

SECTION 17 - STOCKHORSE CHALLENGE

Steward: Yvonne Bradely (0408 181 146)

Entry fee: \$5 per Class

Prizes: As detailed per Class

Sponsor: @REALTY

ATTENTION ALL HORSE COMPETITORS

CROWS NEST SHOWGROUNDS is a TICK FREE VENUE.
CROWS NEST AH&I INC SOCIETY – PIC NUMBER QEDCN 0613

YOU MUST

Complete a **HORSE HEALTH DECLARATION & MOVEMENT FORM** (prior to entering the Crows Nest Showgrounds).

Submit **SIGNED HORSE PARTICIPANT WAIVER** at the Horse Ticket Office.

ENTRIES to be received at the Horse Ticket Office on Show Day.

ALL OTHER RULES AND REGULATIONS CONTAINED IN THIS SCHEDULE MUST BE COMPLIED WITH.

Conditions of Entry

1. CROWS NEST SHOWGROUNDS ARE A TICK FREE VENUE.
2. Competitors are required to sign a **waiver/indemnity** form at time of entering. Parents/guardians will be required to sign for competitors under 18 years of age.
3. A **Horse Health Declaration** for each horse must be handed to the gate steward upon entry to the showgrounds via Gate 1 (nearest to Crows Nest Township).
4. **ENTRY IN CLASSES** – is via a ticketing system.
 - Purchase tickets at Ring Office. Extra tickets can be purchased during the day.
 - Present tickets to the Ring Steward at the commencement of each class.
 - Stewards will not accept tickets that are incorrectly completed. Tickets must be clearly filled out and must be printed with the name of owner and the name of horse and the name of rider in rider Classes.
If not filled out correctly and Stewards cannot read tickets, competitors will be asked to leave ring and correct information before they are allowed to compete.
Tickets that have been held in competitor's mouth will not be accepted.
 - No refund on event entry tickets
5. **HELMETS** – All riders must always wear a current approved helmet whilst riding. All competitors in any class under the age of 18 must wear an approved helmet at any time they are in the ring.
6. **BOOTS** – All competitors must wear suitable riding boots that are always heeled and soled with little to no tread whilst riding.
7. **QUEENSLAND PARAMEDICS** – will be in attendance on Saturday. All competitors must have personal ambulance cover.
8. **HEADWEAR** – Appropriate headwear for sun protection is to be worn by all persons entering ring at all times.
9. **DISPUTES** – judge's decision is final, but in the event of a protest such protest shall be lodged in writing within 30 minutes of conclusion of event, accompanied by a fee of \$50.00 which will be refunded if the protest is upheld.
10. No person may converse with a judge, except where receiving directions from the judge, without the permission of the steward in attendance. Any person whether judge, steward, competitor or spectator who harasses another judge, steward, competitor or spectator will be removed from the competition and all awards forfeited.
11. **AUTHORISED PERSONS** – **ONLY** judges, stewards, press, official photographers and authorised persons are allowed in the main ring. Photographers and press are to wear official identification.
12. **NO CHAIRS OR STOOLS, PRAMS AND STROLLERS** will be allowed in the ring, except those allocated to stewards' and judges' desks. This will be strictly enforced with no exceptions.
13. **EXHIBITORS** shall at all times behave in a proper and courteous manner to judges, stewards, show officials and other competitors. Should an exhibitor behave in an offensive and improper manner, the committee person in charge or steward of the section shall have the right to request removal from the ring and exclude or disqualify that exhibitor from competing in any further events. No exhibitor or a member of the exhibitor's immediate family shall approach a judge with regard to a decision made by the judge unless they first obtain permission from the steward in charge of that section.
14. **EXHIBITS** behaving in an unruly or dangerous manner will be removed from the ring.
15. **NO BULLYING POLICY** - Crows Nest show ground is a bully free area and bullying will not be tolerated. If a bullying incident has occurred, this must be reported immediately to either the ring master or the chief ring steward.
16. **STALLIONS AND COLTS** 2 years and over are to be shown with a bit in their mouth or with a stallion chain, have green discs attached to their bridle or head stall. All stallion handlers to be 17 years or over.

