

# **140th Annual Taralga Show**

## Horse Program

**14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> of March 2026**

**Major Sponsor – Taralga Rural**

### JUDGES

Ring 1 Saturday – Kate Beresford

Ring 2 Saturday – Valerie Robertson

Ring 3 Saturday – Lorraine Cleary

Ring 1 Sunday – Vanessa Deaton

Ring 2 Sunday – Lea Douglas

Showjumping – Loesje and Reg McCrae

# Taralga AP&H Association – Regulations

1) Entry fees as stated throughout this schedule. Camping facilities and amenities are also available, and fees as stated in this schedule.

2) All postal entries must be in the hands of the secretary on or before the Monday before the show. Pavilion entries may be left with the secretary no later than the Wednesday before the show, or otherwise taken personally by the exhibitor to the pavilion steward on Thursday afternoon between 3pm and 6pm and Friday morning between 8am and 10:30am. Pavilion judging will take place on Friday the 13<sup>th</sup> of March 2026 between 1pm and 3pm.

3) All exhibits shall be considered to be in the custody of the Committee during the hours of the show, and any exhibitor who (except as provided for in regulation) removes an exhibit without the permission of the secretary and the steward in charge before 3pm on the second day of the show, shall forfeit any prize which may have been awarded for such exhibit, if the exhibit in question is not awarded a prize, then the exhibitor shall be liable to a fine not less than 25c for each exhibit taken away and the Committee reserves the right to deduct such fine or fines from any prize money awarded to the exhibitor in any other class.

4) Exhibitors of livestock may, with permission of the steward in charge, remove such stock from the ground on the first night of the show, but stock so removed must return to the ground before 10am on the second day, failing to do so will impose penalties provided in regulation 3, which will be enforced.

5) All exhibits must be the bona-fide property of the exhibitor. All joint exhibitors must be members of a recognised partnership.

6) The age of all horses exhibited will be from the 1st of August.

7) All exhibitors of livestock must produce such proof of age as the judge may require, in the case of a disputed age in livestock, other than horses, the rule followed will be that adopted by the Royal Agriculture Society.

8) An exhibit of livestock may be entered in any number of classes, but upon being awarded a first place in any one class (except classes under a and b) shall be disqualified from gaining any further prizes, other than special prizes with the following exceptions:

- Draught horses or mares winning first prize may compete as one or a pair or vice versa.
- Winner of any class of gent's hack may compete as a lady's hack or vice versa; heifer winning as single heifer may compete as one of a pair or vice versa.
- Single buggy horse or pony winning first prize in Hackneys or Harness classes may compete as one of a pair or vice versa.

These conditions do not apply to hunters or trotters. Stallions will not be allowed to compete in miscellaneous events.

9) The farm, garden produce or sundries must be grown, manufactured, or raised by the exhibitor who may compete by exhibiting varieties, but any exhibitor who shall send any exhibit for competition which has not been grown, manufactured or raised by himself shall not be awarded a prize. Farm produce must be grown during the present season.

10) The judge may withhold any prize if they deem the exhibit does not warrant a prize or give a lesser prize in lieu of one stated. They may also award prizes without competition should they consider the exhibit worthy.

11) The judge may award a prize or certificate to any article not included

in the schedule, which they consider sufficiently deserving.

12) In all cases of disputes, the decision of the Committee shall be final, and all protests may be lodged within 24 hours of award with the secretary accompanied by a fee of \$1 to be forfeited if frivolous.

13) An exhibitor making himself known to be a judge or judges as an exhibitor of an article or interfering with the judges' decision shall be disqualified.

14) Any exhibitor accused of conduct calculated to bring the Association into discredit shall be called before the Committee at such time, and place as the committee shall determine and, if found guilty, shall be liable to all or any of the following penalties: Reprimand, Forfeiture of all prize money, trophies, etc. awarded Disqualification from exhibiting.

15) The Committee reserves the right to refuse or cancel any entry without giving reason.

16) No exhibitor or person in charge of an exhibit will be admitted to the showground free. Sideshows and stand will be allowed on the ground subject to the approval of the committee and upon payment of any sum they may deem fit to charge.

17) All horses and stock over the age of nine months to be led into the ring.

18) No stock of any description to be allowed loose on the showground after 9am. This rule is to be strictly enforced.

19) All dogs found loose on the ground may be destroyed.

20) The Committee expressly reserves the right to stop any objectionable performance or sideshow at any time during the continuance of the show.

21) All prize-winning horses capable of being led, driven, or ridden, must take part in the Grand Parade, except by special permission of the steward in charge. Infringement of this regulation shall render the defaulting exhibitor to forfeit all, or any prizes won.

