

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY - HORSE EVENTS

1. Entry forms must be completed in full, including rider/s name/s, owners name and horse/s' name/s. Forms available from the Horse Events tent on arena on day of show.
2. All riders must complete an indemnity form. If rider under 18, form must be signed by a parent/guardian prior to competing.
3. The Horse Events Committee has the right to alter or delete any section or event if the Society has any cause to do same.
4. It is a condition of entry to all EFA Show Horse events that the owners and exhibitors are familiar with and abide by the EFA Show Horse Rules. Making an entry under the control of the E.F.A. constitutes implicit acceptance of the EFA Rules.
5. The Society cannot accept responsibility if the judging of two classes in which one exhibitor may be interested happens to conflict.
6. It is the exhibitors responsibility to be ready at the commencement of an entered event. Under no circumstances will an event be held up.
7. The Exhibitor shall ensure that horse and Competitor are entered and shown only in the correct classes, and that the horse is entered and shown under its full EFA-registered name.
8. All Hacks, Galloways and Ponies must either hold a current E.F.A. measuring certificate or may be asked to be measured on the day of the Show at the Judge's request
9. The program will be conducted in accordance with E.F.A. "Saddle Horse, Judges and Competition Rules"
10. Entry for all Arena Sections will be by purchase of tickets at the Horse Stewards Tent in the arena on the day of competition. Entrance tickets must be shown at this time.
11. No competitor or assistant shall approach or speak to, or attempt to influence the judge while the show is in progress. Nor shall spectators call out/comment to judges/competitors during judging of events.
12. An approved Safety Helmet is required for all riders at all times when mounted. The retaining harness must be secured and fastened at all times. Riders without approved headgear shall be ineligible to compete until rectified. Approved helmet standards are: AS/NZS 3838, EN 1384, ASTN F1163.
13. Riders under the age of 18 years are not permitted to wear top boots or gaiters/ chapettes in Rider Classes.
14. All stallions must be visibly entire. Stallions may not compete in saddle classes, unless specified and must be led or ridden by an adult 18 years or over.
15. Novice – a hack, galloway or pony who has never placed first at any Agricultural/Pastoral Show, Affiliated EFA Show/ Gymkhana.
16. Newcomers – E.F.A. rules apply. For horses' first season in current year. Horses that have competed in newcomers' class at Barastoc Horse of the Year or first season class at VAS ltd Championships are not eligible.
17. Exhibits competing in Show Horse classes are ineligible for Show Hunter classes.
18. District events are for riders/horses who permanently reside within 45kms of Donald.
19. Protests are to be lodged with the Horse Event Co-ordinator in writing as per Donald P & A Society Inc. Regulations.
20. Random swabbing of horses may take place.
21. All Show Jumping competitors will be permitted to "Walk The Course" prior to the commencement of each jumping event.
22. Arena event prize money will be presented with ribbon at the conclusion of each event, providing entry money has been paid. Trophies to be collected from Horse Event Co-ordinator's tent.
23. Prize money not collected on day will be forfeited.
24. Cruelty to animals will NOT be tolerated.
25. All dogs must be chained or on a leash at all times. (Regulation No. 44)