



YouNP24

***(Youth and Non-Professional Show)
"B" Class Show***

Sunday 28 July 2024

Gatton Showgrounds QLD

7.30am Start

Judge

Sharyn Hungerford (QLD)

Entries Close Friday 19 July 2024

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YouNP24 features our popular show format with professional handlers and trainers from south-east Queensland taking part in running the show. We sincerely thank them for donating their precious free time to continue this tradition. As well as announcing, marshalling and stewarding duties, they will be assisting in the ring and will share ring-craft tips (if requested), throughout the show.

Entry Fees

Halter and Performance	Per Class	\$12.50
Members Package	Package – 5 classes or more (one horse/one rider/handler combination)	\$50
Newbie Classes		\$12.50
Stables	Per Day	\$25
Stable Bond	Per Stable	\$20
Camping	Per Site / Per Night	\$20
Catalogue	Collect on the day	\$10
Exhibit Number	Per Horse	\$3
Administration Fee	Per Exhibitor (compulsory)	\$10
First Aid Levy	Per Exhibitor (compulsory)	\$5
Day Insurance	For "Newbie" competitors only (if not covered by another insurance)	\$13
Sponsorship	All levels of sponsorship available from \$20	

Catering

Catering Van with food and drinks will be available from 7.30am on the day of the show, further details to be announced closer to show.

Downs Arabian Club will be providing a free sausage sizzle from around 3.30pm during presentations.

Stabling

Please advise of any stabling requests with your entry form and we will take into consideration when allocating stables. Stables will be allocated and unlocked prior to arrival. Stables must be inspected prior to refund of bond (to be left clean and tidy, free of manure & hay.) Inspection of stables prior to leaving the grounds must be organised with our stable coordinator and bond will only be returned on the day of event.

Presentations

Hi-Point Youth	9 years and under
Hi-Point Youth	10 to 13 years
Hi-Point Youth	14 to 17 years
Hi-Point Non-Pro	18 years and over

Professionals Encouragement Award	9 years and under
Professionals Encouragement Award	10 to 13 years
Professionals Encouragement Award	14 to 17 years
Professionals Encouragement Award	18 years and over

Newbie Handler/Rider Award



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General Entry Rules

- 1 The Downs Arabian Club Youth and Non-Pro Show is conducted under the rules and regulations as set down herein first and foremost and secondly by the AHSA as per rulebook. Competitors are responsible for becoming familiar with all sections of these rules available from the AHSA website.
- 2 All horses must be registered with the Arabian Horse Society of Australia Ltd, with the exception of horses entered into the Newbie classes. Horses entered in Newbie classes do not need to be registered.
- 3 All entries must be made online using the online entry form on the club website and submitted on or before the closing date for entries. Registration numbers to be stated for all exhibits on Entry form.
- 4 The lodging of an entry shall bind the exhibitor to the Conditions of Entry set out herein and the signature of the exhibitor on the entry form shall signify acceptance of the conditions.
- 5 The Show committee shall have the power without assigning any reason to:
 - a) Reject or cancel any entry at any time;
 - b) Prohibit the participation by any person or exhibit in any event or class for which it is entered;
 - c) Cancel or combine any event or class/classes;
 - d) Alter the time at which any class or event is to take place;
 - e) Remove any exhibit from the showgrounds; and/or
 - f) Transfer any exhibit or exhibitor from any class to another.
- 6 Payment in full must accompany all entries, using our online entry form and payment system. Any cheque or negotiable instrument received or accepted by the Committee will be accepted as conditional payment only, until presented and cleared.
- 7 Entry fees will not be refunded to exhibitors under any circumstance. Entry fees will not be refunded to exhibitors rejected due to non-compliance with Conditions of Entry. Stabling and/or camping fees may be refunded if notification is received by the secretary no less than five (5) days prior to the show.
- 8 The Association shall not be held responsible for any loss, damage or injury occasioned to any exhibit or exhibitor from any cause whatsoever.
- 9 Any person causing annoyance by loud comments on Judges' decisions or by unseemly conduct or by insulting behaviour will, after being cautioned by a DACI committee member or the Ring Marshall, be expelled from the showground and the said person may forfeit any awards already gained.
- 10 Any horse deemed not in full control by its handler whilst in the marshalling area or the ring, may be dismissed from the ring at the discretion of the chief steward. Any horse, which becomes free from its handler or rider in the judging arena, may be excused from its class.
- 11 If any handler, rider or groom is found using a whip on any part of any exhibit in an improper manner, either in the show ring or otherwise, the exhibitor and exhibit may, at the discretion of the Committee, be disqualified. Exhibits, which in the opinion of the Chief Steward or Judge appear to have whip marks, will not be judged.