22) The Association will not be responsible for any accident that may be caused through or by any exhibitor or exhibit, and it shall be a condition of each entry that every exhibitor shall hold the Association blameless and indemnify it against legal proceedings arising out of any such accident. Whilst all reasonable care will be taken, the Association will not, under any circumstances, be responsible for any loss or mis delivery or livestock or any other exhibit of any kind of any injury done thereto.

23) The word local in any class in this schedule shall be taken to mean residents of the Upper Lachlan Shire District and/or past or present members of the Taralga Pony Club that have attended at least one Pony Club camp.

24) Receipts will not be sent unless requested.

25) Waiver forms must be signed by all exhibitors and competitors.

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To become a member of the Taralga AP&H Association, Inc., simply fill in this form and return (with your fee) to:

The Secretary, PO Box 42, Taralga NSW 2580. Annual membership is from 1<sup>st</sup> July to 30<sup>th</sup> June.

Name: .....

Address: .....

Phone: .....

Email: .....

Do you wish to receive your schedule via email?

- Yes
- No

The Taralga Show has been the district showcase for 140 years. By supporting it as a member or a donor, you help to ensure the continuance of future successful exhibitions. Membership of \$30 entitles you to a copy of the Annual Show Schedule, either in hard copy form upon printing, or via email (see above), free admission to the Show, power to vote at any of the Society's meetings, and an invitation to attend the Annual General Meeting of the Taralga AP&H Association, Inc., in which you may nominate and/or elect committee members. (Single membership is \$20).

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Horse Program  
14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> of March 2026  
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*Admission Fees:* Adults: \$15  
Pensioner: \$5  
Child (under 18 years): Free  
*Camping Fees:* \$20/night unpowered  
\$30/night powered

Payable at secretary's office.

No taping off camping areas prior to arriving at the event. Any fences put up will be removed.

All competitors please keep in mind you will be required to fill out a waiver form before you are able to ride in any event. These will be provided on the day or if you would like to pre-fill the waiver you can find a copy in the front of the schedule **OR** on our website. You can also find one at

[https://www.agshowsnsw.org.au/files/AgShows\\_NSW\\_Multi\\_Purpose\\_Individual\\_Waiver\\_updated\\_July\\_2023\\_FILLABLE.pdf](https://www.agshowsnsw.org.au/files/AgShows_NSW_Multi_Purpose_Individual_Waiver_updated_July_2023_FILLABLE.pdf)

**PRE-ENTRY ONLY FOR ALL HORSE EVENTS - please see our website for details. Entries must be completed by 11<sup>th</sup> March 2026.**

# Horse Show Regulations

**\*All competitions at this show are governed by these regulations and by the AgShows NSW Rules for Discipline in Horse Sections at Shows which can be viewed at [www.agshowsnsw.org.au](http://www.agshowsnsw.org.au). Should it become necessary for the AgShows NSW Disciplinary Committee to open an inquiry into any aspect of competition in this Horse Section, this Society will support any penalty imposed by that Committee as a result of the inquiry and will support penalties resulting from enquiries arising from Horse Sections at other NSW shows.**

## COMPETITION RULES

All Horse Competitions will be conducted under approved Peak Body and Breed Society Registration Rules and Regulations.

**INDEMNITY AND WAIVER FORMS:** The Horse Committee will take all care in managing the Section, but competitors taking part in this Horse Section do so at their own risk. Each adult competitor must, before competing, complete and sign a form indemnifying the Taralga A P & H Association Inc. and waiving any claims against the Society for any injury sustained in competition or for loss or damage to the competitor's property or damage caused by the competitor or his/her animal(s) at the Show. A similar form must also be completed and signed by a parent or guardian for each competitor who is under 18 years of age. ALSO, all competitors must complete a Horse Health Declaration, each horse with which the competitor has brought onto the Showgrounds must be listed together with the Property Identification Code (PIC) of the property from which the horse came to the Show. If the Show Society has introduced online entries, it is possible to electronically sign a Waiver and Horse Health Declaration (by ticking a box) at point of entry.

**Under Saddle Age Limit:** AgShows NSW recommends a lower age limit of 3 years of age (as at the date of the competition) for leading rein and 5 years of age for independent riding.

**Refusal of Entry/Alteration of Schedule/Prizes:** The committee reserves the right to refuse an entry without assigning any reason for doing so and to alter the schedule to meet emerging circumstances. The Society is not responsible for the non-delivery of sponsor's trophies/prizes. Should there be any reason to suspect that any exhibit is either diseased or dangerous, the Society reserves the right to isolate, refuse entry to and/or remove the exhibit from the ground at the expense of the exhibitor.

**Judge's Decision/Discretion:** The judge is empowered to withhold any or all prizes in any class where the exhibits are, in his/her opinion, unworthy of the prize, and always the judge's decision will be final. A judge has the discretion to ask that a led or performance exhibit and handler / rider / driver be ordered to leave the ring if he/she considers the animal is unruly and/or likely to cause an accident.

