

# **IMPORTANT DATES**

Wednesday 30th April

2025 Memberships Close

Saturday 3rd May Showgirl and Rural Ambassador Afternoon Tea

Saturday 24th May Entries due for: Scarecrow Trail Patchwork and Quilting

Monday 26th May

Poultry & Caged Birds Nominations Due

Wednesday 28th May

Heaviest Pumpkin Nominations Due

Friday 30th May

Schoolwork Drop Off

**Entries drop of:** 

Saturday 31st May Woodwork
Photography
Art & Papercraft
Handiwork, Leather and Natural Fibres
Schoolwork
LEGO Creations
Hair Styling

Sunday 1st June

Agriculture and Heaviest Pumpkins
Plants
School Displays

**Entries drop of:** 

Monday 2nd June Entries drop of:
Agriculture
Cooking
Flowers & Foliage
Poultry & Caged Birds
Floral Art
School Displays

Tuesday 3rd June ENJOY THE SHOW - INCLUDES NIGHT ENTERTAINMENT & FIREWORKS

Wednesday 4th June ENJOY THE SHOW - PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Collect entries (see schedule for details)

Thursday 5th June

Collect entries (see schedule for details)





# Why become a member of the Emerald Show Society

- Support the promotion of food and fibre production to the community
- Enhance community spirit and knowledge of the agricultural industry
- Receive 1 free 2 day pass for the Emerald Show, including Monday night Launch Dinner
- Receive members discount for all other Emerald Show Society events
- Be in the draw to win one of two \$500 vouchers at the Show, one drawn each day- You do not need to be present to accept prize.
- The satisfaction that you are supporting the local Show Society to bring great events to the region.
- Attend Show meetings and have your say, have voting rights and receive all correspondence (optional)

# Rules, Regulations and Acceptance of Entries

The following rules, regulations & acceptance of entries apply to all sections/competitions where applicable.

- Entries are accepted subject to the General Rules of the Queensland Chamber of Agricultural Societies (QCAS) and to the Constitution and Rules of this Society in addition to any Special Regulations which appear within this schedule.
- Every care will be taken of exhibits, but the Society shall not be responsible for any loss or damage to exhibits while at the Show or in transit to and from the grounds.
- All entries close on the dates shown in each respective section.
- No exhibit can be removed before 4:00pm on Wednesday 4th June 2025 (or after the Major Prize Draw) without permission of the Stewards in charge of the section.
- All exhibits must be the actual property of the exhibitor in whose name they are entered. The actual breeder of livestock exhibits to be given where possible.
- Exhibits entered in the wrong class may be transferred to the proper class by the judge.
- Persons in charge of exhibits or sideshows must obey the orders of the Management Committee or Stewards or they may be fined or ejected from the grounds.
- No person except Stewards, Officials, Judges and handlers (if required) shall be permitted to remain in yards, rings or pavilions during judging on any pretence whatsoever.

- Some Sections will be judged Tuesday morning of the Show. These pavilions will be kept closed until Judging is completed.
- The judge may, at their discretion, refuse to award a prize where an exhibit is deemed by them to be not of sufficient merit.
- The judge's decision will be final and conclusive.
- Professional A professional is defined as someone who has qualifications in that field or is registered for GST.
- All prizes not claimed within thirty (30) days of closing date of Show will be considered to have lapsed and the amount will become a donation to the Society.
- All horses and other livestock, where practical, shall be paraded as directed by the Ring Steward.
   Exhibitors who do not comply may be fined at the discretion of the Stewards and any prizes won by their exhibits may be retained by the Society. The decision of the Ring Stewards to be final.
- Methods of counting points in trophies: Champion Awards will be counted three points as well as First Awards, Second Awards or Reserve Champion to count two points and Third Award to count one point. In the event of a tie for any place, the points awarded for the place and the next lower place shall be divided equally.
- The Emerald Showgrounds is a Glass Free venue, and the Show is a Glass Free Event.

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(For the conduct of competitions at QCAS af□iliated Queensland Agricultural Shows)

Subject to the Rules, By-Laws and Regulations of the Queensland Chamber of Agricultural Society's Inc. (QCAS) and the Society relevant to this schedule, the following General Regulations shall apply. Where there is a conllict between these regulations and the regulations and rules of the local Agricultural Society, the rules of the Afiliated Agricultural Society prevail.

#### 1. GENERAL REGULATIONS AND ACCEPTANCE OF ENTRIES

- 1.1 All affiliated Queensland agricultural shows are conducted subject to the rules of the Queensland Chamber of Agricultural Societies Inc, the constitution and rules of this Society, and any other special regulations which appear within the schedule.
- 1.2 Affiliated agricultural societies may, as required, supplement these regulations with their own special regulations ensuring they are consistent with Queensland Ag Shows Regulations..
- 1.3 The attention of Exhibitors is drawn to the fact that entries are accepted subject to the Rules, By-Laws and Regulations of Queensland Ag Shows and the society relevant to this schedule, in addition to any special regulations which appear in this schedule. Copies of the Rules and By-Laws may be obtained from the Queensland Ag Shows website www.queenslandshows.com.au/competitions/young-judges□paraders/ or the show society relevant to this schedule.
- 1.4 No refunds will be made after closing of entry.1.5 In the case of insufficient numbers being nominated or shown in any class, the society retains the right to suspend

classes at any time.

