

*2024 EWA SHOW HORSE HANDBOOK*



**SHOW HORSE  
WESTERN AUSTRALIA**

**EQUESTRIAN WESTERN AUSTRALIA (EWA)  
2024 SHOW HORSE INFORMATION HANDBOOK**

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### EQUESTRIAN WA SHOW HORSE COMMITTEE 2024 OFFICIALS

POSITION	NAME	PHONE	CONTACT DETAILS
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### MEASURER

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**There have been CHANGES to the National Show Horse Rules, EFFECTIVE 1 JANUARY, 2024.**

**Please refer to the National Show Horse Rules at [www.equestrian.org.au](http://www.equestrian.org.au)**

**AUTUMN PAGEANT**    **28<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2024**  
RIVERSIDE RIDING CLUB  
EASTERN STATES JUDGES  
**ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY 19<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2024 AT 9.00PM**  
[www.nominate.com.au](http://www.nominate.com.au)  
**NO ENTRIES ON THE DAY**  
**NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED**  
EWA MEMBERS ONLY  
MEASURING AVAILABLE  
RAS QUALIFIER  
EWA LEADERBOARD QUALIFIER  
ENSW SOUTHERN CROSS SHOW HORSE SPECTACULAR QUALIFIER

**NEWCOMERS**    **28<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2024**  
RIVERSIDE RIDING CLUB  
**ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY 12<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2024 AT 9.00PM**  
[www.nominate.com.au](http://www.nominate.com.au)  
**NO ENTRIES ON THE DAY**  
**NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED**  
EWA MEMBERS ONLY  
MEASURING AVAILABLE  
ENSW SOUTHERN CROSS SHOW HORSE SPECTACULAR QUALIFIER

**WINTER GALA**    **16<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2024**  
VENUE RIVERSIDE RIDING CLUB  
**ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY 7<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2024 AT 9.00PM**  
[www.nominate.com.au](http://www.nominate.com.au)  
**NO ENTRIES ON THE DAY**  
**NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED**  
EWA MEMBERS ONLY  
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ENSW SOUTHERN CROSS SHOW HORSE SPECTACULAR QUALIFIER

**HORSE OF THE YEAR**    **7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2024**  
STATE EQUESTRIAN CENTRE  
EASTERN STATES JUDGES  
**ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY 9<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2024 AT 9.00PM**  
[www.nominate.com.au](http://www.nominate.com.au)  
**NO ENTRIES ON THE DAY**  
**NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED**  
EWA MEMBERS ONLY  
MEASURING AVAILABLE  
EA AUSTRALASIAN SHOW HORSE & RIDER NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFIER  
EWA LEADERBOARD QUALIFIER

PROGRAMS AND ENTRY FORMS FOR ALL EWA SHOW HORSE COMPETITIONS CAN BE DOWNLOADED FROM  
[WWW.CAVALLETTI.COM.AU](http://WWW.CAVALLETTI.COM.AU) AND [WWW.NOMINATE.COM.AU](http://WWW.NOMINATE.COM.AU) AS THEY BECOME AVAILABLE.

All events are run by the EWA Show Horse Committee. Information will be available via the  
EWA Newsletter, FB page OR at [www.equestrianwa.org.au](http://www.equestrianwa.org.au) click on NEWSFLASH.

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### PRINCIPAL OBJECTIVES

1. To provide effective governance to maintain a position of leadership and influence within the WA Show Horse community.
2. To maintain professional and prestigious events to ensure a vibrant competition environment for all levels.
3. To promote the highest ideal of sportsmanship and to provide benefits for members of all levels to be involved in show horse competition.
4. To develop high quality Coaches and Officials.
5. To improve communications within the EWA, its members, and the broader community.
6. To encourage riding and Show Horse as a sport and recreation. To promote good fellowship among riders and to improve and maintain the standard of riding and horsemanship.

### PREAMBLE

These rules have been revised to gather the EA regulations, rules, by-laws, code of conduct, policies, procedures, and guidelines (the 'Rules Requirements') from many aspects of the EA Sport of Show Horse into one resource. This in turn will make it easier for judges, competitors, owners, and organisers to locate relevant information.