General Show Rules

- 12 **Closing Date of Entries:** Where closing dates apply, entries must be submitted online using our online entry form located on Downs Arabian Club website.
- 13 The committee reserves the right to alter class times on the day as necessary. All changes in scheduling will be announced over the Public Address system and communicated to competitors as soon as possible.
- 14 Horses will be allocated one number for the entire show and it must be clearly displayed at all times by the handler/rider.
- 15 Approved safety helmets must be worn by all riders in all ridden classes. Check your helmet as it may be checked on the day for insurance purposes.
- 16 No exhibit may leave the judging area until dismissed or excused by the Ring Steward.
- 17 Any infringement of the Conditions of Entry may result in disqualification of the Exhibit and or Exhibitor, the loss of any or all awards gained and the prevention of any further participation in classes at the Show. At the discretion of the Committee, it may also apply disqualification from future DACI shows for a maximum period of two years.
- 18 If a youth division is split due to a large number of entries, an additional high point and/or encouragement award may be allocated to that age group at the committee's discretion.



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Disputes

- 19 Protests must be lodged in writing with the DACI Secretary together with a fee of \$50 (cash), which amount shall be forfeited if the complaint is not upheld. Protests must be lodged within one hour of the dispute after the making of the award by the judge, whose decision is being disputed.
- 20 All disputes may be referred to the Disputes Committee consisting of the DACI Secretary, Chief Steward and one (1) competitor. The disputes committee shall, in addition to any powers hereinbefore mentioned, have the power to disqualify any exhibitor from the section or class for the period of the show in which the dispute did arise. All decisions of the disputes committee shall be final and binding.
- 21 Should any prize winning exhibit be subsequently disqualified, the next placegetter does not necessarily obtain the same prize. The Disputes Committee shall decide in consultation with the Judge.

Definitions and Regulations

- 22 **Owners Responsibility:** It is the responsibility of the owner to enter the correct class and to make themselves conversant with the relevant rules applicable to that class.
- 23 **Youth:** A person who has not turned 18 years of age by the day of the show. Youth exhibitors must wear approved safety helmets whilst mounted **at all times**.

HANDLERS: All handlers must be 4 years and over on the first day of the show.

RIDERS: All Riders must be 5 years or over on the first day of the show to compete independently. Riders in Leading Rein classes must be 3 years or over on the first day of the show.

- 24 **A Non-Pro** is a person who, regardless of his/her equestrian skills and/or accomplishments, in the last three (3) years has not accepted financial remuneration (money) for services usually provided by a professional in the areas of breaking, riding, training, schooling, driving, halter preparation, showing in halter or under saddle. For the purpose of the YouNP24 show, non pro classes are eligible to a person 18 years & over.

Any person wishing to compete in Non-Pro classes shall be required to complete a Non-Pro Declaration form at each event they attend to declare their Non-Pro status. These forms are included in this schedule. The completed form is to be submitted with entries to the show secretary for the event.

The Non-Pro is not required to own the horse they show. The registered owner of the horse competing **must** be a financial member of the AHSA. For insurance purposes, the non-pro may be an AHSA member, participant member of AHSA, Downs Arabian club member or a member of a recognised affiliate.

- 25 **A Newbie** is a rider or handler of all ages who has limited showing experience (five shows or less), or who has never shown a horse before. These classes are for beginners and less experienced 'showies' to learn and have fun. Please compete in the spirit with which it was intended.

A Newbie may enter any horse, regardless of breed in Newbie classes only. If a Newbie has a registered Arabian that is owned by a current financial member of the AHSA, they can choose to show in the other youth or non-pro classes as well. If you choose to enter the Arabian youth or non-pro classes, appropriate show attire must be worn.

Newbies should wear neat attire in halter classes, and must wear an approved safety helmet and boots in ridden classes. Horses in the **Newbie** classes should be clean and neatly presented in safe, suitable tack.

Newbies are required to pay day insurance of \$13 if they are not covered by another insurance.

- 26 **Owner** means the person who is noted in the records of the Arabian Horse Society as the Owner or Lessee of the Horse or Pony.
- 27 All **ridden exhibits** must be 3 years of age or over.
- 28 **Ribbons:** Will be awarded to 6th place & encouragement ribbons thereafter (for youth).
- 29 **Special Presentations:** Will be calculated on a one horse + rider/handler combination for the following categories:
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| a) Youth Hi-Point Award | (Youth - by age group) |
| b) Adult Hi-Point Adult Award | (18 years and over) |
| c) Professionals Encouragement Award | (Youth - by age group) |
| d) Professionals Encouragement Award | (18 years and over) |

- 30 **Championships:** All first and second placegetters must be on hand for Championship Awards. A first-place winner that does not return for their Championship class will automatically forfeit their award. In this situation, the second placegetter will be eligible to contest the Reserve Championship.



