



**The West Australian Arabian
Horse Association Inc.**



Proudly present the

2026 WA ARABIAN STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Sunday 29th March 2026

**Indoor Arena
State Equestrian Centre, Brigadoon**



**Halter and Ridden Championships for
Purebreds, Arabian Derivatives & API's**

Judge – Jayne Bellchambers (VIC)



**Entries close –
Friday, 20th March 2026**

No late entries accepted!

EVENT RULES AND REGULATIONS

The West Australian Arabian Horse Association Inc Rules and Regulations, in order of precedence, is governed by:

1. Its Constitution
2. WAAHA Rules & Regulations - https://www.waaha.com.au/files/ugd/fc4436_d57c0e39b4ee407ea2ca58b51b6733c4.pdf
3. WAAHA Show Rules - https://www.waaha.com.au/files/ugd/fc4436_fcaef16acf60471bb70af8756f647fc1.pdf
4. Specific Show and Class Rules outlined below. It is the exhibitor/handler/rider's responsibility to be aware of and abide by all rules set out in each of the above-mentioned documents.

ACCEPTANCE OF THE RULES

- a) All exhibitors lodging an entry into any Western Australian Arabian Horse Association Inc. (WAAHA) event/s shall accept and be bound by these rules upon entering the event.
- b) Competitors are responsible for knowing and complying with all rules and guidelines listed or referred to in this document. It remains the full responsibility of the owner / handler / rider to comply with the equipment rules and general rules as outlined.
- c) Breach of the rules may entail elimination unless other penalties are stipulated.

ASSOCIATION LIABILITY

The Western Australian Arabian Horse Association Inc (WAAHA) or any of its Agents, shall not be liable for any financial loss or damage, physical injury or property damage suffered by any person or animal by reason of any defect, accident, natural disaster, negligence, or neglect however arising.

SHOW COMMITTEE

Shall have the power, without assigning any reason to:

- Reject or cancel any entry at any time.
- Prohibit the participation by any person or exhibit in any event or class for which it is entered.
- Cancel, combine or divide any event or class.
- Alter the time or order at which any class or event is to take place.
- Order the removal of any exhibit from the Show grounds.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- Entries to be submitted via methods listed on the Entry Form and must be accompanied by the correct payment and all supporting documents by close of entries.
- Incorrect and/or incomplete entries that have not been finalised by close of entries will not be accepted. Exhibitors will be sent only one email requesting any outstanding documents, monies etc be forwarded to the show committee.
- Exhibitors must include the names of all persons attending the event as a handler or rider on their entry form and Waiver forms submitted for each person.
- By lodging an entry, the exhibitor shall be bound by the terms & conditions of the event. The signature on an entry form by an exhibitor shall be deemed to evidence acceptance of same.

ARABIAN, ARABIAN DERIVATIVE & API CLASSES

REGISTRATION, OWNERSHIP, MEMBERSHIP & ELIGABILITY

The following rules apply to any exhibitor entering Purebred Arabian, Arabian Derivative and Arabian Performance Index classes.

- All horses must be registered or Performance Index recorded with the Arabian Horse Society of Australia. Registration and Recording numbers to be stated for all exhibits on entry forms. Horses may only compete in classes for the section of the registry in which they hold registration. REGISTRATION FORMS MUST ACCOMPANY ALL ENTRIES.
- WAAHA does NOT recognise any form of "pending" registration.
- Persons exhibiting any horse, Purebred, Derivative or Performance Index, must be the Registered Owner
- Exhibitors must complete the Release and Waiver of Liability form.
- Any Handler and/or Rider that is not a current financial member of WAAHA must pay the Day Membership fee and complete the waiver.
- Judges must not be approached under any circumstances by any competitor or spectator. The judge's decision will be final.
- All handlers must be wearing covered footwear at all times.
- The horses ages are calculated as at the 1st August each year.

