



INTERSCHOOL QUEENSLAND *North Coast Regional* CHAMPIONSHIPS

27 Feb - 1 March 2026 | QSEC, Caboolture



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Queensland State Equestrian Centre (QSEC)

Cnr Tuckeroo and Beerburrum Rd, Caboolture

Stables & Camping with QSEC via Nominate directly

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**Noms Open:
10th February**

**Noms Close:
15th February**

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**Entries via
Nominate**

Event Program

\$55/Class/Discipline - presentation at the end of each day

Friday 27th Feb
Show Horse
& Combined
Training

**Saturday 28th
Feb**
Dressage
& Show
Jumping

Sunday 1st Mar
Dressage
& Show
Jumping

\$20 non - refundable administration levy per rider for the event

\$20 medic levy per rider

ALL riders must wear a wristband - no wristband, no ride

Competitive to all IQ riders regardless of region, North Coast riders will be given preference if classes reach capacity

Perpetual Trophy and North Coast Championship Awards for North Coast Riders

Camping and Stabling: All stabling and camping to be booked directly with QSEC via nominate.



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Show Horse

Friday 27th February

8am Start

-  Riders must complete all phases on the same horse
-  Riders may enter maximum of 2 horses in the same or different classes.
-  Riders are expected to ride to their time in the draw
-  Rider number must be displayed at all times in each phase.
-  Workouts as per current IQ Handbook

Primary Classes – Riders in Grades 1 – 6

Class	Class Name	Year Level
SH01**	Show Horse Primary – Walk/ Trot lead line	Prep – Year 3
SH02**	Show Hunter Primary – Walk/ Trot lead line	Prep – Year 3
SH03	Show Horse Primary	Prep – Year 6
SH04	Show Hunter Primary	Prep – Year 6

***Riders in these classes must be on a lead line (handler must be an EQ participant member).*

Intermediate Secondary Classes – Riders in Grades 7 – 9

Class	Class Name	Year Level
SH06	Intermediate Show Horse	Year 7 – Year 9
SH07	Intermediate Show Hunter	Year 7 – Year 9

Senior Secondary Classes – Riders in Grades 10 – 12

Class	Class Name	Year Level
SH08	Senior Show Horse	Year 10 – Year 12
SH09	Senior Show Hunter	Year 10 – Year 12



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Combined Training

Friday 27th February

-  Start time – To be advised on draws after close of entries. Will commence after completion of showhorse.
-  Dressage Phase - Callers are allowed in the dressage phase for all classes excluding 1*
-  Whips (under 120cm) are permitted in the dressage phase for classes CT01, CT02, CT03, CT04 & CT05 only. Whips are permitted for the jumping phase for all classes.
-  Rules & gear/dress as per current IQ Handbook
-  Riders may enter maximum of 2 horses in same or different classes

Primary Classes – Riders in Grades 1 – 6

Class	Class Name	Test
CT01	Primary 50cm	<u>Ev Test A 45 & 60 2020</u>
CT02	Primary 65cm	<u>EvA 65 Test C 2026</u>
CT03	Primary 80cm	<u>Ev Test A 80 2020</u>

Secondary Classes – Riders in Grades 7 – 12

Class	Class Name	Test
CT04	Secondary 65cm	<u>EvA 65 Test C 2026</u>
CT05	Secondary 80cm	<u>Ev Test A 80 2020</u>
CT06	Secondary 95cm	<u>Ev Test A 95 2020</u>
CT07	Secondary 1*	<u>Ev Test A CCN1* 2020</u>



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Dressage

Saturday 28th February & Sunday 1st March

-  Dressage to commence at 8am Saturday and 8am Sunday
-  A horse may not be competed below the horse's EA dressage grading at time of close of entries
-  Callers – are allowed at all levels of dressage for both Primary and Secondary riders.
-  Rules & gear/dress as per current IQ Handbook and current EA Dressage rules
-  Gloves are compulsory for all classes.
-  Whips are to be no longer than 120cm for horses and 100cm for ponies.
-  Maximum of 2 horses per rider and two consecutive levels per horse.
-  Maximum of two tests to be ridden per day for each horse and rider combination.
-  Participants must present to gear check at least 15 min prior to each dressage test and then represent to the dressage steward AFTER their test for a final gear check.

Primary Classes – Riders in Grades 1 – 6

Class	Day	Class Name	EA 2023 Tests
D01	Saturday	Walk Trot	<u>Prep 1</u> & <u>Prep 2</u>
D02	Saturday	Primary Prelim (Qualifier)	<u>1.1</u> & <u>1.2</u>
D03	Sunday	Primary Novice (Qualifier)	<u>2.1</u> & <u>2.2</u>

Intermediate Classes – Riders in Grades 7 – 9

Class	Day	Class Name	EA 2023 Tests
D04	Saturday	Intermediate Prelim	<u>1.1</u> & <u>1.2</u>
D05	Sunday	Intermediate Novice	<u>2.1</u> & <u>2.2</u>