- 1.6 The section Chief Steward retains the right to reduce prize money where classes are not sufficiently patronized.
- 1.7 Any competitor who receives any physical or electronic communication aid during the judging of an event on an affiliated Society's Showground, will have all nominations cancelled. The persons concerned may be asked to leave the Showground.
- 1.8 Any persons causing a nuisance by loud comments at the decision of the judges or otherwise unseemly behavior will, after being cautioned, be expelled from the Judging Area and in the case of exhibitors, be liable for disqualification.
- 1.9 All Judges and Stewards who accept engagements with Queensland Ag Shows and Show Societies must follow the rules set in the Code of Practice and Conduct Show Judges and Stewards document. The Code of Practice and Conduct document may be obtained from the Queensland Ag Shows

www.queenslandshows.com.au/competitions/young judges-paraders/ or the show society relevant to this schedule.

1.10 All Employees - full time, part time, casual, permanent, Independent Contractors, Volunteers, Trainees and Work Experience Placements representing Queensland Ag Shows must abide by The Handbook. The Handbook has been established to provide employees, contractors and volunteers with all relevant information regarding Queensland Ag Shows code of conduct and key workplace policies & procedures. The Handbook document may be obtained from the Queensland Ag Shows website www.queenslandshows.com.au/resources

1.11 These By-Laws and Regulations, together with Special

Regulations and notes as set forth in the respective sections of the Competition Schedules or Catalogues, are to be the conditions of competition. In these By-Laws, the Regulations, the Special Regulations and notes the words "entry form"

shall, unless the context otherwise indicates or requires, mean the form supplied by the Show to persons desiring to apply to enter an Exhibit in any of the Show's competitions or to compete in any event which those persons are required to complete and lodge with the Show in order to apply to do so. 1.12 Subject to this By-Law and to any Regulation, Special Regulation or Condition of Entry in any section or class. (a) An Exhibit must be the bona fide property of the person who enters the Exhibit. (b) If the Ownership of an Exhibit shall be changed before judging day or the final judging day in the class:- (i) The original Exhibitor/Competitor may with the consent in writing of the new Owner exhibit that entry and delivery or payment to him of any trophy, prize or moneys won by or payable in respect of the Exhibit shall be a complete discharge to the Show, or (ii) The new Owner of the Exhibit by notice in writing to the Chief Steward may confirm the entry in his name and upon so doing shall for all purposes of the competition become the Exhibitor/Competitor. 1.13 In any class in which entries are accepted from a club or other groups of Owners, the name of the club or particulars sufficient to identify the group shall be stated on the Entry Form together with a statement of the name and address of a person who is authorised to act on behalf of the club or group in relation to all matters relating to the entry. The Show shall be entitled to deal with the person so authorised as if he were the sole Owner of the Exhibit and delivery or payment to that person or the club or group by whom such person is authorised to act of any trophy prize or moneys won by or payable in respect of the Exhibit shall be a complete discharge to the Show.

- 1.14 Exhibits entered in the wrong class by the Exhibitor/Competitor may be transferred to the proper class by the Chief Stewards.
- 1.15 For all classes including Livestock Sections, in which the age of the Exhibit is a condition of the competition (unless otherwise specified), the Exhibitor/Competitor shall comply with the age requirements of the Section.
- 1.16 The Management Committee thus appointed in its absolute discretion and without assigning any reason therefore: (a) may reject any entry or entries in any section; (b) may cancel any entry or entries already accepted in any section. (c) without prejudice to the foregoing may require any Exhibitor/Competitor to furnish it with such information or certificates as it may see fit; (d) The Management Committee if it so rejected or cancelled any entry may at its absolute discretion refund the Entry Fee paid in respect of such entry so rejected or cancelled.
- 1.17 All applications for entry must be: (a) completed in writing on the approved Entry Forms. (b) All questions on the spaces for information on the form relevant to the Exhibit must be answered or completed in detail and the form must be signed by the Exhibitor/Competitor or his agent; (c) The Entry Form, accompanied by the entry fee set out in the relevant schedule, must be on or before the closing date for entries.

1.18 Exhibitors/Competitors must fully comply with all lawful directions and requests. 1.19 Any uncollected item must be removed from the Show precinct within with in time allocated in that section otherwise it will be forfeit. 1.20 Definition of a professional is someone that holds qualifications in that field or is registered for GST