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Halter Classes

Non-Pro Halter Classes (Non-Pro halter classes **will** be split if there are sufficient entries)
(Shown by Non-Pro 18yrs & over)

1. Purebred Arabian Male
2. Purebred Arabian Female

Champion & Reserve Champion Purebred Arabian Shown By Non-Pro

3. Arabian Derivative Male
4. Arabian Derivative Female

Champion & Reserve Champion Arabian Derivative Shown By Non-Pro

5. Arabian Performance Index Male
6. Arabian Performance Index Female

Champion & Reserve Champion Arabian Performance Index Shown by Non-Pro

Youth Halter Classes (Youth halter classes will be split if there are sufficient entries)

7. Purebred Arabian Shown By Youth
8. Arabian Derivative Shown By Youth
9. Arabian Performance Index (API) shown by Youth

Youth Handler Classes (Open to Purebred/Derivative/API)

10. Youth Handler 9 years and under
11. Youth Handler 10 – 13 years
12. Youth Handler 14 – 17 years

Newbie Halter (Open to All Breeds)

13. Newbie Handler 9 Years and Under
14. Newbie Handler 10 – 13 Years
15. Newbie Handler 14 – 17 Years
16. Newbie Handler 18 years and over

Performance Classes

Rider Classes (Open to Purebred/Derivative/API)

17. Leading rein 7 years and under
18. Youth rider 7 years and under (walk & trot)
19. Youth rider 9 years and under
20. Youth rider 10 years to 13 years
21. Youth rider 14 years to 17 years
22. Non-Pro rider 18 years and over

Purebred Arabian Hack Classes

23. Gelding under saddle - shown by Non-Pro 18yrs & over
24. Mare under saddle - shown by Non-Pro 18yrs & over
25. Stallion under saddle - shown by Non-Pro 18yrs & over
26. Purebred Mare under saddle - ridden by a youth
27. Purebred Gelding under saddle - ridden by a youth

Champion & Reserve Champion Purebred Arabian Hack



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Arabian Derivative Hack Classes

- 28. Arabian Pony/Arabian Riding Pony Mare or Gelding under saddle - shown by Non-Pro 18yrs & over
- 29. Quarab/Arabian Stock Horse Mare or Gelding under saddle - shown by Non-Pro 18yrs & over
- 30. Anglo/Arabian Warmblood Mare or Gelding under saddle - shown by Non-Pro 18yrs & over
- 31. Part bred/Half Arabian Mare or Gelding under saddle - shown by Non-Pro 18yrs & over
- 32. Derivative Stallion under saddle - shown by Non-Pro 18yrs & over
- 33. Derivative Mare under saddle - ridden by a youth
- 34. Derivative Gelding under saddle - ridden by a youth

Champion & Reserve Champion Arabian Derivative Hack

Arabian Performance Index Classes

- 35. Arabian Performance Index under 14hh – shown by Non-Pro 18yrs & over
- 36. Arabian Performance Index 14hh & under 15hh – shown by Non-Pro 18yrs & over
- 37. Arabian Performance Index 15hh & over – shown by Non – Pro 18yrs & over
- 38. Arabian Performance Index Mare Under Saddle – ridden by a Youth
- 39. Arabian Performance Index Gelding Under Saddle – ridden by a Youth

Champion & Reserve Champion Arabian Performance Index Horse

Bridle Path Hack

- 40. Purebred Arabian not exceeding 15hh - shown by Non-Pro 18yrs & over
- 41. Purebred Arabian over 15hh - shown by Non-Pro 18yrs & over
- 42. Arabian Derivative not exceeding 15hh - shown by Non-Pro 18yrs & over
- 43. Arabian Derivative over 15hh - shown by Non-Pro 18 yrs & over
- 44. Arabian Performance Index – shown by Non-Pro 18yrs and over
- 45. Youth Bridle Path Hack – rider 9 years and under
- 46. Youth Bridle Path Hack – rider 10 years to 13 years
- 47. Youth Bridle Path Hack – rider 14 years to 17 years

Champion & Reserve Champion Bridle Path Hack

Show Hunter (Open to Purebred/Derivative/API)

- 48. Show Hunter – rider 9 years and under
- 49. Show Hunter – rider 10 years to 13 years
- 50. Show Hunter – rider 14 years to 17 years
- 51. Show Hunter – rider 18yrs & over (Non Pro)

Champion & Reserve Champion Show Hunter

Newbie Rider Class (Open to All Breeds)

- 52. Newbie Rider 9 years and under
- 53. Newbie Rider 10 years to 13 years
- 54. Newbie Rider 14 years to 17 years
- 55. Newbie Rider 18 years and over

Novelty Events

Combined Novelty Event

- 56. Leading Rein 7 years and under
- 57. Youth rider 9 years and under
- 58. Youth rider 10 years to 13 years
- 59. Youth rider 14 years to 17 years
- 60. Non-Pro 18yrs & over
- 61. Newbie any age



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Combined Novelty Event (2 runs per competitor)

Course Description:

- ❖ through start/finish pegs
- ❖ right turn first around barrel on the right
- ❖ over jump (cross rail or rail on ground)
- ❖ left turn next around barrel on the left
- ❖ back to the centre of the course and turn left around the first peg
- ❖ bend through pegs to turn right around the top peg
- ❖ remove flag from top peg
- ❖ bend back down through pegs
- ❖ put the flag into the container on the middle barrel
- ❖ through start/finish pegs.

Penalties:

- ❖ This will be a timed event
- ❖ Barrel or peg knocked over – 5 seconds
- ❖ Dropped Flag – 5 seconds
- ❖ Take the wrong course – turn around and try again (time penalties)

Pattern:

