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2019

# ROYAL MELBOURNE SHOW

ALPACA  
COMPETITION



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The Royal Melbourne Show Alpaca Competition is making its mark as Victoria's premier Alpaca competition, providing exhibitors with a dedicated event space and valuable networking opportunities. The competition is split into two major sections - Suri and Huacaya.



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# Royal Melbourne Show Alpaca Competition - Age Championship



**This is your opportunity to receive invaluable feedback from industry experts and see where your herd stands in a competitive and continually evolving industry.**

## What's New

### **Royal Melbourne Show Alpaca Competition**

Royal Melbourne Show Alpaca competition will be held as a part of this year's Royal Melbourne Show. This exciting return sees the alpaca competition on display to the public from Monday 30 September - Tuesday 1 October.

The competition will be located in a premier pavilion to enable the alpaca industry to display and celebrate their passion to Royal Melbourne Show exhibitors and patrons.

### **Age Championship**

In 2019 the alpaca competition is an age championship. Classes will alternate between Suri and Huacaya beginning with junior, intermediate, adult, senior and mature. The female and male classes of each age group will be completed before proceeding to the alternate breed.

### **Fleece Judging**

Fleece judging will occur alongside the halter classes at the Royal Melbourne Show. Also returning to an age championship format, exhibitors have the chance to enter their fleeces and receive valuable feedback from industry expert judge, Mr Andrew Munn.

### **Suri Fleece Length for Conformation Judging**

The AAA have granted the RASV special dispensation for the 2019 Royal Melbourne Show Alpaca Competition. The dispensation applies to Suri animals that would have qualified for judging at the beginning of July 2019. Please refer to the appropriate sections throughout the schedule to see the compensated maximum fleece length.

### **Alpaca Youth Paraders**

The Alpaca Youth Parader entries are to be submitted to the RASV. Classes are available to enter on the online portal at [www.rasv.com.au/alpaca-youth-paraders](http://www.rasv.com.au/alpaca-youth-paraders)



## JUDGES

**The Royal Agricultural Society of Victoria (RASV) is delighted that Mr Andrew Munn will judge the alpaca fleece and Dr Rito Huayta, alongside his interpreter Jose Berdejo, will judge the Suri and Huacaya breeds at the 2019 Royal Melbourne Show Alpaca Competition.**



Dr Huayta was born and raised in Puno, Peru and holds a veterinary degree and a Master's degree in Andean livestock. He is a specialist in domestic South American camelids and has been studying his doctorate of Animal Science at the National University of the Altiplano, Puno University.

Mr Huayta's entire career has been devoted to the breeding of Alpacas, working for some of Peru's best farms including Rural Alianza, Pacomarka. For six of the years from 1996-2003, he was in charge selecting alpacas for exportation in the district of Nuñoa.

At present, he works for Quechua Benefit and is a private consultant on alpaca breeding and embryo transfer, a lecturer on genetic breeding and a renowned national and international alpaca judge with experience judging over 100 shows.



Andrew Munn established Alpha Centauri Alpacas with his wife Bronwyn in 2002. Andrew has held positions of committee member and President at AAA Regional level and was a member and Chair of the AAA Fibre Market Development Reference Panel.

Andrew is one of only a handful of qualified Professional Alpaca Wool Classers and he is very actively involved in the collection and classing of alpaca fibre for both Australian and international clients. Andrew is lucky enough to have his hands on over 100,000kg of both Huacaya and Suri fibre annually.

Andrew has been a judge since 2013 and has been fortunate to have judged many well-regarded shows in every Australian state. He is extremely privileged every time he has the opportunity to judge both animals or fleece and is excited by the continued advancements in the quality of both.



Born and raised in Arequipa, Peru, Jose Berdejo holds an Agriculture Engineering degree from the University of San Agustin in Arequipa, Peru and a Sustainable Tourism Management Master's Degree from the University of Costa Rica.

He has been in the world of Alpacas since 1989 as an English - Spanish interpreter for the exportation of llamas and alpacas to the USA, Australia and England. Along with this he has worked at three national Alpaca Fiesta Shows held in Arequipa.

He has led international breeders on tours to the best farms in Peru and at present he runs a tour company that offers specialised tours for llama and alpaca breeders that are interested in learning about the breeding and culture of the South American camelids. He has lectured on these topics in Peru and the United States.

# IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR EXHIBITORS

## LOCATION

In 2019, the Alpaca Competition will be conducted as a part of the Royal Melbourne Show! The competition will take place in the Buildings 18 & 19, more commonly recognised as the Dogs pavilion for the first 11 days of the Show. This space will be dedicated to the Alpaca competition and penning.

## CLOSE OF ENTRIES

Close date for entries is Friday 9 August 2019.

## ENTRIES

Entries for Progeny classes will be taken by stewards on the day of judging only and do not require additional entry fees.

## ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF EXHIBITS

### Arrival:

Sunday 29 September, between 2:00pm and 9:00pm

Monday 30 September, between 6:00am and 6:30am

### Departure:

Tuesday 1 October, between 6:00pm and 8:00pm

Wednesday 2 October, between 6:00am and 9:00am

## ACCOMMODATION

Exhibitors must source their own accommodation, no accommodation will be provided.

## PERIOD OF EXHIBITION

Animals must be penned by 7:00am Monday 30 October.

Alpacas will be permitted to leave only after 6:00pm Tuesday 1 October.

All Exhibits must be removed by 9.00 am Wednesday 2 October.

## EXHIBITORS' MEETING

At the direction of the Chief Steward, Exhibitors may be required to attend a Coordination meeting on Monday 30 September.

## INSPECTION OF EXHIBITS

Inspection of all Alpacas will take place on arrival or on Monday 30 September between 7:00am and 8:30am.

## ALPACA FLEECE

Alpaca Fleece will again be held alongside halter classes. Entries will open in conjunction with halter classes, class details can be found towards the back of the schedule.

## CATALOGUES

Each exhibitor is to pre purchase one catalogue with their initial entry. Upon arrival at the Showgrounds you will be given your catalogue, which will be included in the Exhibitor Pack.

## COMPANION ANIMALS

As per General Regulation 8.6 - Unless RASV gives prior written approval, pets, animals or livestock other than Exhibits must not be brought onto or permitted to enter or remain on the Showgrounds.

## ELECTRICAL

Exhibitors are required to adhere to the rules outlined in the 2019 update of the electrical requirements for Alpaca showing. Please provide an accurate indication of the fans being brought in the entry process.

## TAGGING AND TESTING

If an exhibitor does not have their lead, power board/box tagged and tested and RASV official or representative has the right to disconnect power. Testing and tagging will be made available for exhibitors on arrival day, further details to be provided in the Catalogue.

## PARKING

It is advised that exhibitors pre purchase parking for the full competition. If parking is not pre purchased, exhibitors risk carpark being at full capacity. Parking can be added to the cart in the entry process. Limited spaces are available.

Floats and vehicles that are not required for use throughout the Show are to be parked in the livestock exhibitors carpark as directed by staff. Vehicles that are required for daily use will need to be parked at Flemington Racecourse at the expense of the exhibitor.

Exhibitors will be able to get within close proximity to the pavilion to unload but will then be asked to remove their vehicle offsite or to the parking establishment.

## PENS

There is a minimum of 1 alpaca per pen, a maximum of 3 alpacas per pen, 7 to a double pen and 10 to a triple pen.

Exhibitors are to identify how many pens they wish to use in the entry process. Pens will be charged at \$15.00 (GST inc) per single pen, \$30.00 (GST inc) per double pen and \$45.00 (GST inc) per triple pen. Straw bedding is included in this price. Limited top up straw will be available for muck out if required.

Pens will be on display to the public for the full competition. Public will have limited access to the penning area for the benefit of the animals. Guided tours into the penning area can be organized for potential buyers.

# TIMETABLE

Judging times are subject to alteration.

## Monday 30 September

Judging: between 9:00am and 5:00pm

A break will occur for lunch.

Exhibitor Function: between 5.30pm and 7.00pm

## Tuesday 1 October

Judging: between 9:00am and 5:00pm

A break will occur for lunch.

# SUMMARY OF FEES

Item	RASV Member	RASV Non-member
Entry fees (per animal)	\$30.00 (GST inc.)	\$70.00 (GST inc.)
Fleece Entry (per fleece)	\$10.00 (GST inc.)	\$20.00 (GST inc.)
Fans (per fan)	\$5.00 (GST inc.)	\$5.00 (GST inc.)
Single Pens (per pen)	\$15.00 (GST inc.)	\$15.00 (GST inc.)
Double Pens (per pen)	\$30.00 (GST inc.)	\$30.00 (GST inc.)
Triple Pens (per pen)	\$45.00 (GST inc.)	\$45.00 (GST inc.)
Parking (full Show)	\$45.00 (GST inc.)	\$45.00 (GST inc.)
Catalogue (compulsory)	\$10.00 (GST inc.)	\$10.00 (GST inc.)
Paper entry	\$25.00 (GST inc.)	\$25.00 (GST inc.)
administration fee (Enter online and save!)		

# 2019 Royal Melbourne Show Alpaca Competition

## SURI

### SECTION 1 - SURI JUNIOR FEMALE 6 - 12 MONTHS

#### **SUR01 - WHITE**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### **SUR02 - LIGHT FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### **SUR03 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### **SUR04 - BROWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### **SUR05 - GREY**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### **SUR06 - ROAN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### **SUR07 - BLACK**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### **SUR08 - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### **SUR10S - CHAMPION JUNIOR FEMALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR01 - SUR08

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **SUR11S - RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR FEMALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR10S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### SECTION 2 - SURI JUNIOR MALE 6 - 12 MONTHS

#### **SUR12 - WHITE**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### **SUR13 - LIGHT FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### **SUR14 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### **SUR15 - BROWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### **SUR16 - GREY**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### **SUR17 - ROAN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### **SUR18 - BLACK**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### **SUR19 - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### **SUR21S - CHAMPION JUNIOR MALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR12 - SUR19

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **SUR22S - RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR MALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR21S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### SECTION 3 - SURI INTERMEDIATE FEMALE 12 - 18 MONTHS

#### **SUR23 - WHITE**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **SUR24 - LIGHT FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **SUR25 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **SUR26 - BROWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **SUR27 - GREY**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **SUR28 - ROAN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **SUR29 - BLACK**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **SUR30 - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **SUR32S - CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE FEMALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR23 - SUR30

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **SUR33S - RESERVE CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE FEMALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR32S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### SECTION 4 - SURI INTERMEDIATE MALE 12 - 18 MONTHS

#### **SUR34 - WHITE**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **SUR35 - LIGHT FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **SUR36 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **SUR37 - BROWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **SUR38 - GREY**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018



#### **SUR39 - ROAN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **SUR40 - BLACK**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **SUR41 - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **SUR43S - CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE MALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR34 - SUR41

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **SUR44S - RESERVE CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE MALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR43S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## SECTION 5 - SURI ADULT FEMALE 18 - 30 MONTHS

With special dispensation from the AAA, animals that would have been eligible at the beginning of July 2019 can still exhibit in September 2019. **The maximum fleece growth allowed for adult classes will be:**

- 21 months fleece age up to 21 months animal age
- 17 months fleece age for animals aged 21 months and over

#### **SUR45 - WHITE**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **SUR46 - LIGHT FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **SUR47 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **SUR48 - BROWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **SUR49 - GREY**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **SUR50 - ROAN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **SUR51 - BLACK**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **SUR52 - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Born on or before 21 Mar 2018

#### **SUR54S - CHAMPION ADULT FEMALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR45 - SUR52

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **SUR55S - RESERVE CHAMPION ADULT FEMALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR54S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## SECTION 6 - SURI ADULT MALE 18 - 30 MONTHS

With special dispensation from the AAA, animals that would have been eligible at the beginning of July 2019 can still exhibit in September 2019. **The maximum fleece growth allowed for adult classes will be:**