**District/Local Classes:** Horses and/or riders must have been resident for at least three months prior to the show within a 75-kilometre radius of the Showground.

**Novice Class Eligibility:** A Novice has not won a First Place at any Show in a similar class.

**Ridden Show Hunters and Ridden Show Hacks:** At the beginning of each calendar year an exhibitor MUST choose the category for their exhibit, EITHER Show Hunter or Show Hack, when competing at an AgShows NSW Affiliated Agricultural Show or supplementary event.

**Stallions:** Led Stallions and Colts must be wearing a bit at all times (unless Breed Society rules specify otherwise). Stallions and Colts must be under the control of a person 17 years of age or older. They must always be supervised and securely fastened when tied to the outside of a truck or float. They are not eligible to compete in ridden classes unless their eligibility is specifically stated in the schedule.

**Ponies with Adult Riders:** Ponies may be ridden by adults unless otherwise stated in the schedule.

**Lateness to the Ring:** Competitors must be ready when called. Once judging has commenced, a competing horse shall not be led, ridden, or driven into or out of the judging ring without the permission of the judge and/or the Ringmaster or Chief Steward.

**Leaving the Ring:** If a led horse should drag or escape its handler or a ridden or driven horse takes control of or unseat its rider and leave the ring, it is usually disqualified from the class.

**Horse Measuring:** No official measuring will take place at the show, but, if a question about height arises, proof of height may be required. In the absence of proof, a decision will be at the absolute discretion of the Ring Master or Chief Steward.

**Breed Registration:** Registration documents for horses in breed classes must be produced when required by a Steward. It is the competitor/owner's responsibility to ensure relevant memberships for their exhibits Breed society or registry is financial at time of competition.

**Attire:** Competitors must be appropriately attired for the competition in which they are competing.

**Helmets:** Every rider is encouraged to wear a safety helmet compliant with the current Australian Standard. Riders under 18 years must wear such a helmet. Some EA affiliated events require Rider's helmets to be tagged prior to competition.

**Footwear:** All competitors must wear appropriate footwear when leading or riding a horse. When riding, the footwear must enable removal of the foot from the stirrup.

**Cruelty:** Persons who are considered by the Ringmaster or Chief Steward to be abusive or cruel to a horse will be expelled from the ground. No horse will be permitted to compete if, in the opinion of the Ringmaster or Chief Steward, it is in poor health or condition.

**Drugs:** Drug testing may be carried out at this show. Any competitor found to have breached the AgShows NSW disputes & disciplinary regulation will be investigated by the AgShows NSW disciplinary committee.

**Approaching Judges:** No exhibitor or associate will initiate conversation with a judge on judging day, before, during or after judging except through the Ringmaster or Chief Steward.

**Prohibited Relationship:** No competitor will present for judging before a judge with whom he/she has a family relationship, has, or has recently had a personal relationship or has had horse related business dealings during the past twelve months.

**Coaching:** Any person detected coaching a competitor while that competitor is being judged may be removed from the Showground.

**Proper Conduct:** Any person who behaves offensively on the Showground may be expelled from the ground. The matter may be investigated by this Show Society and/or the AgShows NSW Disciplinary Committee and penalties may be imposed.

**Protests:** A protest or complaint against any exhibit or exhibitor may be lodged verbally with the Ringmaster or Chief Steward no later than ten minutes after the judging of the exhibit or exhibitor. The Ringmaster or Chief Steward must be provided with the exact nature of the complaint and act, if necessary, to maintain competitive fairness. The Ringmaster or Chief Steward may choose to refer the matter to the Protests Committee, which shall comprise the President of the Society, or a Vice President and two other members of the General Committee. A protest or complaint or an appeal against the decision of the Ringmaster or Chief Steward may be lodged in writing with the Secretary no later than 10pm on the day of judging. Such protest, complaint or appeal shall be accompanied by a deposit of \$50 which shall be forfeited if the protest, complaint, or appeal proves to be frivolous or vexatious. A matter lodged this way shall be dealt with by the Protests Committee within 24 hours of lodgement and the decision of the Protest Committee shall be final. NB: No protest or complaint will be considered if it refers simply to a judge's decision.

**Veterinary Costs:** In the case of an exhibit requiring veterinary inspection/treatment whilst at this event exhibitors agree that all costs incurred are their responsibility.

