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2* Combined Driving Classic

“Strongfield Stud”

440 Linthorpe Valley Road, Southbrook - QLD

4 & 5 April 2015





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OFFICIALS/STEWARDS

Technical Delegate: Karyn Dillmann

Course Designer: The Committee

Scorer: Melanie Dillmann

Judges: - Dressage: Debbie Dekker
Susanne Brundell

- Cones: Karyn Dillmann

VET/TPR Steward: Equivet Australia

Ground Jury: TBC

Appeals Committee: TBC

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Warwick and District Carriage Driving Club Inc. Combined Driving Event will be held at Strongfield Stud, Southbrook. Organisers reserve the right to change officials/stewards to help with the efficient running of the program.



The Queensland Government provided \$9546 to Warwick and District Carriage Driving Club Inc through the Get Going Program to increase Queenslanders participation in sport and recreation activities.



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PROGRAMME

Saturday – 4 April 2015

7:30am - Inspection of cones course

9:00am - Dressage

Cones follow approximately 10 minutes after the completion of your Dressage Test.

Sunday – 5 April 2015

8:30am – Marathon (Section A, Transfer, Section B including obstacles)

9:00am – Marathon Section B only (obstacles section)

Presentation of prizes will be held after completion of the marathon.

CLASSES

Class Numbers			Class Description
Preliminary	Intermediate	Advanced	
1	11	21	Pony 91cm and under 121cm
2	12	22	Pony 121cm ne 149cm
3	13	23	Horse over 149cm
4	14	24	Pony Pairs 91cm ne 121cm
5	15	25	Pony Pairs 121cm ne 149cm
6	16	26	Horse Pairs over 149cm
7	17	27	Pony Tandem 91cm ne 149cm
8	18	28	Horse Tandem over 149cm
9	19	29	Pony Team 91cm ne 149cm
10	20	30	Horse Team over 149cm
31	-	-	Jogger CDE
32	33	34	Dressage Only
35	36	37	Cones Only
38	-	-	Marathon Section B Only (Marathon Obstacles)

Note: There are no restrictions on which level of competition (preliminary, intermediate or advanced) that competitors can enter, however it is recommended that competitors choose a level that is appropriate for the level of training and experience of the driver and their equine/s.

ENTRY FEES

Activity/Event	Fee for Warwick Club member	Fee non-Warwick Club member
Combined Driving Classes 1-30 (Dressage, Cones and Marathon) including Jogger Class 31	\$60	\$70
Dressage Only (Classes 32, 33, 34)	\$15	\$17
Cones Only (Classes 35, 36, 37)	\$15	\$17
Marathon Section B Only (Marathon Obstacles) (Class 38)	\$20	\$25
Dressage, Cones and Marathon Section B Only (Marathon Obstacles) (Combination of Classes 32-34, 35-37 & 38)	\$45	\$55



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EVENT AND VENUE DETAILS

- **Dressage** – Dressage arena will be 100m x 40m. A separate 100m x 40m warm up arena will also be available.
 All Preliminary Classes: *ADS Preliminary Test 1 (1994)*
 All Intermediate Classes: *FEI 1*B (former Test 1)*
 All Advanced Classes: *FEI 2*A*
- **Cones** – This will be conducted as a fault competition and all of the cones will be measured.
 Preliminary classes – 40cm allowance, Intermediate classes – 30cm allowance, Advanced classes – 22cm allowance.
- **Marathon** - Classes 1-31 will compete over the complete marathon (three sections: A, Transfer, B). The total course of approximately 15 km will be clearly marked. All obstacles are located near the Dillmann's house and camping ground and can be inspected from 3:00pm Friday 18 April. The marathon includes some undulating country. There will be 6 Marathon Obstacles in Section B that are all purpose built.

Pace and Speed of Marathon Sections

Section	Pace	Preliminary (km/h)			Intermediate (km/h)			Advanced (km/h)		
		S.Pony	Pony	Horse	S.Pony	Pony	Horse	S.Pony	Pony	Horse
A	free	11	12	13	12	13	14	13	14	15
Transfer*	free									
B	free	10	11	12	11	12	13	12	13	14

* The distance of the transfer section will be approx. 1km and time allowed in the transfer section to be confirmed. The transfer section speed required will be slow which gives you a chance to rest your horse prior to section B. There is a 10 minute compulsory rest at the end of the transfer section and a vet check prior to starting section B.