It is important that all involved in the Sport know and abide by the rules requirements under which they compete. As well, organisers and volunteers must be aware and abide by their responsibilities and entitlements. This handbook will be a key source of that knowledge.

The rules requirements may not provide for every eventuality. In any such case, it is the duty of the appropriate organisers and officials to decide in a sporting spirit and adhere as closely as possible to the intention of the rule's requirements.

Notwithstanding anything stipulated in these rules, the EA Show Horse Committee (EASHC) shall have full and complete authority to omit, amend and interpret these rules in their absolute discretion and give or to withhold any explanation of their decision.

It is the responsibility of all competitors and officials to be familiar with all current rules and to conduct themselves in accordance with EA Policies, particularly the Code of Conduct and Horse Welfare. Reference may also be made to FEI publications.

Competitors and Judges must read the rules and conditions of entry to an event carefully as the breach of a rule or conditions of entry may attract a penalty or sanction.

### HORSE WELFARE

#### **FEI Code of Conduct for the Welfare of the Horse:**

The Fédération Equestre Internationale (FEI) expects all those involved in international equestrian sport to adhere to the FEI's Code of Conduct and to acknowledge and accept that at all times the welfare of the horse must be paramount and must never be subordinated to competitive or commercial influences.

At all stages during preparation and training of competition horses, welfare must take precedence over all other demands. This includes good horse management, training methods, farriery, tack and transportation.

Horses and competitors must be fit, competent and in good health before they are allowed to compete. This encompasses medication use, surgical procedures that threaten welfare or safety, pregnancy in mares and the misuse of aids. Excessive pre-event lunging restricted to 30 minute periods interspersed with 10 minute rest.

Events must not prejudice horse welfare. This involves paying careful attention to the competition areas, ground surfaces, weather conditions, stabling, site safety and fitness of the horse for onward travel after the event.

Every effort must be made to ensure that horses receive proper attention after they have competed and that they are treated humanely when their competition careers are over. This covers proper veterinary care, competition injuries, euthanasia and retirement. The FEI urges all involved with the sport to attain the highest levels of education in the areas of expertise.

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### NEWCOMERS

#### CONDITIONS OF ENTRY SPECIFIC TO NEWCOMER EVENT

A horse that has not competed under saddle (with the exception of Racing) in any State/Territory prior to a date determined by each State/Territory in which the horse resides and is registered.

A Pony that has only competed in Leading Rein or Miniature Turnouts and has not competed off the lead is eligible to be considered a Newcomer.

A horse that has competed in breed classes under saddle is not eligible to be considered a Newcomer.

- HOTY Newcomer - The horse must be registered with the EA at the time of close of entries.
- The horse must have a current EA Height Certificate.
- The horse must be shown in a snaffle bridle.
- The horse may compete in the relevant State HOTY event as its first competition.
- The horse may compete in the Open section at the HOTY subject to State/Territory qualifying rules where applicable.
- All interstate horses must be registered and/or transferred 3 months and 1 day immediately preceding the date of the State Horse of the Year event.
- Owners and Riders must be current EWA financial members, at the time of close of entries.
- Horses/Ponies must have a current Newcomer Licence card at the time of close of entries.
- Horses/ponies are not eligible to enter if they have competed outside the qualifying period.
- Stallions are not eligible to compete.

No qualification is required to compete in the Newcomers provided the horse/pony has not competed under saddle prior to the start of the qualifying period. Newcomer licences will be issued by the office and must be returned with entries.

**2024 NEWCOMER QUALIFYING PERIOD – 18<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2023 TO 12<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2024.**

**2025 NEWCOMER QUALIFYING PERIOD 13<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2024 TO 31<sup>ST</sup> DECEMBER 2024**

**2026 NEWCOMER QUALIFYING PERIOD 1<sup>ST</sup> JANUARY 2025 TO 31<sup>ST</sup> DECEMBER 2025**

### 2024 NEWCOMER CLASSES

- ❖ Show Pony 12.2 hands and under must be ridden by rider 14 years and under.
- ❖ Show Pony over 12.2 hands up to and including 14 hands ridden by a rider any age.
- ❖ Show Galloway over 14 hands up to and including 15 hands ridden by a rider any age.
- ❖ Show Hack over 15 hands ridden by a rider any age.
- ❖ Show Hunter Pony 12.2 hands and under must be ridden by rider 14 years and under.
- ❖ Show Hunter Pony over 12.2 hands up to and including 14 hands ridden by a rider any age.
- ❖ Show Hunter Galloway over 14 hands up to and including 15 hands ridden by a rider any age.
- ❖ Show Hunter Hack over 15 hands ridden by a rider any age.