- 21 months fleece age up to 21 months animal age
- 17 months fleece age for animals aged 21 months and over

#### **SUR57 - LIGHT FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **SUR58 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **SUR59 - BROWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **SUR60 - GREY**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **SUR61 - ROAN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **SUR62 - BLACK**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **SUR63 - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Born on or before 21 Mar 2018

#### **SUR65S - CHAMPION ADULT MALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR56 - SUR63

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **SUR66S - RESERVE CHAMPION ADULT MALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR65S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## SECTION 7 - SURI SENIOR FEMALE 30 - 48 MONTHS

With special dispensation from the AAA, animals that would have been eligible at the beginning of July 2019 can still exhibit in September 2019. **The maximum fleece growth allowed for senior classes will be 17 months.**

#### **SUR67 - WHITE**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **SUR68 - LIGHT FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **SUR69 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **SUR70 - BROWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **SUR71 - GREY**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **SUR72 - ROAN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **SUR73 - BLACK**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **SUR74 - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **SUR76S - CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR67 - SUR74

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **SUR77S - RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR76S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## **SECTION 8 - SURI SENIOR MALE 30 - 48 MONTHS**

With special dispensation from the AAA, animals that would have been eligible at the beginning of July 2019 can still exhibit in September 2019. **The maximum fleece growth allowed for senior classes will be 17 months.**

#### **SUR78 - WHITE**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **SUR79 - LIGHT FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **SUR80 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **SUR81 - BROWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **SUR82 - GREY**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **SUR83 - ROAN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **SUR84 - BLACK**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **SUR85 - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **SUR87S - CHAMPION SENIOR MALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR78 - SUR85

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **SUR88S - RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR MALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR87S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## **SECTION 9 - SURI MATURE FEMALE 48 MONTHS AND OVER**

With special dispensation from the AAA, animals that would have been eligible at the beginning of July 2019 can still exhibit in September 2019. **The maximum fleece growth allowed for mature classes will be 17 months.**

#### **SUR89 - WHITE**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **SUR90 - LIGHT FAWN**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **SUR91 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **SUR92 - BROWN**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **SUR93 - GREY**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **SUR94 - ROAN**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **SUR95 - BLACK**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **SUR96 - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **SUR98S - CHAMPION MATURE FEMALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR89 - SUR96

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **SUR99S - RESERVE CHAMPION MATURE FEMALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR98S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## **SECTION 10 - SURI MATURE MALE 48 MONTHS AND OVER**

#### **SUR100 - WHITE**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **SUR101 - LIGHT FAWN**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **SUR102 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **SUR103 - BROWN**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **SUR104 - GREY**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **SUR105 - ROAN**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **SUR106 - BLACK**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **SUR107 - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **SUR109S - CHAMPION MATURE MALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR100 - SUR107

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **SUR110S - RESERVE CHAMPION MATURE MALE**

Eligible Classes: SUR109S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## SECTION 11 - SURI PROGENY

### **SUR128 - TWO PROGENY BY THE ONE SIRE. GROUP OF TWO MALES AND/OR FEMALES, 6 MONTHS AND OVER**

Group of two males, females or males and females (no wethers), six months and over. Not necessarily owned or bred by the one Exhibitor, but all the progeny of the one sire and drawn from the Ordinary classes.

The class will only be conducted if there are at least two entries.

Only one progeny from any one dam may be shown in each Sire's Progeny class.

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR139 - TWO PROGENY FROM THE ONE DAM. GROUP OF TWO MALES AND/OR FEMALES, 6 MONTHS AND OVER**

Group of two males, females or males and females (no wethers), six months and over. Not necessarily owned or bred by the one Exhibitor, but all the progeny of the one dam and drawn from the Ordinary classes.

The class will only be conducted if there are at least two entries.

Alpacas entered for the Dam's Progeny class must have different sires.

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## SECTION 12 - SURI ROYAL COLOUR

### **SUR111S - SURI BEST FEMALE OF COLOUR - WHITE**

Eligible Classes: SUR01, SUR23, SUR45, SUR67, SUR89

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR112S - SURI BEST MALE OF COLOUR - WHITE**

Eligible Classes: SUR12, SUR34, SUR56, SUR78, SUR100

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR113S - SURI BEST OF COLOUR - WHITE**

Eligible Classes: SUR111S, SUR112S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR114S - SURI BEST FEMALE OF COLOUR - LIGHT FAWN**

Eligible Classes: SUR02, SUR24, SUR46, SUR68, SUR90

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR115S - SURI BEST MALE OF COLOUR - LIGHT FAWN**

Eligible Classes: SUR13, SUR35, SUR57, SUR79, SUR101

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR116S - SURI BEST COLOUR - LIGHT FAWN**

Eligible Classes: SUR114S, SUR115S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR117S - SURI BEST FEMALE OF COLOUR - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Eligible Classes: SUR03, SUR25, SUR47, SUR69, SUR91

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR118S - SURI BEST MALE OF COLOUR - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Eligible Classes: SUR14, SUR36, SUR58, SUR80, SUR102

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR119S - SURI BEST OF COLOUR - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Eligible Classes: SUR117S, SUR118S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR120S - SURI BEST FEMALE OF COLOUR - BROWN**

Eligible Classes: SUR04, SUR26, SUR48, SUR70, SUR92

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR121S - SURI BEST MALE OF COLOUR - BROWN**

Eligible Classes: SUR15, SUR37, SUR59, SUR81, SUR103

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR122S - SURI BEST OF COLOUR - BROWN**

Eligible Classes: SUR120S, SUR121S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR123S - SURI BEST FEMALE OF COLOUR - GREY**

Eligible Classes: SUR05, SUR27, SUR49, SUR71, SUR93

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR124S - SURI BEST MALE OF COLOUR - GREY**

Eligible Classes: SUR16, SUR38, SUR60, SUR82, SUR104

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR125S - SURI BEST OF COLOUR - GREY**

Eligible Classes: SUR123S, SUR124S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR126S - SURI BEST FEMALE OF COLOUR - ROAN**

Eligible Classes: SUR06, SUR28, SUR50, SUR72, SUR94

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR127S - SURI BEST MALE OF COLOUR - ROAN**

Eligible Classes: SUR17, SUR39, SUR61, SUR83, SUR105

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR128S - SURI BEST OF COLOUR - ROAN**

Eligible Classes: SUR126S, SUR127S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR129S - SURI BEST FEMALE OF COLOUR - BLACK**

Eligible Classes: SUR07, SUR29, SUR51, SUR73, SUR95

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR130S - SURI BEST MALE OF COLOUR - BLACK**

Eligible Classes: SUR18, SUR40, SUR62, SUR84, SUR106

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR131S - SURI BEST OF COLOUR - BLACK**

Eligible Classes: SUR129S, SUR130S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR132S - SURI BEST FEMALE OF COLOUR - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Eligible Classes: SUR08, SUR30, SUR52, SUR74, SUR96

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR133S - SURI BEST MALE OF COLOUR - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Eligible Classes: SUR19, SUR41, SUR63, SUR85, SUR107

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR134S - SURI BEST OF COLOUR - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Eligible Classes: SUR132S, SUR133S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## SPECIALS

### **SUR140S - SUPREME CHAMPION SURI**

Eligible Classes: SUR10S, SUR21S, SUR32S, SUR43S, SUR54S, SUR65S, SUR76S, SUR87S, SUR98S, SUR109S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### **SUR138S - MOST SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITOR**

The Most Successful Exhibitor Award will be calculated as follows:

Total points scored divided by the number of animals judged.

Scratching's will not be included.

Placings in Sire's and Dam's Progeny Class and Fleece Classes will not be taken into consideration when deciding these awards.

In the event of a tie, two points will be allotted for Champion awards and one point for Reserve Champion awards. If a tie still exists, a count back approved by the RASV, will be made to determine the winner.

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH





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## HUACAYA

### SECTION 13 - HUACAYA JUNIOR FEMALE 6 - 12 MONTHS

#### HUA01 - WHITE

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### HUA02 - LIGHT FAWN

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### HUA03 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### HUA04 - BROWN

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### HUA05 - GREY

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### HUA06 - ROAN

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### HUA07 - BLACK

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### HUA08 - FANCY/APPALOOSA

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### HUA10S - CHAMPION JUNIOR FEMALE

Eligible Classes: HUA01 - HUA08

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### HUA11S - RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR FEMALE

Eligible Classes: HUA10S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### SECTION 14 - HUACAYA JUNIOR MALE 6 - 12 MONTHS

#### HUA12 - WHITE

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### HUA13 - LIGHT FAWN

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### HUA14 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### HUA15 - BROWN

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### HUA16 - GREY

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### HUA17 - ROAN

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### HUA18 - BLACK

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### HUA19 - FANCY/APPALOOSA

Born on or between 22 Sep 2018 and 21 Mar 2019

#### HUA21S - CHAMPION JUNIOR MALE

Eligible Classes: HUA12 - HUA19

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### HUA22S - RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR MALE

Eligible Classes: HUA21S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### SECTION 15 - HUACAYA INTERMEDIATE FEMALE 12 - 18 MONTHS

#### HUA23 - WHITE

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### HUA24 - LIGHT FAWN

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### HUA25 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### HUA26 - BROWN

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### HUA27 - GREY

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### HUA28 - ROAN

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### HUA29 - BLACK

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### HUA30 - FANCY/APPALOOSA

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### HUA32S - CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE FEMALE

Eligible Classes: HUA23 - HUA30

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### HUA33S - RESERVE INTERMEDIATE FEMALE

Eligible Classes: HUA32S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### SECTION 16 - HUACAYA INTERMEDIATE MALE 12 - 18 MONTHS

#### HUA34 - WHITE

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### HUA35 - LIGHT FAWN

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### HUA36 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### HUA37 - BROWN

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### HUA38 - GREY

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### HUA39 - ROAN

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **HUA40 - BLACK**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **HUA41 - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2018 and 21 Sep 2018

#### **HUA43S - CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE MALE**

Eligible Classes: HUA34 - HUA41

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **HUA44S - RESERVE CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE MALE**

Eligible Classes: HUA43S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## **SECTION 17 - HUACAYA ADULT FEMALE 18 - 30 MONTHS**

#### **HUA45 - WHITE**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **HUA46 - LIGHT FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **HUA47 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **HUA48 - BROWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **HUA49 - GREY**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **HUA50 - ROAN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **HUA51 - BLACK**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **HUA52 - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Born on or before 21 Mar 2018

#### **HUA54S - CHAMPION ADULT FEMALE**

Eligible Classes: HUA45 - HUA52

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **HUA55S - RESERVE CHAMPION ADULT FEMALE**

Eligible Classes: HUA54S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## **SECTION 18 - HUACAYA ADULT MALE 18 - 30 MONTHS**

#### **HUA56 - WHITE**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **HUA57 - LIGHT FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **HUA58 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **HUA59 - BROWN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **HUA60 - GREY**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **HUA61 - ROAN**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **HUA62 - BLACK**

Born on or between 22 Mar 2017 and 21 Mar 2018

#### **HUA63 - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Born on or before 21 Mar 2018

#### **HUA65S - CHAMPION ADULT MALE**

Eligible Classes: HUA56 - HUA63

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **HUA66S - RESERVE CHAMPION ADULT MALE**

Eligible Classes: HUA65S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## **SECTION 19 - HUACAYA SENIOR FEMALE 30 - 48 MONTHS**

#### **HUA67 - WHITE**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **HUA68 - LIGHT FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **HUA69 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **HUA70 - BROWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **HUA71 - GREY**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **HUA72 - ROAN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **HUA73 - BLACK**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **HUA74 - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **HUA76S - CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE**

Eligible Classes: HUA67 - HUA74

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **HUA77S - RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE**

Eligible Classes: HUA76S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## **SECTION 20 - HUACAYA SENIOR MALE 30 - 48 MONTHS**