#### 2. JUDGING

- 2.1 Judging will be performed by a Judge or panel of Judges appointed by the Society.
- 2.2 In the event of the Judge deciding that the exhibits in any Class are not worthy of a prize, no prize will be awarded.
- 2.3 A Judge shall not adjudicate at more than one show within 30 days within a Sub-Chamber unless judging different sections. This rule applies to all affiliated agricultural show sections.
- 2.4 In all affiliated Agricultural Show sections, Judges should not judge the same section within a two (2) year period at the same show unless authorized by the Show Committee.
- 2.5 Judging cards and performance records shall be completed by the committee person in charge, Chief Steward and/or the Judge of a section (if required) during or immediately after the judging of the section or at the Judge's convenience.
- 2.6 If a Judge is unable to fulfil a judging commitment, the Judge shall notify the Society as soon as possible so a replacement can be arranged.
- 2.7 A Judge shall not send a substitute Judge but may nominate a replacement judge to the society. All invitations to judge shall be sent by the affiliated Society.
- 2.8 A Judge may not officiate and compete or exhibit in the same section at the same show unless exceptional circumstances exist such as sickness or unavailability of the appointed Judge.
- 2.9 A Steward assisting the Judge in a particular section shall remove him/herself from the section if within a period of six (6) months prior to or during the show he/she or any member of their immediate family, business partners, or employee has owned, leased, bred, trained or schooled an animal or competitor exhibiting in any class in that section.
- 2.10 An Exhibitor shall not compete in a section if the Exhibitor is a member of the Judge's immediate family.
- 2.11 No Exhibitors shall deface or alter registration papers or performance cards for any exhibit.
- 2.12 A Judge or Steward must not knowingly permit an ineligible Exhibit or Exhibitor to compete.
- 2.13 No Exhibitor or members of the Exhibitor's immediate family or employed by the Exhibitor shall approach a Judge with regard to a decision made by the Judge unless they first obtain permission from the Committee person in charge or Steward of the Section.
- 2.14 An Exhibitor shall not compete if the Exhibitor or any animal being shown by the Exhibitor has been given tuition by the Judge or the Judge's business partner within ONE (1) month prior to or during the Show.
- 2.15 An Exhibitor is ineligible to compete, if the Exhibitor has employed or has been employed by or has been a business partner of the Judge of the Section within three (3) months prior to or during the holding of the Show.
- 2.16 A Judge shall not visit the livestock-housing complex of the Agricultural Society, nor the owners, nor inspect or discuss any animal entered in the Show prior to or during the judging of the relevant section.

2.17 If a Junior Judge or Associate Judge has been judging in his/her own right at any affiliated Agricultural Show, they are not eligible to enter the Young Judging competition at that Show.

2.18 Should any Exhibit, having gained a prize, be disqualified, the next on the list does not necessarily obtain the prize. The Management Committee, with or without the advice of the judge, shall decide the question.

#### 3. NOTICE TO INTENDING EXHIBITORS

- 3.1 No person under disqualification recognised by the Society may exhibit or compete.
- 3.2 Entries for the upcoming Agricultural Show relevant to this schedule can be made as described for each section in the schedule. Entries submitted other than on the correct form or online will be returned to the Exhibitor and, unless all requirements are complied with, and the forms returned to the Agricultural Society office by completion of business on the closing date, as shown in this Schedule, they will not be considered.
- 3.3 Notwithstanding the provisions of General Regulation 3.2 above, late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Section Chief Steward.
- 3.4 In Breed Classes, registration papers (where applicable) must be available at the Show as proof of registration.3.5 An Exhibitor required by the Show Section Schedule or
- rules of the Affiliated Society to parade an exhibit in the Grand Parade and who fails to do so, shall not be entitled to and shall forfeit any prize money or trophy to that Exhibitor and/or for that Exhibit.
- 3.6 Entries are accepted subject to the Rules, By- Laws and Regulations of the Society, in addition to any Special Regulations, which appear in the Schedule.
- 3.7 Exhibitors whose entries have not been accepted shall be advised accordingly and entry fees refunded.
- 3.8 The exhibitor irrevocably consents to the Society publishing or reproducing in any manner whatsoever any particulars or information in relation to their exhibits; the publication or reproduction may be in a printed form or visual image through electronic means and/or on the internet.
- 3.9 Whilst all reasonable care is taken, the affiliated Agricultural Society cannot accept any responsibility for any losses and/or damage or injury to or by any livestock exhibits, equipment, vehicles or any other property or person whilst on the Showgrounds.
- 3.10 Dogs, other than those owned by members of the Canine Control Council, must be kept in a closed float, a vehicle, or on a short leash and must be suitably muzzled as to prevent it from being able to injure or bite any person or other animal, whilst on the Affiliated Society's Showground. The Society reserves the right to impound or have impounded any stray or nuisance animal whilst on the Showgrounds.
- 3.11 The use of straw, sawdust and/or shavings for bedding of livestock is at the discretion of the Agricultural Society Management Committee.

#### 14 ELECTRIC FENCES

4.1 Energised electric fences are prohibited on the showground at any time, without the express permission of the society or unless specified in the societies schedule. Any fences are to be suitably signed.

#### **5 INSURANCE**

5.1 All exhibitors must have Public Liability Insurance and to have some endorsed for traveling to affiliated Agricultural Shows

#### **6 BIOSECURITY**

6.1 All Queensland Ag Shows affiliated agricultural societies have developed a comprehensive Agricultural Show Biosecurity Plan and all event organisers, competitors and spectators have a joint responsibility to ensure the successful implementation of a biosecurity plan. Agricultural Show Societies and Exhibitors should contact their local Biosecurity office should they have any questions or concerns.
6.2 It is the responsibility of the owner/person in charge of the stock, to ensure all cattle movement with regard to ticks have been met, by contacting their nearest Department of Primary Industries and Fisheries office, to acquire a Travel Permit with endorsed treatments if necessary. Persons not fulfilling requirements will be refused entry to showgrounds.

#### **7 EXCLUSION OF ANIMALS**

7.1Any animal, which in the opinion of the Stewards is not in a fit state to be exhibited, may be rejected by them and debarred from competing in the class or classes for which it is entered. Any animal rejected must be removed from the judging ring as soon as the exhibitor is notified.