- **Catering** – Saturday Night– Southbrook Pub (4km from Strongfield Stud)
 - Lunch (BBQ sausage sizzle) and drinks will be available on site on both days for a small fee.
 -The kettle and BBQ will be available for competitors to use throughout the weekend.
- **Camping and Facilities** – There is plenty of camping space at Strongfield Stud and there are toilets and hand basins in the camping grounds. Showers with warm water are also available for use on site.
 -240V power is also available near the camping grounds for charging phones etc.
- **Yards**– Competitors are welcome to bring their own yards. There are a number of day yards available for use. Competitors use yards at their own risk. Numbers are limited, so please indicate if you require the use of a yard on the entry form. There will be no extra fee for the use of yards.
- **Water** – Bore water is available for use and there are taps located near the yards and stables. Bring your own water containers for your horses. There is a concrete wash bay with a hose for washing horses. Fresh tank water is also available for human drinking water only.
- **Dogs** – Dogs are not permitted.
- **Loading Ramp** – An earth loading ramp is located near the camping ground to load/unload carriages and horses if needed.



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CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

This event will be conducted under the F.E.I. Rules for Driving Events as at 1st January 2015 with variations and additional regulations included in this schedule.

Drivers must be Warwick Club members or EA members. A restricted membership form for this event must be completed for drivers who are not Warwick Club members or EA members. Club Receipts or current Membership Cards (Club or EA) must be available for checking if required to receive Competitors Kits. As this is an unofficial event, horses are not required to be registered with EA.

All competitors and their navigators/grooms compete at their own risk. The organising committee and land holders accept no responsibility for loss or damage to horses, owners, passengers, equipment, drivers, grooms or spectators, or any other person or property whatsoever, whilst at or near the venue, during the course of this event. All competitors, by entering this event, agree to be bound by this regulation.

All child/junior drivers between 12 and 18 years must be accompanied by a capable groom 18 years or over in all phases of the competition. Whenever a child/junior is in a vehicle they must be wearing an equestrian type helmet that complies with one of the three standards below.

Carriage weight restrictions are not enforced at this event. Conflict of interest rules (article 984 point 3) are not enforced at this event.

Appeals, together with \$20, are to be lodged in writing within 30 minutes of the scores being posted for each phase. Money may be refunded unless, in the opinion of the Appeals Committee, the appeal is found to be frivolous.

The organisers reserve the right to:

- * Alter any advertised times;
- * Refuse any entry, with or without stating the reason;
- * Refuse admission to any person whose attendance may, in the opinion of the Organising Committee, impose a risk on the person, or to Warwick Club and EA members, or members of the public; or due to inappropriate behavior or failure to comply with the Club's and EA expected standard of behavior;
- * Measure any horse or pony upon discretion
- * Reallocate a competitor to the appropriate class

Entry fees must accompany nominations.

The event will be run on time. Any competitor late for a scheduled starting time will be awarded time penalties. In the event of an accident, or any other occurrence beyond the control of the competitor, contact the Secretary to arrange an alternate starting time.

Organisers reserve the right to penalize competitors for unsafe practices.

Back protectors are recommended for the marathon.

The wearing of equestrian helmets complying with one of the three standards listed below and on the entry form is mandatory in the marathon and medical arm bands are recommended.

Equestrian helmets standards

1. AS/NZS 3838,
2. European Standard EN1384,
3. United States Standard ASTN F1163

It is a condition of entry that competitors hand to the organisers a Horse Health Declaration Form before you receive your competitors kit.

The Warwick & District Carriage Driving Club Inc. would like to sincerely thank the Dillmann family for the generous use of their property to run this event and the support of our sponsors.





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ENTRY FORM

Warwick and District Carriage Driving Club Inc.

Equivet Australia Combined Driving Classic

**“Strongfield Stud”- 440 Linthorpe Valley Road,
Southbrook – QLD**

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Entries Close: Monday 30 March 2015

Driver Name: _____

Age, if Jr. Driver: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Postcode: _____

Email: _____

Warwick Club Membership No. : _____

EA Membership No. (if applicable): _____

Note: If you are not a Warwick Club member you must supply an EA membership number or complete the restricted membership form for this event (pg 9).