17. **SHOW HUNTERS** – No coloured brow bands or ribbons. Junior riders 17 years and under are not permitted to wear top boots. Horses are only permitted to compete in the Open Hack, Galloway, Pony OR Show Hunter classes.
18. **BREED CLASSES** - All exhibits in Breed Classes must be registered with the appropriate society and the exhibitors are to be current financial members. Random checking of registration papers and membership may be undertaken.
19. **NOVICE** is not to have won an Open Championship in any comparative event at an Agricultural Show.
20. **CLASSES CLASHING** – The ring program will NOT be held up. In the event of classes clashing, the competitor must decide the class in which they wish to compete.
21. **NO DOGS ALLOWED AT HORSE EVENTS**
22. **THE CHIEF RING STEWARD RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CHANGE THE PROGRAM AT ANY TIME**
23. **QCAS** General Horse Regulations will be abided by. Each Ring Steward will have a copy as well as the Ring Office or it can be downloaded from the website: <https://qldagshows.com.au/>

BIOSECURITY MEASURES

Horse entry onto the show grounds through Gate 1 (nearest to Crows Nest town) only.

Horse health declarations for every horse must be produced at the gate prior to entering the showgrounds.

If no horse health declaration is produced entry to grounds will be refused.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR COMPETITORS

Primary responsibility for biosecurity at horse events lies with the horse owners and competitors long before the event takes place.

PRACTISE GOOD BIOSECURITY

Practise good hygiene and decontaminate equipment thoroughly.

Do not share equipment, including food and water containers, between horses.

Avoid use of communal water troughs.

If using communal hoses, avoid touching buckets when filling with water to avoid spreading disease from bucket to bucket.

Monitor horse health

Do not take sick horses to an event.

Notify an event official if a horse is suspected of being sick.

Isolate the sick horse and seek veterinary advice.

Isolate any equipment that has been in contact with the sick horse.

In the event of a suspected disease outbreak please follow all instructions from event organisers.

Further information on biosecurity at horse events is available at <https://www.daf.qld.gov.au/business-priorities/biosecurity/animal-biosecurity-welfare/animal-health-pests-diseases/horses/events>.

Additional information for horse owners may be found at

<https://www.business.qld.gov.au/industries/farms-fishing-forestry/agriculture/animal/industries/horses>
or by phone on 13 25 23.

CROWS NEST AGRICULTURAL HORTICULTURAL & INDUSTRIAL SOCIETY INC. ("the Show Society")

NAME OF EVENT: CROWS NEST ANNUAL SHOW

DATES/DURATION OF EVENT: SATURDAY, 9TH MAY 2026

Horse Event Participant – Waiver, Release and Acknowledgement Form

In this Waiver, Release and Acknowledgement Form "the Show Society" means and includes all affiliated entities; servants or agents of the Show Society, all employees of the Show Society, all members of the Show Society and all volunteers of the Show Society and/or all affiliated entities.

By participating in the Event:

- I acknowledge that it is a condition of participating in the Event that I do so at my own risk. I accept all risks and release the Show Society from all claims, demands and proceedings arising out of or connected with my participation in the Event and indemnify them against all liability for any injury, loss or damage arising out of or connected with my participation in the Event. This release continues forever and binds all of my heirs, successors, executors, personal representatives and assigns.
- I acknowledge that it is a condition of participating in the Event that the Show Society and any person or body directly or indirectly associated with the Event are absolved from all liability arising for injury or damage to myself or my property howsoever caused arising out of my participation in the Event whatsoever whether due to any negligent act, breach of duty, default and/or omission on the part of the Show Society and any person or body directly or indirectly associated with the Event, or otherwise.
- I acknowledge that participating in the Event may involve a risk of serious injury or even death. I accept all risks necessarily flowing from participating in the Event.
- I acknowledge that the Show Society relies on the information provided by me and state that all such information is accurate and complete.
- I warrant that I am physically fit to participate in the Event and that I have not been advised otherwise by a qualified medical practitioner. I acknowledge that I must disclose any pre-existing medical or other condition that may affect the risk that either myself, or any other person will suffer injury, loss or damage.
- I consent to receiving any medical treatment including ambulance transportation that the Show Society and any person or body directly associated with the Event think desirable as required during the event.
- I acknowledge that it is a condition of participating in the Event that I follow the instructions of the Show Society and any person or body directly or indirectly associated with the Event at all times. I indemnify and keep indemnified the Show Society and any person or body directly or indirectly associated with the Event from all claims, demands and proceedings arising out of or connected with a failure by me to comply with rules and/or directions given to me by the Show Society and any person or body directly or indirectly associated with the Event.
- I declare that the horse/s in my care for the purposes of the Event have been in good health and not shown signs of any respiratory or other disease for at least five (5) days prior to the Event. I authorize any official connected with the Event to call for veterinary inspection of the horse/s in my care should they show signs of any respiratory illness and I agree to pay any fees associated with that veterinary inspection.
- I declare that all horse equipment (tack, bridles, buckets and any other articles that have come into contact with equines) and the horse transport vehicle have been cleaned and disinfected before leaving the property of origin to come to this event.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Print name in full: _____ **Phone:** _____

Address: _____ **Email:** _____

DECLARATION OF MINORS - UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE

If you are under the age of 18 years on the Event Day your parent or guardian must sign this declaration.