#### **HUA78 - WHITE**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **HUA79 - LIGHT FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **HUA80 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **HUA81 - BROWN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017



#### **HUA82 - GREY**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **HUA83 - ROAN**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **HUA84 - BLACK**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **HUA85 - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Born on or between 22 Sep 2015 and 21 Mar 2017

#### **HUA87S - CHAMPION SENIOR MALE**

Eligible Classes: HUA78 - HUA85

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **HUA88S - RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR MALE**

Eligible Classes: HUA87S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## **SECTION 21 - HUACAYA MATURE FEMALE 48 MONTHS AND OVER**

#### **HUA89 - WHITE**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **HUA90 - LIGHT FAWN**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **HUA91 - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **HUA92 - BROWN**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **HUA93 - GREY**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **HUA94 - ROAN**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **HUA95 - BLACK**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **HUA96 - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **HUA98S - CHAMPION MATURE FEMALE**

Eligible Classes: HUA89 - HUA96

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **HUA99S - RESERVE CHAMPION MATURE FEMALE**

Eligible Classes: HUA98S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## **SECTION 22 - HUACAYA MATURE MALE 48 MONTHS AND OVER**

#### **HUA100 - MATURE - 48 MONTHS AND OVER - WHITE**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **HUA101 - MATURE - 48 MONTHS AND OVER - LIGHT FAWN**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **HUA102 - MATURE - 48 MONTHS AND OVER - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **HUA103 - BROWN**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **HUA104 - GREY**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **HUA105 - ROAN**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **HUA106 - BLACK**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **HUA107 - FANCY/APPALOOSA**

Born on or before 21 Sep 2015

#### **HUA109S - CHAMPION MATURE MALE**

Eligible Classes: HUA100 - HUA107

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **HUA110S - RESERVE CHAMPION MATURE MALE**

Eligible Classes: HUA109S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## **SECTION 23 - HUACAYA PROGENY**

#### **HUA111 - TWO PROGENY BY THE ONE SIRE. GROUP OF TWO MALES AND/OR FEMALES, 6 MONTHS AND OVER**

Group of two males, females or males and females (no wethers), six months and over. Not necessarily owned or bred by the one Exhibitor, but all the progeny of the one sire and drawn from the Ordinary classes.

The class will only be conducted if there are at least two entries.

Only one progeny from any one dam may be shown in each Sire's Progeny class.

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

#### **HUA112 - TWO PROGENY FROM THE ONE DAM. GROUP OF TWO MALES AND/OR FEMALES, 6 MONTHS AND OVER**

Group of two males, females or males and females (no wethers), six months and over. Not necessarily owned or bred by the one Exhibitor, but all the progeny of the one dam and drawn from the Ordinary classes.

The class will only be conducted if there are at least two entries.

Alpacas entered for the Dam's Progeny class must have different sires.

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

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## SECTION 24 - HUACAYA ROYAL COLOUR

### HUA113S - HUACAYA BEST FEMALE OF COLOUR - WHITE

Eligible Classes: HUA01, HUA23, HUA45, HUA67, HUA89  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA114S - HUACAYA BEST MALE OF COLOUR - WHITE

Eligible Classes: HUA12, HUA34, HUA56, HUA78, HUA100  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA115S - HUACAYA BEST OF COLOUR - WHITE

Eligible Classes: HUA113S, HUA114S  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA116S - HUACAYA BEST FEMALE OF COLOUR - LIGHT FAWN

Eligible Classes: HUA02, HUA24, HUA46, HUA68, HUA90  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA117S - HUACAYA BEST MALE OF COLOUR - LIGHT FAWN

Eligible Classes: HUA13, HUA35, HUA57, HUA79, HUA101  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA118S - HUACAYA BEST OF COLOUR - LIGHT FAWN

Eligible Classes: HUA116S, HUA117S  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA119S - HUACAYA BEST FEMALE OF COLOUR - DARK FAWN - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN

Eligible Classes: HUA03, HUA25, HUA47, HUA69, HUA91  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA120S - HUACAYA BEST MALE OF COLOUR - DARK FAWN - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN

Eligible Classes: HUA14, HUA36, HUA58, HUA80, HUA102  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA121S - HUACAYA BEST OF COLOUR - DARK FAWN - MEDIUM, DARK FAWN

Eligible Classes: HUA119S, HUA120S  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA122S - HUACAYA BEST FEMALE OF COLOUR - BROWN

Eligible Classes: HUA04, HUA26, HUA48, HUA70, HUA92  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA123S - HUACAYA BEST MALE OF COLOUR - BROWN

Eligible Classes: HUA15, HUA37, HUA59, HUA81, HUA103  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA124S - HUACAYA BEST OF COLOUR - BROWN

Eligible Classes: HUA122S, HUA123S  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA125S - HUACAYA BEST FEMALE OF COLOUR - GREY

Eligible Classes: HUA05, HUA27, HUA49, HUA71, HUA93  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA126S - HUACAYA BEST MALE OF COLOUR - GREY

Eligible Classes: HUA16, HUA38, HUA60, HUA82, HUA104  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA127S - HUACAYA BEST OF COLOUR - GREY

Eligible Classes: HUA125S, HUA126S  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA128S - HUACAYA BEST FEMALE OF COLOUR - ROAN

Eligible Classes: HUA06, HUA28, HUA50, HUA72, HUA94  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA129S - HUACAYA BEST MALE OF COLOUR - ROAN

Eligible Classes: HUA17, HUA39, HUA61, HUA83, HUA105  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA130S - HUACAYA BEST OF COLOUR - ROAN

Eligible Classes: HUA128S, HUA129S  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA131S - HUACAYA BEST FEMALE OF COLOUR - BLACK

Eligible Classes: HUA07, HUA29, HUA51, HUA73, HUA95  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA132S - HUACAYA BEST MALE OF COLOUR - BLACK

Eligible Classes: HUA18, HUA40, HUA62, HUA84, HUA106  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA133S - HUACAYA BEST OF COLOUR - BLACK

Eligible Classes: HUA131S, HUA132S  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA134S - HUACAYA BEST FEMALE OF COLOUR - FANCY/APPALOOSA

Eligible Classes: HUA08, HUA30, HUA52, HUA74, HUA96  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA135S - HUACAYA BEST MALE OF COLOUR - FANCY/APPALOOSA

Eligible Classes: HUA19, HUA41, HUA63, HUA85, HUA107  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA136S - HUACAYA BEST OF COLOUR - FANCY/APPALOOSA

Eligible Classes: HUA134S, HUA135S  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## SPECIALS

### HUA140S - SUPREME CHAMPION HUACAYA

Eligible Classes: HUA10S, HUA21S, HUA32S, HUA43S, HUA54S, HUA65S, HUA76S, HUA87S, HUA98S  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### HUA140S - MOST SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITOR

The Most Successful Exhibitor Award will be calculated as follows:  
Total points scored divided by the number of animals judged.  
Scratching's will not be included.  
Placings in Sire's and Dam's Progeny Class and Fleece Classes will not be taken into consideration when deciding these awards.  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## BEST IN SHOW

### BIS01S - BEST IN SHOW

Eligible Classes: SUR140S, HUA140S  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE, TROPHY

## YOUNG JUDGING

The competition will be conducted as follows:

- One group of four animals will be judged by the competitors
- There will be one visual class and one oral class
- Competitors should be correctly and neatly attired. Judges are to wear business like attire. A suitable hat is compulsory if judging outdoors
- Entries to be submitted to the Royal Agricultural Society of Victoria.

### JNR01 - JUNIOR JUDGING



## 2019 Royal Melbourne Show Alpaca Fleece Competition

### SURI FLEECE

ENTRY FEES: \$10.00 Member, \$20.00 Non-Member

### SKIRTED FLEECE 6 - 18 MONTHS

**SUR01 - WHITE**

**SUR02 - FAWN - LIGHT**

**SUR03 - FAWN - MEDIUM, DARK**

**SUR04 - BROWN - LIGHT, MEDIUM, DARK**

**SUR05 - GREY / ROAN**

**SUR06 - BLACK**

**SUR07 - FANCY**

### SKIRTED FLEECE 18 - 30 MONTHS

**SUR08 - WHITE**

**SUR09 - FAWN - LIGHT**

**SUR10 - FAWN - MEDIUM, DARK**

**SUR11 - BROWN - LIGHT, MEDIUM, DARK**

**SUR12 - GREY / ROAN**

**SUR13 - BLACK**

**SUR14 - FANCY**

### SKIRTED FLEECE 30+ MONTHS

**SUR15 - WHITE**

**SUR16 - FAWN - LIGHT**

**SUR17 - FAWN - MEDIUM, DARK**

**SUR18 - BROWN - LIGHT, MEDIUM, DARK**

**SUR19 - GREY / ROAN**

**SUR20 - BLACK**

**SUR21 - FANCY**

### PROGENY CLASSES

**SUR22 - SIRE'S PROGENY FLEECE**  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

**SUR23 - DAM'S PROGENY FLEECE**  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

### SURI CHAMPIONSHIPS

**SUR01S - CHAMPION SURI FLEECE**

Eligible Classes: SUR01 - SUR21

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

**SUR02S - RESERVE CHAMPION SURI FLEECE**

Eligible Classes: SUR01S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### ROYAL COLOUR

**SUR03S - SURI BEST OF COLOUR - WHITE**

Eligible Classes: SUR01, SUR08, SUR15

PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

**SUR04S - SURI BEST OF COLOUR - FAWN - LIGHT**

Eligible Classes: SUR02, SUR09, SUR16

PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

**SUR05S - SURI BEST OF COLOUR - FAWN - MEDIUM, DARK**

Eligible Classes: SUR03, SUR10, SUR17

PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

**SUR06S - SURI BEST OF COLOUR - BROWN - LIGHT, MEDIUM, DARK**

Eligible Classes: SUR04, SUR11, SUR18

PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

**SUR07S - SURI BEST OF COLOUR - GREY / ROAN**

Eligible Classes: SUR05, SUR12, SUR19

PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

**SUR08S - SURI BEST OF COLOUR - BLACK**

Eligible Classes: SUR06, SUR13, SUR20

PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

**SUR09S - SURI BEST OF COLOUR - FANCY**

Eligible Classes: SUR07, SUR14, SUR21

PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

## HUACAYA FLEECE

ENTRY FEES: \$10.00 Member, \$20.00 Non-Member

### SKIRTED FLEECE 6 - 12 MONTHS

HUA01 - WHITE

HUA02 - FAWN - LIGHT

HUA03 - FAWN - MEDIUM, DARK

HUA04 - BROWN - LIGHT, MEDIUM, DARK

HUA05 - GREY / ROAN

HUA06 - BLACK

HUA07 - FANCY

### SKIRTED FLEECE 12 - 18 MONTHS

HUA08 - WHITE

HUA09 - FAWN - LIGHT

HUA10 - FAWN - MEDIUM, DARK

HUA11 - BROWN - LIGHT, MEDIUM, DARK

HUA12 - GREY / ROAN

HUA13 - BLACK

HUA14 - FANCY

### SKIRTED FLEECE 18 - 30 MONTHS

HUA15 - WHITE

HUA16 - FAWN - LIGHT

HUA17 - FAWN - MEDIUM, DARK

HUA18 - BROWN - LIGHT, MEDIUM, DARK

HUA19 - GREY / ROAN

HUA20 - BLACK

HUA21 - FANCY

### SKIRTED FLEECE 30 - 48 MONTHS

HUA22 - WHITE

HUA23 - FAWN - LIGHT

HUA24 - FAWN - MEDIUM, DARK

HUA25 - BROWN - LIGHT, MEDIUM, DARK

HUA26 - GREY / ROAN

HUA27 - BLACK

HUA28 - FANCY

### SKIRTED FLEECE 48 - 60 MONTHS

HUA29 - WHITE

HUA30 - FAWN - LIGHT

HUA31 - FAWN - MEDIUM, DARK

HUA32 - BROWN - LIGHT, MEDIUM, DARK

HUA33 - GREY / ROAN

HUA34 - BLACK

HUA35 - FANCY

### SKIRTED FLEECE 60 MONTHS +

HUA36 - WHITE

HUA37 - FAWN - LIGHT

HUA38 - FAWN - MEDIUM, DARK

HUA39 - BROWN - LIGHT, MEDIUM, DARK

HUA40 - GREY / ROAN

HUA41 - BLACK

HUA42 - FANCY

### PROGENY CLASSES

HUA43 - SIRE'S PROGENY FLEECE  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

HUA44 - DAM'S PROGENY FLEECE  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

### HUACAYA CHAMPIONSHIPS

HUA01S - CHAMPION HUACAYA FLEECE

Eligible Classes: HUA01 - HUA42  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

HUA02S - RESERVE CHAMPION HUACAYA FLEECE

Eligible Classes: HUA01S  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

HUA03S - MOST VALUABLE HUACAYA FLEECE

Judged on a commercial basis for overall dollar value of each fleece, based on current market prices.

Eligible Classes: HUA01 - HUA42  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## ROYAL COLOUR

### **HUA04S - HUACAYA BEST OF COLOUR - WHITE**

Eligible Classes: HUA01, HUA08, HUA15, HUA22, HUA29, HUA36  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

### **HUA05S - HUACAYA BEST OF COLOUR - FAWN - LIGHT**

Eligible Classes: HUA02, HUA09, HUA16, HUA23, HUA30, HUA37  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

### **HUA06S - HUACAYA BEST OF COLOUR - FAWN - MEDIUM, DARK**

Eligible Classes: HUA03, HUA10, HUA17, HUA24, HUA31, HUA38  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

### **HUA07S - HUACAYA BEST OF COLOUR - BROWN - LIGHT, MEDIUM, DARK**

Eligible Classes: HUA04, HUA11, HUA18, HUA25, HUA32, HUA39  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

### **HUA08S - HUACAYA BEST OF COLOUR - GREY / ROAN**

Eligible Classes: HUA05, HUA12, HUA19, HUA26, HUA33, HUA40  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

### **HUA09S - HUACAYA BEST OF COLOUR - BLACK**

Eligible Classes: HUA06, HUA13, HUA20, HUA27, HUA34, HUA41  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

### **HUA10S - HUACAYA BEST OF COLOUR - FANCY**

Eligible Classes: HUA07, HUA14, HUA21, HUA28, HUA35, HUA42  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

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## CHAMPION FLEECE

### **SUP01S - SUPREME CHAMPION ALPACA FLEECE**

Eligible Classes: SUR01S, HUA01S  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH, TROPHY



# 2019 Royal Melbourne Show Youth Alpaca Paraders

## INTRODUCTORY

This division is offered to young people showing an interest in alpacas. It is an encouragement class. At this level, only Stockmanship is offered. Entrants will lead an alpaca through a beginner level Stockmanship course of up to 6 stations/challenges. Entrants will be mentored by Open competitors.

ENTRY FEE: \$5.00

## STOCKMANSHIP SECTION

This section offers the opportunity to demonstrate the excellence in the handling of alpacas in their normal daily management. This highlights through consistent training the bond that can be formed between the alpaca and its handler.

Stockmanship is designed to simulate challenges that an alpaca and handler may face in day to day management by progressing through a series of stations/challenges. Training, teamwork and trust between the alpaca and handler are the key focus of this competition.

### 4504 - JUNIOR - 7 TO UNDER 12 YEARS OF AGE

Competitors must be born between 28 Sep 2007 and 27 Sep 2012 inclusive.

### 4503 - INTERMEDIATE - 12 TO UNDER 16 YEARS OF AGE

Competitors must be born between 28 Sep 2003 and 27 Sep 2007 inclusive.

### 4502 - SENIOR - 16 TO UNDER 22 YEARS OF AGE

Competitors must be born between 28 Sep 1997 and 27 Sep 2003 inclusive.

## PRELIMINARY

This is the commencement of the competitive level in the Young Paraders Program. It introduces Showmanship to competitors and is aimed at young people seeking to attain a higher level of their understanding and skills within our industry.

At this level, Stockmanship offers a higher degree of difficulty than Introductory.

ENTRY FEE: \$20.00

## SHOWMANSHIP SECTION

This section demonstrates excellence in preparation, presentation and handling of alpacas in the show ring. It enables young people the opportunity to demonstrate a sound understanding and general knowledge of alpacas.

Showmanship simulates the halter classes at a show. This section evaluates students on their knowledge of show ring etiquette, alpaca husbandry, fleece, and conformation.

### 4204 - JUNIOR - 7 TO UNDER 12 YEARS OF AGE

Competitors must be born between 28 Sep 2007 and 27 Sep 2012 inclusive.

### 4203 - INTERMEDIATE - 12 TO UNDER 16 YEARS OF AGE

Competitors must be born between 28 Sep 2003 and 27 Sep 2007 inclusive.

### 4202 - SENIOR - 16 TO UNDER 22 YEARS OF AGE

Competitors must be born between 28 Sep 1997 and 27 Sep 2003 inclusive.

## STOCKMANSHIP SECTION

This section offers the opportunity to demonstrate the excellence in the handling of alpacas in their normal daily management. This highlights through consistent training the bond that can be formed between the alpaca and its handler.

Stockmanship is designed to simulate challenges that an alpaca and handler may face in day to day management by progressing through a series of stations/challenges. Training, teamwork and trust between the alpaca and handler are the key focus of this competition.

### 4304 - JUNIOR - 7 TO UNDER 12 YEARS OF AGE

Competitors must be born between 28 Sep 2007 and 27 Sep 2012 inclusive.

### 4303 - INTERMEDIATE - 12 TO UNDER 16 YEARS OF AGE

Competitors must be born between 28 Sep 2003 and 27 Sep 2007 inclusive.

### 4302 - SENIOR - 16 TO UNDER 22 YEARS OF AGE

Competitors must be born between 28 Sep 1997 and 27 Sep 2003 inclusive.

## CHAMPION CLASSES

Please note: Championship classes cannot be entered into. Participants must be entered into the preliminary section above to be eligible to progress into the championship classes.

### PR01S - SUPREME CHAMPION PRELIMINARY

Eligible Classes: PR04S, PR06S, PR08S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

### PR04S - PRELIMINARY SENIOR CHAMPION

Eligible Classes: 4202, 4302

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### PR05S - PRELIMINARY RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION

Eligible Classes: PR04S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### PR06S - PRELIMINARY INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION

Eligible Classes: 4203, 4303

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### PR07S - PRELIMINARY RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION

Eligible Classes: PR06S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### PR08S - PRELIMINARY JUNIOR CHAMPION

Eligible Classes: 4204, 4304

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### PR09S - PRELIMINARY RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION

Eligible Classes: PR08S

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## OPEN

This offers an increased level of competition to assist and encourage young people to elevate their learning and involvement within the alpaca industry.

This level involves Stockmanship and assessment tasks. A steward will accompany the competitor for the duration of the task.

Open competitors are to complete two assessment tasks per competition to qualify for champion and or trainers awards. Prior to the competition, the Young Paraders Judge, in collaboration with an AAA halter judge will choose the tasks to be used. Each competitor is to take on the tasks individually with no discussion of the task with others ie;(entrants, spectators, parents.....) One competitor to be doing tasks at any given time. A time limit of 10 minutes for each task will be set. Results cards are to be immediately handed to the task steward who will pass them to the scorer. Tasks will include one with animals and one with fleeces. Notification of the task will be provided to the competitors prior to commencement of the competition.

ENTRY FEE: \$20.00

## SHOWMANSHIP SECTION

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### 4004 - JUNIOR - 7 TO UNDER 12 YEARS OF AGE

Competitors must be born between 28 Sep 2007 and 27 Sep 2012 inclusive.

### 4003 - INTERMEDIATE - 12 TO UNDER 16 YEARS OF AGE

Competitors must be born between 28 Sep 2003 and 27 Sep 2007 inclusive.

### 4002 - SENIOR - 16 TO UNDER 22 YEARS OF AGE

Competitors must be born between 28 Sep 1997 and 27 Sep 2003 inclusive.

## STOCKMANSHIP SECTION

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### 4104 - JUNIOR - 7 TO UNDER 12 YEARS OF AGE

Competitors must be born between 28 Sep 2007 and 27 Sep 2012 inclusive.

### 4103 - INTERMEDIATE - 12 TO UNDER 16 YEARS OF AGE

Competitors must be born between 28 Sep 2003 and 27 Sep 2007 inclusive.

### 4102 - SENIOR - 16 TO UNDER 22 YEARS OF AGE

Competitors must be born between 28 Sep 1997 and 27 Sep 2003 inclusive.

## CHAMPION CLASSES

Please note: Championship classes cannot be entered into. Participants must be entered into the open section above to be eligible to progress into the championship classes.

### OP01S - SUPREME CHAMPION OPEN

Eligible Classes: OP04S, OP06S, OP08S  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV ROSETTE

### OP04S - OPEN SENIOR CHAMPION

Eligible Classes: 4002, 4102  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### OP05S - OPEN RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION

Eligible Classes: OP04S  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### OP06S - OPEN INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION

Eligible Classes: 4003, 4103  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### OP07S - OPEN RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION

Eligible Classes: OP06S  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### OP08S - OPEN JUNIOR CHAMPION

Eligible Classes: 4004, 4104  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### OP09S - OPEN RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION

Eligible Classes: OP08S  
PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## TRAINER AWARDS

Within the Open Division, there exists the opportunity for competitors to compete for the title of Trainer Award.

### OP11S - SENIOR TRAINERS AWARD

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### OP12S - INTERMEDIATE TRAINERS AWARD

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

### OP13S - JUNIOR TRAINERS AWARD

PRIZE: 1ST RASV SASH

## FANCY DRESS

Fancy dress classes will be held at both junior and senior levels as a lighthearted, fun experience for exhibitors and the public.

Judging will take place alongside the Youth Paraders Competition and will be judged using crowd participation to get an unbiased result on the most creative costume.

This is a free to enter class.

### FD01 - JUNIOR - UNDER 13 YEARS OLD

### FD02 - SENIOR - 13 YEARS AND OLDER

### FD03S - BEST JUNIOR FANCY DRESS

### FD04S - BEST SENIOR FANCY DRESS

# LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS PUBLIC LIABILITY INSURANCE

## EXPLANATION

WHEREAS The Royal Agricultural Society of Victoria Ltd has agreed to effect a Public Liability insurance for certain Animal Exhibitors at the 2019 Royal Melbourne Alpaca Show, the following applies:

<b>Insured Party:</b>	Animal and Livestock Exhibitors participating in competitions and events
<b>Period of Insurance:</b>	From seven days prior to the Show until seven days thereafter.
<b>Insured Activities:</b>	All activities undertaken whilst within and from the confines of the event venue consistent with the Insured's livestock exhibit activity including setting up and removal
<b>Description of Cover:</b>	Insurance in respect of the Insured Party's liability to pay costs and compensation in respect of loss of or damage to third party property and death of or injury to third party persons caused by and arising out of the Insured activities, all subject to the RASV's policy terms, conditions, exclusions and warranties, etc.
<b>Amount of Cover:</b>	\$10,000,000 any one occurrence
<b>Deductible:</b>	\$10,000 any one occurrence
<b>Geographic Limits:</b>	At and from the event venue
<b>Claims Payable:</b>	Worldwide excluding claims made USA and Canada
<b>Insurer(s):</b>	Primary - \$10,000,000 Lloyds of London
<b>Address:</b>	Lloyds Australia Ltd., Suite 2, Level 21 Angel Place, 123 Pitt Street, Sydney, NSW, 2000.
<b>Policy Numbers:</b>	PC0232616

## IMPORTANT CONDITIONS

1. The Insured Party must exercise reasonable care to maintain all premises, fittings and plant in sound condition.
2. The Insured Party must take all reasonable precautions to prevent injury and damage to persons and property.
3. The Insured Party must give immediate notice of an incident which may give rise to a claim or of receipt of advice of a claim.
4. The Insured Party must not make any admission, offer or promise in connection with any claim and must not at any time admit liability.
5. The Insured Party must make themselves aware of and comply with the following Notices:-

**Duty of Disclosure:** Before you enter into a contract of General insurance with an insurer, you have a duty, under the Insurance Contracts Act 1984 as amended, to disclose to the insurer every matter that you know, or could reasonably be expected to know, is relevant to the insurer's decision whether to accept the risk of the insurance and, if so, on what terms.

