVY HORSES

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RIDDEN – Smartest on Parade

- 147. Smartest on Parade– Plaited
- 148. Smartest on Parade– Unplaited
- 149. Smartest on Parade– Traditional (as per breed)
Champion/Reserve Champion

RIDDEN – Clydesdale

- 150. Ridden Clydesdale Male
- 151. Ridden Clydesdale Female
Champion/Reserve Champion

RIDDEN – Drum Horse

- 152. Ridden Drum Horse Male
- 153. Ridden Drum Horse Female
Champion/Reserve Champion

RIDDEN – Friesian

- 154. Ridden Friesian Male
- 155. Ridden Friesian Female
Champion/Reserve Champion

RIDDEN – Pure Bred Gypsy Cob

- 156. Ridden Pure Bred Gypsy Cob Male
- 157. Ridden Pure Bred Gypsy Cob Female
Champion/Reserve Champion

RIDDEN – Other Registered Pure Heavy Horse

(Any other pure heavy horse not listed in the program e.g., Percherons, Highland Ponies, Fell Ponies, Andalusian, Fjord, Haflinger, Irish Draft/Irish Sporthorse, Morgan, Welsh D & C, Morgan, Waler etc.)

- 158. Ridden Other Heavy Horse Male
- 159. Ridden Other Heavy Horse Female
Champion/Reserve Champion

RIDDEN – Walk Trot only Class (18 years +)

This class is open to any horse breed (part or pure) and is based on the rider and their connection with their horse at a walk and trot only.

- 173. Open to any rider who is confident with only walking and trotting
Champion/Reserve Champion

**NOTE: ALL RIDDEN CLASSES ARE
BASED ON GENDER OF THE HORSE**

Sunday – RIDDEN CLASSES

12pm Start

RING 2 – Judge: TBA

PART BRED HEAVY HORSES & AGE CLASSES

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RIDDEN – Rider Age Classes

- 160. Rider: Junior 17 years and under
Champion/Reserve Champion
- 161. Rider: Senior 18 years to 34 years
Champion/Reserve Champion
- 162. Rider: Senior 35 years and over
Champion/Reserve Champion

RIDDEN – Part Bred Clydesdale

- 163. Ridden Part Bred Clydesdale Male
- 164. Ridden Part Bred Clydesdale Female
Champion/Reserve Champion

RIDDEN – Part Bred Gypsy Cob

- 165. Ridden Part Bred Gypsy Cob Male
- 166. Ridden Part Bred Gypsy Cob Female
Champion/Reserve Champion

RIDDEN – Part Bred Friesian

- 167. Ridden Part Bred Friesian Male
- 168. Ridden Part Bred Friesian Female
Champion/Reserve Champion

RIDDEN – Any Other Part Bred Registered Heavy Breed

(Any other part bred heavy horse not listed in the program e.g., Percherons, Highland Ponies, Fell Ponies, Andalusian, Fjord, Haflinger, Irish Draft/Irish Sporthorse, Morgan, Welsh D & C, Morgan, Waler etc.)

- 169. Ridden Any Other Part Bred Registered Heavy Breed Male
- 170. Ridden Any Other Part Bred Registered Heavy Breed Female
Champion/Reserve Champion

RIDDEN – Any Unregistered Heavy Breed

*(Any other unregistered heavy horse. This class is for exhibits that are **NOT** registered with and association or Society. But participants **MUST** become **OR** are already members of The AHHA to participate).*

- 171. Ridden Any Unregistered Heavy Breed Male
- 172. Ridden Any Unregistered Heavy Breed Female
Champion/Reserve Champion

GRAND CHAMPION HARNESS/LONG REIN EXHIBIT

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GRAND CHAMPION RIDDEN EXHIBIT

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AUSTRALIAN HEAVY HORSE ASSOCIATION INC.

Reg/VAC No. A0113279X
ABN 67 827 529 093

Application for Membership

Please complete this form and send with payment to: AUSTRALIAN HEAVY HORSE ASSOCIATION Inc.

Payment may be made via
Direct Debit: Account Name Australian Heavy Horse Association,
BSB: 063-250 ACC#: 1115 3198
(please insert your name in the description).

