

Fraser Coast 2** Dressage Championships 11th & 12th August 2018



Conducted by Maryborough Active Riders Club Inc
Maryborough Show Grounds & Equestrian Park

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**In addition to Competitive, Participant & Club Championships (Preliminary - Grand Prix)
MARC offers:**

- **Champion Thoroughbred or Standardbred *Off the Track* less than 3 years**
- **Champion Thoroughbred or Standardbred *Off the Track* more than 3 years**
- **Champion Pony**
- **Champion Junior Rider**
- **Champion Para Equestrian**

Rosettes will also be awarded for Adult Amateur Riders and Youth Riders in all classes.

**FEI and A level Judges from
Interstate and Queensland in attendance
(All tests to be ridden in sand arenas)**

PRIZES: **All Classes:** Guaranteed Prize Money to 4th place as stated & Ribbons to 8th place
 Champions: Champion Sash + (Useable) trophy
 Reserve Champions: Reserve Champion Sash

ENTRY FEES / PRIZE MONEY:

MARC members receive a \$5 discount per class.

For this discount riders need to have full MARC membership or a Limited Membership of \$20.

Memberships need to be done through www.nominate.com.au

Participant/Club Classes entry fee \$35.00

Prize money: 1st \$50, 2nd \$45, 3rd \$40, 4th \$35

Competitive Classes entry fee \$45.00

Prize money: 1st \$60, 2nd \$55, 3rd \$50, 4th \$45

Freestyles entry fee \$40.00

Prize money: 1st \$55, 2nd \$50, 3rd \$45, 4th \$40

All nominations are to be made through www.nominate.com.au

NOMINATIONS CLOSE: Monday 23th July 2018 (NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED)

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**Presentations will be held at the end of each day or when stated in the draw.
Only Riders or Owners of horses will be able to collect Awards/Prizemoney**

DRAW: CAN BE ACCESSED ON THE WEBSITES www.maryboroughactiveriders.org.au & www.nominate.com.au

STABLES: stable use is \$7.65 per horse per day and must be pre-booked 48hrs before the event commencement so that they can be allocated and unlocked. Stable and camping bookings are made online at time of booking entries but can also be made through the 'Stables' section at www.nominate.com.au or enquiries can be directed to Tracey - 0427 773 760 or Julie - 4122 3584. Please check dimensions of stables on venue map prior to booking.

Please bring a completed Horse Health Declaration form and submit to Gear Check before competing.

Trade stalls will be operating over the weekend.

Canteen run by TOTALLY TASTY CATERING will be available during competition hours.

A huge thank you to our many valuable sponsors.

EVENT PROGRAM

Saturday 11th August 2018

Competitive Classes (must be EA competitive member)

Class 1:	Preliminary 1.2	Sponsored by Jamie Colson (NCAS Coach)
Class 2:	Preliminary 1.3	Sponsored by Equestrian Land Developments
Class 3:	Elementary 3.2	Sponsored by Danielle Keogh (BHS & NCAS Coach)
Class 4:	Elementary 3.3	Sponsored by Station Square Shopping Centre
Class 5:	EA FEI Prix St George	Sponsored by Hervey Bay Trailers
Class 6:	EA FEI Intermediate A	Sponsored by Stephen Wright (Remax Real Estate)
Class 7:	EA FEI Intermediate II	Sponsored by Hervey Bay Rural Supplies

Freestyles (open To Club & EA Members)

Class 8:	Novice Freestyle	Sponsored by Allweld
Class 9:	Elementary Freestyle	Sponsored by Allweld
Class 10:	Medium Freestyle	Sponsored by Allweld
Class 11:	Advanced Freestyle	Sponsored by Allweld
Class 12:	Small Tour Freestyle	Sponsored by Allweld
Class 13:	Medium Tour Freestyle	Sponsored by Allweld
Class 14:	Big Tour Freestyle	Sponsored by Allweld

Participant and Club Classes (must be a MARC or EA member for classes 15 & 16)