#### **8 PRIVACY STATEMENT**

8.1 The information provided by exhibitors is used by Queensland Ag Shows and the society relevant to this schedule to organise, process and conduct competitions at the relevant agricultural show, sub chamber and state finals. By entering such competitions, they consent to their personal information being used for this purpose including this information being made available to sponsors, breed associations, the media, the public, promotional purposes, archival purposes, published in publications and could be made available to other third parties for the purpose of promoting the Queensland agricultural show movement, or as otherwise required by law. Queensland Ag Shows and show societies have the right to take or use photographs of exhibits or exhibitors (and/or property) and use the photos in any and all marketing and media worldwide including online, now or in the future.

8.2 Exhibitors have a right of access to and alteration of personal information concerning them-selves in terms of the Privacy Act. This may be done by contacting Queensland Ag Shows.

#### 9 WORKPLACE HEALTH AND SAFETY

9.1 All Queensland Ag Shows affiliated society's showground's are designated workplaces within the meaning of the Workplace Health and Safety Act 2011 and exhibitors / competitors are required to ensure that they and all persons under their direction or control, including their contractors or

sub- contractors, comply with all requirements of the Act and Queensland Ag Shows holds each exhibitor responsible to discharge its obligations to provide and maintain a safe place and system of work during occupation by the exhibitor/competitor of any area of the affiliated Agricultural Society's Showgrounds.

9.2 Each exhibitor/competitor will assess the risk to themselves, staff, volunteers, family, other exhibitors, agricultural society staff, show visitors, children and any person foreseeably affected by the presentation of their exhibit.

9.3 Risks identified by exhibitors/competitors will be eliminated or controlled by the exhibitor/competitor and particular attention will be paid to ensuring public safety and safety of other exhibitors/competitors.

9.4 Exhibits will only be held and handled by competent persons whose experience is known to the Exhibitor/Competitor.

9.5 Exhibitors/competitors are advised that the use of primus stoves, any heating or lighting appliances of a like character, or any naked light, is strictly prohibited in pavilions or any other building or area defined by the Queensland Fire and Rescue Service.

9.6 Any exhibitors/competitors intending to bring electrical equipment to the Showground's will be required to ensure that such equipment is fitted with earth leakage circuit breakers / residual current protection and that all electrical leads, tools and appliances have been inspected by a licensed electrical contractor and currently tagged. This is essential for the safety of all exhibitors and the general public AND is a requirement of the current Electrical Safety Regulations.

9.7 The use of double adaptors is prohibited and all power boards must also be tested and tagged.

9.8 All exhibitors/competitors will comply with the requirements of the Act and its Regulations and Standards in every other respect. This is essential for the safety of all exhibitors / competitors and the general public. The Act imposes very severe penalties in the event of noncompliance with its provisions. Any exhibitors/competitors who do not comply will not be allowed to exhibit at QCAS affiliated Shows.

#### 10. DISCLAIMER

10.1. The information contained in the Competitions Schedule/Catalogue is gathered for the purpose of providing information to Exhibitors and Show patrons. The information is a compilation of information provided by third parties and QCAS and affiliated Agricultural Society's does not warrant its accuracy and advises that any such information may be subject to change or amendment occurring at any time and thereby making the information incorrect. Subject to QCAS legal obligations and responsibilities, if you require confirmation of any information please contact the QCAS Office.

#### 11 GOODS AND SERVICES TAX (GST)

11.1 The Australian Taxation Office has deemed that GST is payable on prizes if an Exhibitor is registered for GST and enters an Exhibit as part of a business enterprise.

11.2 The information an Exhibitor provides on the Application for Entry determines whether GST is applicable.

11.3 Any prize stated in this Schedule does not include GST. GST will not apply:

11.4 If an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as a hobby or private recreational pursuit; or

11.5 If an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as part of a business enterprise, the Exhibitor has an ABN, but the Exhibitor is NOT REGISTERED for GST.

11.6 If an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as part of a business enterprise, the Exhibitor is not entitled to an ABN if the business or enterprise is not operating in Australia.

11.7 GST will apply if an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as part of a business enterprise, the Exhibitor has an ABN, and the Exhibitor is REGISTERED for GST.

11.8 Where GST applies, the Society will pay the prize money quoted in this Schedule plus 10% GST. The Society will issue a recipient created tax invoice

#### 12. PRIZE AWARDS

12.1. The Prize Ribbons / Rosettes / Sashes, affixed to Exhibits, shall be distinguished by the following colours, viz:-

- Supreme Champion Wide Sash any colour at Show's discretion
- Grand Champion Red, White and Blue Sash or equivalent
- Champion Purple Sash or equivalent
- Reserve Champion Dark Green Sash or equivalent
- First Blue Ribbon or equivalent
- Second Red Ribbon or equivalent
- Third White Ribbon or equivalent
- Fourth Yellow Ribbon or equivalent
- Fifth Light Green Ribbon or equivalent
- Sixth Brown Ribbon or equivalent
- · Seventh Buff Ribbon or equivalent
- Eighth Pink Ribbon or equivalent
- Ninth Orange Ribbon or equivalent
- Tenth Grey Ribbon or equivalent
- Special Prizes Pale Blue Ribbon or equivalent

12.3. All cash prizes and trophies must be claimed within 30 days from the closing date of the Show (or as otherwise advised in this schedule). Prizes not claimed and prize cheques not presented by that date will be considered to have lapsed, and the amount will become a donation to the Society.

#### **13 PROTESTS**

13.1 A protest against a Judge's Award must: a) be in writing addressed to the Secretary, and signed by the person lodging the protest; b) be lodged by delivery to the Secretary's Office within twenty-four hours of the making of the Award; c) give the name and address of the person lodging the protest, and where two or more persons join in the protest, state which one of those persons is authorised to receive correspondence or notices on behalf of all; d) set out in reasonable detail particulars of the matter complained of including but not necessarily limited to the number of the Class and the Award protested against e) be accompanied by a deposit of \$100.