**Age of Horses:** The age of all horses shall be calculated from 1st August in the year in which it was foaled.



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**Saturday, 14<sup>th</sup> March 2026**  
**Ring 1 – Australian Stock Horses starting 9am**  
**Entry Fee: \$3 per class**  
**(must be registered with the Australian Stock Horse Society)**

**ASH Junior Handler**

1. Junior handler, under 13 years
2. Juvenile handler, 13 years to under 18 years  
(Classes 1 and 2 are not eligible for Led Champion)

**Led Australian Stock Horse**

3. Yearling (any sex & eligible for Champion)
4. Colt, 3 years and under
5. Stallion, 4 years and over

**Champion and Reserve Champion Led ASH Stallion or Colt**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

6. Filly, 3 years and under
7. Mare, under 15hh, 4 years and over
8. Mare, 15hh and over, 4 years and over

**Champion and Reserve Champion Led Filly or Mare**

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9. Gelding, 3 years and under
10. Gelding, under 15hh, 4 years and over
11. Gelding, 15hh and over, 4 years and over

**Champion and Reserve Champion Led Gelding**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

**SUPREME CHAMPION ASH LED**

\$25 special prize donated by Kallenia Rivers Australian Stock Horses

**ASH Junior Rider**

12. Novice ASH Rider under 13 years
13. ASH Rider Under 9 years
14. ASH Rider 9 years and under 13 years
15. ASH Rider 13 years and under 18 years

**Champion and Reserve Champion ASH Junior Rider**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

**ASHLA Lady Rider**

16. ASHLA Lady Rider (not eligible for Champion), MUST BE AN ASHLA MEMBER

### **Ridden Australian Stock Horse Hack**

17. Ridden ASH, rider 13 years to under 18 years
18. Ridden ASH, any sex, 3 years and under
19. Ridden ASH mare, 4 years and over
20. Ridden ASH gelding, 4 years and over
21. Ridden ASH stallion, 4 years and over
22. Ridden ASH hack (can be ridden in curb bit)

### **Champion and Reserve Champion Ridden ASH**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

### **Working Australian Stock Horse**

23. Working ASH, rider 13 years to under 18 years
24. Working ASH, any sex, 3 years and under
25. Working ASH mare, 4 years and over
26. Working ASH gelding, 4 years and over
27. Working ASH stallion, 4 years and over

### **Champion and Reserve Champion Working ASH**

\$15 special prize donated in memory of Billy Turner

### **SUPREME CHAMPION ASH RIDDEN**

\$25 special prize donated by Kallenia Rivers Australian Stock Horses

### **STATION HORSE CHALLENGE**

28. Under 13 years
29. Over 13 years to under 18 years
30. 18 years and over



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## Ring 2 – Local Riders, Local Hacks & Large Breeds

(Large breeds must be registered with their relevant Societies)

### LOCAL JUNIOR RIDERS – (UNDER 17 YEARS)

31. \* Local Rider, under 9 years (may be led) – CWA

32. \* Local Rider, 9 years to under 12 years – CWA

#### **Champion and Reserve Champion Local Rider Under 12 years**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

33. \* Local Rider, 12 years to under 15 years – CWA

34. \* Local Rider, 15 years to under 17 years – CWA

#### **Champion and Reserve Champion Local Rider 12 years to under 17 years**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

### **Ian Moloney Grand Champion Local Rider under 17 years**

Trophy donated by the Moloney family (previously known as Bears Repairs trophy)

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

### LOCAL SENIOR RIDERS – (17 YEARS AND OVER)

35. Local Lady Rider, 17 years to under 25 years

36. Local Gent Rider, 17 years to under 25 years

37. Local Lady Rider, 25 years and over

38. Local Gent Rider, 25 years and over

#### **Champion and Reserve Champion Local Rider 17 years and over**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

