

WAAHA INC.

2021 UNOFFICIAL DRESSAGE GALA

Prep to Advanced tests

Classes open to all horses, ponies and riders

International Arena

State Equestrian Centre Brigadoon

6th November 2021

CHAMPIONSHIP RUGS

High % Awards

Entries close - 29th October 2021

or when tests are full (only 60 tests available)

Inquiries to -

treasurer@waaha.com.au

Rules and Conditions of Entry

ASSOCIATION LIABILITY - The Western Australian Arabian Horse Association Inc (WAAHA) or any of its Agents, shall not be liable for any financial loss or damage, physical injury or property damage suffered by any person by reason of any defect, accident, negligence or neglect however arising.

Entry to this event is done with your knowledge Covid-19 is still active in Australia and neither the Affiliate, AHSA or the Committee will be held liable for any Covid-19 related incident that may occur as a result of participation. All current government restriction in place at the time of this event will be adhered to.

EVENT RULES - This event is run under the current EA Dressage Rules.

<https://www.equestrian.org.au/Dressage-rules>

SEC RULES - Any persons entering the stable area does so at their own risk and AHSA, EWA, SEC and WAAHA will not be held liable for any injury which may occur to riders, horses and general public.

GROUND FEES - Are compulsory for all exhibitors who are not current EWA / SEC members and must be paid with the entry. Proof of current EWA/SEC membership to be supplied with entry if not paying a ground fee.

The EWA Levy is applicable to all horses entered and must be paid with entry fees.

STABLES – Are to be booked directly through the SEC. <https://www.wa.equestrian.org.au/sec/make-booking>

DAY MEMBERSHIP – For insurance purposes;

Any exhibitor entering this event who is not a member of AHSA or WAAHA must complete and return the Day Membership form and pay the associated fee to be eligible to compete (Form attached)

PROFESSIONAL HANDLERS / RIDERS - Any person attending the event in the in their capacity as a “professional” (earning money/receiving remuneration to show) who is not a current member of AHSA are required to provide proof of Public/Personal Liability Insurance. WAAHA Membership and Day Membership DOES NOT provide insurance cover for people attending the event who are deemed “professionals” and receiving payment for their services.

WAAHA MEMBERS DISCOUNT - Only current 2021 Junior, General, Family/Joint and Life members of the WAAHA Inc. are eligible to receive a discount on their entry of \$10 per test entered. Entrants can pay a half annual membership with their entry to receive the members discount. (Membership form attached)

ENTRIES – Entries can be submitted via post or via email and must be accompanied by the correct payment or proof of payment, and any supporting documents.

- The WAAHA Inc Committee reserves the right to conditionally refuse, cancel or accept any entry.
- No refund or credit of entries will be made after the closing date of entries except in the case of an exhibitor being required, by law, to self-isolate or be in quarantine due to COVID-19 risk or exposure. A refund will be provided upon proof of such legal requirement.
- Incorrect and/or incomplete entries that have not been finalised by close of entries will incur an additional \$50 penalty fee.

EVENT 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, combine or divide any event or class.
- d) Alter the time at which any class or event is to take place.
- e) Order the removal of any exhibit from the Show grounds.
- f) Transfer an exhibit from any class to any other class.
- g) Act upon any report of cruelty to any exhibit on the Showground. Clauses b) and e) above may be invoked.
- h) Enforce the exclusion of any exhibit which has been excused from any class upon the direction of a Judge.

HELPER FEES AND DUTIES – A helper fee of \$10 per test will be payable by all entrants.

Paid helper duties will be available on a first come basis. A link to the helper duties will be sent out with the draw no later than the Wednesday prior to the event. People completing helper duties will be paid \$20 per hour and can collect their payment from the event desk at the completion of their helper duty.

CONDUCT - Competitors and their team shall at all times behave in a proper and respectful manner to Judges, Show officials and their fellow competitors. Any exhibitor or team member whose conduct is considered to be ill-mannered, aggressive or unsportsmanlike during the judging of an event or anywhere on the grounds may be issued a warning and subsequently dismissed from the class or disqualified from the event and may result in disciplinary action by the Society.

PROTESTS - Protests/Complaints must be lodged in writing.

The following persons may lodge a protest/complaint - Competitors or Exhibitors in the disputed Class.

The protest/complaint must be lodged within ONE HOUR of the scores being posted.

Protests/Complaints must be accompanied by \$100 which shall be refundable if the Protest/Complaint is upheld.

A contestant competing for a High Point Award at any Show may protest/complain about a class which counts towards this award even though the contestant is not a competitor in the class.

