



Event Schedule

2018 Equestrian Australia Para-Dressage Qualifier
Proudly Sponsored by Prydes EasiFeed

6th – 8th July 2018

Sydney International Equestrian Centre
Saxony Road, Horsley Park, NSW

Conducted by Equestrian Australia
ABN: 1907 7455 755

Entries Close: Monday, 28th May, 2017

Late entries not accepted.

Enter online only: www.nominate.com.au

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Equestrian Australia Para-Dressage Qualifier: Schedule of Competitions:

Friday 6th July 2018

Trot Up:	Horse Inspection – All Grades
Comp. 1:	<i>Prydes Easi-Feed</i> Grade I FEI Individual Competition
Comp. 2:	<i>Prydes Easi-Feed</i> Grade II FEI Individual Competition
Comp. 3:	<i>Prydes Easi-Feed</i> Grade III FEI Individual Competition
Comp. 4:	<i>Prydes Easi-Feed</i> Grade IV FEI Individual Competition
Comp. 5:	<i>Prydes Easi-Feed</i> Grade V FEI Individual Competition

Saturday 7th July 2018

Comp. 6:	<i>Prydes Easi-Feed</i> Grade I FEI Team Competition
Comp. 7:	<i>Prydes Easi-Feed</i> Grade II FEI Team Competition
Comp. 8:	<i>Prydes Easi-Feed</i> Grade III FEI Team Competition
Comp. 9:	<i>Prydes Easi-Feed</i> Grade IV FEI Team Competition
Comp. 10:	<i>Prydes Easi-Feed</i> Grade V FEI Team Competition

Sunday 8th July 2018

Comp. 11:	<i>Prydes Easi-Feed</i> Grade I FEI Freestyle Competition
Comp. 12:	<i>Prydes Easi-Feed</i> Grade II FEI Freestyle Competition
Comp. 13:	<i>Prydes Easi-Feed</i> Grade III FEI Freestyle Competition
Comp. 14:	<i>Prydes Easi-Feed</i> Grade IV FEI Freestyle Competition
Comp. 15:	<i>Prydes Easi-Feed</i> Grade V FEI Freestyle Competition

The competition program may change depending on entries received; therefore, it may be necessary to re-schedule some competitions to another day. A draft plan will be available within a week of entries closing.

Entry Fees:

\$100 per test

Para-Equestrian Champions: Championship rugs will be awarded to the Champion of each Para-Equestrian Grade. Winners will be determined by points achieved (refer 9.15) in the Individual Championship and Freestyle Tests.

Prizes:

Goods in Kind will be awarded to Championship Scores Only

Para-Dressage Championship:	1st: Champion Rug & Prydes Feed;
	2nd: Prydes Feed;
	3rd: \$ Prydes Feed;

Ribbons will be awarded to 3rd place for all classes

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

The 2018 Equestrian Australia Para-Dressage Qualifier will be conducted in accordance with the current edition of FEI Para-Equestrian Dressage Rules effective 01/01/2018 including amendments. Competitors are to be aware of the Rules. The onus is on riders to know the rules under which they compete.

Membership & Horse Registration

- ② **Membership and Horse Registration:** Riders and Horses/Ponies must be current competitive members of EA.
- ② EA membership and performance licenses in most States run from July 1 until June 30, therefore **all competitors must renew before the start of competition on July 6 2018**. Membership status will be checked and if not current, the rider will be not eligible to compete.

Entries & Eligibility

- ② **Rider Age:** This event is open to riders aged 12 years and above (calculated from the start of each year)
- ② **Horse Age:** Horses and Ponies must be at least 5 years old to compete in EA Para Equestrian (calculated from 1 January [northern hemisphere] or 1 August [southern hemisphere])
- ② **Classification:** All riders must have their functional profile assessed by an EA or FEI Accredited Classifier before taking part in Para-Equestrian Competition
- ② **Draw:** Competitions are limited to 10 competitors. The OC reserves the right to rank horses if necessary. A revised draw may be necessary the day before the competition to allow for withdrawals. **The onus is on the competitor to confirm/check their start times the day before the competition. The draw may change up to 6pm on any day throughout competition and will be posted online and at the rider's office.**
- ② **Entries:** Only online entries will be accepted at www.Nominate.com.au Incomplete information may result in the entry not being accepted. **Late entries, faxed and phone entries will not be accepted.**

Objections & Appeals

Protests and Appeals: Objections must be in writing and accompanied by a deposit fee of \$150.00 (refer EA Gen. Regs) Art. 163/165/166). Attention is drawn to Rule 1.5 of EA Dressage Rules.