### LOCAL HACKS

39. Local Pony, n.e. 13hh

40. Local Pony, over 13hh and n.e. 14hh

41. Local Galloway, over 14hh and n.e. 14.2hh

42. Local Galloway, over 14.2hh and n.e. 15hh

43. Local Hack, over 15hh and n.e. 16hh

44. Local Hack, over 16hh

#### **Champion and Reserve Champion Local Hack**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

### LED ARABIAN/ DERIVATIVE

45. Stallion, Colt or Gelding

46. Mare or Filly

#### **Champion & Reserve Led Arabian/Arabian Derivative**

### LED THOROUGHBRED

47. Stallion, Colt or Gelding

48. Mare or Filly

#### **Champion & Reserve Led Thoroughbred**

### LED WARMBLOOD

49. Stallion, Colt or Gelding

50. Mare or Filly

#### **Champion & Reserve Led Warmblood**

**LED HEAVY HORSE (CLYDESDALE, SHIRE ETC)**

- 51. Stallion, Colt or Gelding
- 52. Mare or Filly

**Champion & Reserve Led Heavy Horse (Clydesdale, Shire etc)**

**LED BAROQUE (ANDALUSIAN, FRESIAN ETC)**

- 53. Stallion, Colt or Gelding
- 54. Mare or Filly

**Champion & Reserve Led Baroque (Andalusian, Fresian etc)**

**LED QUARTERHORSE**

- 55. Stallion, Colt or Gelding
- 56. Mare or Filly

**Champion & Reserve Led Quarterhorse**

**LED ANY OTHER BREED 14HH AND OVER**

- 57. Stallion, Colt or Gelding
- 58. Mare or Filly

**Champion & Reserve Led Any Other Breed 14hh and over**

**Grand Champion Led Large Breed**

\$25 donated by Taralga Rural

**RIDDEN LARGE BREEDS**

- 59. Ridden Arabian/Derivative
- 60. Ridden Warmblood
- 61. Ridden Heavy Horse
- 62. Ridden Baroque (Andalusian, Friesian etc)
- 63. Ridden Quarterhorse
- 64. Ridden Any Other Large Breed
- 65. Ridden Dilute 14hh & over (Palomino, Buckskin, Cremello etc)
- 66. Ridden Other Coloured 14hh and over (Pinto, Palouse, Appaloosa etc)

**Champion & Reserve Ridden Large Breed**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

## **Ring 3 – Small Breeds, Dilute/Coloured & Harness**

**(Must be registered with their relevant Societies)**

### **LED RIDING PONY STUD BOOK**

67. Stallion, Colt or Gelding

68. Mare or Filly

**Champion & Reserve Led Riding Pony Stud Book**

### **LED AUSTRALIAN SADDLE PONY**

69. Stallion, Colt or Gelding

70. Mare or Filly

**Champion & Reserve Led Australian Saddle Pony**

### **LED PURE WELSH (A, B, C, D)**

71. Stallion, Colt or Gelding

72. Mare or Filly

**Champion & Reserve Led Pure Welsh (A, B, C, D)**

### **LED PART WELSH**

73. Stallion, Colt or Gelding

74. Mare or Filly

**Champion & Reserve Led Part Welsh**

### **LED AUSTRALIAN PONY**

75. Stallion, Colt or Gelding

76. Mare or Filly

**Champion & Reserve Led Australian Pony**

### **LED MINIATURE HORSE**

77. Stallion, Colt or Gelding

78. Mare or Filly

**Champion & Reserve Led Miniature Horse**

### **LED MINIATURE PONY**

79. Stallion, Colt or Gelding

80. Mare or Filly

**Champion & Reserve Led Miniature Pony**

### **LED SHETLAND**

81. Stallion, Colt or Gelding

82. Mare or Filly

**Champion & Reserve Led Shetland**

### **LED ANY OTHER SMALL BREED UNDER 14HH**

83. Stallion, Colt or Gelding

84. Mare or Filly

**Champion & Reserve Led Any Other Small Breed under 14hh**

### **Finlay and Francie Craig Memorial Grand Champion Led Pony**

(Champions of above Led Classes eligible)

\$50 donated by Michele Gardner and Douglas Craig

### **LED DILUTE (PALOMINO, BUCKSKIN, CREMELLO ETC)**

85. Stallion, Colt or Gelding

86. Mare or Filly

**Champion & Reserve Led Dilute (Palomino, Buckskin, Cremello etc)**

### **LED OTHER COLOURED (PINTO, PALOUSE, APPALOOSA ETC)**

87. Stallion, Colt or Gelding

88. Mare or Filly

**Champion & Reserve Led Other Coloured (Pinto, Palouse, Appaloosa etc)**

### **RIDDEN SMALL BREEDS**

89. Ridden Riding Pony Stud Book

90. Ridden Australian Saddle Pony

91. Ridden Pure Welsh (A, B, C, D)

92. Ridden Part Welsh

93. Ridden Australian Pony

94. Ridden Shetland

95. Ridden Any Other Small Breed

96. Ridden Dilute ne 14hh (Palomino, Buckskin, Cremello etc)

97. Ridden Other Coloured ne 14hh (Pinto, Palouse, Appaloosa etc)

**Champion & Reserve Ridden Small Breed**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

### **HARNESS**

98. Pony in harness not exceeding 11hh

99. Pony in harness over 11hh and not exceeding 12.2hh

100. Pony in harness over 12.2hh and not exceeding 14hh

101. Horse in harness over 14hh and not exceeding 15hh

102. Horse in harness over 15hh

**Champion & Reserve Harness**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

**Local Sporting**  
**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> March 2026 starting at 2pm**  
**Please note: 'local' is Upper Lachlan Shire Region**

**Entry Fee Juniors: \$3 per event**

**Junior Prizes:                      1<sup>st</sup>: \$5                      2<sup>nd</sup>: \$4                      3<sup>rd</sup>: \$3**

**Open: \$10 entry, winner takes all**

**BENDING**

- 103. \* Under 9 years (Led) – CWA
- 104. Under 9 years (Not Led)
- 105. 9 years to under 13 years
- 106. 13 years to under 17 years
- 107. Open 17 years and over