Class 15:	Novice 2.1	Sponsored by Goodwoods Saddlery
Class 16:	Novice 2.2	Sponsored by Stephen Riggs (Master Farrier)
Class 17:	Medium 4.1 (must be a MARC member)	Sponsored by Prydes Feeds
Class 18:	Medium 4.2 (must be a MARC member)	Sponsored by Polvin Fencing

- **All freestyles to be ridden under lights in covered arena on Saturday evening.**
- **Presentation for Saturday's events will follow the freestyle classes.**
- **Platters of finger food will be provided during the freestyles and presentation.**
- **Our valued sponsors will be present during Saturday evening's event, thus providing an opportunity for competitors to express their appreciation for their support.**

Sunday 12th August 2018

Competitive Classes (must be a Competitive EA member)

Class 19:	Novice 2.2	Sponsored by Anne's Irresistible Lingerie
Class 20:	Novice 2.3	Sponsored by Tom Kelman (Bowen Therapy for Horses)
Class 21:	Para Equestrian Classes *	Sponsored by Bruce Saunders (MP)
Class 22:	Para Equestrian Classes * * Competitors must nominate 2 different tests to be ridden.	Sponsored by Bruce Saunders (MP)
Class 23:	Medium 4.2	Sponsored by Aussie Wide Horse supplies
Class 24:	Medium 4.3	Sponsored by Homestead Jewellery
Class 25:	Advanced 5.1	Sponsored by Topline Trophies
Class 26:	Advanced 5.2	Sponsored by Maryborough Sugar Mill
Class 27:	EA FEI Intermediate I	Sponsored by Discovery Horse Floats
Class 28:	EA FEI Intermediate B	Sponsored by Station Square Shopping Centre
Class 29:	EA FEI Grand Prix	Sponsored by Maryborough Sports Club

Participant and Club Classes (must be a MARC or EA member for classes 30 & 31)

Class 30:	Preliminary 1.1	Sponsored by Ace Stables (Bundaberg)
Class 31:	Preliminary 1.2	Sponsored by David Goddard (Veterinarian)
Class 32:	Elementary 3.1	(must be a MARC member) Sponsored by Federal Hotel
Class 33:	Elementary 3.2	(must be a MARC member) Sponsored by Gympie Saddleworld

PLEASE refer to attached conditions of entry and eligibility criteria for Championship categories.

Neither the organising committee of any competition to which these rules apply, nor the EA, accept any liability for any accident, damage, injury or illness to horses, riders, grounds, spectators or any other person or property whatsoever.

Conditions of Entry and Eligibility Criteria for Championships

- **The organising committee reserves the right to alter the program if circumstances dictate.**
- Current EA rules apply.
- Two gear check sites will be available near relevant arenas. Competitors must report for gear check prior to riding in each test, or will be eliminated.
- One Horse Health Declaration must be given to a gear check site prior to competing.
- In case of cancellation, an administration fee of 30% may be retained by the organising committee.
- No refunds after closing date unless accompanied by a certificate/notification from a recognised equine practitioner or recognised medical practitioner within 24 hours of the completion of the event to the Event Secretary. Organisers may retain 30% of the entry fees.
- **Stallions** must be handled and ridden by persons 18 years and older, and must wear EA stallion green discs at all times as per current EA rules.
- **Ponies** will compete in the main draw for placings and prize money but a separate Pony Championship will be awarded for highest aggregate percentage from their scores in the same Championship category (except for freestyles).
- **Juniors (17 years & under)** will compete in the main draw for placings and prize money but a separate Junior Championship will be awarded for highest aggregate percentage from their scores in the same Championship category (except for freestyles).
- **Juniors/Ponies** may compete in any classes they are eligible for. Juniors/Ponies must tick the box on entry form for Junior/Pony champion eligibility.
- **For both OTT awards**, competitors must tick the relevant box on the entry form to be eligible.
- **Adult Amateur Owner Riders.** There will be no separate champion for this category as AAOR rosettes are supplied by Horseland Gold Coast and will be awarded to 6th place in all competitions. Please tick relevant box on entry form.
- **Youth Riders 10-21.** There will be no separate champion for this category as Youth Riders rosettes are supplied by Arnarge Warmblood Stud and will be awarded to 6th place in all competitions. Please tick relevant box on entry form.
- This will be part of the **EQ inter-club challenge** - tick the relevant box when entering.
- Each horse may only compete in a maximum of 3 tests at 2 consecutive levels (each day).
- Each rider may only enter a maximum of 3 horses.
- Callers are permitted up to Advanced level, but are only allowed at E & B or between the 2 arenas not impeding Judges view.
- All spectators, including photographers and video operators, are not allowed within 10 metres of the arenas. This is an Equestrian Australia rule.
- Times for arena familiarisation will be placed on the draw.
- Riders **MUST** be prepared to ride at allocated time (this will be on draw). Failure to be ready may result in elimination.
- If you require sheets, ribbons, prize money etc posted to you, you must supply a large, stamped, addressed envelope and note on the back of the envelope the classes you participated in. No championship rugs, money or raffle prizes will be posted.
- **Maryborough Park Conditions state that NO DOGS are allowed in equestrian precinct.**