WAAHA MEMBERS RATES

- Only current 2026 Junior, General, Family/Joint and Life members of the WAAHA Inc., who is the Owner/Lessee of an exhibit is eligible to enter at WAAHA member's rates.
- Membership fees must be paid before or on the close of entries.

STATE EQUESTRIAN CENTRE

All exhibitors, riders, handlers, grooms and persons attending events held at the SEC are to abide by the SEC's General Conditions Of Use – To View the SEC's Conditions – [Click Here](#)

- All exhibitors will pay a \$15 per horse / per day Facility Levy with their entries.
 - Exhibitors who are Non-EWA members will also pay a \$20 per horse / per day Ground Service Fee
- Stables, camping and yards are to be booked directly through the SEC - [To Make a Booking – Click Here](#)

STALLIONS

At all WAAHA events, exhibitors, handlers and riders of stallions will be required to abide by the rules set out in the EA Stallion Safe Practice Rules & Regulations Policy - https://www.equestrian.org.au/sites/default/files/EA_Stallion_Safe_Practice_Policy_15062018_0.pdf

Whilst it may not always be possible for green stallion discs to be attached to some in-hand cable halters, it is strongly recommended they be worn in all halter classes. All stallions will be issued with a green exhibit number which must be worn by the handler / rider in all classes.

APPROVED SAFETY HELMET

Any person mounted on a horse is required to wear an approved safety helmet with the retaining harness secured and fastened at all times, in ANY class. Protective headgear must conform with current standards as per Equestrian Australia General Regulations at rule 122.2.

EXHIBIT NUMBERS

Where entries have been allocated an exhibit number, the exhibit or handler/rider/driver must display the correct exhibit number at all times in each event unless otherwise permitted by a show official.

HEIGHT CERTIFICATES

Any horse with a current Annual or Life Height Certificate is to compete in the correct height classes. Horses two years and under are to compete in height class of their expected mature height. A copy of the height certificate must be provided with the show entries where applicable.

CLASS RULES - SHOW HORSE / SHOW HUNTER CLASSES

Horses may compete in Show Horse, Show Hunter OR Sport Horse classes. Horses may not compete in more than one section. If a horse is competing in halter and ridden, they must compete in the same section in both halter and ridden classes.

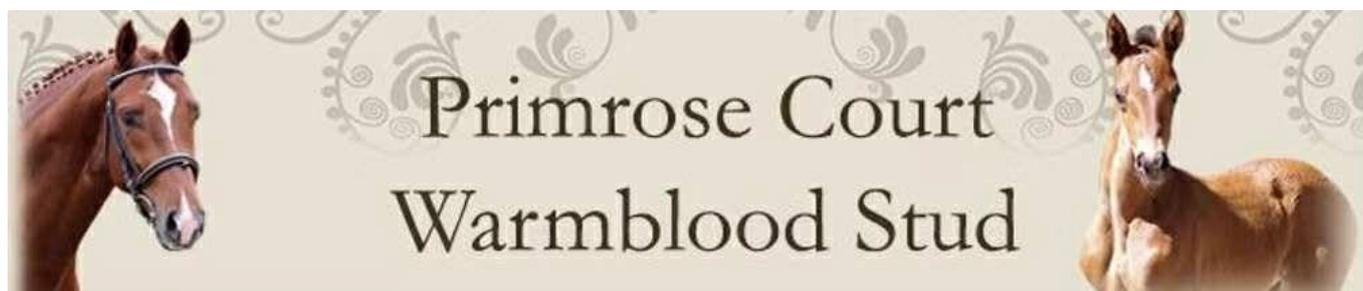
- **Show Horse Class** - Horses will be judged on their suitability as a led\ridden Show Horse. Halter - Horses are to be presented as for Show Horse classes in a full English/show bridle or cable halter. Ridden – Horse and riders are to be presented as for Show horse classes.