I certify that I am the parent/guardian of _____ who will be _____ years of age on the day of the Event and that he/she has trained for and has my consent to participate in the Event. I testify that I have read the above and acknowledge acceptance of the stated conditions on behalf of the minor specified above.

In consideration of the facilities provided to us, I myself, my executors, administrators and assigns and for the child/children/under age person/s (if applicable) absolutely release and discharge the Show Society and any person directly or indirectly associated with the Event from all claims, demands and proceedings arising out of or connected with participation in the Event that I or the child/children/under age person/s may suffer or sustain.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ **Date:** _____

Print name in full: _____

I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ THIS FORM OR THAT IT HAS BEEN EXPLAINED TO ME. I FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS AND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT. I HAVE SIGNED THE DOCUMENTS FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT MADE TO ME AND INTEND MY SIGNATURE TO BE A COMPLETE AND UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE OF ALL LIABILITY TO THE GREATEST EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW.



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Biosecurity Horse Health Declaration/Movement Record

Name of Event/Activity: _____ Date: _____

OWNER OR PERSON IN CHARGE OF HORSE/S					
FULL NAME:					
HOME ADDRESS:					
POSTAL ADDRESS:					
EMAIL:					
PHONE:		MOBILE:			
PROPERTY OF ORIGIN OF HORSE/S					
FULL ADDRESS: (if different to above)					
PIC NUMBER: (Property Identification Code)					
Event PIC NUMBER: (Property Identification Code)					
Destination PIC NUMBER: (Property Identification Code)					
If not returning to original PIC nominated above					
DETAILS OF ALL HORSES BEING BROUGHT ONTO THE GROUNDS (USE ADDITIONAL SHEETS AS REQUIRED)					
CLASS NO.	REGISTERED NAME	SEX	MICROCHIP/BRAND	CURRENT HVV Yes/No	ENTRY FEE \$
ENTRY FEES MUST ACCOMPANY THIS FORM. ENCLOSED TOTAL: \$					
Are horses being stabled overnight at this event? YES NO					

Declaration by owner or person in charge of horse/s attending:

I, _____ declare that the horse/s named above has/have been in good health, eating normally and not shown signs of illness during the last 3 days leading up to this event. I give my authorisation for the Event Organising Committee/Manager to call for veterinary inspection of the horse/s named above and in my care should they be showing signs of illness at any time during the course of the event. I agree to pay any veterinary fees incurred for the above mentioned horses as a result of this veterinary examination.

I AGREE TO ENSURE THAT PRIOR TO ARRIVAL:

- All horses will be shampooed, rinsed and allowed to dry, and their hooves will have been picked clean of all solid material and washed with shampoo.
- All vehicles and equipment accompanying the animals will be cleaned to remove all solid material that could contain disease agents, and then disinfected.

IF FURTHER DECLARE THAT:

- The information contained in this Biosecurity Declaration and Movement Record is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.
- I agree to abide by all conditions that may be imposed at any time by the Event Organising Committee/Manager. I also agree to abide by and accept the regulations as printed in the schedule and make these entries subject to such regulations and rules of the committee.
- I acknowledge that decontamination and disinfection procedures may be required of me if instructed by the Event Organising Committee/Manager.
- All horses described above are free of cattle ticks before entering the event.
- I acknowledge that there is a possibility that horses might become infected with disease agents as a result of any movements and if necessary animals and premises will be placed on a restricted list in accordance with any legislation covering such occurrences including policies and procedures in effect at that time. I agree and acknowledge that the Manager/Event Organising Committee, it's State or National Affiliated bodies and their members are not in any way liable for any cost, expense, loss, damage, claim, action, proceeding or other liability incurred by or made against me as a result of any movement of horses to the Event/Farm.

