

Clarendon September Event

Training Day – Friday, 10th September
Competition Saturday & Sunday 11th & 12th Sept
Entries Open 1st August 8am
Entries Close 27th August 2021

Dressage NSW Arenas – Hawkesbury Showground Clarendon

Saturday 11 th September
Official Competitive
Preliminary 1B
Preliminary 1C
Novice 2A
Novice 2B
Elementary 3A
Elementary 3B
Advanced 5A
Advanced 5B
Inter A
Inter II
PE Test of Choice

Sunday 12 th September
Official Competitive
Preliminary 1A
Preliminary 1B
Novice 2B
Novice 2C
Medium 4A
Medium 4B
Inter 1
Prix St George
Inter B
Grand Prix
Participant Participant
Prep D
Prep E

TRAINING DAY NOTICE – Hawkesbury Showground are undertaking a rebuild of the old stables. The Stables in operation will be indicated on the Stable booking sheet.

Entry Information

- ✓ Enter online: www.nominate.com.au
- ✓ There are three events listed on Nominate
 - The two-day competition
 - The training day
 - Stabling
- ✓ DNSW will only accept on-line entries for Clarendon events. Competitors in regional areas who have problems connecting with the website due to poor reception in their area please contact Vireena Peacock 0409 243 273
- ✓ Pony entries accepted. Please note on entry form if your horse is a pony
- ✓ AOR entries accepted. Please note on entry form if you wish to ride AOR. More information regarding the amateur/owner rider division can be found on the web site. www.dressagensw.com.au
- ✓ Camping & Stabling: Please book your camping and stabling with your entries. These will be allocated as entries are received.
- ✓ Camping: If you wish to camp at the Hawkesbury Showground when you book and PAY with your entries using Nominate you will receive a camping receipt which must be displayed on your dashboard. If this is not done you will be invoiced for the camping fees.
- ✓ Entry fees are
 - \$65 per test (\$15 discount applies for DNSW members)
 - \$30 for training sessions (\$10 discount applies for DNSW members)
- ✓ EA and DNSW memberships will be confirmed prior to the draw being published you will be contacted if your membership is not valid and asked to confirm.
- Ribbons awarded in Official Competitive Competitions as per normal Clarendon conditions of Entry.

Dressage NSW - Clarendon Events - Conditions of Entry

This event will be held in accordance with current 2021 EA National Dressage Rules and any subsequent amendments. The onus is on the competitor to know the rules. The conditions below are relevant for competitions held by DNSW at Clarendon.

1. Competitions:

- a) Official Competitor competitions: Open to all EA Competitor members. Official competitions attract grading points.
- b) Official Participant competitions: Open EA Participant or Competitor members. Participant competitions do not attract grading points.
- c) Other Closed Restricted or Closed Un-restricted competitions, as described in the schedule for the event.
- 2. Horses/ponies EA registration:
- a. Official Competitive competitions are open to horses or ponies with EA full horse registration. Please indicate on the entry form if your horse is a pony.

- b. Official Participant competitions are open to horses/ponies and EA horse registration is not compulsory but encouraged for Participant competitions.
- c. Closed events: EA horse registration is not compulsory but encouraged.
- 3. Competitions are open to riders aged 10 year on horses and 8 years on ponies.
- 4. After close of entries a rider may be changed if notified in writing to the OC no later than 40 minutes prior to the start of competition, proof of EA membership, e.g. membership card must be provided. A rider of a horse may not be changed if another rider has ridden the horse on the day, either in warm-up or in a competition. Competitors may only substitute a horse with the approval of the OC and no later than 48 hours before start of the event. The draw position cannot be changed without the permission of the Organising Committee. One rider per horse for the entire event.
- 5. HORS CONCOURS (Non competitive): Riders wishing to ride HC/NC must declare their intention in writing before the start of competition (test).
- 6. Riders or owners who have an outstanding debt with DNSW will not be permitted to enter a horse or compete in any event run by DNSW until that debt has been settled.
- 7. Entries are taken on a first in basis. Telephone entries will not be accepted. Late entries may be accepted but will be placed on a reserve list
- 8. Grading and eligibility to compete at FEI level: As per current EA rules.
- 9. In the case of oversubscription, entries may be limited and a max. of two horses per rider will apply. The event is open to all EA members. DNSW members will be given preference if oversubscribed. Only one rider may ride a horse at the event.
- 10. Bridle & EA numbers must be shown on entry form. If awaiting issue of either please indicates on entry. Bridle numbers (2) one on either side of the horse, must be clearly displayed so that the judge can identify the rider when riding in front of the judges' vehicle. Official tests: Riders are not required to stop at the judge's car.
- 11. Scratchings will be accepted up to the closing date.
- 12. Refunds as per EA rules. In the event of cancelled events, \$10 (per test) will be retained to cover administration expenses.
- 13. Veterinary checks: Random swabbing may take place. If approached by Official Steward/ Vet Officer of the day, competitors/person responsible for horses must allow samples to be taken from their horses for drug tests.
- 14. Registration and Performance Cards must be available on the day of competition.
- 15. Ribbons awarded in Official Competitive Competitions as per normal Clarendon conditions of Entry. Competitions may be split into divisions (Amateur, Open and Pony) if entries warrant. For competitions that are not split, AOR & Pony riders will be identified on the draw and results.
- 16. Prizes-Ribbons: Unless otherwise stated in the schedule for each event:

Up to 5 horses: Ribbons to 3rd place

Over 5 horses: Ribbons to 6th place.

17. Stabling: Stables are available on the showgrounds. DNSW accepts no responsibility for the condition or state of repair of the stables. Stables

must be booked on-line through HDAA via Nominate. A fee will apply.

- 18. Camping: Available on the grounds. Bookings to be made and paid for in advance with Dressage NSW. Campers who stay on the grounds and do not book may find their entries refused for future events.
- 19. Gear Check all competitors must present to the Gear Steward. Failure to do so will incur elimination.
- 20. Warm up arenas and lunging arenas: Refer website for a layout of the grounds. 2
- 21. Dogs must be on a leash, dogs, children, prams etc are not allowed in the competition and practice areas or the stables. Dogs should not be left tied to vehicles, trees or other areas unless supervised. Dangerous dogs and yapping dogs (big and small) have no place at horse events and owners should consider others when taking their dogs to events as not all people or horses like dogs.
- 22. Conditions for Riding Attire & Hats. As per EA Rules

Headgear:

- a. Helmets must comply with the new safety standards. Refer EA Regs or EA Dressage rules.
- b. Safety approved helmets mandatory for all levels from 1 Jan 2017.
- 23. Video Cameras and equipment must be kept at least 10 metres from the arena, preferably at the A end of arena.
- 24. No temporary yards/fences made substantially of electrical fencing/rope or similar material is to be used to construct yards/fences in float or car park/camping areas.
- 25. Any power or authority vested in the committee by these conditions of entry may be exercised by the Official of the Day or, with the concurrence of that person, any member of the committee. The "Official of the Day" is the person from time to time nominated by the committee as such. Any rider who fails to comply with these conditions of entry, or a direction of a member of the committee, may be eliminated.
- 26. Spectators and visitors are welcome at all times.
- 27. Notice to all competitors: The welfare of the horse is paramount.

If at any time it appears to a member of the Committee of DNSW that a horse may for any reason require veterinary attention, and

- (a) the rider, or other person apparently in charge of that horse, is not immediately available to attend to that horse's welfare, or
- (b) such rider or other person declines to adequately attend to that horse's welfare, the member of the Committee is authorised to call in veterinary assistance for the horse, and the veterinarian attending is authorised to administer to the horse such treatment (including euthanasia) as the veterinarian considers appropriate in the circumstances. The rider of the horse is responsible for and must meet the cost of such veterinary treatment. A rider who does not meet that cost will not be permitted to enter any future competition conducted by DNSW."

- 28. Riders and owners of competing horses and other people associated with them must, under penalty of elimination, obey any order or direction given to them by any responsible official (judges, official of the day, committee members, gear steward) and they must, in particular, be careful not to do anything liable to upset or hinder the undisturbed progress of the competition.
- 29. Competitors please note: Only horses that are entered for the competition are permitted on the grounds during the event. Riders competing on Sunday are allowed to bring their horses to the grounds on Saturday. Reserve listed horses/riders may attend on the day/s entered for the competition.

30. Stallion Safe Guidelines

DNSW supports stallion safe guidelines adopted by EA. If you see a horse with a "Green" disc on the saddlecloth or bridle then this indicates the horse is a Stallion. Floats and Trucks transporting stallions also feature a Green disc.

Stallion owners are well aware of taking necessary precautions with Stallions. Other owners/riders and others however are not so mindful.

If you see a green dot on a horse, float or truck, disregard the normal convention of "Green means Go" and take care not to park too close or to provoke Stallions in any way.

More information on the Stallion Safe Guidelines can be found on the EA and DNSW websites.

31. Property Identification Codes

Property Identification Codes (PIC) numbers are required for all events from September 2012. Please note your PIC on the entry form.

Risk Warning and Disclaimer

- 1. Horse riding is a dangerous activity and can result in serious injury (including death) and loss.
- 2. All persons who ride, or tend, a horse on these grounds do so entirely at their own risk.
- 3. Neither the Equestrian Australia, Dressage NSW, nor the Committee or any member thereof, accepts any liability for any personal injury (including death) suffered by any person from or relating to any incident involving a horse.