- **Show Hunter Class** - Horses will be judged on their suitability as a Show Hunter. Halter - Horses are to be presented in hand in a full English Show Hunter bridle (no ribbon browbands or cable halters) Ridden – Horses and riders are to be presented as they would for Show Hunter classes.

- **Performance Horse Class** – Horses will be judged on their suitability as a Dressage, Jumping/Eventing or Endurance/Racing horse. Horses are to be presented in a safe halter or bridle representative of the discipline the horse is suited to. (No Show horse style ribboned browbands allowed in the Performance Horse Classes)

- **Amateur Handler** - is one who, regardless of his/her equestrian skills and/or accomplishments has not directly or indirectly accepted as payment, goods or money for services usually provided by a professional in the areas of breaking, riding, training, schooling, driving, halter preparation, showing in halter or under saddle. This includes any persons who have any form of sponsorship.

BROODMARE, NON-PRO & YOUTH CLASSES - See WAAHA Rules & Regulations.



2026 WA ARABIAN STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Arabian Performance Index Halter Classes

1. API Gelding 4yrs & Over – 14.2hh & Under
2. API Gelding 4yrs & Over – Over 14.2hh
3. API Mare 4yrs & Over – 14.2hh & Under
4. API Mare 4yrs & Over – Over 14.2hh
5. API Stallion 4yrs & Over – 14.2hh & Under
6. API Stallion 4yrs & Over – Over 14.2hh

GRAND CHAMPION SENIOR API

Sash & Prize sponsored by VICKI TAPPER

7. API Foal
8. API Yearling
9. API Gelding 2 & 3yrs
10. API Filly 2 & 3yrs
11. API Colt 2 & 3yrs

GRAND CHAMPION JUNIOR API

Sash & Prize sponsored by LJH EQUESTRIAN

SUPREME ARABIAN PERFORMANCE INDEX

Garland sponsored by JANE FISHER

12. API Led Show Hack^
13. API Led Show Hunter^
14. API Led Performance Horse^
15. API Mare or Gelding shown by a Youth
16. API shown by a Non-Professional
17. API shown by an Amateur
18. Junior Handler Showing an API
19. Senior Handler Showing an API



Purebred Arabian Halter Classes

20. Purebred Gelding 4 - 8yrs
21. Purebred Gelding 9yrs & Over
22. Purebred Mare 4 – 8yrs
23. Purebred Mare 9yrs & Over
24. Purebred Broodmare 4yrs & Over (check rules)
25. Purebred Stallion 4 – 8yrs
26. Purebred Stallion 9yrs & Over

GRAND CHAMPION SENIOR PUREBRED ARABIAN

Sash & Prize sponsored by PRIMROSE COURT WARBLOODS

27. Purebred Filly Foal
28. Purebred Colt\Gelding Foal
29. Purebred Yearling Gelding
30. Purebred Yearling Filly
31. Purebred Yearling Colt
32. Purebred Gelding 2\3yrs
33. Purebred Filly 2\3yrs
34. Purebred Colt 2\3yrs

GRAND CHAMPION JUNIOR PUREBRED ARABIAN

Sash & Prize sponsored by TOUENS PARK

SUPREME PUREBRED ARABIAN

Garland sponsored by ARYLIN PONY STUD

35. Purebred Arabian Classic Head
36. Purebred Arabian Classic Trot
37. Purebred Arabian Led Show Hack^
38. Purebred Arabian Led Show Hunter^
39. Purebred Arabian Performance Horse^
40. Purebred Arabian Mare\Gelding shown by a Youth
41. Purebred Arabian shown by a Non-Professional
42. Purebred shown by an Amateur
43. Junior Handler Showing a Purebred Arabian
44. Senior Handler Showing a Purebred Arabian