Withdrawals & Refunds

- ② Entry fees will not be refunded after the closing unless a medical or veterinary certificate is produced within 24 hours of the completion of the event. In such cases, the O.C. will retain 50% of the entry fees. Entry fees will be refunded in full for withdrawals before the closing date. The administration fee will **not be refunded**.
 - i. Fees for stables/tack/cabins/camp sites **will not be refunded** for competitors who depart earlier than indicated on the entry form.
- **Withdrawals:** No competitor shall withdraw from a competition within 8 hours before the start of the competition without the permission of the Organising Committee. **A written statement giving reasons for the withdrawal must be handed to the Event Office prior to the commencement of the competition. Penalty for non-compliance – maximum of \$A200.**

Saddlery & Equipment

- ② **Saddlery and Equipment:** Only those compensating aids listed for the rider on the FEI and/or EA PE Master List can be used at the event. It is the responsibility of the competitor to ensure that all special equipment/compensating aids are permitted under Para-Equestrian Rules and are noted on the PE Master List.
- ② **Commanders:** The Official FEI PE Tests must be carried out entirely from memory, and all movements must follow in the order laid down in the test; except for those riders who may have their tests commanded and/or called as a compensating aid listed on the EA/FEI PE Master List
- ② **Bridle numbers:** Must be worn at all times when the horse is outside its stable. Please ensure you have two sets of numbers, one set on either side of the horse's bridle or saddlecloth for competition and one on the halter when taking horse out of the stable for walking/hosing down etc. Please include your allocated bridle number on the entry form.
- ② **Ear Hoods:** Ear hoods are permitted for all competitions. They should be discreet in colour and design. Refer EA/FEI rules for details.
- ② **Advertising and Publicity on competitors and horses** (Gen. Regs. Art. 135) Competitors are authorised to carry the logo of their personal sponsor on the saddlecloth in accordance with Art. 135. **Riders** with privately organised sponsorship may display a "logo" of their sponsor on their saddlecloth. The area covered by this logo **may not exceed 200 sq. cm (max. 10 cm- high, max. 20 cm- wide)**. **A sponsor's label on jackets must not exceed 80 sq.cm at the height of breast pockets (max. 10 cm- high, max. 8 cm- wide)**. Please note that if more than one sponsor logo is placed on the saddlecloth, **the area covered by all logo's may not exceed 200 sq.cm as above.**

General Information

- ② Tests will be judged by EA and FEI Accredited Para-Equestrian Judges
- ② Whenever possible a 20m x 40m and 20m x 60m arena will be available for Para Riders on Competition Days
- ② **Freestyle:** Due to limited time available, the Freestyle may be restricted to a max number of 10-12 horses across all grades. Riders may ride only one horse in the Freestyle. Participation will be based on the combined percentage average of the Team and Individual Championship competitions.
- ② **Stallions:** Stallions are welcome to compete at this event however, they must be kept under control by a competent person at all times when either ridden or led. **Stallions must be stabled for this event.** Stallions must be led with a bit or chain in addition to their head collar.
- ② **Stallion Green Discs** must be displayed at all times on saddlecloths and halters.
- ② **Presentations:** will take place **at the end of the day or at the completion of each competition** (depending on the daily schedule). A presentation schedule will be posted on the Rider's Retreat notice board at the start of the championships. It is compulsory for all place getters to be present at prize giving.
- ② **Catering facilities** - will be available on the grounds from Thursday. Cooking facilities are available in the Riders Retreat.
- ② **Warming-up/ Exercising:** All riders must wear an approved safety helmet while mounted.
- ② All horses must be saddled and be ridden in a bridle during any mounted exercise or competition warm-up. Horses are not permitted in the cabin and camping areas. Note all horses must wear their bridle number when out of the stable. Competitors will have access to competition arenas for familiarisation, see website for details closer to the event.
- ② **Lunging:** Lunging is only permitted in the lunge areas adjacent to the stable block, under no circumstances are horses to be lunged in any other area.
- **Dogs** – S.I.E.C. is located within a Regional Park under the control of the National Parks and Wildlife Service, **dogs must be on a leash at all times. NO Dangerous dogs please.** Owners are responsible for their animals and DNSW will not accept any liability.

