

Participant and Interschool Qld (IQ) Qualifier Dressage Program

Thursday, 7th May 2015, 8:00am start

STEWARD	Denise Alcock 0427 904 010
VENUE	Roma Show Grounds, Northern Rd, ROMA
ENTRIES CLOSE	COB: Friday 24 April 2015 - <u>NO late entries will be accepted</u>
SCRATCHING'S	Denise Alcock Contact: denise.alcock@bigpond.com Or SMS ph.0427904010
ENTRY FEES	Class 1-10 \$15.00/class
PRIZE MONEY	Class 1-10: 1 st \$25, 2 nd \$20, 3 rd \$15 <i>There must be a minimum of 3 riders/class for prize money to be paid</i> Ribbons to 6 th place

RULES & REGULATIONS

1. EA Rules apply to this competition.
2. Current EA dressage test apply. Tests can be downloaded from www.qld.equestrian.org.au
3. Definitely no late nominations will be accepted. Definitely NO phone/fax entries will be accepted.
4. The draw will be available at the Secretaries' office from COB Tues 5th May 2015 or via email if address provided on entry form.
5. Stallions are permitted to compete provided they are ridden by person of 18 years or over.
6. Riders must be a current financial riding member of MEC or provide EA membership No. (must be participant or competitor level) or evidence of 2015 Roma Show Society Membership
7. Riders may compete on a maximum of two (2) horses only – limited to two (2) horses in each class and three tests per horse (same or consecutive levels)
RIDERS MUST BE PREPARED TO RIDE TO TIMED DRAW
8. Each rider may ride no more than three (3) tests per horse for this event
9. Each horse must have the same rider throughout the program, including the warm-up.
10. Each horse may not compete in more than 3 tests on a day
11. No dogs are permitted on the grounds.
12. Competitors wishing to use their scores for Interschool qualifiers must provide their IQ number on the Entry Form. If your IQ number is not provided, the scores cannot be counted.
13. Neither the organising committee or any competition to which these rules apply or EA accepts any liability for any accident, damage, injury or illness to horses, owners, riders, grounds, spectators or any person or property whatsoever.
14. No refund after close of entries unless medical or veterinary certificate is provided within 7 days of the completion of the event.
15. Objections: Attention is drawn to the current Australian Dressage Rules and official procedures for dressage competitions. Only the owner/rider of the horse taking part in the competition may lodge a protest. This must be in writing to the Treasurer of the Maranoa Equestrian Club Inc. with a \$100 deposit not later than 30 minutes after the happening that gave rise to the protest.
16. The Roma Show Society Inc. reserves the right to swab for those substances prohibited by the Queensland Chamber of Agricultural Societies and Equestrian Australia.

17. The Ring Master/Chief Steward shall have the power to ban from competition any competitor whose behaviour to a Judge or Steward is considered offensive
18. Test result sheets, ribbons and prize money MUST be collected at the competition or forfeited – unless a self-addressed envelope is left with the organising committee
19. Entries without a signed Release of Waiver of Liability form will not be accepted
20. Horse Health Declaration must be handed in to gear check at the commencement of the event – Forms can be downloaded from: http://www.qld.equestrian.org.au/site/equestrian/qld/downloads/Pre_Movement_biosecurity_declaration.pdf
21. Mary Jo Nichols Memorial Trophy – Percentage Weighted according to class. (Preparatory % X 0.90; Preliminary % X 0.95; Novice % X 1.0; Elementary % X 1.05)
22. Class 4 and 10 open to current Maranoa Equestrian Club financial members only to comply with current EQ Participant competition rules
23. Helpers: All riders must provide a helper to assist in the running of the event. The list of jobs/helpers will be published with the draw. Riders who do not provide a helper where required may have entries refused. If rider withdraws from the event please advise steward ASAP to enable jobs to be reallocated and help in the smooth running of the event.

STABLING/CAMPING

- Please contact Roma Show Society Inc. for dressage stabling/camping bookings, contact: Alannah Ladbrook Phone: 0411 491 842
ladbrooks@activ8.net.au or roma.show.society@bigpond.com

Event Program

Class #	Description
Junior Classes	
1	Participant EA Preparatory Test C (2013)
2	Participant Preliminary 1.3 (IQ Qualifier)
3	Participant Novice 2.3 (IQ Qualifier)
4	Elementary 3.3 – Open to current Maranoa Equestrian Club Members only
ENCOURAGEMENT AWARD – JUDGED FROM CLASS 1-4	
Open Classes	
5	Participant EA Preparatory C (2013)
6	Participant Preliminary 1.1 (IQ Qualifier)
7	Participant Preliminary 1.3
8	Participant Novice 2.1 (IQ Qualifier)
9	Participant Novice 2.3
10	Elementary 3.3 – Open to current Maranoa Equestrian Club Members only

MARY JO NICHOLS MEMORIAL TROPHY

- Awarded to Highest Percentage scored (weighted according to Class – see Rule 21) by District Horse & rider in all classes
- Best Presented Horse & Rider (**Senior & Junior**)

Participant Dressage Competition ENTRY FORM

ENTRY FORMS ONLY TO:

Maranoa Equestrian Club
Attn: Roma Show Dressage Entries
PO Box 738, ROMA Q 4455

Or

Email to mec@hotmail.com.au
with copy of bank deposit

(payment \$\$ to Roma Show Society – details below)

In accordance with Rule 6, I am a member of (please tick):

- MEC
- EQ (member number).....
- Roma Show Society Inc (member number).....