SWABBING - Any exhibit may be swabbed for prohibited substances.

BRIDLE NUMBERS – All horses and ponies are required to wear a number whilst competing. If you horse does not have a bridle number allocated by EWA, the event organizers will allocate you one. The number must be displayed on both sides of the horse when competing. It is the exhibitors responsibility to provide bridle number holders.

APPROVED SAFETY HELMET - Approved safety helmets are required to be worn by the rider at ALL times while mounted.

ELIGIBILITY – Official horse are not to compete below their official EA Dressage Grading level. Horses are only to compete in 2 consecutive levels and a maximum of 3 tests. If a horse is competing in one test twice, the first test score will be used to calculate any awards / championships. The second test will be HC only.

LAMENESS - Horses exhibiting any sign of serious lameness in the opinion of the Judge and/or the WAAHA committee will be excused from the event and take no further part in competition for the remainder of the day. THIS IS AN ANIMAL WELFARE ISSUE. Whip and/or Spur abuse of any kind will not be tolerated.

CHAMPIONSHIP AWARDS – Championship Awards will be awarded as follows

Prep to Novice Championship (Horses competing in Preliminary and Novice classes will be eligible for the Prep to Novice Championship)

Elementary to Advanced Championship (Horses competing in Novice and Elementary tests will be eligible for the Elementary to Advanced Championship)

Horses must compete in 2 consecutive level tests to be eligible. The horse with the highest combined score from it's 2 tests will be deemed the Champion. In the event of a draw, the horse receiving the highest score in the higher level test will be deemed the winner.

HIGH % AWARDS – High % awards will be awarded to the Arabian, Arabian Derivative horse who score the highest % in any test throughout the day. To be eligible, proof of horse registration must be provided. The rider does not need to be the registered owner of the horse to be eligible. In the event of a draw, the horse receiving the highest score in the higher level test will be deemed the winner.

WAAHA MEMBER HIGH % AWARD – A High % Award will be awarded to the WAAHA Member who scores the highest % in any test throughout the day. To be eligible, the rider must be a current financial member of WAAHA Inc. In the event of a draw, the horse receiving the highest score in the higher level test will be deemed the winner.

Entry Form

Please complete one per rider:

Rider: _____ DOB(if under 18yrs): _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

AHSA Member # _____ WAAHA Member # _____ EWA Member # _____

**** Please include a copy / proof of membership ****

Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____

Horse 1: _____ EA Bridle #: _____

Registered Arabian Yes / No (if Yes – Registration number _____)

Registered Arabian Derivative Yes / No (If Yes – Registration number _____) Tests Entered

(Prelim to Advanced are "A" tests)

Prep C ☐ Prelim ☐ Novice ☐ Elementary ☐ Medium ☐ Advanced ☐

Horse 2: _____ EA Bridle #: _____

Registered Arabian Yes / No (if Yes – Registration number _____)

Registered Arabian Derivative Yes / No (If Yes – Registration number _____) Tests Entered

(Prelim to Advanced are "A" tests)

Prep C ☐ Prelim ☐ Novice ☐ Elementary ☐ Medium ☐ Advanced ☐

(Please complete extra entry form if riding more than 2 horses)

Fees		
Fee per test	\$30	
Helper fee per test	\$10	
Day Membership Compulsory for non-members of AHSA or WAAHA Must complete attached Day Membership Application AND Release and Waiver of Liability Form	\$11	
SEC Ground Fee Compulsory for non-members of EWA / SEC (per horse)	\$20	
SEC Levy (per horse)	\$7.50	
WAAHA Members Discount	- \$10 per test	
TOTAL FEE		

I hereby declare that the exhibits entered comply with all Conditions of Entry. I hereby certify the correctness of each Exhibit's particulars. I agree to abide by the Rules of the West Australian Arabian Horse Association Inc. (including the Rules for this show), the Arabian Horse Society of Australia Limited, and EWA. I also agree that I will not be recompensed for exhibits entered that are not shown, whatever the reason, and I will not seek a refund.