**13**.2 The Secretary shall advise the President when a protest is received and the President shall appoint a Protest Board consisting of such members of the Board as she/he may determine to consider and determine the matter.

13.3 The Protest Board shall proceed in all respects according to the justice of the case and may decide the issue according to equity and good conscience without being bound by legal technicalities or the laws of evidence.

13.4 A protest shall not be upheld on the grounds that the Judge made an honest but incorrect decision unless it is proved to the satisfaction of the Protest Board that the Judge had been willfully or accidentally misled by the act of some other person.

13.5 If the Protest Board should be of the opinion that the protest was frivolous the deposit may be forfeited.

13.6 The decision of the Protest Board shall be final and conclusive.

13.7 For the purpose of this Guideline an Award shall be deemed to be made when the results of the class in question are announced or otherwise made available to the public.

#### 14 DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE

14.1 The functions of the Disciplinary Committee shall be to hear and determine all complaints, allegations and other matters relating to: a) prohibited substances, as defined in these General Rules or Sectional Regulations. b) any alleged breach of the Rules, By-Laws and Regulations of the Society by an exhibitor and relating to an exhibit or to a competition, except if the alleged breach is of a kind that the Chief Steward of a Section considers is of a less serious nature and should properly be dealt with by the Sectional Sub Committee, and c) any other alleged breach of the Rules, By-Laws and Regulations of the Society that may be referred to Disciplinary Committee. 14.2 The Disciplinary Committee shall comprise of such members of the Societies Management Committee as are appointed by the Management Committee from time to time. 14.3 The Management Committee shall appoint a member of the Disciplinary Committee as Chairman of the Disciplinary Committee.

14.4 For the purposes of any proceedings of the Disciplinary Committee, the Disciplinary Committee shall comprise, no less than three of its members and those persons shall constitute the Disciplinary Committee for the purpose of those proceedings.

14.5 If a member of the Disciplinary Committee dies or becomes otherwise unable or unwilling to participate in proceedings, then: a) if this occurs prior to the commencement of any hearing in relation to the matter, the Chairman of the Disciplinary Committee shall appoint a replacement; and, b) if this occurs after the commencement of any hearing in relation to the matter, the remaining members of the Disciplinary Committee shall constitute the Committee for the purposes of concluding the proceedings.

14.6 Proceedings before the Disciplinary Committee may be initiated: a) upon the request, orally or in writing, of the President. b) upon receipt by the Chairman of the Disciplinary Committee of a written complaint relating to a matter referred to in these regulations. c) by the Chairman of the Disciplinary Committee on his or her own motion.

14.7 The Disciplinary Committee may conduct proceedings at any time. 14.8 All persons who constitute the Disciplinary Committee for the purposes of any proceedings must be present at any hearing conducted by the Disciplinary Committee. 14.9 A person whose conduct is called into question in any proceedings before the Disciplinary Committee must be given notice of a hearing. It shall be sufficient for such notice to be given orally and by any such person acting with the apparent authority of Society. 14.10 The Disciplinary Committee may conduct proceedings notwithstanding that any person who has been given notice fails to attend the proceedings. 14.11 The Disciplinary Committee shall not be bound by any rules of evidence and shall conduct the proceedings with the minimum of formality and in such a manner as it sees fit.

14.12 The Disciplinary Committee may require any member or exhibitor to attend at any proceedings of the Disciplinary Committee and to furnish such information and evidence and to produce such documents relevant to the proceedings as to the Disciplinary Committee seems fit.

14.13 The Disciplinary Committee may, at its discretion, call for and hear expert evidence.

14.14 No person will be legally represented without the leave of the Disciplinary Committee.

14.15 The Disciplinary Committee may announce its decision orally or in writing. A decision that is announced orally shall have an effect in accordance with its terms.

14.16 If the opinion of the Disciplinary Committee is not unanimous, the decision of the majority shall prevail. If the Disciplinary Committee are equally divided on any question concerning the guilt or innocence of a person, the question shall be resolved in that person's favour.

#### **15 PENALITIES**

15.1 If the Disciplinary Committee considers that there has been a breach of the rules, By-laws or regulations of the Society, it may impose such a penalty as it considers to be appropriate, including without limitation:

- a) a reprimand;
- b) a monetary fine (payable at such time/s as the Disciplinary Committee may determine);
- c) withdrawal or withholding of any award or ribbon;
- d) disqualification in respect of any class;
- e) expulsion from the Showground;
- f) where the person concerned is a member, a suspension or termination of that membership;
- g) a ban;
- h) exclusion;
- i) prohibiting a Person from exhibiting or competing at the current Show or at any future Show;
- j) a direction that an Exhibit be removed from the Showground; I any other mandatory requirement; and
- k) any other penalty provided for in other regulations of the Society.
- 15.2 There shall be no appeal from any decision of the Disciplinary Committee.

15.3 The Association may publish to: a) all Agricultural Societies in Queensland; b) the Queensland Chamber of Agricultural Societies c) the relevant Breed Societies; d) the body with which the exhibit is registered, or is eligible for registration; e) the result of any proceedings before the Disciplinary Committee in which a person has been found guilty of a breach of any Rule, By-Law or Regulation.