Senior Secondary Classes – Riders in Grades 10 – 12

Class	Day	Class Name	EA 2023 Tests
D06	Saturday	Senior Prelim	<u>1.1</u> & <u>1.2</u>
D07	Sunday	Senior Novice	<u>2.1</u> & <u>2.2</u>

Open Classes – Riders in Primary or Secondary

Class	Day	Class Name	EA 2023 Tests
D08	Saturday	Open Elementary	<u>3.1</u> & <u>3.2</u>
D09	Sunday	Open Medium	<u>4.1</u> & <u>4.2</u>
D10	Sunday	Open Advanced (Secondary only)	<u>5.1</u> & <u>5.2</u>



Show Jumping

Saturday 28th February & Sunday 1st March

-  Course walk will commence at 7am Saturday and 7am Sunday
-  Rules & gear/dress as per current IQ Handbook
-  Back protectors are not compulsory under EQ rules; however IQ strongly recommends their use in the interest of safety.
-  Riders may enter a maximum of 2 horses and each horse may jump in 1 height class per day. One horse may compete in 2 consecutive levels.
-  Ribbons to 6th place, will be presented at the completion of each class

AM5 (Article 238.2.2 Table A) and TWO-PHASE (Article 274.1)

Primary Classes – Riders in Grades 1 – 6

Class	Day	Class Name
SJ01	Saturday	Primary 50cm
SJ02	Sunday	Primary 60cm
SJ03	Saturday	Primary 70cm
SJ04	Sunday	Primary 80cm
SJ05	Saturday	Primary 90cm

Intermediate Classes – Riders in Grades 7 – 9

Class	Day	Class Name
SJ06	Saturday	Intermediate 90cm
SJ07	Sunday	Intermediate 100cm

Secondary Classes – Riders in Grades 7 – 12

Class	Day	Class Name
SJ08	Sunday	Secondary 60cm (non Qualifier)
SJ09	Saturday	Secondary 70cm
SJ10	Sunday	Secondary 80cm
SJ12	Saturday	Secondary 90cm
SJ13	Sunday	Secondary 100cm
SJ14	Saturday	Secondary 110cm
SJ15	Sunday	Secondary 120cm



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Conditions of Entry

Riders may enter a max. of 4 classes per horse across the event. Riders may have to make a choice between classes if there is a time clash.

MEMBERSHIP

All schools represented must be current members of EQ.

Riders must be Junior Competitor financial members at close of entries.

Horses must be registered on the EQ Database at close of entries

IQ riders from other IQ regions are welcome to nominate and will be competitive in all classes. Preference will be given to North Coast entries as this is a regional qualifying event

COMPETITION SCHEDULE

The competition times in the published schedule are correct at the time of publication and should be taken as a guide for participants only.

Rings may run early due to scratchings - please be attentive to announcements on the day. Dressage riders to ride to published draw time unless rider wishes to ride early as per EA rules.

All participants must be prepared to enter the ring when called to do so.

It is the rider's responsibility to present at their designated ride time. Failure to present without prior approval from the OC may result in elimination.

DRAW & HELPERS ROSTER

No Helper, No Ride, No State Qualifier.

Every rider must have a nominated helper per discipline and all jobs must be done or a substitute person nominated.

Initial Draws will be emailed to participants and also published on the "Stack Team App" (North Coast Regionals 2026) one week prior to competition start date.

Each Helper must do one job per class entered. An email will be sent allowing helpers to select the jobs they can assist with over the course of the event using the SignUp App.

Helpers are required to report to the office at least 10 minutes prior to their allotted starting time to sign in.

Failure to carry out your assigned helper duty will render the rider ineligible for placings and scores will not be eligible as qualifiers for the IQ State Championships.

SCRATCHINGS & SUBSTITUTIONS

Before the event, please email Chenoa Trama chenoatrama@hotmail.com for scratchings.

During the event come to the office.

No refund for scratchings after close of entries unless accompanied by a veterinary/medical certificate.

Certificates must be received by the OC within 7 days of commencement of competition.

A \$20 admin fee will be taken off the total entry fees paid.

Riders may substitute an alternative horse up until the start of competition for the day providing proof of IQ registration is presented to the organising committee and the request is accompanied by a veterinary certificate.

No rider may be substituted for another.

MARSHALLING/ GEAR CHECK

A designated Marshalling/Gear Check point will be made available and is compulsory for all participants to be seen prior to their entry in each class.

Dressage - official gear check to be conducted after test. Failure to present will result in elimination. Note: No person to approach or touch rider from arena to gear check. A pre gear check prior to ride is advised to encourage correct equipment and reduce gear/equipment elimination.

All other disciplines must present to gear check at least 15 min prior to ride time.

SADDLERY & EQUIPMENT

All equipment should comply with EA regulations for individual disciplines.

This is the responsibility of the participant and/or parents to ensure that saddlery and equipment is in good repair, meets the relevant safety standards and is fitted appropriately.