Signature _____ Date _____ (Guardian if under 18 years)

ENTRIES CLOSE 29th October 2021

Entries to be paid to WAAHA, BSB - 306 041, ACC – 4198 099

REF – your surname & Dressage

Email entries to: treasurer@waaha.com.au

Or post entries to – 5 Pierre Bend, Ellenbrook WA 6069



West Australian Arabian Horse Association (Inc)

2021 Membership Application

☐**NEW MEMBERSHIP**☐**RENEWAL**☐**LIFE MEMBER**☐**Associate Member \$30** (E-Blast/Newsletter only)☐**Junior/General Member \$55**☐**Half Year Membership \$30** Valid from 1.8.21 only

Surname		First name	
Postal Address			
Best contact phone number		Junior DOB: (include copy of birth certificate)	
Email Address (please print clearly)			
2020 AHSA membership number		WAAHA membership number (if known)	

☐**Family/Joint Member \$55** (Voting member) + \$10 for each other member listed☐**Half Year Membership \$30** From 1.8.21 only

Consist of Adults, and/or their children. Joint membership shall consist of owners of registered horses in joint names. There is one voting member per membership. Please list family/joint members/owner details below.
Please complete details for any more members on the back of this page:

Membership Name				WAAHA membership: (if known)
Postal Address (of voting member)				
Members	Voting Member 1	Member 2	Member 3	
Full Name				
Contact phone number				
Facebook name (For WAAHA members page)				
2020 AHSA Membership Number				
Email address (please print clearly)				
Junior DOB (include copy of BC)				

I/we _____, agree to abide by the Rules, Regulations and Constitution of the Western Australian Arabian Horse Association (Inc.)

Signature (Parent or Guardian if under 18yrs): _____

Method of Payment:

Direct Credit: Western Australian Arabian Horse Association Inc, BSB 306 041 Account 4198099

Bank Cheque/Money Order (made payable to): Western Australian Arabian Horse Association

Please complete & return by email to:- treasurer@waaha.com.au

Or Post to: 5 Pierre Bend, ELLENBROOK, WA 6069

Application for Day Membership

The Arabian Horse Society of Australia Ltd

TO BE COMPLETED BY PARTICIPANTS WHO ARE NOT CURRENT FINANCIAL MEMBERS OF THE AHSA OR MEMBERS OF AN AHSA AFFILIATE.

Participants in events organised by the AHSA, or an AHSA Affiliate, who are not current Financial Members of the AHSA or members of an AHSA Affiliate, upon completion of this form, and payment of the Day Member Entry Fee, are deemed to be "Day Members" of the undermentioned event only.

As part of the \$11.00 Day Member Entry Fee, \$20 million Personal Liability insurance is automatically provided to you, but only whilst participating in activities organised and / or run by the AHSA or an AHSA Affiliate at the undermentioned event. Cover will be afforded to you where you are liable for causing bodily injury or property damage to others, excluding whilst travelling to and from such event. A \$1,000 excess is payable by you in respect of each and every claim.

By completing this form, you agree to abide by the Rules and Conditions of the AHSA and any Rules of the event.

Full name of attendee (and guardian if under 18 years):

Date of birth:

Address:

State:

Postcode:

Horse's name:

Name of event / activity:

Address of event / activity:

State:

Postcode:

Date of event / activity:

Horse Sports are a Dangerous Activity

In consideration for being permitted to participate in any way in horse sport activities and in particular this event, I, the undersigned, understand, acknowledge and accept that:

Horse sports are a dangerous recreational activity and horses can act in a sudden and unpredictable (changeable) way, especially if frightened or hurt.

There is a significant risk that serious INJURY or DEATH may result from horse sport activities and in particular this event.

I knowingly and freely assume all such risks, both known and unknown, even if arising from the negligence of the proprietors of the AHSA or AHSA Affiliate and / or the event organiser (hereafter referred to as the "Releasees") or others and I voluntarily PARTICIPATE at my OWN RISK and assume sole responsibility for any injury, death or property damage I may suffer that arises from my participation in horse sport activities.





The Arabian Horse Society of Australia Ltd.

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Release and Waiver of Liability

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I understand and acknowledge the dangers associated with the consumption of alcohol or any mind altering drugs and agree not to drink alcohol or take drugs prohibited by law before or during any horse sports activities.

I agree to follow the directions of any event organiser or official and that any misconduct or refusal by me to follow any direction of any organiser or official can result in the CANCELLATION of my participation in the activities and my immediate removal from my horse NO MATTER where that may occur.

I agree to wear an approved helmet at all times whilst participating in the sport where this is required under the relevant AHSA rules and regulations.

I have had sufficient opportunity to read this Dangerous Activity Acknowledgement and fully understand its terms and submit it freely and voluntarily.

I have read and agree to the "Waiver of Liability" above.

FOR PARTICIPANTS OF MINORITY AGE (Under 18 Years)

This is to certify that I, as a parent/guardian with legal responsibility for this participant acknowledge, understand and accept the Waiver of Liability above and consent and agree to my minor child's involvement or participation in Horse sport activities.

☐ I Accept the Terms & Conditions

Signatory(ies) for Membership

Date

Membership Number