Please contact the Secretary for any further details and email your completed form to:
ahssecretary@outlook.com

Title:	Name:	
Address:		
Suburb:	State:	Postcode:
Phone:		
Email:		

Membership type (Please circle)

Year	Adult	Family	Junior (18 years and under)
Annual	\$35.00	\$50.00	\$25.00
2 Years	\$70.00	\$100.00	\$50.00
3 Years	\$105.00	\$150.00	\$75.00

Signature:	Date:
Parental Signature for Juniors:	Date:

AUSTRALIAN HEAVY HORSE ASSOCIATION

HORSE SPORTS PARTICIPANT RISK ACKNOWLEDGMENT & WAIVER

Name of Participant:

Participant Address:

Contact Number of Participant:

Email:

AUSTRALIAN HEAVY HORSE ASSOCIATION advise that participation in horse sports at an agricultural show or horse competition contains elements of risk, both obvious and inherent. Horse sports are dangerous recreational activities and horses can act in a sudden and unpredictable way, especially when frightened or hurt.

By signing this waiver, I acknowledge that:

1. participation in horse sports is a hazardous activity and may result in injury, loss, damage or death to me
2. participation in horse sports requires certain skills. I declare that I have sufficient skills to be able to safely and properly participate in the events
3. horses can act in a sudden and unpredictable way, especially if frightened or hurt, or if exposed to loud or unfamiliar noises
4. if held at an agricultural show, the horse sports will be held in close proximity to rides and large groups of people, and that there may be loud and unfamiliar noises which can frighten horses
5. as the event is held outdoors, there are risks to me and to my horse as a result of the weather conditions, including either extreme hot or cold weather, rain or wind
6. insects or other animals may cause my horse or other horses to become frightened and act in an unpredictable way
7. there is inherent in horse riding events the risk of suffering injury including falling from my horse
8. I am responsible for ensuring that I have and will wear equipment suitable for safely and properly participating in the event; and
9. I use the facilities of this event entirely at my own risk, as I find them and with the prior acceptance of the risk of possible danger to me
 - 9.1 If I suffer harm while participating in a horse event, I will not hold the Suppliers, their employees or agents legally responsible for any injuries I suffer. I will not sue the Suppliers, their employees or agents for any claims, costs, damages or liability. I agree to release the Suppliers and their employees from legal responsibility for the services I have been provided
 - 9.2 I acknowledge and agree that my participation in the horse sports and associated activities are a danger and may have inherent risks as a result of which personal injury (and sometimes death) may occur and I accept and assume all such risks of personal injury or death in anyway whatsoever arising from these activities and hereby waive my individual right to sue the Suppliers for all claims I or my representatives may have for such personal injury or death against the Suppliers in regard to their negligence, breach of statutory duty or statutory guarantees arising from or in connection with these activities to the fullest extent permitted by law
 - 9.3 I will not consume any alcohol or illicit drugs while participating in the horse sports and agree that such use may result in me being excluded from an event with no entitlement to any refund of money paid for entry to the Suppliers
10. I agree to be bound by the rules and guidelines.

Where the participant is over 18 years of age:

I agree that I have read and understood this waiver prior to signing it and agree that this waiver will be binding on my heirs, next of kin, executors and administrators.

I agree that this waiver shall be governed in all respects by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of Western Australia.

Signature: Dated:

Where the participant is under 18 years of age (to be completed by a parent or guardian):

I, being a parent or legal guardian of the above named participant hereby consent to my child participating in horse sports.

I confirm that I have read and understood and explained to the participant, this waiver prior to signing it and agree that this agreement will be binding on my (and their) heirs, next of kin, executors and administrators.

I agree that this waiver shall be governed in all respects by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of Western Australia.

Signature: Dated:

WARNING UNDER THE FAIR TRADING ACT 1999

Under the Australian Consumer Law (Western Australia), several statutory guarantees apply to the supply of certain goods and services. These guarantees mean that the supplier named on this form is required to ensure that the recreational services it supplies to you:

- are rendered with due care and skill; and

- are reasonably fit for any purpose which you, either expressly or by implication, make known to the supplier; and

- might reasonably be expected to achieve any result you have made known to the supplier.

Under section 32N of the **Fair Trading Act 1999**, the supplier is entitled to ask you to agree that these statutory guarantees do not apply to you. If you sign this form, you will be agreeing that your rights to sue the supplier under the **Fair Trading Act 1999** if you are killed or injured because the services provided were not in accordance with these guarantees, are excluded, restricted or modified in the way set out in this form.

NOTE: The change to your rights, as set out in this form, does not apply if your death or injury is due to gross negligence on the supplier's part. **Gross Negligence** is defined in the Fair Trading (Recreational Services) Regulations 2004.



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