15.4 The Society shall have no liability to any person in respect of any publication referred to above.

15.5 No person shall have any claim against the Society or against any Committee member, member, employee, volunteer or agent of the Society in respect of any act, matter or thing done in good faith during or in connection with the proceedings before the Disciplinary Committee.

**STEWARD:** Megan Daniels

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#### **ENTRY FEE:**

\$2.00 adults (Division A-E) \$1.00 children (Division D-G)

#### **DELIVERY DATE & TIME:**

Entries in this Section to be presented to the Cooking Pavilion (behind Wally McKenzie House) on Monday 2nd June between 9.00am and 12.00pm ONLY.

#### **COLLECTION:**

Entries collect from 4.00-5.30pm Wednesday 4th June - NO EARLY COLLECTIONS. UNCOLLECTED ENTRIES WILL BE DISCARDED.

# LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AS JUDGING COMMENCES AT NOON.

#### **PRIZE MONEY:**

1st prize \$10.00 2nd prize \$5.00 Gift vouchers may be used in replacement

#### **CONDITIONS OF ENTRY:**

- No factory-made or commercially made goods will be accepted in this section. (OWN RECIPE) EXCEPT commercial biscuits are allowed for decorated biscuits in DIVISIONS F & H.
- A Small white sturdy paper side plate is to be used for all entries except in Division D or where specified in schedule.
- Please write entrants initials on the bottom of plate for identification.
- ALL ENTRIES TO BE PRESENTED IN OVEN BAG OR SEE THROUGH PLASTIC BAG – DO NOT USE GLAD WRAP – USE TWIST TIES TO SEAL.

- ENTRIES NOT SEALED WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.
- The only person to break the seal must be the judge to sample the entry for judging purposes unless judged on creativity.
- DIVISION D MUST BE PRESENTED ONLY IN JARS OBTAINED FROM THE EMERALD SHOW OFFICE. Do not label the sides or lids - only small label on the bottom of jars with initials for identification. ONLY one jar of each entry in DIVISION D is required.
- LARGE jars- Fermented Vegetables
- SMALL jars everything else.
- Judges decision is final.

#### **MAJOR PRIZES:**

- Most Overall Points:
   Divisions A, B, C, D & E Prize \$50
   Division F. G & H Prize \$35
- Dark Rich Fruit Cake Emerald Show: 1st \$75 & 2nd \$35
- Dark Rich Fruit Cake CHASS:1st \$250 & 2nd \$100 – Ribbon Awarded
- CWA ANZAC Biscuits CHASS: 1st \$250 & 2nd \$100 - Ribbon Awarded
- 2011 BEST DECORATED CELEBRATION/NOVELTY CAKE: 1st \$50, 2nd \$25
- 2049 BEST DECORATE CELEBRATION/NOVELTY CAKE: Donated Prize
- 2054 BEST DECORATE CELEBRATION/NOVELTY CAKE: Donated Prize
- CHAMPION CAKE OF SHOW -Rosette
- CHAMPION BREAD OF SHOW -Rosette

#### DARK, RICH FRUIT CAKE COMPETITION: Run by the QLD CHAMBER OF AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES

- Own one pound fruit cake recipe to be used.
- It is imperative one pound mixture contain 1lb (500g) sugar and 1lb (500g) butter.
- One pound fruit cake contains approx. 5lb (2.25kg) of fruit, including currants (whole), sultanas and raisins (cut) and mixed peel, cherries and nuts optional. Prunes & figs not permitted.
- To be baked in a 10 inch (25.5cm) square cake tin ONLY.
- Competitors are to represent the Show Society where they first win.
- The local winner is permitted to represent the Show Society at the CHASS (Central Highlands Association of Show Societies) final judging to be held on Monday after the Emerald judging is complete – a cut cake is accepted at this level.
- If the CHASS winner is unable to continue competing then the next place getter is selected.
- If a local show winner has won at another show the second place getter then qualifies to represent that show at the sub-chamber final judging. The State winner from previous year is ineligible to enter the State competition for a period of one year.
- The CHASS winner will bake another cake for the State Final judging held at the RNA in August – a cut cake will NOT be accepted in Brisbane.
- The State Final cakes are displayed on the QCAS Display Stand for the duration of the RNA.
- NB Please make yourself familiar with the CHASS entry rules.

#### CWA ANZAC BISCUIT COMPETITION: Run by the QLD CHAMBER OF AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES

- This competition is only open to ages 18-40 years as at 1st May of the year of the competition.
- Only one (1) entry permitted from each Sub Chamber per competition.
- After Sub Chamber selection, each Sub-Chamber competitor is to bake a new batch of biscuits for the State Final Judging.
- The ANZAC biscuits must use the supplied recipe and must meet the State Final ANZAC Biscuit - Basic Requirements listed below in Section 2
- Entry Form is to be completed and forwarded with the ANZAC biscuits. Entry forms are available at www.qldagshows.com.au. - THE STEWARD WILL HELP COMPLETE WITH THE WINNER
- Judging of biscuits takes place on the date advised in the invitation and will be set by the
- Queensland Ag Shows Board no later than 30th June of the year prior to the competition.
- 4 biscuits are to be presented for judging.
- Biscuit size to be 5cm in diameter and crisp

#### **DIVISION A - BAKING - OPEN**

August.