To be eligible for the following Championships, horses must have completed 2 classes specified for that category i.e.

Participant/Club Preliminary Champion (Classes 30 and 31)
Participant/Club Novice Champion (Classes 15 and 16)
Club Elementary Champion (Classes 32 and 33)
Club Medium Champion (Classes 17 and 18)
Competitive Preliminary Champion (Classes 1 and 2)
Competitive Novice Champion (Classes 19 and 20)
Competitive Elementary Champion (Classes 3 and 4)
Competitive Medium Champion (Classes 23 and 24)
Competitive Advanced Champion (Classes 25 and 26)
Small Tour Champion (Classes 5 and 27)
Medium Tour Champion (Classes 6 and 28)
Big Tour Champion (Classes 7 and 29)

The above Championships will be decided as per rule book i.e. 1st + 35 points, 2nd 34 points etc with the Champion being the horse with the highest points; and in event of a tie, the highest aggregate percentage (and in event of a further tie, the higher percentage in the higher competition).

OTT Thoroughbred/Standardbred Champion off the track for **less than 3 years**
OTT Thoroughbred/Standardbred Champion off the track for **more than 3 years**
Pony Champion (one only)
Junior Champion (one only)
Para Equestrian Champion (one only)

The above single Championships classes will be decided from the highest aggregate % from two same level tests Competitive, Participant, or Club (excluding freestyles). If equal, the highest score in the highest test will be awarded the Championship.

New Awards for Off-the-Track Horses

Trophies for the Champion Off-the-Track Thoroughbred or Standardbred

Maryborough Active Riders Club is keen to support and encourage riders to re-home and re-train thoroughbreds and standardbreds with a view to bringing them out to compete and demonstrate the versatility and talent of these horses, when given correct socialisation and progressive training.

This year, MARC is offering two new trophies at the Fraser Coast Dressage Championships:

1. Champion Thoroughbred or Standardbred which has been off the track for **less than three years**
2. Champion Thoroughbred or Standardbred which has been off the track for **more than three years.**

Horses which have been in training but have not actually raced are eligible for these trophies. The entry form on Nominate will require the horse's racing name or microchip number.

The competition will be open to horses competing in Competitive, Participant or Club classes at any level and the trophies will be awarded to the horse with the highest aggregate percentage from their two best scores in the same Championship category, excluding freestyles.

All riders of off-the-track horses are encouraged to support this initiative.

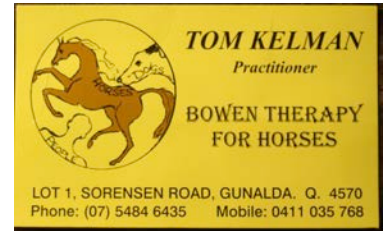
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