# **DOGS** Section Conditions

# 1. CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

# 1.1 Conformation

Entries must be lodged on www.showmanager.com.au

Exhibits entered in the wrong class will be transferred to the lowest age class for which they are eligible.

# 1.2 Performance

Entries must be lodged on www.topdogevents.com.au

- 1.3 RASWA reserves the right to refuse entries from any person who is to any extent in debt to RASWA or under any ban by Dogs Australia.
- 1.4 The decision of the Council on all points involving the RASWA General Show Regulations and Section Conditions shall be final, without recourse.
- 1.5 Committee members may enter the Competition, but they will not handle dogs.

# 2. CLASSES

2.1 **Conformation** Open to dogs and bitches: BABY, MINOR, PUPPY, JUNIOR, INTERMEDIATE, STATE BRED, AUSTRALIAN BRED, OPEN, VETERAN NEUTER .

# EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE

- Entry into the Competition will entitle the Exhibitor entry into either one or two Shows as selected.
- The full name of the breed must be stated on the entry, e.g. "Collie (Rough)", "Fox Terrier (Wire)", etc.
- All ages are calculated as at the first day of the Show.
- Wherever the word "months" appear it means calendar months.
- Sex of dog to be entered.
- Registration number must be entered. "Pending" registrations will not be processed.
- Sire and Dam to be completed.
- DA Member Body Membership number must be entered.
- Registered Owner must be entered.
- The Breed class must be entered.
- Separate entry forms for each Show.

2.2 Performance

Agility and Jumping: Masters, Excellent, Novice Open

Tricks: Starter, Novice, Intermediate

**Obedience**: Utility Excellent, Utility, Open, Novice, Community Companion

Rally: Masters, Excellent, Advanced, Novice

Dances with Dogs: Freestyle and Heelwork to Music: Starter, Novice Intermediate, Advanced

Scent Work: Exteriors – Advanced and Excellent, Containers - Advanced and Excellent.

Please note Scent Work entries will be capped at 60 per day

#### EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE

- All ages are calculated as at the first day of the Show.
- Wherever the word "months" appears it means calendar months.
- Sex and Jump Class height of dog must be entered.
- Registration number must be entered.
  "Pending" registrations will not be processed.
- Not for Competition classes will not be available for any discipline.
- DA Member Body Membership number must be entered.
- Registered Owner must be entered.
- Entry tickets and information will be sent to the Exhibitor as named on the entry.

# 3. CATALOGUES

3.1 Available online only.

#### 4. REFUND OF ENTRY FEES

- 4.1 If an exhibit is withdrawn, rejected or disqualified by RASWA for any reason, other than RASWA's General Show Regulation 3.18, the entry fee will NOT be refundable.
- 4.2 Any Exhibitor giving an incorrect description of their exhibit with the intention of deceiving or defrauding RASWA shall be disqualified from exhibiting at any future Perth Royal Show.
- 4.3 RASWA may, at its sole discretion, require an Exhibitor to make a Statutory Declaration regarding their own exhibits.

# 5. TICKETS

- 5.1 Exhibitors will be issued with a single-entry ticket into the Showground for the day on which judging takes place.
  - 1 3 Exhibits: 2 single-entry tickets
  - 4 6 Exhibits: 3 single-entry tickets
  - 7 Exhibits: 4 single-entry tickets
  - Every two (2) dogs entered after seven (7) will receive an extra single- entry ticket.
- 5.2 Entry tickets and information will be sent to the Exhibitor as named on the entry.

#### Entry tickets will be emailed after close of entries.

#### 6. DELIVERY OF DOGS

# 6.1 Conformation

Entry is through Gate 11 at the rear of the Dog Pavilion (John O'Meehan Pavilion) for the delivery of dogs and personal items. A brief stop will be allowed for the purpose of delivery. Gate opens from 8.00am each morning.

#### 6.2 **Performance**

Entry via Gate 1 between 7.00am and 8.30am for the delivery of dogs and personal items. Please exit through Gate 12.

Benching dogs is permitted under the Dog Marquee in the designated area.

6.3 **There WILL NOT** be any ticket sellers at entry Gates during the above times. Only people with tickets will be permitted through the gate and all other people must enter through Gate 1 (10.00am daily opening time).

#### 7. VEHICLE PARKING AND SHUTTLE BUS

- 7.1 Parking of Exhibitors' vehicles will not be permitted on the Showground.
- 7.2 Paid parking for cars **WITH DOG TRAILERS** is available at an offsite location to be advised. Application can be made by completing the parking form and submitting it with your application for entry.
- A Shuttle Bus will run continuously between an offsite location to be advised and the Claremont Showground from 6.00am to 8.00pm Saturday, 21 Sept 2024 to Saturday, 28 Sept 2024
- 7.4 Additionally, Perth Royal Show paid parking options are available near the Claremont Showground please contact the Competition and Event Coordinator for more details.

# 8. CONTROL OF EXHIBITS

- 8.1 No animal, other than the exhibit or for a display, shall be allowed within the precincts of the Perth Royal Dog Show section during the continuance of the Show.
- 8.2 The Owner or Exhibitor of an exhibit disapproved of as an exhibit by the Council, must upon notice to that effect, immediately remove such exhibit from the Showground.
- 8.3 The Chief Steward of the Perth Royal Dog Show section is to be notified if, for any reason whatsoever, a prize winning dog cannot be returned for judging.
- 8.4 All dogs must be suitably secured and have an attendant at all times.
- 8.5 **Dogs are NOT permitted beyond the** immediate precincts of the judging area. Dogs are NOT permitted to be led around the Showground.
- 8.6 Bitches in season will not be permitted to compete or remain in the vicinity of the performance events.
- 8.7 Only Competitors will be permitted in the Performance marquee area.
- 8.8 No tents or portable shade shelters will be permitted.
- 8.9 Exhibitor numbers must be collected between 8am and 9.30am only.
- 8.10 Dogs cannot be removed before 5.30pm.
- 8.11 The Owner or Exhibitor of an exhibit disapproved of as an exhibit by the Council, must upon notice to that effect, immediately remove such exhibit from the Showground.
- 8.12 Exhibitors will be permitted to place the names and addresses of their registered prefixes and/or their dog's names on the benches in which their dogs are placed.

Signs must not exceed 600mm x 250mm.

No signs are permitted to be adhered to the pavilion walls.

8.13 Any groups wishing to display their breed club banner must submit their request in writing to the Dog Committee by 23 August 2024. This banner must have no sponsorship displayed on it. Kennel banners are not permitted.

# 9. BENCHING

Benching will be allocated by breed and catalogue order of Owner.

Benches are approximately  $2.75m \log x$ 1m deep with a 0.9 m high backboard and can be divided into 1, 2, 3 or 4, depending on the size of the exhibit.

**Please Note:** A dog may not be placed on the bench or in a cage as to be away from the view of the public.

- 9.1 All dogs must be benched and ready for judging by 9.30am on the day of judging. RASWA reserves the right to amend starting times.
- 9.2 Entry tickets will be provided for exhibits required to present for exhibition again.
  Tickets will be allocated as outlined in point
  5.1. Presentation of this ticket will enable the Exhibitor to gain admission to the Showground to re-bench their exhibit.
- 9.3 Confirmation Exhibiters will be permitted to request to bench next to another exhibitor. Requests asking NOT to sit next to another exhibitor will be discarded. The request is to be made through show manager using the club memo field. Exhibitors will not be permitted to request a specific bench location or number as this will be allocated by RASWA.

# 10. JUDGING

10.1 Judging Times:

Please refer to the Judging Schedule earlier in this schedule

RASWA reserves the right to reallocate classes or breeds between the named Judges and alter start times should it be deemed necessary.

Judging of Confirmation General Specials and Special classes will be on the FINAL Saturday of the Show. 10.2 Any persons insulting, loudly commenting on or interfering with the Judges or behaving in an unseemly manner during the Show will after having been cautioned by the Councillor in Charge or Chief Steward, be subject to removal from the Showground. Any prizes, if awarded to such person, may be forfeited to RASWA, and they shall be brought before the Executive Committee and, if found guilty, shall be subject to reprimand or disgualification from exhibiting or, in the case of a member, to expulsion from RASWA. If a member of a DA member body be subject to Dogs Wests compliance process.

# 11. ELECTRICAL DEVICES AND CORD

- 11.1 Exhibitors must ensure that any electrical appliances or electrical cords brought onto the Showground carry a tag validated by a licensed electrician.
- 11.2 Only those electrical appliances and electrical cords with the required tag can be used on the Showground.

# 12. PROTESTS

12.1 Protests against breaches of the Dogs West/DA Regulations will be dealt with under Dogs West Regulations. If the decision of the RASWA Show Committee on any matter not specifically dealt with under Dogs West/DA Regulations governing Shows, be regarded by the person lodging the protest as unsatisfactory, they shall have the right to appeal to RASWA in accordance with RASWA's General Show Regulation 13.

# 13. REMOVAL OF EXHIBITS

- 13.1 Dogs and equipment cannot be removed or packed up from benches before 5.30pm on the day they are exhibited.
- 13.2 Permission will not be granted for removal of exhibits before the closing time stated in this schedule.
- 13.3 RASWA equipment trolleys must only be loaded for departure when they are about to be used.
- 13.4 NO exhibit is to be removed from the Pavilion/Showground without a Livestock Release pass which will be issued by the Chief Steward.
- 13.5 Exhibitors are requested to clean up their area ready for disinfecting before leaving.

# 14. AWARDS

14.1 BREEDS

#### CHALLENGE WINNERS - BEST DOG AND BEST BITCH IN EACH BREED

Rosette, DA Challenge Certificate BEST OF BREED Rosette, DA Best of Breed Certificate RUNNER UP BEST OF BREED Rosette BEST EXHIBIT IN GROUPS \$50, Rosette, Product RUNNER UP TO BEST EXHIBIT IN GROUPS \$20, Rosette, Product CLASSES IN GROUP \$15, Rosette

Please note, Challenge and Best of Breed Certificates will be issued electronically to be environmentally friendly. If you require a hard copy, please advise the committee at the completion of the show to arrange for it to be posted to you.

#### 14.2 SHOW

BEST EXHIBIT IN SHOW \$250, Rosette, Trophy, Product RUNNER UP TO BEST EXHIBIT IN SHOW \$125, Rosette, Product CLASSES IN SHOW \$50, Rosette, Product

#### 14.3 AGILITY AND JUMPING

Awards to qualifying entries only. Classes to be judged in separate heights except Open which will be overall. 1<sup>st</sup> PLACE. \$25, Product, Rosette 2<sup>nd</sup> PLACE. \$20, Rosette 3rd PLACE. \$15, Rosette

# 14.4 **OBEDIENCE – ALL CLASSES**

Awards to qualifying entries only. 1<sup>st</sup> PLACE. \$25, Product, Rosette 2<sup>nd</sup> PLACE. \$20, Rosette 3rd PLACE. \$15, Rosette

#### 14.5 **RALLY – ALL CLASSES**

Awards to qualifying entries only. 1<sup>st</sup> PLACE. \$25, Product, Rosette 2<sup>nd</sup> PLACE. \$20, Rosette 3rd PLACE. \$15, Rosette

#### 14.6 TRICKS – ALL CLASSES

Awards to qualifying entries only. 1<sup>st</sup> PLACE. \$25, Product, Rosette 2<sup>nd</sup> PLACE. \$20, Rosette 3rd PLACE. \$15, Rosette

#### 14.7 **DANCES WITH DOGS – ALL CLASSES**

Awards to qualifying entries only. 1<sup>st</sup> PLACE. \$25, Product, Rosette 2<sup>nd</sup> PLACE. \$20, Rosette 3rd PLACE. \$15, Rosette

### 14.8 SCENT WORK – ALL CLASSES

Awards to qualifying entries only. 1<sup>st</sup> PLACE. \$25, Product, Rosette 2<sup>nd</sup> PLACE. \$20, Rosette 3rd PLACE. \$15, Rosette

#### 15. SPONSORED CASH PRIZES, TROPHIES, SASHES AND ROSETTES

A number of individuals, Dog Clubs and Firms have made available Prizes, Trophies, Sashes and Rosettes. A complete list will be published in the catalogue.

Notwithstanding this, NO awards will be presented in the ring.

**Disclaimer:** Confirmation of sponsorships received after the printing of the schedule will be acknowledged in the catalogue. Prizes listed in the schedule are correct at the time of release however may be subject to change.

# 15.1 TROPHIES

Must be delivered to the RASWA office with the award clearly marked. All Trophies and sashes must be received at RASWA no later than 13th September 2024 for the prize to be listed in the catalogue.

All Trophies must be branded '2024 Perth Royal Show'. Trophies will only be awarded at the discretion of the Judge.

Please Note: Perpetual Trophies are not acceptable in the Perth Royal Dog Show and will not be awarded.

# **GENERAL SHOW** Regulations

The Society's General Show Regulations and Section Conditions regulate the conduct of the Show. Upon acceptance of an entry the Exhibitor is irrevocably contracted to be bound by those General Show Regulations and Section Conditions.

A copy of the Society's General Show Regulations may be obtained on application or downloaded from the website <u>http://perthroyalshow.com.au/general-regulations/</u>.

An Exhibitor who breaches any General Show Regulation or Section Condition may be disqualified, or suspended for any period, fined or otherwise penalised.

# WITHDRAWAL OF EXHIBIT BY THE SOCIETY

The Society may, at its sole discretion, withdraw, reject or disqualify an exhibit. Refer to the Society's General Show Regulation 3.18.

#### PRIZE MONEY

RASWA has a policy whereby all prize money is paid by EFT (Electronic Funds Transfer). Your banking details will be kept secure and can only be used by RASWA to credit your bank account. Please complete your account details on the application for entry even if you have provided them previously. In accordance with the rules of the competition, failure to provide your bank details will mean that any prize money you earn will be forfeited and retained by RASWA.