PLEASE COMPLETE THE CATTLE TICK RISK MINIMISATION REQUIREMENTS

State the cattle tick risk minimisation requirements that have been met for horse/s entering the Event/Activity

Horse/s are (Select One)	<input type="checkbox"/> From Cattle Tick Free Area of Queensland or from interstate
	<input type="checkbox"/> From Cattle Tick Infested Area of Queensland or from Infested Land and the Horse/s has been manually inspected and is tick free <input type="checkbox"/> No cattle, deer, bison and buffalo on the property of origin, or <input type="checkbox"/> Cattle, deer, bison and buffalo on the property of origin but horse/s isolated from other animals.
	<input type="checkbox"/> From Cattle Tick Infested Area of Queensland or from Infested Land and the Horse/s has been manually inspected and is tick free and have received a Chemical treatment Treatment: _____ Method of Treatment: _____ (Spray) Date: _____
	<input type="checkbox"/> From Cattle Tick Infested Area of Queensland or from Infested Land and the Horse/s is stable and groomed and must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be led and tractable • Be manageable • Have been groomed regularly (daily) for a period of 35 days • At all times, be kept a minimum of 10 metres from the nearest cattle, deer, bison and buffalo.

Signature

Date

NOTE: It is recommended to keep a copy of this form by the owner or person in charge of horse/s and event committee for a minimum of 5 years.

UTILITY PATTEN U1

Pattern same for both Encouragement (rider has not won 1st place in an Open Class) and open classes. Open to all age groups.

Class 20013 Under 13 yrs

Prizes: 1st \$50, 2nd \$30, 3rd \$20

Class 20014 13 yrs & under 18 yrs

Prizes: 1st \$100, 2nd \$80, 3rd \$50

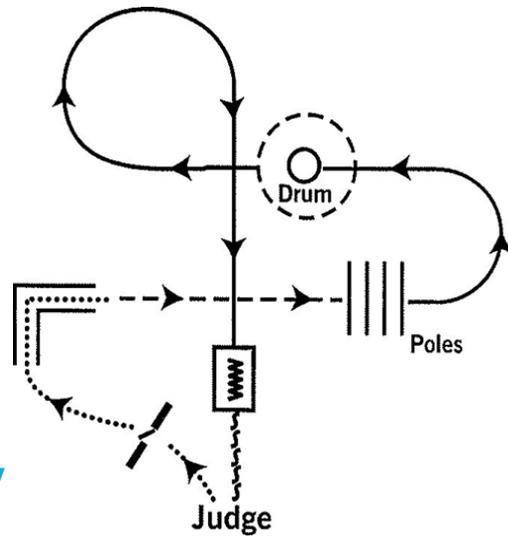
Class 20015 18 yrs & Over Encouragement

Prizes: 1st 100, 2nd \$80, 3rd \$50

Class 20016 18 yrs & Over Open

Prizes: 1st \$150, 2nd \$100, 3rd \$70

Sponsor: @REALTY



Instructions

1. Walk to gate and pass through the gate, keeping hands on gates at all times.
2. Walk onto L shaped poles and walk through.
3. Trot to and over 4 poles on the ground.
4. Canter left lead ½ circle to drum and pick up coat.
5. Trot around drum and replace coat on drum and canter circle to the right and straight to square
6. Stop in square and Rein back 3 steps.
Walk back to Judge on loose rein.
7. Type, Presentation and Overall Impression.

Possible points

10x2 (20)

10

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10x2 (20)

10x2 (20)

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Allocated points

TOTAL

WORKING PATTERN – W11

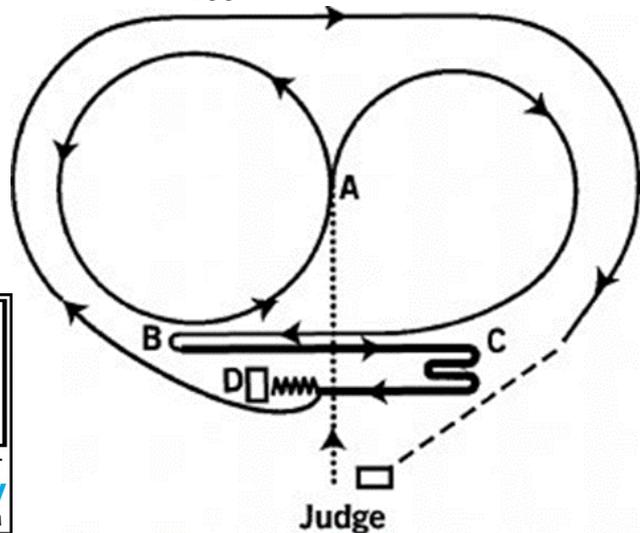
Horse and Rider never won an open

Class 20017 13 yrs & under 18yrs

Class 20018 18 yrs & Over Encouragement

Prizes: 1st \$100, 2nd \$80, 3rd \$50

Sponsor: @REALTY



Possible points

10

10

10

10 x 2 (20)