**FLAG**

- 108. Under 9 years (Led)
- 109. Under 9 years (Not Led)
- 110. 9 years to under 13 years
- 111. 13 years to under 17 years
- 112. Open 17 years and over

**BARREL**

- 113. Under 9 years (Led)
- 114. Under 9 years (Not Led)
- 115. 9 years to under 13 years
- 116. 13 years to under 17 years
- 117. Open 17 years and over

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# Sunday 14<sup>th</sup>, March 2026

## Ring 1 – Open Riders, Open Hacks & Show Hunters

Starting at 9am, Entry Fee: \$3 per class

### JUNIOR OPEN RIDERS

- 118. Rider, under 9 years (may be led)
- 119. Rider, 9 years to under 12 years

#### **Champion and Reserve Champion Open Rider under 12 years**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

- 120. Rider, 12 years to under 15 years
- 121. Rider, 15 years to under 17 years

#### **Champion and Reserve Champion Open Rider 12 years to under 15 years**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

#### **Grand Champion Open Rider under 17 years**

\$25 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

### SENIOR OPEN RIDERS

- 122. Rider, 17 years to under 21 years
- 123. Rider, 21 years to under 40 years
- 124. Rider, 40 years and over

#### **Champion and Reserve Champion Open Rider 17 years and over**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

### OPEN PONY/GALLOWAY/HACK

- 125. Pony, n.e. 12hh
- 126. Pony, over 12hh and n.e. 13hh
- 127. Pony, over 13hh and n.e. 14hh
- 128. Childs Pony, ridden by rider under 17 years
- 129. Adults Pony, ridden by rider 17 years and over

#### **Champion and Reserve Champion Open Pony**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

- 130. Galloway, over 14hh and n.e. 14.2hh
- 131. Galloway, over 14.2hh and n.e. 15hh
- 132. Childs Galloway, ridden by rider under 17 years
- 133. Adults Galloway, ridden by rider 17 years and over

#### **Champion and Reserve Champion Open Galloway**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

- 134. Hack, over 15hh and n.e. 15.2hh
- 135. Hack, over 15.2hh and n.e. 16hh
- 136. Hack, over 16hh
- 137. Childs Hack, ridden by rider under 17 years
- 138. Adults Hack, ridden by rider 17 years and over

#### **Champion and Reserve Champion Open Hack**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

#### **Grand Champion Open Hack**

\$25 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

## **SHOW HUNTER PONY/GALLOWAY/HACK**

- 139. Show Hunter Pony, n.e. 13hh
- 140. Show Hunter Pony, over 13hh and n.e. 13.2hh
- 141. Show Hunter Pony, over 13.2 and n.e. 14hh
- 142. Childs Show Hunter Pony, ridden by rider under 17 years
- 143. Adults Show Hunter Pony, ridden by rider over 17 years
- 144. AHHA Members Show Hunter Pony

### **Champion and Reserve Champion Show Hunter Pony**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

- 145. Show Hunter Galloway, over 14hh and n.e. 14.2hh
- 146. Show Hunter Galloway, over 14.2hh and n.e. 15hh
- 147. Childs Show Hunter Galloway, ridden by rider under 17 years
- 148. Adults Show Hunter Galloway, ridden by rider 17 years and over
- 149. AHHA Members Show Hunter Galloway

### **Champion and Reserve Champion Show Hunter Galloway**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

- 150. Show Hunter Hack, over 15hh and n.e. 15.2hh
- 151. Show Hunter Hack, over 15.2hh and n.e. 16hh
- 152. Show Hunter Hack, over 16hh
- 153. Childs Show Hunter Hack, ridden by rider under 17 years
- 154. Adults Show Hunter Hack, ridden by rider 17 years and over
- 155. AHHA Members Show Hunter Hack

### **Champion and Reserve Champion Show Hunter Hack**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

### **Grand Champion Show Hunter**

\$25 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

## Ring 2 – Pony Club

Riders must be a financial riding member of an affiliated Pony Club and dressed in full Pony Club uniform. PCANSW rules apply. Current Membership Cards must be provided. Taralga CWA points.

### **Best Presented Pony Club Mount & Rider**

- 156. Best Presented under 9 years – CWA
- 157. Best Presented 9 years to under 13 years – CWA
- 158. Best Presented 13 years to under 17 years – CWA
- 159. Best Presented 17 years to 25 years – CWA

### **Pony Club Rider**

- 160. \* Any age led
- 161. \* Rider, under 7 years (must be led) – CWA
- 162. \* Rider, 7 years to 8 years – CWA
- 163. \* Rider, 9 years to 10 years – CWA
- 164. \* Rider, 11 years to 12 years – CWA

### **Champion and Reserve Champion Pony Club Rider under 12 years**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

- 165. \* Rider, 13 years to 14 years – CWA
- 166. \* Rider, 15 years to 16 years – CWA
- 167. \* Associate rider (17 years to 25 years) – CWA