As per National Rules

Ponies 12h and under must be ridden by a child 14 yrs and under.

Ponies over 12h may be ridden by a rider any age.

### NOVICE HORSE/PONY

Horse/pony that has **not won** more than three first placings in an open official show horse or show hunter class.

### **EWA HORSE AND RIDER OF THE YEAR 2024**

For more detailed information on the Horse of the Year Championships refer to the National Show Horse Rules – STATE HORSE OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIPS. The State HOTY event is to be conducted under these Rules and the provisions set out below.

#### **Owner and Lessee**

All owner and lessees listed on current registration papers must hold a current EA membership at the time of entry. Refer to the EA General Regulations Article 100.

#### **State Membership**

Horses can only be entered at State HOTY by a current member of the EA in the State in which the event is being held.

#### **Show Horse, Show Hunter and Leading Rein Classes**

All horses must have a current EA Height Certificate. Refer to the EA Measuring Rules.

A horse that has a protest lodged against it and is re-measured must compete in accordance with the National Show Horse Rules 1.1.4

An EA qualified measurer will be in attendance at all State Horse of the Year Shows for re-measuring purposes.

For all EA State Show Horse Championships all protests must be lodged at least four hours before the advertised time of the start of the Event (not the Class).

#### **Rider of the Year Classes**

Riders may only compete in the class for which they are eligible Age is as of 1st January in the year of the National Championships Show Horse, Show Hunter, Childs/Junior Rider of the Year classes, with exception of Leading Rein (see definition).

#### **EA Membership Category**

All competitors must be full current EA Competitive members and leading rein handlers must be current Participant or Competitive members of EA in the State in which the event is being held:

#### **Childs Classes**

The rider must be aged between 5 years and under 18 years as of 1st January in the year of the National (Australian) Championships.

#### **Leading Rein Classes**

For Lead rein riders turning 5 years – the age of 5 commences from the child's birthday. The Under 8 age limit is taken as per the child's age as at 1st January in the calendar year that the competition is being held. Handler must be 18 years of age and over.

#### **Qualification Requirements**

There are no qualifying requirements for the 2024 Horse of the Year providing the rider at the time of entry holds a current EA membership, the horse is EA Registered and both meet the residency rules.

### **AUSTRALASIAN SHOW HORSE AND RIDER CHAMPIONSHIPS 'THE NATIONALS'**

**Competitions are run under the Equestrian Australia Show Horse National Rules. [www.equestrian.org.au](http://www.equestrian.org.au).**

#### **Entry Requirements**

Horses must hold current registration with EA and competitors must be financial members of EA.

#### **Qualifying Class/es**

The class a horse qualifies for at State Championships will be the class that the horse competes in at the Australasian Show Horse Championships, regardless of changes to a height certificate.

#### **Measuring Requirements**

All Measuring to be finalised at State Championships and any protests at State Championships should include a valid reason.

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### **Protest**

The right of protest remains but does not include a horse once it has qualified for the National Championships unless the protest had been lodged prior to the event of qualification.

### **State Membership Entry Requirements**

Once a horse has qualified for the Australasian Show Horse and Rider Championships, the competitor must retain current relevant State membership in that calendar year and the residency of the horse must be the same at which it qualified for the Australasian Show Horse and Rider Championships. Once a rider has qualified for Australasian Show Horse and Rider Championships, they must retain their relevant State membership for that calendar year.

A horse will not be disqualified from representing the state in which it qualified as a result of a change of ownership or lease within the same State. If a horse is sold or leased to another state it is no longer eligible to represent the State in which it qualified.