10 x 2 (20)

10

10

10

100

Allocated points

Instructions

1. Walk out to A cracking whip.
2. Canter circle left.
3. At a simple change.
4. Canter three quarter circle to right and Continue on to B. At B stop and roll back left.
5. Hand gallop to C and do 2 quick haunch turns in either direction (as if working beast).
6. Hand gallop to D, stop settle and rein back 4m.
7. From D canter on light rein around area to C. Trot back to Judge and stop.
8. Type, Presentation and Overall Impression.

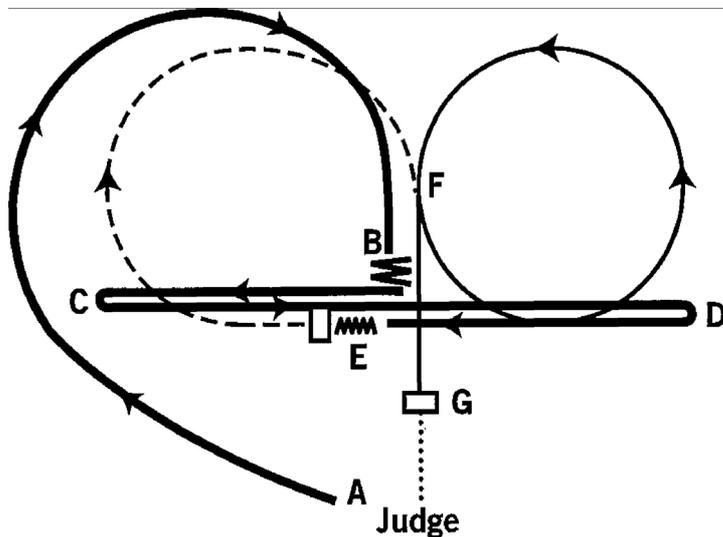
TOTAL

WORKING PATTERN – W12

Class 20019 18 yrs & Over Open

Prizes: 1st \$150, 2nd \$100, 3rd \$70

Sponsor: @REALTY



Instructions

1. From a gallop around to B in a large loop right.
2. At B work imaginary beast 4 turns.
3. Gallop to C, haunch turn left.
4. Gallop to D, haunch turn right.
5. At E stop, settle and rein back 5 metres.
6. From E trot right loop to F. At F canter circle left and continue on to G.
7. At G stop and walk to Judge on light rein, cracking whip.
8. Type, Presentation & Overall Impression.

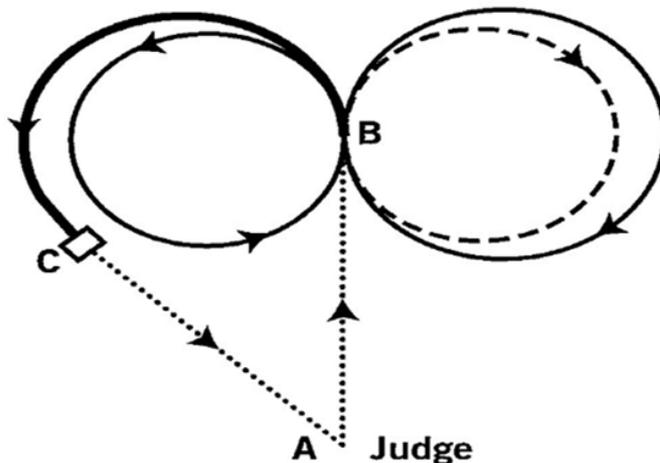
Possible points	Allocated points
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10 x 2 (20)	
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TOTAL	100

HACK PATTERN – H1

Class 20020 Under 13 yrs

Prizes: 1st \$50, 2nd \$30, 3rd \$20

Sponsor: @REALTY



Instructions

1. Walk from A to B
2. Trot circle back to B
3. Canter circle left
4. At B change lead (select simple or flying change)
5. Canter circle right
6. At B change lead (alternate style to point 5)
7. Hand gallop part circle left to C
8. At C halt facing Judge and settle
9. Walk back to Judge on a light rein
10. Type, Presentation & Overall Impression

Possible points	Allocated points
10	
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TOTAL	100