### **Champion and Reserve Champion Pony Club Rider Associate**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

### **Grand Champion Pony Club Rider**

\$25 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

### **Pony Club Hack**

- 168. Pony Hack, n.e. 14hh
- 169. Galloway Hack, over 14hh and n.e. 15hh
- 170. Hack, over 15hh

### **Champion and Reserve Champion Pony Club Hack**

\$15 special prize donated by Taralga Rural

### **Pony Club Mount**

- 171. Pony Club Mount, n.e. 14hh
- 172. Pony Club Mount, over 14hh and n.e. 15hh
- 173. Pony Club Mount, over 15hh
- 174. Pair of riders, under 11 years
- 175. Pair of riders, 12 years – 16 years
- 176. Pair of riders, associate
- 177. Team of four, under 13 years
- 178. Team of four, 13 years to 25 years
- 179. Bareback rider, under 9 years
- 180. Bareback rider, 10 years to under 13 years
- 181. Bareback rider, 13 years to under 17 years
- 182. Bareback rider, 17 years to under 25 years

**Sporting**  
**Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2026 starting at 11am**  
**Entry Fee Juniors: \$3 per event**

**Junior Prizes:            1<sup>st</sup>: \$5            2<sup>nd</sup>: \$4            3<sup>rd</sup>: \$3**

**BENDING**

- 183. \* Under 9 years (Led) – CWA
- 184. Under 9 years (Not Led)
- 185. 9 years to under 13 years
- 186. 13 years to under 17 years

**FLAG**

- 187. \*Under 9 years (Led) – CWA
- 188. Under 9 years (Not Led)
- 189. 9 years to under 13 years
- 190. 13 years to under 17 years

**BARREL**

- 191. \* Under 9 years (Led) – CWA
- 192. Under 9 years (Not Led)
- 193. 9 years to under 13 years
- 194. 13 years to under 17 years

**Entry Fee Open: \$10**

**Open Prizes:            1<sup>st</sup>: \$60            2<sup>nd</sup>: \$20            3<sup>rd</sup>: \$10**

- 195. Taralga Rural Bending
- 196. Taralga Progress Association Flag
- 197. Taralga Rural Barrel

**SPORTING CONDITIONS OF ENTRY**

- o All events will be run in accordance with the rules published in this schedule.
- o Senior events are reserved for riders 17 years and over.
- o All events will be timed.
- o The Sporting Chief Steward's decision is final – NO protests.
- o A horse cannot have multiple riders in the same event.
- o The use of foul language will lead to immediate disqualification.

**FLAG RACE**

- o There will be a cask and five pegs with detachable flags on each.
- o Distance between the pegs to be 6 metres and from the cask to the first peg 8 metres
- o Spacing between lines of pegs to be 12 metres and there will be no limit to the lines of pegs used.
- o Each competitor must take the furthest peg first.
- o If a competitor knocks down a cask, he is to re-erect it before continuing.
- o Should the competitor fail to lodge any flags in the cask he must pick up the flag, remount, replace the flag in the cask and finish.
- o Each competitor must keep to his own line of pegs. A line of demarcation will be drawn or shown 6 metres on each side of each line of pegs and each

competitor must keep within these lines. Crossing these lines will mean disqualification. Should a competitor while crossing these lines interfere in any degree with another line of pegs, another competitor or their horse, they will be stopped as speedily as possible and rerun, but the competitor causing the infringement will be automatically disqualified.

### **BENDING RACE**

- There will be five pegs.
- The distance between the start line and the first peg will be 8 metres and between pegs 6 metres. Spacing between the lines of pegs to be 12 metres and there will be no limit to the lines of pegs used.
- Each competitor must leave the first peg on his/her right.
- Each competitor must keep to his/her own line of pegs. Crossing through other lines will mean disqualification.
- Knocking any peg down will mean disqualification.

### **BARREL RACE**

- Barrel distances are as shown on the sketch. Barrels are to be 44-gallon size drums.
- The starting and finishing line and the position of the barrels must be marked permanently for the entire fixture.
- A 5 second penalty will be added for:
  - Each barrel knocked over
  - Each barrel touched by hand
- A flying start is allowed.
- Watches used to be in at least tenths of a second.
- In determining the first 3 placings, if any horses registered equal times, the horses concerned will be re-run to determine their placings.