Arabian Derivative – Senior Halter Classes

45. Half Arabian Mare 4yrs & Over
46. Half Arabian Gelding 4yrs & Over
47. Half Arabian Stallion 4yrs & Over
48. Quarab Mare 4yrs & Over
49. Quarab Gelding 4yrs & Over
50. Quarab Stallion 4yrs & Over
51. Arabian Stockhorse Mare 4yrs & Over
52. Arabian Stockhorse Gelding 4yrs & Over
53. Arabian Stockhorse Stallion 4yrs & Over
54. Anglo Arabian Mare 4yrs & Over
55. Anglo Arabian Gelding 4yrs & Over
56. Anglo Arabian Stallion 4yrs & Over
57. Partbred Arabian Mare 4yrs & Over
58. Partbred Arabian Gelding 4yrs & Over
59. Partbred Arabian Stallion 4yrs & Over
60. Arabian Warmblood Mare 4yrs & Over
61. Arabian Warmblood Gelding 4yrs & Over
62. Arabian Warmblood Stallion 4yrs & Over
63. Arabian Pony Mare 4yrs & Over
64. Arabian Pony Gelding 4yrs & Over
65. Arabian Pony Stallion 4yrs & Over
66. Arabian Riding Pony Mare 4yrs & Over
67. Arabian Riding Pony Gelding 4yrs & Over
68. Arabian Riding Pony Stallion 4yrs & Over

GRAND CHAMPION SENIOR ARABIAN DERIVATIVE

Sash & Prize sponsored by DYNAMIK STALLIONS

Arabian Derivative – Junior Halter Classes

69. Half Arabian Yearling
70. Half Arabian Filly 2 & 3yrs
71. Half Arabian Colt\Gelding 2 & 3yrs
72. Quarab Yearling
73. Quarab Filly 2 & 3yrs
74. Quarab Colt\Gelding 2 & 3yrs
75. Arabian Stockhorse Yearling
76. Arabian Stockhorse Filly 2 & 3yrs
77. Arabian Stockhorse Colt\Gelding 2 & 3yrs
78. Anglo Arabian Yearling
79. Anglo Arabian Filly 2 & 3yrs

80. Anglo Arabian Colt\Gelding 2 & 3yrs
81. Partbred Arabian Yearling
82. Partbred Arabian Filly 2 & 3yrs
83. Partbred Arabian Colt\Gelding 2 & 3yrs
84. Arabian Warmblood Yearling
85. Arabian Warmblood Filly 2 & 3yrs
86. Arabian Warmblood Colt\Gelding 2 & 3yrs
87. Arabian Pony Yearling
88. Arabian Pony Filly 2 & 3yrs
89. Arabian Pony Colt\Gelding 2 & 3yrs
90. Arabian Riding Pony Yearling
91. Arabian Riding Pony Filly 2 & 3yrs
92. Arabian Riding Colt\Gelding 2 & 3yrs
93. Arabian Derivative Foal – to mature 14.2hh & under
94. Arabian Derivative Foal – to mature over 14.2hh

GRAND CHAMPION JUNIOR ARABIAN DERIVATIVE
Sash & Prize sponsored by CHEROKEE LODGE

SUPREME ARABIAN DERIVATIVE
Garland sponsored by GRS RURAL

95. Arabian Derivative Quality Head
96. Arabian Derivative Best Trot
97. Arabian Derivative Led Show Horse^
98. Arabian Derivative Led Show Hunter^
99. Arabian Derivative Performance Horse^
100. Arabian Derivative Mare\Gelding shown by a Youth
101. Arabian Derivative shown by a Non-Professional
102. Arabian Derivative Shown by an Amateur
103. Junior Handler Showing an Arabian Derivative
104. Senior Handler Showing an Arabian Derivative



LUNCH BREAK

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Arabian Performance Index Ridden Classes

105. API Ridden Pony 14hh & under
106. API Ridden Galloway over 14hh ne 15hh
107. API Ridden Hack over 15hh
108. API Bridle Path Hack
109. API Show Pony\Galloway\Hack^
110. API Show Hunter Pony\Galloway\Hack^
111. API Ridden Performance Horse^

SUPREME CHAMPION RIDDEN API
Garland sponsored by MATTILDA ARABIANS

112. API Mare or Gelding Ridden by a Youth
113. API Ridden by a Non-Professional

Purebred Arabian Ridden Classes

114. Ridden Purebred Arabian Gelding
115. Ridden Purebred Arabian Mare
116. Ridden Purebred Arabian Stallion
117. Arabian Bridle Path Hack
118. Arabian Show Hack^
119. Arabian Show Hunter^
120. Arabian Ridden Performance Horse^

SUPREME RIDDEN PUREBRED
Garland sponsored by MATTILDA ARABIANS

121. Purebred Arabian Mare\Gelding Ridden by a Youth
122. Purebred Arabian Ridden by a Non-Professional

Arabian Derivative Ridden Classes

123. Ridden Half Arabian
124. Ridden Arabian Stockhorse
125. Ridden Quarab
126. Ridden Anglo Arabian

127. Ridden Arabian Warmblood
128. Ridden Partbred Arabian
129. Ridden Arabian Pony
130. Ridden Arabian Riding Pony
131. Arabian Derivative Bridle Path Hack
132. Arabian Derivative Show Hack^
133. Arabian Derivative Show Hunter^
134. Arabian Derivative Ridden Performance Horse^

SUPREME RIDDEN ARABIAN DERIVATIVE
Garland sponsored by SA'VEY ARABIAN HORSES

135. Derivative Mare or Gelding Ridden by a Youth
136. Derivative Ridden by a Non-Professional

Horses can compete in ONLY ONE of the classes marked with ^

Leadline & Rider Classes

137. Open Leading Rein Rider 5-8yrs
138. Open Leading Rein Exhibit
139. Youth Rider 17yrs & Under
140. Non-Pro Rider
141. Senior Rider 18yrs & Over

Miscellaneous Ridden Classes

142. Open Show Costume
Champion - \$50 & Sash | Reserve - \$25 & Sash
143. Open Desert Costume
Champion - \$50 & Sash | Reserve - \$25 & Sash
Costume Classes Sponsored by: Louise Bingley
144. Open Australian Pleasure
145. Open Working Stockhorse
146. Open Western Pleasure

Some of the Miscellaneous classes may be judged during the lunch break. Schedule of classes will be determined on close of entries.

2026 WA ARABIAN STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS - ENTRY FORM

Entries close 8pm 20th MARCH 2026 – NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED

Please use a separate form for each different Exhibitor / Registered Owner

If one horse is being handled by multiple handlers, please complete a new section to ensure all details are captured

Exhibitor:		
Address:		
Email:		Mobile:
AHSA Member No:	WAAHA Member No:	EA member No:

NAME OF HORSE:										Registration No:		
OWNERS:												
Sire:						Dam:						
Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Stallion <input type="checkbox"/> Mare <input type="checkbox"/> Gelding						Age:			Height:			
Handler:						WAAHA\EA Number:						
Rider:						WAAHA\EA Number:						
Led Class Numbers:												\$
Ridden Class Numbers:												\$
CLASS FEES - WAAHA Members \$10 Non-members \$15										HORSE 1 - TOTAL CLASS FEES		\$

NAME OF HORSE:										Registration No:		
OWNERS:												
Sire:						Dam:						
Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Stallion <input type="checkbox"/> Mare <input type="checkbox"/> Gelding						Age:			Height:			
Handler:						WAAHA\EA Number:						
Rider:						WAAHA\EA Number:						
Led Class Numbers:												\$
Ridden Class Numbers:												\$
CLASS FEES - WAAHA Members \$10 Non-members \$15										HORSE 2 - TOTAL CLASS FEES		\$

NAME OF HORSE:										Registration No:		
OWNERS:												
Sire:						Dam:						
Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Stallion <input type="checkbox"/> Mare <input type="checkbox"/> Gelding						Age:			Height:			
Handler:						WAAHA\EA Number:						
Rider:						WAAHA\EA Number:						
Led Class Numbers:												\$
Ridden Class Numbers:												\$
CLASS FEES - WAAHA Members \$10 Non-members \$15										HORSE 3 - TOTAL CLASS FEES		\$