One horse/pony per form – photocopy for additional horses/ponies

Maximum two (2) horses per rider/day and six (6) tests per rider/day

Each horse may not compete in more than 3 tests on a day. Test must be same or consecutive levels.

HORSE DETAILS:

(Horse may only compete at 2 consecutive levels and a max of 3 tests per day)

Horse Name:

Horse's EA Number: _____ Bridle No (if applicable): _____

Address Horse Resides/Stabled: _____

Property PIC No: _____

Owners Name: _____ Owner EA membership No: _____

RIDERS DETAILS:

(Rider must be a current member of MEC, EA or Roma Show Society Inc – please indicate)

Rider Name:

Street Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email (print clearly): _____

Interschool Queensland (IQ) number ONLY if using as an IQ Qualifying event: _____

2015 Roma Show Society Member Receipt No: _____ (if applicable)

All Riders: To provide a helper for the day (please indicate below)- **entry only accepted if helper details completed**

Helper Name: _____ Helper Mobile: _____

Helper preferred job (please circle):

Arena set up - Arena Pull Down – Scoring - Gear Check – Pencilling - Test Runner

All riders must submit an EQ Horse Health Declaration Form to the Gear Check Steward **on arrival** to the grounds on the day of competition (no form = no ride)

CLASS NO.	COMPETITION DETAILS e.g. Junior Preliminary 1.3	Entry Fee
	Compulsory Administration/Ambulance Levy (Non Refundable)	\$5.00
	TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED	\$
	Are you intending to use this as an Interschool Qualifying event. If YES, please detail IQ number above. See Rule 12.	YES or NO

Entries Close: Friday 24th April 2015. Entries will not be accepted unless a signed Release of Waiver of Liability form is included with nominations

ENTRY FEES

Class 1-10 \$15/class per horse and rider combination

PAYMENT via Bank Deposit:

BSB: 084-907
A/C No: 123 770 259
A/C Name: Roma Show Society Inc
Reference: Dressage – Riders Name

PAYMENT via Cheque/Money Order:

Cheque made payable to:
Roma Show Society Inc.
Posted to: Roma Show Dressage
PO Box 738 ROMA Q 4455

RELEASE OF WAIVER OF LIABILITY

Full Name of Attendee/Participant: _____

Full Name of Parent/Guardian (if Attendee/Participant is Under 18 years of age): _____

Address: _____

Town: _____ Post Code: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Horse's Name: _____

Event/Activity: **MEC in conjunction with Roma Show Society Inc. – Participant and IQ Qualifying Dressage Competition**

Address of Event/Activity: **Roma Show Grounds, Northern Rd, Roma, QLD 4455**

Date of Event/Activity: **Thursday 7th May 2015**

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 Maranoa Equestrian Club Inc., Equestrian Australia 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.
- I understand and acknowledge the dangers associated with the consumption of alcohol or any mind altering drugs before and during the activity and I take full responsibility for any injury, loss or damage associated with their consumption. I agree not to drink alcohol or take drugs prohibited by law before or during this event.
- 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 event and my immediate removal from my horse **NO MATTER** where that may occur. I understand that any such non-compliance may result in injury, death and/or permanent disability and I agree to indemnify the Releasees against all claims made by any person as a result of my failure to comply.
- I agree to wear a current approved EA helmet at all times whilst participating in the event/activity agree that I am solely responsible for ensuring that whilst I participate I wear a suitable helmet at all times and take sole responsibility for my actions.
- I, for myself and on my behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, hereby release and hold harmless and agree not to sue Maranoa Equestrian Club Inc., Equestrian Australia and/or the event organiser, their officers, officials, volunteers, coaches, agents and/or employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, state bodies, affiliated clubs and if applicable, owners and lessors of premises used to conduct the activities (all of whom are referred to as "Releasees") with respect to any and all injury, disability, death, or loss or damage to person or property, whether caused by the negligence of the releasees or otherwise.

Effect of this Document

I have had sufficient opportunity to read this release of liability and assumption of risk management, fully understand its terms, understand that I have given up substantial rights by signing it, and sign it freely and voluntarily without inducement of any kind. I understand that my signature to this document constitutes a complete and unconditional release of all liability of the Releasees, to the greatest extent allowed by law in the event of me and/or the children under my care, suffering injury or death.

Dated: / / Signature of Participant: _____

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 his/her release as provided above of all the Releasees, and, for myself, my heirs, assigns, and next of kin, I release and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees from any and all liabilities arising from my minor child's involvement or participation in horse sport activities and in particular, this event, even if arising from the negligence of the Releasees.

Dated: / / Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____