You have the same duty to disclose these matters to the insurer before you renew, extend, vary or reinstate a contract of General insurance.

Your duty however, does not require disclosure of matter:

- \* that diminishes the risk to be undertaken by the insurer
- \* that is of common knowledge
- \* that your insurer knows or, in the ordinary course of his business, ought to know.

**Non-Disclosure:** If you fail to comply with your duty of disclosure, the insurer may be entitled to reduce his liability under the contract in respect of a claim or may cancel the contract.

If your non-disclosure is fraudulent, the insurer may also have the option of avoiding the contract from its beginning.

**Average Provision:** The insurer will pay legal expenses in addition to the sum insured, if however, the total amount of the loss (less legal expenses) ultimately paid to the claimant(s) exceeds the sum insured then insurers will only pay (in addition to the sum insured) that proportion of the legal expenses as the sum insured bears to the loss.

**Third Party Interests:** This policy will only provide cover for your interest and does not cover the interests of any third party (e.g. financiers, lessors, etc) unless the interests of the third party are noted in the policy.

**Waiver of Insurer's Rights:** You must not enter into any agreement without the written authority of the insurer whereby any of their rights to which they become entitled as your insurer after settling or agreeing to settle a claim are prejudiced or limited in any way otherwise all benefit under the policy will be forfeited.

## NOTE:

1. All enquiries to be referred to Arthur J Gallagher: Telephone No: (02) 9424 1888

## 2. CLAIMS

- (a) No admission of liability or fault may be made in any form to a claimant. To do so may breach the policy conditions and enable insurers to avoid settlement.
  - (b) Any notice of a potential or actual claim must be referred immediately to Arthur J Gallagher.
3. Nothing herein shall be construed to alter in any way the scope of insurance policy, its terms, conditions or exclusions, issued by insurers.
  4. RASV is not liable to the Insured Party in the event a claim is not paid or payable by Insurers unless RASV fails to take reasonable steps to advise that the cover is or is likely to be cancelled or not renewed.
  5. RASV is not an Australian Financial Services (AFS) Licence holder. RASV is not providing financial product advice, has not considered the particular needs of the Insured party and no statement is intended to influence a person or persons making a decision in relation to any insurance cover. You should consider obtaining your own financial product advice from a person holding the appropriate AFS licence.
  6. THIS INSURANCE ONLY APPLIES TO INSURED PARTIES ENTERING COMPETITION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE GENERAL REGULATIONS. The details listed above are not comprehensive and are provided as an outline for the policy only. Extracts from the policy are available for inspection on request at RASV's Registered Offices during office hours.

## SPECIAL REGULATIONS FOR ALPACA & ALPACA FLEECE COMPETITION

The Regulations appearing in this Schedule form part of the Royal Agricultural Society of Victoria's (RASV's) General Regulations and conditions of entry to an Event at Melbourne Showgrounds. In the event of any inconsistency between the General Regulations and these Regulations, the General Regulations shall prevail to the extent of the inconsistency unless the General Regulations provide otherwise.

### CLOSE OF ENTRIES

1. Entries in the Alpaca competition must be received at RASV's Administration Office located at Melbourne Showgrounds, Epsom Road, Ascot Vale, Victoria, 3032 by the date stipulated in the Information for Exhibitors section of the Schedule. All entries must be accompanied by the applicable fee, Alpaca Herd Health Status Declaration Form and the International Alpaca Register (IAR) number of each Exhibit entered. Entries can be submitted by the due date either on paper forms or by the online entry process.
2. The onus is entirely on the Exhibitor to submit particulars on time. There will be no reminder from RASV staff.
3. In accordance with General Regulation 9.2, RASV reserves the right to amend, consolidate or cancel classes offered in this competition schedule.

### ENTRY FEES

4. The cost of Entry Fees can be found in the Information for Exhibitors in the Schedule. Entry fees for Alpacas does not include bedding. Bedding is included in the 'pen' charge.
5. The entry fee entitles the Exhibitor to enter the animal in all eligible classes. Please specify selected classes on the Entry Form or in the online entry process.

### PARKING

6. Limited parking for vehicles, including trucks and floats will be available. Apply when entering and forward the fee with the competition Entry Fee.
7. There is to be no camping in the RASV Truck Park under any circumstances.
8. Any vehicle, including trucks, stock transports, trailers, and horse floats, located on the Showgrounds, or any area leased by RASV, shall be at the sole risk of the owner. RASV accepts no responsibility for any loss or damage, including loss or damage caused by negligence of RASV, its officers, employees, or agents to any vehicle, or the contents of any vehicle, located on RASV's property on the any area leased by RASV.

### ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF EXHIBITS

9. All Exhibitors are to comply with the arrival and departure times allocated, unless otherwise notified directly by the RASV Competition Coordinator. Times for arrival and departure can be found in the Information for Exhibitors section of the Schedule. Departure times are as prioritised by the Superintendent with preference for earlier departure slots to long distance travelers.

### PERIOD OF EXHIBITION

10. All Exhibitors are to comply with the period of exhibition times allocated, unless otherwise notified directly by the RASV Competition Coordinator. Times for the Period of Exhibition can be found in the Information for Exhibitors section of the Schedule.

### EXHIBITORS' MEETING

11. At the direction of the Chief Steward, Exhibitors may be required to attend a Coordination meeting on the first day of judging in the judging ring.

### BEDDING

12. No bedding, other than straw, may be used in pens.

### CLEANLINESS OF PENS

13. Mucking out of pens is to be carried out.
14. Exhibitors must keep the pens allotted to their animals clean and give proper attention to their stock throughout the Show. Exhibitors are advised to provide their own feed and water containers.

### ADVERTISING

15. Decoration of pens is encouraged. Promotional signage is permitted within the bounds of pens up to 180cm above floor level. No signage or other promotional material may be placed in public access walkways.
16. Stud promotional banners may be displayed in the industry display area by arrangement with the Superintendent.
17. Display of Show ribbons other than those awarded at the current Royal Melbourne Show Alpaca Competition Show is prohibited.

### REGISTRATION

18. Each Exhibit's IAR number must be included with the Entry. Failure to provide this number with the Entry will deem that animal ineligible for exhibition at the Show.
19. Only the registered owner of an Exhibit, or his/her authorised agent may sign an Entry Form.

### HEALTH REGULATIONS

20. All entries must be accompanied by the Alpaca Herd Health Declaration Form (Version June 2013) signed by the Exhibitor or authorised agent, and a Government Veterinary Officer if applicable. Failure to sign the Alpaca Herd Health Declaration Form will render all Alpacas of an Exhibitor ineligible to be exhibited.
21. Alpaca Competitions will be conducted under the guidelines as set out in the Johnes Disease Market Assurance Program (AlpacaMAP).
22. Alpacas traveling from interstate must comply with the requirements of Victorian legislation.

### EXERCISING OF ANIMALS

23. Alpacas are to remain in their pens during the day and exercising is only allowed at specified times as nominated by the Superintendent.

### INSPECTION OF EXHIBITS

24. All Exhibitors are to comply with the inspection times allocated in the Information for Exhibitors section of the Schedule. All Alpacas must be registered with the IAR and carry an approved brass tag showing the Alpaca's IAR number.
25. Every animal exhibited in the Alpaca section will be subject to inspection carried out by an Inspector appointed by RASV.
26. The Inspector or Inspectors appointed by RASV shall then examine all Alpacas for genetic faults, colour, class and IAR number.
27. If there is no IAR tag present in the ear of an Exhibit, official confirmation by the registrar (in hard copy) must be provided by the owner to the Chief Steward that the ear tag has been recently lost and that the new tag has been ordered and paid for. Replacement tag orders and payments must be lodged with the registrar a minimum of one week before the date of Show. Failure to present such advice at inspection will result in disqualification of the animal.
28. No Exhibitor shall, to the best of their knowledge, exhibit any alpaca showing any signs or symptoms of disease at the time of exhibition. All male alpacas must be completely entire and deemed physically sound. Any alpaca not deemed to be completely physically sound by the appointed RASV Inspector or a Veterinary Surgeon shall not compete.
29. The Inspector or Chief Steward will classify all entries for colour, and has the power to transfer an Exhibit to the class which, in their opinion, should have been entered. The Chief Steward will combine or split classes as he / she sees fit.
30. Alpacas not in their allotted pens and available for inspection at the official times may be disqualified by the Chief Steward. Exhibitors must be in attendance at time of inspection and will be required to assist.



31. Exhibits of Huacayas must carry a minimum fleece length of 50mm and a recommended maximum length not exceeding 130mm.

Note: Huacaya 12 months and older must be shorn regularly so that no more than 15 months fleece is carried at the time of showing. Suri must be shorn regularly so that no more than 14 months fleece is carried at the time of showing.

32. Any animal found to have lice infestation must be removed from the Showgrounds immediately along with any other Alpacas present that belong to the same Exhibitor.

### CORRECT ANIMAL COLOUR CLASSIFICATION

33. An Alpaca is to be shown in the appropriate colour class, when it is predominantly that colour. Any colour variations will be assessed at the Judge's discretion.

34. A predominantly grey Alpaca (grey, rose grey) is to be shown in a grey class, whether or not it has any other coloured spots present, and any colour variations will be assessed at the Judge's discretion.

35. Exhibits shall not have fleece of a different colour to that of the blanket removed from an animal to a level below that of the blanket fleece.

### AGE OF ALPACA

36. Alpacas must be entered into the correct class at their age on the first day of the Royal Melbourne Show.

### JUDGING

37. The following regulations shall be read subject to General Regulations 11.1 to 11.6 of the General Regulations.

38. Judging will be as follows: alternating between Suri and Huacaya beginning with Junior, Intermediate, Adult, Senior and Mature. Classes will complete the Male and Female of each section before proceeding to the alternate breed.

39. The Huacaya Sire's and Dam's Progeny will proceed after the judging of the Huacaya Supreme Champion.

40. The Suri Sire's and Dam's Progeny will proceed after the judging of the Suri Supreme Champion.

41. All Exhibitors shall, upon arrival at the Show, obtain their pen position and class numbers from the Shed Steward. Exhibit numbers must be worn and clearly displayed by the handler whilst in the Show Ring and must show age of animal in months and the number of months of fleece the alpaca is carrying.

42. All handlers showing animals must be competent in the handling of their Exhibit, or removal from the Show Ring may be requested by the Judge. It is recommended that children not exhibit large animals that they cannot control.

43. All Exhibitors must place their animals in the pens allotted by the Stewards and must not be moved or removed except by order of the Chief Steward.

44. Only one fleece that has been shorn in the 18 months prior to the Show may be shown from any one animal. It is recommended that fleeces be placed in bags, made of satin or similar material, or heavy duty plastic. Plastic garbage bags should be avoided.

45. All fleeces being shown, including wether fleeces, must be the bona fide property of a financial member of the Australian Alpaca Association (AAA).

46. Exhibitors when submitting fleeces must attach to the fleece the number supplied for that class (no names).

47. Winning fleeces will be displayed at the Showgrounds for the duration of the show.

### MISCONDUCT OF EXHIBITORS AND MEMBERS

48. A violation of any rule by the Exhibitor shall be reported to the Chief Steward in writing by either the Judge, a steward or exhibitor within one hour of the alleged incident occurring.