# Show Jumping

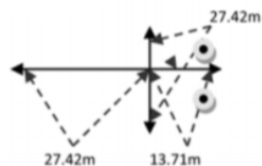
Sunday 15<sup>th</sup>, March 2026 starting at 11am

Class No.		Entry Fee
198.	Taralga Rural 50cm AM7 Junior 1 <sup>st</sup> : \$10 2 <sup>nd</sup> : \$7 3 <sup>rd</sup> : \$5 4 <sup>th</sup> : \$3	\$3
199.	Taralga Rural 60cm AM7 Junior 1 <sup>st</sup> : \$10 2 <sup>nd</sup> : \$7 3 <sup>rd</sup> : \$5 4 <sup>th</sup> : \$3	\$3
200.	Michael Hall 60cm AM7 Open 1 <sup>st</sup> : \$20 2 <sup>nd</sup> : \$15 3 <sup>rd</sup> : \$10 4 <sup>th</sup> : \$5	\$5
201.	Taralga Rural 80cm AM7 Junior 1 <sup>st</sup> : \$10 2 <sup>nd</sup> : \$7 3 <sup>rd</sup> : \$5 4 <sup>th</sup> : \$3	\$3
202.	Michael Hall 80cm AM7 Open 1 <sup>st</sup> : \$20 2 <sup>nd</sup> : \$15 3 <sup>rd</sup> : \$10 4 <sup>th</sup> : \$5	\$5
203.	Michael Hall 90cm AM7 Junior 1 <sup>st</sup> : \$40 2 <sup>nd</sup> : \$30 3 <sup>rd</sup> : \$20 4 <sup>th</sup> : \$10	\$5
204.	Michael Hall 90cm AM7 Open 1 <sup>st</sup> : \$20 2 <sup>nd</sup> : \$15 3 <sup>rd</sup> : \$10 4 <sup>th</sup> : \$5	\$10
205.	Taralga Rural 100cm AM7 Open 1 <sup>st</sup> : \$40 2 <sup>nd</sup> : \$30 3 <sup>rd</sup> : \$20 4 <sup>th</sup> : \$10	\$10

First place winner receives Pat Bourke Memorial Trophy

## SHOW JUMPING CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- o A junior rider is a rider who is under 17 years of age on day of competition.
- o All riders must wear riding boots and an approved helmet always whilst mounted.
- o A horse/rider combination can only enter two consecutive height classes. i.e.  
(Junior – 185 & 186 or 188 & 190)  
(Open – 187 & 189 or 191 & 192)
- o A horse/rider combination may enter only one class in concurrent classes i.e. A combination may enter class 186 put on a different horse the same rider may also enter class 187.
- o Only one rider may ride each horse.
- o Protest must be addressed to Ground Jury in writing, accompanied by a \$50 fee and be lodged no later than 30 minutes after the announcement of the results of the relevant class. The period of jurisdiction of the Ground Jury is 60 minutes after the announcement of the results of the class. The fee will be refunded if the protest is upheld.
- o The Committee reserves the right at the absolute discretion, to alter or amend any of the conditions, regulations, prize money, class sizes or any aspect of the event as they see fit.
- o The Committee reserves the right at their absolute discretion, to accept or refuse any entry.
- o Entry fee is 10% of the prize money offered.



# Team Sorting

## Saturday the 14<sup>th</sup> and Sunday the 15<sup>th</sup> of March 2026

Team Sorting is a great horse and cattle sport featuring fun fast-paced action in a friendly and competitive environment. Each round promises to be filled with excitement and good humour. Team Sorting is an entertaining spectator's sport and fun for the whole family. Beginners and experts – young and old – are welcome to test their horse's skills at Team Sorting Events.

Entries open Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2026. Postal entries only. Find the entry form at [Taralga Team Sorting | Southern Nsw Team So \(southernnswteamsorters.com\)](https://southernnswteamsorters.com)

Open: \$60 per day  
Juniors: \$30 per day  
Camping & use of facilities: \$5 per open rider

Any enquiries please contact:

Jack 0428 222 782  
Emma 0455 583 994

We will contact you if your entries have been successful and if you wish to direct deposit you can do so once we have contacted you.



# 140<sup>th</sup> Annual Taralga Show 2026

## Stable and Stall Booking Form

PIC: NI273160

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
P/C: \_\_\_\_\_ PIC: \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_  
EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

BOOKING FEE \$20/STABLE		FRIDAY	SATURDAY
STABLES: (20)	\$10/night	_____	_____
STALLION BOX (2)	\$10/night	_____	_____
DAY STALLS (5)	\$10/night	_____	_____

Stables are to be cleaned and vacated by 4pm.  
Horses are stabled at owner's risk. All waiver forms MUST be completed prior to stabling.

### STABLE RULE

All manure must be removed from Stables & Stalls. \$20 booking fee payable at time of booking, refundable if cleaned satisfactorily. Some bedding will be in place, riders can provide extra sawdust if they prefer.  
Names will be placed on stables and padlocked for the person who has booked them.

**Contact:** Amy-Lee Hines (ph. 0438 402 242)  
**Postal Address:** PO Box 42, Taralga NSW 2580  
**Bull Stalls:** The Bull Stalls may be utilised on Friday night but, must be cleaned vacated by Saturday afternoon of the Show.