2000 ANZAC BISCUIT QCAS
COMPETITION - Plate of 4
Open for those aged between 18
and 40 years old as of 1st May in
the year of competition
COMPETITION-Central Highlands
Assoc. Show Societies (CHASS)
judging at Emerald Show on
Monday 2nd June 2025-CHASS
winner to bake another cake to be
judged at Brisbane Exhibition in

#### MUST follow the CWA recipe

State Final ANZAC Biscuits – Recipe and Presentation

- 4 biscuits are to be presented for judging.
- Biscuit size to be 5cm in diameter and crisp CWA Anzac biscuit recipe (Ingredients for 24 biscuits):
- 125gm butter, chopped
- 1 cup plain flour
- ½ tsp bicarb soda
- 1 cup rolled oats
- 1 cup caster sugar
- 2 tbs golden syrup
- 2 tbs boiling water
- ¾ cup desiccated coconut
  Method: Combine butter and
  golden syrup in a pan, stir over
  heat until butter is melted. Stir in
  combined soda and water, then
  remaining ingredients. Mix well.
  Drop rounded teaspoons of
  mixture about 4cm apart on
  greased over trays and flatten
  slightly. Bake in a slow oven for
  about 20 minutes or until slightly
  brown. Cool on tray.
- 2001 PLUM PUDDING Steam in Basin
  2002 ANY CAKE Iced on top only
  2003 PLAIN SPONGE SANDWICH Jam
  Filled And Dusted

- Using four (4) Whole Eggs

2004 GLUTEN FREE CAKE

**2005** CAKE OR LOAF USING A VEGETABLE - No Icing

2006 BOILED FRUIT CAKE

2007 PLAIN SCONES - Plate of 4

2008 ANZAC BISCUITS - Plate of 4

2009 ANY OTHER BISCUIT - Plate of 4

2010 DARK RICH FRUIT CAKE QCAS COMPETITION -Central Highlands Assoc. Show Societies (CHASS) judging at Emerald Show on Monday 2nd June 2025. CHASS winner to bake another cake to be judged at Brisbane Exhibition in August.

2011 BEST DECORATED
CELEBRATION/NOVELTY CAKE
Formed from cake in shape and
Design, Imaginative creation. No
Ganache. Handiwork only judged
\*entrant to specify celebration.

#### **DIVISION B - BAKING- NOVICE**

\*\*Open to all entrants who have NOT previously won a 1st prize in the Novice or Open Baking sections at the Emerald Show in the past 3 years

2012 PLUM PUDDING - Steam In Basin

2013 ANY CAKE - Iced on top only

2014 PLAIN SPONGE SANDWICH - Jam filled and dusted-using four (4) whole eggs

2015 BOILED FRUIT CAKE

**2016** PLAIN SCONES - Plate of 4 only

**2017** ANZAC BISCUITS - Plate of 4 only

2018 ANY OTHER BISCUIT - Plate of 4

#### **DIVISION C - CONFECTIONERY- OPEN**

**2019** CHOCOLATE FUDGE - Plate of 4

2020 COCONUT ICE - Pink & White - Plate of 4

2021 RUSSIAN CARAMEL - Plate of 4 only

2022 TOFFEE (plain or nut) - Plate of 4

2023	ANY OTHER SWEET NOT
	MENTIONED ABOVE - Plate of 4

#### **DIVISION D - JAMS & PRESERVES - OPEN**

ONLY USE JARS OBTAINED FROM SHOW OFFICE.
ONE SAMPLE (TSP SIZED OR SIMILAR) TO BE
SEALED IN A SNACK SIZED ZIPLOCK
BAG AND ATTACHED WITH RUBBER BAND TO JAR.
ZIP LOCK BAG WILL BE JUDGED.
JAR WILL BE DISPLAYED AND CAN BE COLLECTED
FROM 4:30PM ON WEDNESDAY 4th JUNE. ALL
UNCOLLECTED ENTRIES WILL BE DISPOSED OF BY
9AM FRI 5th JUNE UNLESS PREVIOUSLY
ORGANISED.

- 2024 MARMALADE Any Variety 1 Jar
- 2025 JAM Rosella 1 Jar
- 2026 JAM Strawberry 1 Jar
- 2027 JAM Any Variety but not Marmalade, Strawberry or Rosella 1 Jar
- 2028 JELLY Any Variety 1 Jar
- 2029 LEMON BUTTER 1 Jar
- 2030 CHUTNEY Any Variety 1 Jar
- **2031** MUSTARD PICKLES Any Variety 1 Jar
- 2032 RELISH Any Variety 1 Jar
- 2033 SAUCE Any Variety 1 Jar
- **2034** FERMENTED VEGETABLES Sauerkraut 1 Jar
- **2035** FERMENTED VEGETABLES Kim Chi- 1 Jar

#### **DIVISION E - BREAD- OPEN**

- 2036 680G TINNED WHITE LOAF
- 2037 WHITE SOURDOUGH Vienna Loaf
- 2038 CINNAMON SCROLLS- plate of 4
- 2039 FOCACCIA no longer than 30cm

# DIVISION F - PRIMARY SCHOOL AGED & YOUNGER

Decorated biscuits and cupcakes are judged on creativity only. Will not be tatsed.