Stabling

- ❑ **Stabling:** Tying up of horses to floats and trucks allowed at the venue designated float and truck areas only. For safety reasons, we recommend that competitors book a stable for their horses. **Stallions must be stabled.** All stables will be empty on arrival and must be completely cleaned out on departure.
- ❑ **Arrival of Horses:** S.I.E.C. will be open for arrival of horses from **Thursday 5th July from 12pm. No arrivals before this time.** On other days, please plan your arrival between **8am and 5pm.** Exception for day parkers who have an early draw. Please note your approx. time of arrival on the entry form.
- ❑ There is a compulsory stable bond of \$75 that will be refunded if stables are **left completely empty and swept clean.**
- ❑ **Tack Rooms:** Share tack rooms in each aisle will be allocated for general tack storage for all competitors to share/use (these are not to be locked). Competitors wishing to have their own private tack room can book at a cost of \$44 per day. Please book and pay on entry form. Please sweep clean on departure, if tack rooms are not left completely clean, competitors will be charged a \$75 cleaning fee.
- ❑ **Please Note: Charges for stable hire at SIEC apply to use of stables per day or part thereof. E.g. From midnight to midnight.** If you arrive before midnight on one day and leave at 6am the following day this is classed as 2 days. Please take this into account when booking stables.
- ❑ **Bedding** (shavings) is to be ordered on the entry form at a cost of \$13/bale or competitors can bring their own bedding (rice hulls or shavings) Please note that the average number of bales required to fill a stable is 8/10. **Day Parking Fee: A day parking fee of \$20 per day applies to all horses or ponies that are not stabled.**
- ❑ **Stables not booked by the 27th June may incur a \$40 late booking fee per stable**
- ❑ **Fodder:** Leppington Feed Supplies, Tel: 02 9606 5427 Fax: 02 9606 5736. Orders must be placed the day before delivery is required and all orders must be pre-paid. Macarthur Stockfeeds will delivery any day ph: 0459 021 788. Please notify Feed Merchant of your stable number for deliveries.
- ❑ **STABLE PROTOCOL: SMOKING is not permitted in the stables! Prams, bicycles, scooters and golf buggies not permitted in the stable area.** (Exception - vehicles approved by SIEC, Stable Manager and venue staff). Children must be supervised at all times. For safety reasons we recommend that all persons including children **wear closed footwear** whilst in the stables.

Camping

- ❑ **Camping facilities:** These are available on the grounds at a cost of **\$40 per night.** All sites are powered. There are good shower and toilet facilities with hot and cold water for males and females. Preferred sites (eg. nearest the stables) will be allocated first to competitors staying for the longer periods. Please note that horses or ponies are not permitted within the Camping Area at any time.
- **Cabin Accommodation on grounds:** Small cabins are available for hire at a cost of **\$50 per night** per room. Rooms contain 2 beds with mattress, small hanging cupboard, 1 chair, wall heater, power point and lights - linen is not provided. Rooms must be left clean and tidy and no cooking in rooms. The "Riders Retreat" with cooking, BBQ, TV, Video facilities is available for competitors to use during the event.
- ❑ **Local Caravan Rental:** Parravans (02) 4577 5577, Claron Caravans 02 9675 3075, Dolphin Caravan Hire (Londonderry) (02) 4572 7176. Please make sure you obtain your site number and advise the caravan company before delivery of van.
- ❑ **Accommodation** Some Motels/Hotels available in the near vicinity are below, or check web site for more options: We recommend the Mercure Hotel, Hoxton Park Rd, Liverpool (easy access of the M7) 02 8777 0600 e-mail: hotel@mercuresydneyliverpool.com.au (easy access from M7, 10 mins from SIEC). Mention Dressage NSW for our corporate rate. Chifley Eastern Creek. 4.5*, corner Brabham & Peter Brock Drive, Eastern Creek. Tel: 02 8889 7700, Novotel, Rooty Hill. Cnr Railway & Sherbrooke Sts, Rooty Hill. & Tel: 02 9832 3888 Fax: 02 9832 1347. Travelodge Blacktown, Cnr Reservoir & Holbeche Rd, Blacktown, NSW, 2148. Tel: 02 8822 2000; Motel Formula 1, 377-383 Great Western Hwy, Wentworthville, NSW, 2145. Tel: 02 9769 1240; Carlton Parramatta, 350 Phillip St. Tel: 02 9630 4999; Rydges Parramatta, 116 James Ruse Drv. Tel: 02 9897 2222; Crowne Plaza Parramatta, 30 Phillip St. Tel: 02 9689 3333, Voyager Motel, Minchbury Tel: 02 9625 9902; Blue Cattle Dog Motel, St Clair Tel: 02 9670 3050.
- **Caravan Parks** – Penrith Caravan Park (02) 4735 4425, Casa Paloma, Leppington (02) 9606 5470, Fairfield West Caravan Park (02) 9604 8981

Risk Warning and Disclaimer

1. Horse riding is a dangerous activity and can result in serious injury (including death) and loss.
2. All persons who ride or tend a horse on these grounds do so entirely at their own risk.
3. Neither the Equestrian Australia, Equestrian NSW, Dressage NSW, nor the Committee or any member thereof, accepts any liability for any personal injury (including death) suffered by any person from or relating to any incident involving a horse and whether or not caused or contributed by the negligent act, error or omission of the Council, the Committee or a member thereof.