2026 WA ARABIAN STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS - ENTRY TOTALS

Entries close 8pm 20th MARCH 2026 – NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED

Please use a separate form for each different Exhibitor / Registered Owner

ENTRY FEE TOTALS

Please ensure that the correct fees are enclosed. All handlers/Riders must complete a Release and Waiver form.
All Registrations must be included with your entry.

HORSE 1 - Total Class Fees:	\$
HORSE 2 - Total Class Fees:	\$
HORSE 3 – Total Class Fees:	\$
(Compulsory for all horses) SEC Levy - \$ 15.00 per horse:	\$
(Non EA Members only) SEC Ground Fee – \$20 per horse:	\$
Compulsory for all non-members of WAAHA OR EA - DAY INSURANCE – 15 per handler\rider:	\$
GRAND TOTAL FEES:	\$

I hereby declare that all the exhibits entered are eligible to compete at this event, are registered with the Arabian Horse Society of Australia Ltd (AHSA) and all particulars provided are correct.

I agree to abide by all rules and regulations set out by The West Australian Arabian Horse Assoc Inc (WAAHA) Rules and Regulations and Show Rules contained in this document and the rules of the State Equestrian Centre.

Exhibitor Name: _____

Exhibitor Signature: _____ Date: _____

(To be completed by Guardian if under 18 years old)

Entries to be paid to WAAHA - BSB: 633-000 | ACC: 208 792 226
REF – SCEntry_YourSurname

Enquiries and email entries to: treasurer@waaha.com.au

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WEST AUSTRALIAN ARABIAN HORSE ASSOCIATION INC. DANGEROUS ACTIVITY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY

*This form must be submitted with entries and signed by:
EACH Competitor, Handler & Rider.*

Full Name of attendee and guardian (if under 18 years): _____

Address: _____

Date of birth: _____ Contact Number: _____

Event/Activity: **West Australian Arabian Championships**

Address of Event/Activity: **State Equestrian Centre, Brigadoon**

Date of Event/Activity: **Sunday 29th March 2026**

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 the proprietors of WAAHA (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 helmet at all times during the event and agree that I am solely responsible for ensuring that I wear a suitable helmet at all times and take sole responsibility for my actions. I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS AND AGREE NOT TO SUE the proprietors of WAAHA, 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 agreement, 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: _____ Signed: _____

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: _____



WAAHA NON-PRO DECLARATION

(Effective 1st February 2026)

Definition of a Non-Pro

A non-pro is one who, regardless of his/her equestrian skills and/or accomplishments, in the past three years has not directly or indirectly accepted as payment, goods or money for services usually provided by a professional in the areas of breaking, riding, training, schooling, driving, halter preparation, showing in halter or under saddle.

The following activities shall not affect the Non-Pro status of a person who is otherwise qualified;

- a) The writing of books
- b) Accepting remuneration for judging or stewarding
- c) Speaking at workshops, clinics, seminars or training days in a voluntary capacity where they do not accept a fee for their services.
- d) Receiving prize money or goods as services.
- e) Having the occupation of farrier, veterinarian, stable hand or groom.
- f) Owning or operating a saddlery, stud or breeding farm or boarding stables.

Spouses and immediate family of a trainer are also able to be registered as a Non-Pro, providing they are not involved with any of the above listed activities with horses where the trainer is being paid.

In accordance with the definition of a Non-Pro (as above),

I, _____ (print name)

Of _____ (address)

declare that I am a NON-PRO.

Signature: _____

Phone Number: _____

Witness Signature: _____

Date: _____

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.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Witness Signature: _____

This Declaration is to be completed and presented with your entry to any show where you will be competing in Non-Pro classes.