- **2040** DECORATED BISCUITS PREP & UNDER Plate Of 4
- **2041** DECORATED BISCUITS GRADES 1-3 Plate Of 4.
- **2042** DECORATED BISCUITS GRADES 4-6 Plate Of 4

- 2043 DECORATED CUPCAKES PREP & UNDER— Plate Of 4
- **2044** DECORATED CUPCAKES GRADES 1-3— Plate Of 4
- **2045** DECORATED CUPCAKES GRADES 4-6- Plate Of 4
- 2046 ANY SLICE with icing Plate of 4
- 2047 ANY BISCUIT Plate of 4

#### **DIVISION G - HIGH SCHOOL - GRADES 7-12**

- **2048** DECORATED CUPCAKES Plate of 4
- 2049 ANY SLICE With icing Plate of 4
- 2050 ANY BISCUIT Plate of 4 only
- 2051 BEST DECORATED
  CELEBRATION/NOVELTY CAKE
  formed from cake in shape and
  design, imaginative creation.

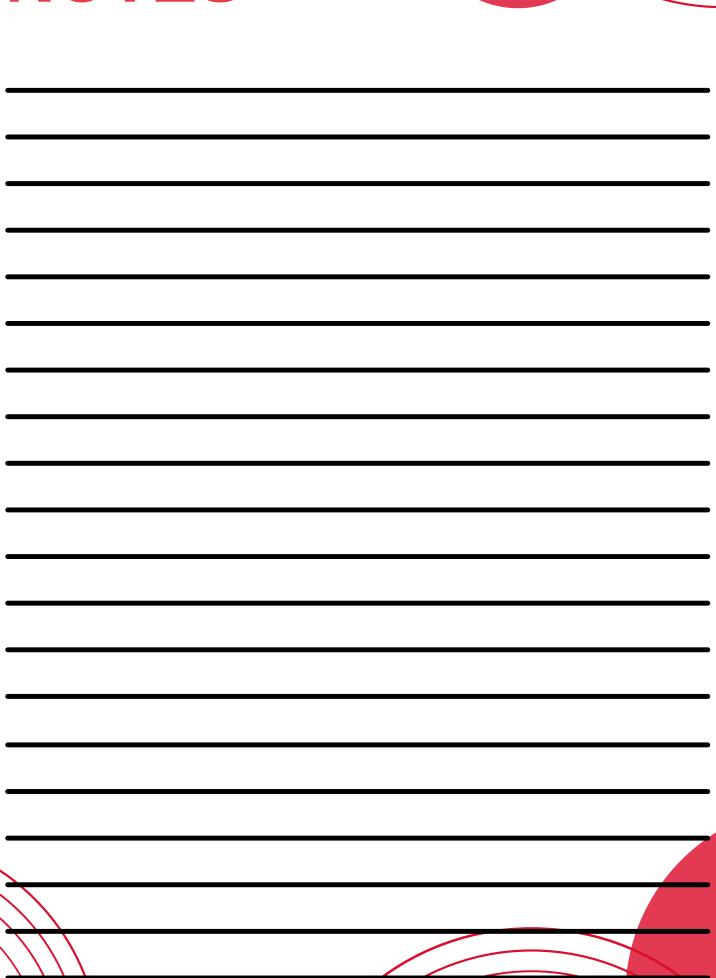
Handwork only judged

\*Entrant to specify celebration

## DIVISION H- PEOPLE WITH SPECIAL NEEEDS

- 2052 DECORATED BISCUITS (any shape)– Plate of 4
- 2053 DECORATED CUPCAKE Plate of 4
- 2054 ANY SLICE with icing Plate of 4
- 2055 ANY BISCUIT Plate of 4
- 2056 BEST DECORATED
  CELEBRATION/NOVELTY CAKE
  formed from cake in shape and
  design, imaginative creation.
  Handiwork only judged
  - \*Entrant to specify celebration





# HOW TO ENTER THE PAVILION SECTIONS ONLINE

All entries are through Showday online - https://showday.online/show/emeraldshow

- 1 Create a new account or login to your account using your previous details If you have forgotten your password, please use the forgotten password feature.
  - 2 Select EMERALD SHOW
  - 3 Click on PLACE AN ENTRY
  - 4 Click on INDIVIDUAL ENTRY
- 5 In Entrant Name select your Entrant from the drop down or click on ADD NEW to add a new entrant to your account
  - 5a If clicking Add New fill out your Entrants name. Other fields are optional
    - 6 In EXHIBIT TYPE select INDOOR / DISPLAY
      - 7 Click on SELECT CLASSES
    - 8 From the drop down choose the Section you would like to enter
    - 9 On the pop up tick the box to accept the entry notes for this section
  - 10 Click the PLUS symbol beside the section you are entering to expand to the classes
    - 11 Click on the class or classes you are entering to select them
- 12 If entering multiple items into the same class, increase the QTY counter to reflect the number you would like to enter
- 13 Fill out the items name in the Exhibition Name box if applicable eg painting name
  - 14 Fill in any additional information the show may require for this entry if asked
    - 15 Once all classes have been selected
- 15a Click on ADD ANOTHER ENTRY if you need to place more entries for this show and repeat this process
  - 15b Click on FINISHED ADDING CLASSES if you do not need to place any more entries for this show
    - 16 On the next screen select any extra items you need that are available.
      - 17 Click on FINISHED ADDING EXTRAS once done
  - 18 Purchase Membership if required or Pay your membership invoice if showing
    - 19 Click on FINISHED MEMBERSHIP once done
      - 20 Tick the box to agree to our website T&C's
    - 21 Click on the payment type and enter any payment details as required
      - 22 Click on PAY NOW
- 23 You will now be emailed an acknowledgement of your entries. Please check you Junk / Spam folder if this email is not in your inbox.