SIEC Code of Conduct

- SIEC accepts no liability for the loss or damage of vehicles, accessories or the contents or any goods or articles while on the premises
- All vehicles, except those authorised, must park in designated car or truck parking areas
- All roads are designated public carriageways. All persons visiting the site must obey venue signage and all reasonable directions given by authorised venue staff
- Unless licensed, alcohol is not permitted to be bought onto the site. All persons visiting the site must use granite paths and mowed areas at all times
- Camping is only allowed in designated areas
- Fires are not permitted at the venue
- All dogs are to be kept on a lead and all dog waste collected
- Riders at all times must be respectful of other riders and of the venue
- All riders must wear safety helmets, appropriate footwear and maintain their riding gear in good order
- It is the responsibility of all venue users to collect and dispose of personal and animal waste in appropriate bins
- At no time is any person to interfere with or harm any wildlife at the venue

Vaccinations & Biosecurity:

- ❑ **Vaccinations:** We recommend that horses are vaccinated for Hendra virus in particular those that reside in high risk Hendra areas we also recommend horse vaccinations for Strangles and Tetanus are up to date.
- ❑ **Biosecurity Horse Health Declaration:** A Biosecurity declaration is available on the event webpage and on the on-line entry system. Competitors will be required to complete a Biosecurity Horse Health Declaration for all horses attending the event and hand in the form on arrival at the Rider's Information Office venue. More information and link to the declaration form will be provided after the close of entries to participants accepted to compete at the event.

NOMINATE ONLINE ENTRIES

All competitors **must** provide the following information when entering online www.nominate.com.au

A 5.5% transaction fee applies to all on line entries.

Before you start your entry, make sure you have the following information handy so you can complete the entry before the system times out. The system has a 60-minute timeout for security purposes, which means that you have a max of 1 hour to complete your entry. If you take longer than this, the system will shut down and you will need to start the process all over again, losing all your entry details so far.

Horse Details	Rider Details	Owner Details	Other information
Horse's full Name	First Name	First Name	Arrival & Departure dates
Bridle number	Surname	Surname	Stable / Tack/ Day Park booking (per day)
Sex	Rider EA number	Owner EA number	Stable cleaning bond
YOB	Rider full Address & State		Camp site or Cabin booking (by night)
Country of Birth	Rider E-mail	Owner E-mail	Shavings order
Colour & Height in cm		Home Phone	Name of Groom
Stud book Initials (breed)	Mobile phone number (vital for contact during event)	Bank Account details For prize money paid EFT	Performance Qualifications all horses
Sire	Home Phone		Commentary Form
Dam	Date of Birth if Under 25		
Dam Sire (important for YH)	Bank Account details For prize money paid EFT		
Breeder			
Property PIC number			
Hendra vaccination Status			

* All prize money will be paid by Electronic Bank Transfer unless special arrangements are made.

Other charges and fees that apply for this event.

<input type="checkbox"/> Administration fee:	\$30.00 (non refundable)
<input type="checkbox"/> Stabling:	\$40.00 per day 1 overnight stay = 2 x days stabling
<input type="checkbox"/> Day Parking:	\$20.00 per day
<input type="checkbox"/> Tack room Hire:	\$45.00 per day
<input type="checkbox"/> Stable cleaning fee:	\$75.00 (compulsory and refunded if stables are <i>left empty and clean</i>)
<input type="checkbox"/> Shavings:	\$13.00 per bale *
<input type="checkbox"/> Camping:	\$40.00 per night (per power outlet)
<input type="checkbox"/> Cabins:	\$65.00 per night

When you book your stables, please remember that stables are charged **per day**. One (1) overnight stay in stables means two (2) stable days to be paid.

Camping and cabins are paid by night.

Please note the correct arrival and departure day on the entry.

Changes to entry for any of the above items after the close of entries incur a \$20 fee.

* Bedding: The average number of shavings to fill a stable is 8-10 bales.

On line entries only accepted - www.nominate.com.au