A horse which has competed or qualified for a State at an Australasian Show Horse and Rider Championship may not compete in any other State's qualifying competition in the period leading up to the Australasian Show Horse and Rider Championships concerned.

A horse competing in the Junior/Childs and/or Open Show Horse, Show Hunter and Leading Rein must be ridden by a member from the State or Territory that the horse is representing. The state in which you compete in the HOTY is the state that you must represent at the Australasian Show Horse and Rider Championships in that calendar year.

### **Judge Selection**

All Australasian Horse and Rider Championships judges will be selected from the EA Show Horse National Judges List and will be randomly selected by EA National Office. The randomly selected judges will be presented to the National Show Horse Committee for ratification.

A panel of four judges will be selected for all Open Show Horse, Open Show Hunter, Leading Rein and Rider classes (including Childs/ Junior classes). The panel will not contain more than one judge from any one State.

### **Representative Selection**

The winner, first runner-up and second runner up place getters in the open show horse, open show hunter, leading rein, open rider classes, junior/child's classes and off the track classes from state qualifying events will be invited to compete at the Australasian Show Horse Championships. The 4th placegetter in these classes will not be a reserve for these sections.

In the event that a competitor has more than one horse in a class, the rider will be permitted to ride multiple horses, however if at the request of the judges or organising committee that a "go around" is required for all classes then another rider will need to be elected. The nominated rider must adhere to the age restrictions of the class.

### **Qualifying Riders**

Riders must indicate their intention to represent Western Australia at the EA Nationals by completing the "Riders Agreement" and "Code of Conduct" Forms and forwarding them to the Show Horse Committee within *fourteen (14) days* of the WA Competition date.

Acceptance of this invitation will confirm your position on the State Team.

### **State Badges**

State badges are to be worn whilst competing at the Nationals only. Competitors are reminded that State badges are not permitted to be worn at any State Horse and Rider of the Year Championship show.

## **NATIONAL TEAM UNIFORMS**

Reimbursement of State Uniforms are at the discretion of the EWA Show Horse Committee and is revised on a yearly basis.



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### MEASURING

Information relating to Measuring can be found at  
<http://www.wa.equestrian.org.au/official-measuring>

All other rules are as per the National Measuring Scheme Rules.  
<http://www.equestrian.org.au/content/show-horse-and-dressage-measuring-rules-and-days>

Current EWA Measurers are listed at  
<http://www.equestrian.org.au/members/search/official>

Horses shall be shown at their current recorded height and must hold a current EA Height Certificate to compete at any EA event EXCEPT the Australasian Show Horse and Rider Championships at which horses must be shown in the height class in which they qualified at their State Horse of the Year Titles. All certificates are valid for a stated period.

### REGISTRATION PAPERS

Competitors shall carry their EA Registration Papers, Competition Licenses (in States where they are issued), EA Height Certificates and EA Membership Card at all affiliated shows and make them available for inspection upon request.

### HELMETS

Riders must wear an approved safety helmet as approved by EA's current standards for helmets as found in the General Regulations, at all times when mounted/riding. The retaining harness must be secured to the shell at two points, properly adjusted and always fastened. Riders without approved headgear shall be ineligible to compete.

Protective headgear must conform with one of the current approved Safety Standards:

- Current Australian standard **AS/NZS 3838** (2006 onwards) *provided they are SAI Global marked.*
- New Australian Standard **ARB HS 2012** *provided they are SAI Global marked.*
- Current American standards **ASTM F1163** (2004a or 04a onwards) *provided they are SEI marked.*
- Current American standards **SNELL E2001.**
- Current British standard **PAS 015** (1998 or 2011) *provided they are BSI Kitemarked.*
- Interim European Standard **VG1** (01.040: 2014-12) *with or without BSI Kitemark.*



Helmet Manufacturers generally recommend replacing your helmet every five (5) years.

If you have a hard-blow impact accident while wearing your helmet, it is recommended to immediately replace it for a new model. There may be damage to the helmet that is not visible to the naked eye.

It is the rider's responsibility to wear the approved standard.