49. Misconduct may also be reported by the Judge, a Steward or Exhibitor to the Chief Steward in respect of actions of an exhibitor or member present at the Show that is considered to be prejudicial to the industry. Such actions may include but not be limited to:

- A demonstration of dissatisfaction with a Judge's decision, including refusal to accept an award.
- Altercations with Show Officials, Exhibitors or the general public.
- Abusive or foul language or rude gestures in public.
- Mistreatment of an animal.

50. Written complaints shall be lodged with the Chief Steward within one hour of the alleged incident occurring. Written complaints received by the Chief Steward shall be immediately investigated and if sufficient grounds for the complaint are confirmed the matter shall be reported to RASV for appropriate action under the appropriate Grievance Procedure.

### PROTESTS

51. The following regulations shall be read subject to General Regulations 12.1 to 12.6 of the General Regulations.

52. Only an Exhibitor may lodge a protest against another Exhibitor or a Show official. The protest shall be lodged in writing together with a deposit of \$50, which shall be refunded if the protest is upheld.

53. The sole grounds for a protest shall be a breach of the Regulations and protests shall be lodged with the Chief Steward within one hour of the alleged incident occurring.

The Chief Steward shall set up a Protest Committee prior to the commencement of the Show. The Committee shall comprise the Chief Steward as the Chair and two ordinary members not associated with the alleged incident. A meeting will be convened within 30 minutes of the protest being received. The Protest Committee shall immediately investigate the protest and if found to be valid initiate appropriate action.

### DRESS CODE

54. All Exhibitors leading stock in the Judging Ring or on Parade shall wear a black shirt, black trousers or skirt and clean closed black shoes. AAA branded shirts are allowed but not necessary. No shorts or short dresses, open shoes or hats.

55. Black clothing must in no way show any insignia or any descriptive markings indicating the Exhibitor's name and/or stud name or prefix.

56. The Chief Steward may disqualify an Exhibitor for incorrect attire.

### PRIZES

57. Rosettes or ribbons may be awarded up to 6<sup>th</sup> place as follows:

Up to 10 exhibits per class: 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> rosettes or ribbons.

11 to 18 exhibits per class: 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> rosettes or ribbons.

19 or more exhibits per class: 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> rosettes or ribbons.

The Judge is under no obligation to award the prize where he / she considers in his / her absolute discretion that such prize, or prizes, are not to be awarded.

### SIRE'S PROGENY CLASSES

58. Group of two males, females or males and females—(no wethers), six months and over. Not necessarily owned or bred by the one Exhibitor, but all the progeny of the one sire and drawn from the Ordinary classes. The class will only be conducted if there are at least two entries.

59. Only one progeny from any one dam may be shown in each sires progeny group unless the progeny have been born at least eleven months apart.

60. Entries close for Sire's Progeny Class at a time determined by the Chief Steward and the Alpaca Superintendent. Exhibitors will be advised upon arrival at the Showgrounds of this time.

### DAM'S PROGENY

61. Group of two males, females or males and females (no wethers), six months and over. Not necessarily owned or bred by the one Exhibitor, but all the progeny of the one dam and drawn from the Ordinary classes. The class will only be conducted if there are at least two entries.

62. Alpacas entered for the Dam's Progeny class must have different sires and must be born at least eleven months apart.

63. Entries close for Dam's Progeny Class at a time determined by the Chief Steward and the Alpaca Superintendent. Exhibitors will be advised upon arrival at the Showgrounds of this time.

#### **MOST SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITOR AWARDS**

64. RASV Rosette will be awarded to the Most Successful Huacaya Exhibitor and Most Successful Suri Exhibitor.

The Most Successful Exhibitor Award will be calculated as follows:

Total points scored divided by the number of animals judged. Scratching's will not be included.

Placings in Sire's and Dam's Progeny Class and Fleece Classes will not be taken into consideration when deciding these awards.

In the event of a tie, two points will be allotted for Champion awards and one point for Reserve Champion awards. If a tie still exists, a count back approved by RASV, will be made to determine the winner.

#### **MOST SUCCESSFUL NEW EXHIBITOR AWARDS**

65. The RASV Rosette will be awarded to the Most Successful New Huacaya Exhibitor and Most Successful New Suri Exhibitor.

The Most Successful New Exhibitor Award will be calculated as follows:

The stud must be new to the alpaca industry and must not have previously shown at the Royal Melbourne Show Alpaca Competition.

Total points scored divided by the number of animals and fleeces judged. Scratching's will not be included.

66. Placings in Sire's and Dam's Progeny Class will not be taken into consideration when deciding these awards.

In the event of a tie, two points will be allotted for Champion awards and one point for Reserve Champion awards. If a tie still exists, a count back approved by RASV, will be made to determine the winner.

# The Royal Agricultural Society of Victoria Limited

ABN 66 006 728 785

## GENERAL REGULATIONS FOR ALL COMPETITIONS

### 1. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION

#### 1.1 Definitions

The following definitions apply unless the context requires otherwise.

**Agent** includes any person, agent, association or corporation engaged by or on behalf of the Exhibitor and any person acting or purporting to act on the Exhibitor's behalf (including any person who is an invitee of the Exhibitor and regardless of whether the person is remunerated or not).

**Assistant Chief Steward** means the person occupying or acting in the position of Assistant Chief Steward of a section.

**Body** includes any society, organisation or body within or outside Australia having similar objects to RASV and, without limitation, includes:

- Royal Agricultural Society of the Northern Territory Inc;
- Royal National Agricultural & Industrial Association of Queensland;
- Royal Agricultural & Horticultural Society of South Australia;
- Royal Agricultural Society of NSW;
- Royal Agricultural Society of Tasmania;
- Royal National Capital Agricultural Society;
- Royal Agricultural Society of WA; and
- any breed association or society recognised by RASV.

**Business Day** means a week day on which banks in Melbourne are open for business.

**Chief Executive Officer** means a person occupying or acting in the position of Chief Executive Officer of RASV.

**Chief Steward** means the person occupying or acting in the position of Chief Steward of a section.

**Closing Date** means the date and time set out in the Relevant Schedule after which entries for the Event will not be accepted by RASV.

**Drug** has the meaning set out in the Relevant Schedule.

**Event** includes competition and class and without limitation includes any event listed in a Schedule. Event also includes the period of bump-in and bump-out for the Event and the period of the Event competition.

**Entry Form** means an entry form (or online equivalent) supplied by RASV for an Event.

**Event Participant** includes judges, stewards, contractors, spectators, Exhibitors and all persons present at the Venue during the Event.

**Exhibit** means the animal, person or item entered into an Event by an Exhibitor.

**Exhibitor** means the owner of the Exhibit, and if the owner is less than 18 years of age, the parent or guardian of the owner who signs the Entry Form.

**Inspector** means a person described as such in the Regulations.

**Judge** means a person appointed by RASV to judge an Event.

**Motor Vehicle** includes a truck, trailer, horse float and stock transporter but does not include a caravan.

**RASV** means The Royal Agricultural Society of Victoria Limited (ACN 006 728 785).

**Regulations** means:

- (a) RASV's General Regulations For All Competitions;
- (b) the rules, regulations and conditions of entry set out in the Relevant Schedule; and
- (c) the rules, regulations and conditions of entry set out on the Entry Form for the Event.

**Relevant Schedule** means the Schedule which applies to the particular Event in which the Exhibitor has submitted or proposes to submit an entry in accordance with these Regulations.

**Review Committee** means a committee appointed under Regulation 12.5.

**Schedule** means a Schedule of events and prizes issued by RASV and without limitation, a reference to a Schedule includes a reference to the rules, regulations and conditions set out in the Schedule.

**Show** means the Royal Melbourne Show.

**Showgrounds** means the Melbourne Showgrounds, Epsom Road, Ascot Vale, Victoria and includes without limitation all areas owned, used, rented or leased by RASV.

**Steward** means a person occupying or acting in the position of steward.

**Venue** means the site or location at which the Event is held.

**Veterinary Surgeon** means a veterinary surgeon appointed by RASV.

#### 1.2 Interpretation

Headings are for convenience only and do not affect interpretation. The following rules apply unless the context requires otherwise.

- (a) The singular includes the plural and conversely.
- (b) A gender includes all genders.
- (c) If a word or phrase is defined, its other grammatical forms have a corresponding meaning.
- (d) A reference to a person, corporation, trust, partnership, unincorporated body or other entity includes any of them.
- (e) A reference to a Regulation is a reference to a Regulation of these Regulations.
- (f) A reference to a Regulation, rule or condition of entry is to the regulation, rule or condition of entry as amended, varied, supplemented, novated or replaced, except to the extent prohibited by these Regulations.
- (g) A reference to a right or obligation of any two or more persons confers that right, or imposes that obligation, as the case may be, jointly and severally.

In the event of an inconsistency between the Regulations and a Schedule, the Regulations prevail to the extent of the inconsistency unless otherwise provided.

#### 1.3 Exemptions

RASV may, by notice in writing, exempt an Exhibit or an Exhibitor from one or more of the obligations or requirements contained in these Regulations.

#### 1.4 Consents or Approvals

Where the doing of any act, matter or thing under these Regulations is dependent upon the consent or approval of a person or is within the discretion of a person, the consent or approval may be given or discretion may be exercised conditionally or unconditionally or withheld by the person in its absolute discretion and without giving or assigning any reason for it.

### 2. ENTRIES

#### 2.1 Requirements for Entering an Event

An entry to an Event must be:

- (a) submitted on an Entry Form;
- (b) acknowledged by a physical signature or electronic authorisation by the Exhibitor or, if the Exhibitor is less than 18 years of age, acknowledged by the Exhibitor's parent or guardian;
- (c) fully paid for as set out in the Relevant Schedule;
- (d) submitted before the Closing Date to RASV's Registered Office or electronic service; and
- (e) Any Exhibit entered into an Event must be disease free and in good health and condition.

#### 2.2 Warranty

The Exhibitor represents and warrants to RASV that the information set out on the Entry Form is complete, accurate and not misleading in any way.

#### 2.3 Rules and Regulations

An entry is subject to the:

- (a) Regulations; and
- (b) Relevant Schedule.

## 2.4 Entries Subject to Rules and Regulations

Upon submission of an entry in accordance with Regulation 2.1, the Exhibitor agrees to be bound by the rules, regulations and conditions referred to in Regulation 2.3 and to ensure that each Agent of the Exhibitor complies with those rules, regulations and conditions. An act or omission of an Agent of an Exhibitor may be deemed by RASV to be the act or omission of the Exhibitor.

## 2.5 Altered Entries

Subject to the discretion of RASV an entry may not be altered after the Closing Date.

## 2.6 Number of Entries

RASV may restrict the number of entries in any Event.

## 2.7 Limit on Entry Into Multiple Ordinary Classes

Subject to the Relevant Schedule, an Exhibit must not be entered in more than one Ordinary Class. Should any Exhibit be sought to be entered in more than one Ordinary Class, the Exhibit will only compete in the Ordinary Class in which the Exhibit's or the Exhibitor's name first appears in RASV's Catalogue unless RASV otherwise directs. For the purposes of this Regulation, Sweepstakes, Special Classes, Trophy Classes and Championships are not an Ordinary Class. 'Ordinary Class', 'Sweepstakes', 'Special Class', 'Trophy Class' and 'Championship' have the meaning given in the Relevant Schedule.

## 3. ENTRY AND NOMINATION FEES

The entry fee and, if applicable, the nomination fee, become the property of RASV on receipt by RASV and, without limitation, the entry fee and, if applicable, nomination fee paid in respect of an entry which is withdrawn or which does not satisfy the requirements for entry or conditions of eligibility will not be refunded.