Class	Pony/Horse Name	Height	Age	Fee	Yard required (Y or N)

Wheel Width

Please specify the wheel width of the carriage/s to be used in the competition. Measure the width of the extremity of the rear wheels at ground level.

Dressage and cones wheel width: _____

Marathon wheel width: _____



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Member Dangerous Activity Acknowledgement

Full Name of Participant (and of guardian if under 18 years)

Membership No. (Warwick Club No. or EA No.).....

Postal Address.....

StatePostcode..... Date of Birth

Name of Club/Organisation: Warwick & District Carriage Driving Club Inc.

Address of Event/Activity: Strongfield Stud, 440 Linthorpe Valley Road, Southbrook QLD 4363

Date of Event/Activity: 4 to 5 April 2015

In consideration for being permitted to participate in any way in horse sport activities, I, the undersigned, understand, acknowledge and accept that: Horse sports are a dangerous 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.

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 EA and FEI rules and regulations.

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

Dated: ___/___/___ Signature of driver_____

For Participants of Minority Age (Under Age 18)

This is to certify that I, as a parent/guardian with legal responsibility for this participant, acknowledge, understand and accept ALL OF THE ABOVE and consent and agree to my minor child's involvement or participation in horse sport activities. I also agree to abide by the Parents Code of Conduct as it relates to Equestrian Sports. I understand that should I breach this Code of Conduct in any way I may be penalised for such a breach as determined by Equestrian Western Australia.

Dated: ___/___/___ Signature of guardian_____



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Sign

I agree to abide by, and adhere to, the rules and by laws of EA, all conditions of entry and any other general information in the schedule.

Signed: _____ **Date:** _____

Entry Form Checklist (circle Yes or No)

- Have you read the Conditions of Entry? Yes or No
- Do all the helmets that will be used (marathon/cross country and junior) in this event by the entry conform with at least one of the three standards listed below:
 1. AS/NZS 3838
 2. European Standard EN1384
 3. United States Standard ASTN F1163 Yes or No
- Have you completed all sections of the Entry Form (including the Member Dangerous Activity Acknowledgement) (pages 6 to 8) Yes or No
- Have you enclosed a cheque for the entry? Yes or No
- Have you made payment via Direct Deposit for the entry? Yes or No
- Have you signed the Entry Form? Yes or No
- Have you completed the Restricted Membership Form (pg 9) if you are not a Warwick Club member or EA member? Yes or No

Payment Methods:

Direct Deposit

Payment of entry fees can be made via Direct Deposit, using the following details.

Account Name: Warwick & District Carriage Driving Club Inc

Account Number: 03 755 5683

BSB: 084 983

Please use your name as the description/reference.

Cheque

Make cheque payable to: Warwick and District Carriage Driving Club Inc.

Post to:

Mrs Karyn Dillmann
440 Linthorpe Valley Road
Southbrook QLD 4363

Entries must be received by Monday 30 March 2015

Send this completed form to:

Mrs Karyn Dillmann
440 Linthorpe Valley Road
Southbrook QLD 4363

Alternatively, email a scanned copy of this entry form to:

warwickcarriagedriving@gmail.com

If you have any friends or family with you or anyone who might be visiting for Sunday's marathon who would be able to help steward, please indicate by naming those people below.



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Restricted Membership Application Form

Warwick & District Carriage Driving Club Inc.

You must be a current financial member of Warwick & District Carriage Driving Club, EA or a Restricted Member if you wish to enter in this event/competition and be covered by EA insurance. Therefore, Warwick Club is offering a Restricted Membership which is valid for one event/competition only and must accompany the nomination/entry form and fees. Restricted membership does not entitle you to voting rights or cheaper nominations and is subject to endorsement by Warwick Club.

Restricted Membership for Activity/Event: Equivet Australia Combined Driving Classic

Activity/Event Date: 4-5 April 2015

Activity Address: Strongfield Stud, 440 Linthorpe Valley Road, Southbrook QLD 4363

Cost per person: Included in event nomination fee/s (Restricted Members are to pay non-Warwick Club member entry fees).

Restricted Member Details	
Name:	
Date of Birth:	
Address:	
Contact Number:	
Email:	
Emergency Contact:	

I agree to abide by the Constitution and By-laws of the Warwick & District Carriage Driving Club. Inc.

Signature: _____ Date: _____
(if under 18 year, guardian please also sign)

Club Use Only

Approved: _____ Date: _____
Signature