**Please see EA website for further information**

<http://www.equestrian.org.au/content/current-approved-safety-standards-helmets>

### BITS

See National Rules for Permitted Bits

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### SENSORY HAIRS

Horse's sensory hairs may not be clipped and/or shaven or otherwise modified in any way under penalty of elimination from the event. Individual sensory hairs may be removed by a veterinarian to prevent pain or discomfort for the Horse. Areas of hair that must be clipped, shaven or removed to allow veterinary treatment are exempt from this rule.

### FITNESS TO COMPETE

Horses and competitors must be fit, competent and in good health before they can compete.

#### **Fitness and competence**

Participation in competition must be restricted to fit horses and riders of proven competence.

#### **Health status**

No horse showing symptoms of disease, lameness, significant ailments, or pre-existing clinical conditions should compete or continue to compete if its welfare would be compromised. Veterinary advice must be sought whenever there is any doubt.

#### **Doping and medication**

Abuse of medication and doping is a serious welfare issue and will not be tolerated. Horses and riders may be subject to random in-competition testing. Refer to the EA and FEI Equine Anti-doping and Medication Control Rules (EADMC) and the EA (Athlete) Anti-doping Policy. For more information visit [www.equestrian.org.au](http://www.equestrian.org.au), [www.fei.org](http://www.fei.org) or [www.asada.gov.au](http://www.asada.gov.au).

#### **Misuse of aids**

Abuse of a horse using natural riding aids or artificial aids (e.g., whips spurs, etc) will not be tolerated.

### MILLIONAIRE PERPETUAL TROPHY

AWARDED TO THE BEST PERFORMED *Show Horse* or *Show Hunter* – Horse, Galloway or Pony.

Points are awarded as follows:

	<b>CHAMPION</b>	<b>RESERVE</b>
CLUB LEADERBOARD SHOWS	4	2
AUTUMN PAGEANT	6	4
WINTER GALA	6	4
HOTY	8	6
NATIONAL TITLE	10	8

Where the allocation of points brings about a tie, the National title result/s would be the deciding factor.

If a tie still remains, the HOTY result/s would be the deciding factor and so on.

**2023 MILLIONAIRE PERPETUAL TROPHY WINNER**

**CIMERON SILVER LINING & ERIN BERTOLA**

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### RURAL HORSE OF THE YEAR

Eligibility Criteria for Rural Horse/Pony of the Year:

- Horses/ponies must be domiciled in *rural* Western Australia for a minimum period of no less than **THREE (3)** months and **ONE (1)** day during the twelve months immediately preceding the day of the show.
- Any horse/pony having competed interstate during this period must provide proof of travel dates.
- Horses/ponies must be ridden by **rural riders**.
- Rural is no less than 85 km's outside Perth GPO (as per Rural Map).

### MAP OF RURAL HORSE COMPETITION AREA

Please address any queries regarding the boundaries of the map to The Show Horse Committee.

(Circle delineates the 85km radius of the GPO Perth)



### RURAL RIDER

A Rural Rider can board in the City, but their actual place of residence must be in the country.

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### INFORMATION FOR EVENT ORGANISERS

EWA Judges Accreditation Scheme Rules and Guidelines, are available from:

<http://www.equestrian.org.au/content/show-horse-officials>

### JUDGES

A link to a list of accredited EWA judges <http://www.equestrian.org.au/members/search/official>

Judges should be provided with a pencil/steward.

Judges should be provided with suitable meals and ample hot and/or cold drinks dependant on weather.

Breaks to consist of:     Morning & Afternoon Tea (15 mins)  
                                  Lunch (30 mins)

Travel, accommodation and meal expenses if applicable, must be paid by the host club.

#### Judges Expenses

It is essential that the matter of reimbursement of expenses be discussed and agreed to prior to the fixture. Suggested reimbursement of Judges as follows: minimum of \$80.00 (depending on distance travelled).

#### SECURE JUDGES WELL IN ADVANCE OF YOUR EVENT.

**\*\* Please notify the EWA Show Horse Committee if your club is experiencing problems securing Judges. \*\***

### OFFICIAL DATES

EWA will consult with EWA Affiliated clubs regarding the date of their fixtures for the year. These dates will be available on the EWA website. Any qualifying event must use an EWA Official Judge for validity of points and insurance cover.