## 4. DOCUMENTS FOR PRESENTATION WHILST AT THE SHOWGROUNDS

Animal Registration papers, AAR microchip papers, show-jumping performance cards and birth certificates, or certified photocopies thereof, are not required to be submitted to RASV or to accompany an Application for Entry. Such documentation will be required to be on hand whilst the Exhibitor and the Exhibits are on the Showground (if the Application for Entry specifies such documentation is required) and must be produced upon request for perusal by the Chief Steward or other RASV authorised person. Failure to produce such documents if requested will result in the Exhibit being ineligible for the Event.

## 5. OWNERSHIP OF EXHIBITS

### 5.1 Ownership on Entry

If ownership/Lessee of an Exhibit changes after the lodgement date of the Nomination Form, RASV must be notified in writing of the ownership/Lessee change no later than 14 days prior to the date of Exhibition. RASV may, if requested in writing by the purchaser/Lessee, and at its absolute discretion, amend the Nomination Form by endorsing thereon the name of the purchaser as the owner of that Exhibit.

## 6. EXHIBITION OF EXHIBITS

### 6.1 Grounds for not Exhibiting an Animal

The Exhibitor must not withdraw an Exhibit from an Event, and an Exhibit must be exhibited, unless a certificate signed by a veterinary surgeon is lodged with RASV certifying that the Exhibit is unable to compete for one or more of the following reasons:

- (a) the Exhibit, being an animal, has died;
- (b) the Exhibit, being an animal, is unfit to be exhibited due to injury or disease;
- (c) the Exhibit is ineligible for the Event; or
- (d) some other cause RASV considers reasonable.

### 6.2 Time for Withdrawing an Animal Exhibit

A certificate given under Regulation 6.1 must be given to RASV:

- (a) before the date for admission of the Exhibit to the Showgrounds (as set out in the Relevant Schedule), if the cause for withdrawal of the Exhibit occurs or arises before that date; or
- (b) otherwise, as soon as possible after the cause for withdrawal of the Exhibit occurs or arises.

### 6.3 Training or Preparing Exhibits or Exhibitors

Exhibitors must not enter into an Event that is to be judged by a person who has trained or prepared the Exhibitor or Exhibit within six months of the date of the Event.

## 7. EXHIBIT TICKET

Subject to the Relevant Schedule, RASV will issue an exhibit ticket for an Exhibit unless it otherwise determines. The Exhibitor or an Agent must produce the exhibit ticket upon a request from RASV or a Steward.

## 8. CONDUCT OF EXHIBITORS AND AGENTS

### 8.1 Compliance With Rules and Regulations

Where an Exhibit and/or Exhibitor and/or an Agent fail to comply with any of the Regulations, RASV may impose one or more of the following penalties on the Exhibit or Exhibitor or both of them:

- (a) disqualification;
- (b) suspension;
- (c) a fine;
- (d) order the Exhibit or the Exhibitor, his or her family, invitees and Agents be removed from the Showgrounds; or
- (e) any other penalty.

Without limiting the above, RASV may forfeit an award, and upon forfeiture, the Exhibitor must return any ribbon, money, prize card or other evidence of that award to RASV within seven days after receiving notification of the forfeiture. Nothing in this Regulation limits Regulation 9.

### 8.2 Compliance with Directions

- (a) The Exhibitor and/or Agent must fully comply with the directions and requests of RASV. Without limitation, directions and requests of RASV may apply to the Exhibit, the Exhibitor, the Agent, the conditions of the Event, the conduct of the Exhibitor, the conduct of the Event, the conduct of the Agent, the decision of the Judge, or the award of prizes.
- (b) Without limiting Regulation 8.2(a), upon a request from RASV, an Exhibitor and/or Agent must make a statutory declaration in the form and with respect to matters RASV in its discretion requires.
- (c) Without limiting Regulation 8.2(a), upon a request from RASV, an Exhibitor and/or Agent must submit his or her Exhibit for inspection by a Veterinary Surgeon.

### 8.3 Statements

The Exhibitor and/or Agent must not make a statement regarding an Exhibit, which in the opinion of RASV, is fraudulent, false, erroneous, misleading or deceptive or likely to mislead or deceive.

### 8.4 Tampering

An Exhibit must not be or have been tampered with or otherwise improperly dealt with by an Exhibitor.

### 8.5 Unacceptable Behaviour

RASV is committed to providing a fair and equitable Venue for all participants, free from all forms of harassment, bullying and violence. The following behaviours will not be tolerated and may result in the event participant/Exhibitor being removed from the competition Venue and/or disqualified from the competition and formal procedures initiated:

- (a) violence;
- (b) bullying;
- (c) harassment;
- (d) sexual harassment;
- (e) unlawful discrimination;
- (f) victimisation.

Persons breaching acceptable standards of behaviour may be banned from entering future RASV Events and/or the Venue.

### 8.6 Animals and Livestock

Unless RASV gives prior written approval, pets, animals or livestock other than Exhibits must not be brought onto or permitted to enter or remain on the Showgrounds.

### 8.7 Mutual Recognition

RASV may recognise, act upon and enforce any penalty imposed by a Body on an Exhibit or Exhibitor or Agent at any time.

### 8.8 Further Proceedings

RASV may conduct further proceedings in relation to any matter concerning an Exhibitor, an Exhibit, an Agent, a potential Exhibitor, or a potential Exhibit, and impose any suspension, fine, disqualification, withdrawal or forfeiture of an award, handicap, reprimand, warning or any other penalty, irrespective of whether a Body has already imposed a penalty on the Exhibitor or the Exhibit or Agent, or on the potential Exhibitor or the potential Exhibit.



## 8.9 Reciprocal Arrangements

RASV may enter into reciprocal arrangements with a Body in relation to any matter concerning an Exhibit, an Exhibitor, an Agent, a potential Exhibit or a potential Exhibitor.

## 8.10 Smoking

Melbourne Showgrounds is a completely smoke-free venue (effective 1 September 2016). Exhibitors, staff, patrons and contractors wanting to smoke will need to exit the venue to do so.

## 9. POWERS OF RASV IN RESPECT TO CONTROL OF THE EVENT

### 9.1 Power to Refuse to Accept an Entry, Exhibit or Exhibitor

RASV may refuse to accept an entry for an Event, an Exhibit or an Exhibitor or any of them.

### 9.2 Power to Cancel or Alter

RASV may:

- alter the Closing Date for an Event, or the Closing Date for receipt of any particular entry;
- remove any Exhibit from the Showgrounds or cause any Exhibit to be removed from the Showgrounds;
- amend an entry for an Event to, without limitation, substitute an alternate competition or class for the competition or class in which the Exhibit is or was entered;
- alter the conditions of any Event;
- refuse to display an Exhibit;
- rule that an Exhibit or Exhibitor may not compete or is ineligible to compete;
- alter the date, time or place on or at which any Event is scheduled to take place or to be judged;
- alter the Judge scheduled to judge any Event; or
- cancel any Event.

The rights set out above apply notwithstanding:

- RASV's acceptance of an entry for an Event;
- inclusion of an entry for an Event in the Event Catalogue;
- the issue of an exhibit ticket to an Exhibitor or in respect of an Exhibit or an Event; or
- the issue of any other document to an Exhibitor or in respect of an Exhibit or an Event.

## 10. ILLNESS OF AN ANIMAL

### 10.1 Animal Health Status

If the Exhibitor or any Agent of the Exhibitor detects or suspects any illness amongst any of their Exhibits whilst the Exhibits are at the Showgrounds, the Exhibitor must:

- report this fact immediately to the representative of RASV responsible for the applicable livestock section (the Superintendent);
- ensure that the Exhibit(s) concerned is/are contained within the space allocated by RASV for the Exhibit(s), unless advised otherwise by the Superintendent or a member of RASV veterinary panel on duty; and
- where feasible to do so, contain soiled bedding from the Exhibit(s) concerned within the space allocated by RASV for the Exhibit(s).

The Exhibitor may engage or consult a private veterinary surgeon in respect to the illness only after the above action has been taken and only after first consulting with a member of RASV veterinary panel on duty.

### 10.2 Treatment Upon Illness or Injury

If an Exhibit is ill or injured, a Veterinary Surgeon may in his or her discretion attend to or treat the Exhibit. The Veterinary Surgeon may do so even in the absence of authority from the Exhibitor, or contrary to that authority.

### 10.3 Destruction or Removal

Where, in the opinion of a Veterinary Surgeon, an Exhibit should be destroyed or removed from the Showgrounds:

- the Veterinary Surgeon or any other person approved by RASV may destroy or remove the Exhibit from the Showgrounds, or both; or
- RASV may require the Exhibitor to immediately destroy or remove the Exhibit from the Showgrounds or both.

All costs and expenses incurred by RASV pursuant to this Regulation must be reimbursed by the Exhibitor to RASV. Nothing in this Regulation limits Regulation 9.2.

## 10.4 Necropsy

If an Exhibit dies while at an Event, RASV may require that a necropsy be conducted on the animal. The Exhibitor must allow for the immediate release of the body to RASV if requested by RASV.

## 10.5 Veterinary Surgeons

Where an Exhibitor wishes to engage or consult a veterinary surgeon who is not appointed by RASV, the Exhibitor must first inform the representative of RASV responsible for the applicable livestock section. A Veterinary Surgeon, a Judge and RASV itself is not required to have regard to or to consider any opinion of a veterinary surgeon so engaged or consulted by the Exhibitor, and a decision of a Veterinary Surgeon, a Judge or RASV is final regardless of whether or not the Exhibitor has engaged or consulted a veterinary surgeon not appointed by RASV.

## 11. JUDGING

### 11.1 Interference

The Exhibitor and Agents of the Exhibitor must not consult, influence or interfere with a Judge or attempt to consult, influence or interfere with a Judge or do any other thing which may influence or interfere with the Judge's freedom of choice or judgment unless it is expressly authorised by the Relevant Schedule.

Unless with the permission of RASV, no Exhibitor or Agent of an Exhibitor may occupy the position of Judge or become in any way identified with the judging or handling of Exhibits in any class in which that person or that person's employers, family members or associates are interested. This does not apply to Stewards.

### 11.2 Indications of Ownership

The Exhibitor, any Agent of the Exhibitor and the Exhibit must not be equipped with or wear or display anything indicating the ownership of the Exhibit before or during judgment of the Exhibit unless it is expressly authorised by the Relevant Schedule.

### 11.3 Decision

Except as otherwise expressly provided in the Regulations, the decision of a Judge as to the merits of the Exhibit and the Exhibitor or either of them will be final, and the Exhibitor may not protest or appeal the decision.

### 11.4 Prizes

Subject to the Relevant Schedule, a Judge may in his or her opinion:

- award a second or third prize in place of a first prize;
- withhold a prize where a prize should not be awarded;
- where there is a tie for any placing in an Event, award subsequent placings so that the next placing will be the number of Exhibits already placed plus one (for example, if two Exhibits tie for first place, award a third for the next placing);
- where all the prizes offered in an Event have been awarded and a further Exhibit is of sufficient merit to deserve a prize make a reserve number of the further Exhibit; or
- give commendations where they are deserved.
- award an Exhibitor more than one prize in any class where more than one entry is permitted.

### 11.5 Disqualifications

Where an Exhibit or an Exhibitor is disqualified and the applicable award is forfeited, RASV may (but is not obliged to) promote the Exhibit next in order to that prize, whether the Exhibit next in order was awarded a prize or a reserve number. Exhibits next in order, whether awarded a prize or reserve number, may also be promoted to the prize next in order.

### 11.6 Prize Cards

The Exhibitor must ensure that prize cards awarded for an Exhibit are displayed with the Exhibit while it is on exhibition.

## 12. PROTESTS AND APPEALS

### 12.1 Restricted to Class

Protests and appeals may only be made by Exhibitors with Exhibits in the class to which the protest relates.