If you are unsure, please check the [2026 IQ Handbook](#)

DRESS

Riders **MUST** ride in their designated interschool equestrian uniform, i.e. shirt, tie, jodhpurs or breeches, boots and school jumper/ vest/ jacket if applicable.

A saddlecloth depicting the school emblem should be worn.

Riders must wear an approved helmet with the chin strap fastened at all times. Helmets must have an EA Tag.

Current Approved Safety Standards

Body protectors are not compulsory under EQ rules; however, IQ strongly recommends their use in the interest of safety.

Riders are expected to wear their official school equestrian uniforms and helmets for presentations.

PRIZES

Prizes to Champion and Reserve overall, Ribbons to 6th place in classes.

Unmounted presentations will be held at the conclusion of the event.

It is compulsory for all riders to attend presentations. Failure to comply with this rule will result in elimination from the entire competition and scores will not be eligible as qualifiers for the State Championships. (Unless prior approval by OC)

Criteria for Overall Perpetual North Coast Trophies: Same horse and rider combination for all points. Can only use 1 class per discipline towards the trophy. Minimum of 3 competitors in a class to qualify for overall championship award.

Criteria for Champion Primary / Secondary School: Awarded to the primary/secondary school with the highest aggregate points at the event. Schools must have a minimum of 3 horse rider combinations competing to be eligible for the award. Each horse rider combination contributes points from a maximum of any 4 classes regardless of discipline. To calculate the aggregate the schools total points will be divided by the number of horse rider combinations.

TIED SCORES

Champions & Tied Scores for all disciplines will be as per the current IQ Handbook.

In the event of tied scores, the following will occur:

Tied scores in individual rounds, both riders awarded a tied place, the points for those places are shared and the next placing is omitted

Show Jumping: Tied scores for Champion will go to (1) the athlete with the highest place in the AM5 then (2) the athlete with the highest place in the 2 Phase.

DISPUTES

As per the current IQ Handbook.

No participants, parents, coaches or rider entourage are to directly approach any judges, stewards, course builders or any other officials or volunteers with disputes or complaints.

Any disputes or complaints during the event must be lodged in writing with the Organising Committee through the Team Captain or School Co-ordinator with a fee of \$50 within 30 minutes of the results which gave rise to the objection.

These will be deferred to the Technical Delegate/Ground Jury of the day

The decision of the Technical Delegate/Ground Jury will be final and may not be appealed

DPI/ BIOSECURITY

A Horse Health declaration **MUST** be filled out for every horse on the ground, these will be collected at the gate upon entry
Participants are responsible for checking with the DPI regarding the requirement for spraying of horses.

SOUNDNESS & SAFETY

The judges are required to satisfy themselves regarding soundness of all horses and therefore have authority to stop an unsound horse from participating at any time during the event.

The ground jury/technical delegate in consultation with the judges may at any time stop and eliminate from the event any rider that they deem to be unsafe or to have the potential to cause harm to themselves and others.

BEHAVIOUR

All participants and entourage **MUST** obey school rules and competition etiquette when representing their school and whilst on competition grounds.

The EA Codes of Conduct must be observed by all participants and their parents/entourage during this event.

These can be found in the current IQ Handbook.

Those who fail to do so risk elimination from the event.

MEDICATION CONTROL

Random swabbing of horses may occur to ensure that all horses are participating under the National EA and FEI competition rules without being influenced by prohibited substances.

Please ensure that you have all horses' registration papers available.

More information regarding swabbing can be found [here](#)

HORSES

Stallions are not eligible to enter.

Horse abuse in any form will not be tolerated. If horse abuse is determined the athlete will be disqualified from the competition. The sighting of blood on the horse during a test, whether wet or dry, will entail elimination and/or investigation by the Ground Jury/Technical Delegate based upon the Sport Rules of the discipline involved.

CANCELLATION

In the event of cancellation of the event or part thereof, due to any circumstances beyond the control of the relevant organizing committee, entry fees will be refunded less \$20 administration costs.

PHOTOGRAPHY CONSENT

By participating in this event you are consenting to your child/children being photographed or filmed.

Equestrian Queensland may use these images for promotional use of the event and the Interschool program,

this includes but is not limited to, use on the Equestrian Queensland website, marketing material and in all forms of media.

SCOOTERS AND MOTORISED VEHICLES

Interschool Queensland and Equestrian Queensland accept no responsibility in relation to the use of motorized vehicles on the grounds over the course of the event.

Motor bikes, four wheelers, trikes, scooters, bicycles or other such vehicles will not be permitted in horse riding or competing areas of the grounds and it is the responsibility of parents and guardians to enforce this ruling.

All riders of such vehicles must wear a helmet at all times.

Users of such vehicles risk having them banned or expelled from the grounds if they are being used in a manner which is deemed dangerous or irresponsible by the organizing committee.

GENERAL DISCLAIMER

Neither the Organising Committee, Interschool Queensland, or Equestrian Queensland accepts any liability for any accident, injury or illness to riders, spectators, horses, grounds or any other person's property whatsoever or any associated costs during the event and/or in the event of DPI lockdown in consideration of entries being accepted.

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