### RESULTS

Results of all official fixtures are to be forwarded to the EWA office and the RAS within fourteen (14) days of the show.

### SHOW HORSE LEVIES

Clubs should note all \$7.00 levies are to be forwarded to the EWA Office within fourteen (14) days of the show. Levies are used to fund Judge's education, seminars, and National Team uniforms.

### PROTESTS

Refer to Protest and Complaints Section in the EWA National Show Horse Rules and Guidelines available on the EWA website [www.equestrianwa.org.au](http://www.equestrianwa.org.au)

### INSURANCE

Clubs insured through Equestrian Australia are reminded that all competitors at their events are required to be either EWA Riding Members or direct club members. Direct Club membership covers the member for Public Liability only. Further information relating to Insurance can be found at [www.equestrianwa.org.au](http://www.equestrianwa.org.au)

### COMPETITION LICENCES

Competition Licences are used to fund swabbing at EWA Show Horse events and must be renewed annually.

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### 2024 LEADERBOARD AWARDS

A Leaderboard CHAMPIONSHIP Series will be run during 2024 with EWA affiliated clubs however there will be no funding available during 2024 to support the Clubs.

The EWA Show Horse Committee has the right to include other events/clubs throughout the year.

Within Western Australia, there are currently five Horse & Pony and/or Riding Clubs affiliated with Equestrian Western Australia (EWA) which conduct Show Horse Leaderboard events. This means that they operate under Equestrian Australia and EWA Show Horse Rules and conduct a full event program that caters for show horses and show hunters, a current accredited EA Judge must be used.

The Leaderboard gives competitors who compete at shows held by EWA affiliated horse and pony clubs in the metropolitan and/or regional areas, and at any of the three events conducted by the EWA Show Horse Committee; Autumn Pageant, Winter Gala and Horse and Rider of the Year, points awarded to the winners, first and second runner up's and/or Champion and Reserve Champion awards giving them the opportunity to win the Leaderboard for their respective section.

A Leaderboard trophy is presented to the winning combinations with the highest number of points accumulated for each section at the Show Horse Awards Function held in November/December.

The 2024 Leaderboard sections are:

**Show Pony NE 14h**

**Show Galloway over 14h NE 15h**

**Show Hack over 15h**

**Child's Show Pony NE 14H**

**Child's Show Galloway over 14h NE 15h**

**Child's Show Hack over 15h**

**Rider 17 years & under**

**Lead Rein (Combined Show Pony/Show Hunter Pony)**

**Show Hunter Pony NE 14h**

**Show Hunter Galloway over 14h NE 15h**

**Show Hunter Hack Over 15h**

**Child's Show Hunter Pony NE 14h**

**Child's Show Hunter Galloway over 14h NE 15h**

**Child's Show Hunter Hack over 15h**

**Rider 18 years & over**

Leaderboard points are awarded as follows:

SHOW	WINNER/ CHAMPION	1 <sup>ST</sup> RUNNER UP/ RES CHAMPION	2 <sup>ND</sup> RUNNER UP	GRAND CHAMPION
AUTUMN PAGEANT	6	4	2	4
WINTER GALA	6	4	2	-
HOTY	8	6	4	-
LOCAL CLUBS	4	2	-	-
NATIONALS	8	6	4	

### IN THE EVENT OF A TIE

1. In the event of a tie the highest result from the *EA Nationals* will be the decider.
2. If the tie is not broken, *the* the highest result from *Horse and Rider of the Year* will be the decider.
3. If the tie is not broken, the highest result from the *EWA Show Horse Autumn Pageant* will be the decider.
4. If the tie is still not broken, the highest result from the *EWA Show Horse Winter Gala* will be the decider.
5. If the tie is still not broken having regard to points 1 to 4 above, an equal award may be given.

### CLUB REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

The onus is on the Clubs to ensure all competitors enter as EWA members and a charged the \$7.00 levy. Results are to be forwarded within 14 days from the date of competition to the Leaderboard Co-ordinator via email to [ewaleaderboard2024@outlook.com](mailto:ewaleaderboard2024@outlook.com)