### 12.2 Protest to Stewards

The Exhibitor may protest to the Chief Steward of the relevant section in relation to conduct, judging or any other matter relating to an Event. A protest must be made in accordance with the procedures set out in the Relevant Schedule and be received by the Chief Steward within 24 hours after the conclusion of the applicable Event.

### 12.3 Appeal

The Exhibitor may appeal against:

- (a) a decision made by RASV pursuant to Regulations; or
- (b) a decision of the Chief Steward or if the Chief Steward delegates the person to make the decision to the Assistant Chief Steward, the decision of the Assistant Chief Steward in relation to a protest under Regulation 12.2.

### 12.4 Form of Appeal

To be an appeal for the purpose of Regulation 12.3 an appeal made by the Exhibitor must be:

- (a) in writing setting out in reasonable detail the grounds for the appeal;
- (b) addressed to:  
The Chief Executive Officer  
The Royal Agricultural Society of Victoria Limited  
Melbourne Showgrounds  
Epsom Road, Ascot Vale, Victoria, 3032;
- (c) accompanied by a deposit of \$200.00 (or such other amount as is notified from time to time by RASV for the purpose of this Regulation 12.4(c)); and
- (d) received by the Chief Executive Officer by 5 p.m. on the Business Day which is 10 Business Days after the day on which the decision the subject of the appeal was made.

### 12.5 Review Committee

If an appeal is made in accordance with Regulation 12.4, the Chief Executive Officer must appoint a Review Committee comprised of three people, being persons who were not part of, and who are independent of, the committee or personnel who made the decision the subject of the appeal.

Within a reasonable time after receipt by the Chief Executive Officer of an appeal complying with Regulation 12.4, the Review Committee will meet to consider the appeal.

### 12.6 Proceedings of the Review Committee

In considering an appeal, the Review Committee must:

- (c) give due consideration to the grounds of appeal submitted by the Exhibitor, and to any other evidence submitted by the Exhibitor;
- (d) give the Exhibitor an opportunity to make oral representations to the Review Committee; and
- (e) in its discretion, call for and hear expert opinion.

### 12.7 Notification of Review Committee's Decision

The Chief Executive Officer will notify the Exhibitor of the Review Committee's decision within 48 hours after that decision is notified by the Review Committee to the Chief Executive Officer. The decision of the Review Committee is final and the Exhibitor will not have any right of appeal in respect of the Review Committee's decision.

### 12.8 Forfeiture of Deposit

Where an appeal is upheld by the Review Committee, the deposit referred to in Regulation 12.4 will be refunded to the Exhibitor when or within a reasonable time after the decision of the Review Committee is notified by the Chief Executive Officer to the Exhibitor. Where an appeal is not upheld by the Review Committee, the deposit referred to in Regulation 12.4 will be retained by RASV.

## 13. ACCOMMODATION

### 13.1 No Obligation to Provide Exhibit Space or Accommodation

- (a) RASV is not obliged to provide space for an Exhibit or accommodation for an Exhibitor or any Agent of an Exhibitor. For the purposes of these Regulations, "accommodation" includes provision of a space for a person to sleep.
- (b) Where RASV, in its discretion, allocates space for an Exhibit or accommodation for an Exhibitor or any Agent of an Exhibitor, only the allocated areas may be used, and only for the purpose designated by RASV.
- (c) The Exhibitor and any Agent of the Exhibitor must not negotiate, on-sell or reallocate assigned lockers, stables or penning to others. The sale, hire and allocation of lockers, stables and penning will only be processed and assigned by the Competition Coordinator prior to the Show commencing or the Superintendent's Office Staff during the event period.

### 13.2 Personal Effects

RASV has no responsibility or liability for any loss or damage:

- (a) suffered by an Exhibitor or any Agent of an Exhibitor using space provided for an Exhibit or accommodation for an Exhibitor or any Agent of an Exhibitor; or
- (b) caused to personal belongings, equipment or property which is brought onto the Showgrounds by an Exhibitor or any Agent of an Exhibitor.

## 14. FIRE REGULATIONS

### 14.1 Flames

The Exhibitor and any Agent of the Exhibitor must not smoke, cook, or heat water by any means whatsoever or use any device involving naked flame in or near any animal pavilion, stall, pen or locker.

### 14.2 Electrical Interference

The Exhibitor and any Agent of the Exhibitor must not:

- (a) subject to Regulation 14.3, use mains powered electrical devices in or near any animal pavilion, stall, pen or locker or any Exhibit.
- (b) alter or interfere with any electrical wiring, switch, plug or socket whatsoever on the Showgrounds.

### 14.3 Exceptions

Nothing in Regulation 14.2(a) prohibits the use of main powered electrical appliances which are, in the opinion of RASV, essential to animal care, or the use of a light-bulb in a locker if the light-bulb is fitted in the socket provided.

## 15. VEHICLE PARKING

### 15.1 Loading and Unloading

With the prior consent of RASV, Motor Vehicles of an Exhibitor or an Agent of an Exhibitor may enter the Showgrounds or any area under RASV control, for the purpose of loading or unloading only. Motor Vehicles must not remain on the Showgrounds, or any area under RASV control, and must be removed immediately upon completion of loading or unloading.

### 15.2 Caravans

Caravans of an Exhibitor or an Agent of an Exhibitor must not enter or remain on the Showgrounds, or any area under RASV control, for any purpose, unless in accordance with the prior written consent of RASV.

### 15.3 Tow Away

Any Motor Vehicle or Caravan entering or remaining on the Showgrounds, or any area under RASV control, in contravention of the Regulations or of any other parking rules or restrictions, may be removed from the Showgrounds, or any area under RASV control, by RASV and stored. Any costs incurred by RASV pursuant to this Regulation must be paid by the Exhibitor.

## 16. LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY

### 16.1 Release

Entry to, remaining on and using the Showgrounds or any part of them by an Exhibitor is entirely at the risk of the Exhibitor and, to the maximum extent permitted by law, the Exhibitor releases RASV (which term includes in this clause RASV's officers, employees, members, contractors and agents), from all claims, demands and liabilities of every kind resulting from any accident, damage, injury or illness occurring at the Showgrounds and, without limitation, the Exhibitor acknowledges and agrees:

- (a) RASV has no responsibility or liability for any loss, damage, injury or illness to or caused by any Exhibit;
- (b) RASV has no responsibility or liability for any loss, damage, injury or illness to or caused by any Exhibitor or any Agent;
- (c) RASV has no responsibility or liability for any loss or damage to a Motor Vehicle or any of its contents whilst it is on the Showgrounds or in any car park under RASV's control; and
- (d) without limiting Regulations 16.1(a) and 16.1(b) above, RASV has no responsibility or liability for any loss, damage, injury or illness resulting from the sale, treatment, failure to treat, destruction, disposal or other dealing with any Exhibit, or for any loss, damage or injury to any personal belongings, equipment or property brought onto the Showgrounds by any person.

## 16.2 Indemnity

To the maximum extent permitted by law, the Exhibitor indemnifies and keeps indemnified RASV and its officers, employees, members, contractors and agents from and against all actions, claims, demands, losses, damages, costs, expenses and liabilities including without limitation, consequential loss and loss of profits for which RASV is or may be or become liable in respect of or arising from:

- (a) loss, damage, injury or illness to any person in connection with the Exhibit or the relevant Event;
- (b) without limiting Regulation 16.2(a), loss, damage, injury or illness to any other Exhibit or Exhibitor, or any Agent of any other Exhibitor, or to the property of RASV, or its members, or to the general public, or any member of the general public, caused or contributed to or by any act or omission of an Exhibit of the Exhibitor or by the Exhibitor or any Agent of the Exhibitor; and
- (c) without limiting Regulation 16.2(a), loss, damage, injury or illness to the Exhibit, or to the Exhibitor or any Agent of any other Exhibitor caused or contributed to by an act or omission of an Exhibit or by the transportation, feeding, housing or exhibiting of an Exhibit.

## 16.3 Removal from Showgrounds

Without prejudice to any other provision in these Regulations, where RASV, its officers, employees, members, contractors or agents removes an Exhibit, or causes an Exhibit to be removed from the Showgrounds, the Exhibit is removed or caused to be removed entirely at the risk of the Exhibitor. The person or persons removing the Exhibit will be deemed to be the agent of the Exhibitor, and his or her acts and omissions will be deemed to be the acts and omissions of the Exhibitor.

## 17. ANIMAL OWNER'S LIABILITY INSURANCE

RASV may arrange owner's liability insurance cover for Exhibitors of Exhibits that are animals, and, if RASV does so, the Exhibitor is bound by the terms and conditions of this insurance and by applicable duties of an insured under the Insurance Contracts Act (1984). Details of owner's liability insurance cover arranged by RASV are set out in the Relevant Schedule.

## 18. INFORMATION HANDLING

RASV is bound by the National Privacy Principles of the *Privacy Act 1988 (Cth)* and other applicable laws governing privacy.

### 18.1 Collection of Personal Information

- (a) RASV may collect, hold and use personal information about Exhibitors, their family members, invitees or Agents.
- (b) The types of information that may be collected include names and contact details, credit card details, qualifications, results of the Exhibitor's entry into the relevant Event and any reprimand, fine, disqualification, withdrawal of an award or penalty imposed on the Exhibitor in connection with entry of the Exhibit in the relevant Event. Information may also be collected from other Bodies relating to the Exhibitor's entry into events held by that Body including, without limitation, reprimands, fines, disqualifications, withdrawals of awards or penalties imposed.
- (c) Personal information is collected for the purpose of administration of Events and the Show, as well as related purposes including, without limitation, promoting the Events and the Show, maintenance of records of information relevant to qualifications for future events, maintenance of health and safety records in relation to Events, applicable insurance cover for Events and making claims under RASV's insurance for incidents which involve an Exhibitor and occur during an Event.
- (d) Personal information may also be used for the purpose of informing Exhibitors about other events and services. RASV may send an Exhibitor publications and information about other events and services unless the exhibitor indicates to RASV that the Exhibitor does not want to receive such publications or information.

### 18.2 Sharing of Personal Information

- (a) RASV may share information which has been collected by RASV under Regulation 18.1 with other organisations and service providers to assist in administering the Events and the Show, including co-sponsors of Events and health service providers, indemnity or insurance providers or other Bodies, or any entity that may subsequently administer the Event.

- (b) RASV may also publish winners details on its websites or publications or disclose information about an Exhibitor to the media for the purpose of publishing articles on the Exhibitor's participation in the Event, unless the Exhibitor has requested that the Exhibitor's personal information not be published or disclosed for these purposes.
- (c) RASV may also disclose information if otherwise required or authorised by law.

## 18.3 Photography

- (a) The Exhibitor and any Agent acknowledges that they and their exhibits may be photographed or filmed while at the Venue and that images may be used by RASV for marketing and promotion.

## 18.4 Access and Correction

- (a) An Exhibitor may contact RASV if the Exhibitor has a complaint or a query about the information handling practices of RASV.
- (b) An Exhibitor may request that RASV remove any personal information about that Exhibitor published in connection with an Exhibit or an Event from RASV's publications. RASV will, to the extent that it can reasonably do so and as soon as is reasonably practical, remove such information from the relevant publications.
- (c) An Exhibitor may access, correct or update personal information using My RASV at [www.rasv.com.au](http://www.rasv.com.au)
- (d) An Exhibitor may request RASV to provide access to any personal information held by RASV about the Exhibitor, to the extent authorised by the Privacy Act and all other applicable laws. Those laws may not give rise to a right of access to all information or in all circumstances.
- (e) An access request must be made in writing, addressed to:  
The Company Secretary  
The Royal Agricultural Society of Victoria Limited  
Melbourne Showgrounds Epsom Road  
Ascot Vale, Victoria, 3032

## 19. AGENTS

Any person acting or purporting to act as an agent of an Exhibitor is deemed to have given RASV a warranty of his or her authority to so act, and RASV is not required to make any inquiry as to that authority.

## 20. GOVERNING LAW

These Regulations are governed by the laws of Victoria





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