Prize money as stated in the schedule does not include GST. The prize money which the Society pays to successful Exhibitors ("you") depends on the information that you provide to the Society.

If you confirm that you are GST registered and provide your Australian Business Number (ABN) the Society will pay the appropriate prize money plus 10% GST. The Society will provide to you a Recipient Created Tax Invoice (RCTI) within 28 days of the day you were successful at your event, detailing the GST which you will need to submit to the Australian Tax Office (ATO).

If any adjustments need to be made, the Society will issue an adjustment note to you within 28 days of the adjustment. Upon entry into the competition and completion and signing of the application form, this form will become a RCTI agreement as required under (Goods and Services Tax) Act 1999.

Furthermore, you acknowledge your agreement to the following:

- The Society will issue you a tax invoice in respect of the successful exhibit;
- You are requested not to issue a tax invoice to the Society in respect to prize money received;
- It will be necessary for you to notify the Society if you cease to be registered for GST; and
- The Society will notify you if it ceases to satisfy any of the requirements of the determinations.

If you provide your ABN but are not registered for GST, the Society will pay the prize money as detailed in the prize schedule.

If you are a business Exhibitor and do not provide your ABN to the Society, 47% tax will be deducted from your prize money under the ATO PAYG provisions.

If you confirm that you are entering as part of a private recreational pursuit or hobby, the Society will pay the prize money as detailed in the prize schedule.

#### INSURANCE

As the Society accepts no liability for loss or damage occasioned to or by any property exhibited, it is recommended that the Exhibitor arranges appropriate "all risks" insurance for their exhibit(s).

#### AWARDS

The Society will not be responsible for awards or prize money not received by Exhibitors after 31 December 2024. If you have not received your award(s) or prize money by 30 November 2021 please contact RASWA on (08) 6263 3100.

#### SOCIETY'S LIABILITY

The attention of Exhibitors is drawn to General Show Regulation 17, with reference to the Society's Liability.

# SOCIAL MEDIA POLICY

All personnel engaged by the Royal Agricultural Society of WA (RASWA) are bound by RASWA's Social Media Policy (https://www.perthroyalshow.com.au/social-mediapolicy/) and are required to use social media in a positive manner and with the best intentions.

- Whether posting on a public or private page or group, please present in a suitable and respectful manner of RASWA, Perth Royal Show and the Claremont Showground.
- Be mindful of posting/discussing subjects that may inflame someone's emotions. Please show respect for others' opinions and be courteous always.
- Do not post personal information about yourself or others, confidential or non-public information, offensive or negative comments.

If anyone is found to have made comments that are deemed unreasonable or derogatory, action will be taken by RASWA to ensure all parties are protected, and inappropriate use reprimanded.

#### PROMOTION

No advertising or promotion on behalf of commercial business will be permitted on the Showground without the prior written consent of the Society's Chief Executive Officer.

# PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

The information provided by the Exhibitor in the application for entry is collected and used by the Royal Agricultural Society of Western Australia (RASWA) to organise and conduct competitions at the Show. We may publish details such as your name, address and exhibit details in any RASWA publication or communication. Such information may also be made available to, and published by, the media. We will not disclose your information without your consent for any other purpose unless required or authorised by law. You may request access to your personal information and, if necessary, request that our records of that information be corrected by writing to the Chief Executive Officer at the Royal Agricultural Society of Western Australia, PO Box 135, Claremont WA 6910.



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# 2024 PERTH ROYAL SHOW

# **IRWIN BARRACKS PARKING FORM**

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Please park in the allocated area and wait for the shuttle bus to collect you. Personnel are not allowed on base on foot.

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To enable adequate parking space to be allocated and to facilitate the preparation of security arrangements and passes, persons considering taking advantage of these parking arrangements <u>must</u> complete this form and return no later than **MONDAY 2 SEPTEMBER 2024** by email to the relevant Competition and Event Coordinator.

#### Release and indemnify the Commonwealth

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As a condition of parking you must agree to "release and indemnify the Commonwealth, its officers, employees or agents from and against all claims, actions, proceedings, demands, costs and expenses whatsoever and howsoever arising relating to any loss, damage or injury (including death) to any person (including Commonwealth officers and employees) or property (including Commonwealth equipment and stores) caused by or arising out of the provision of the assistance, whether or not such loss, damage or injury (including death) was caused by, or arose out of, any act or omission by the Commonwealth, its officers, employees or agents."

I HAVE READ, UNDERSTAND AND AGREE TO THE ABOVE CONDITIONS

Signature

Date