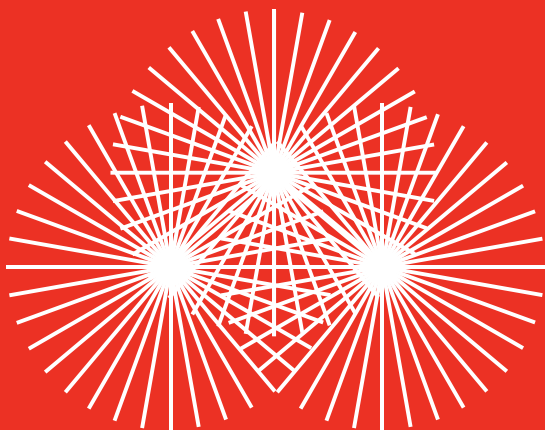


DOG WEIGHT PULL COMPETITION



royal adelaide
SHOW

3 - 11 September

2010

closing date of entries - 16 july 2010

schedule (including special regulations)

enquiries phone: 8210 5211

DOG WEIGHT PULL COMPETITION

CLOSING DATE OF ENTRIES

FRIDAY, 16 JULY 2010 at 5.00 pm

CLOSING DATE OF ENTRIES

The following conditions will strictly apply:

1. All entry forms and fees whether lodged in person or sent by post, must be in the Society's possession at its Administration Office by 5.00 pm on Friday 16 July.
2. Postal entry forms and fees will be accepted up to and including entries postmarked on or before the official closing date
3. A late entry option is offered under the following conditions:
Received or postmarked within 7 days of the official closing date. *and*
an additional fee equivalent to three times the standard entry fee per class is to be paid.
4. When sending entry forms and fees by post, the onus is on the exhibitor to ensure adequate delivery time.
5. Entry forms by facsimile are strictly forbidden and will be destroyed.
6. Late entries will not be accepted.
7. If you require formal acknowledgement that your entry has been received, please include a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your entry form.

ENTRY FEES (GST INCLUDED)

Entry fees: \$10.00 per dog

MEMBERSHIP

Exhibitors need not be members of the Society. RA&HS Membership fees: (Optional) Adults \$125, Juniors (under 18) as at 1 January 2010, \$42

YOUR PRIVACY

If you do not want your details to be made available to other parties, please tick the box on the entry form supplied by the RA&HS. Your personal information will only be used by the RA&HS to maintain contact with you and allow us to manage your entries. The RA&HS reserves the right to inform prize sponsors the details of recipients to enable distribution of their voucher/

product prizes to the winner.

Please note: By ticking the box to suppress your details, your name and address will not appear in the Catalogue (if applicable).

WITHDRAWALS

All withdrawals must be made in writing and can be sent via email to info@adelaideshowground.com.au or faxed to (08) 8212 1533. Emailed withdrawals must include "Withdrawal" in the subject line and the section (eg Honey), exhibitor name, class number, exhibit number (if known) and exhibit name (if applicable). Withdrawals must be made at least 24 hours prior to judging.

LOCATION OF COMPETITION

The Dog Weight Pull competition will be held in the Woolworths Beef Cattle Pavilion. Exhibitors will be advised of arrival and departure details when the "Notice to Exhibitors" is posted out.

DATE AND TIME

The competition will be held on Friday, 10 September commencing at 3.00 pm.

PASSES

Exhibitors entering 1-2 dogs will receive one day entry pass.
Three or more dogs will receive 2 day entry passes. Extra tickets for family members can be purchased from Venuetix.

PRIZES

In addition to the prizes listed first to third place ribbons will be awarded.
RA&HS sashes will be awarded to the winner of "Weight To Weight" and "Highest Pull Of The Day".

SPECIAL REGULATIONS

Exhibitors are reminded that the Society's General Regulations apply to all sections of the Show and that the Special Regulations hereunder set out, which apply to this section only, are merely supplementary to and subject to the Regulations.

A copy of the General Regulations may be obtained from the Society's website at www.theshow.com.au or a copy may be requested from the Society's Administration Office.

THERE WILL BE NO BAITING OR TREATING IN THE CHUTE AT ANY TIME.

ELIGIBILITY

- An entry for a weight pull shall be submitted prior to the start of the pull, subject to deadlines as determined by the Society and weight pull organisation.
- All entries must be on an official weight pull entry form.
- Current weight certificate/s copy must be produced with entry forms.
- The weight pull organisation may reject any entry for just cause.

DOGS

- To qualify for a weightpulling contest, the dog shall be at least eighteen (18) months old.
- No pregnant bitch shall be allowed to compete in any weight pull event.

MEDICATION AND PROHIBITED DRUGS

All stimulants, anti-depressants, analgesics, prescriptive and non-prescriptive or any other substance that may affect the performance of the dog is **PROHIBITED**.

If the weight pull organising club intends to test for prohibited drugs it must be declared on the entry form.

It is incumbent upon the owner/handler to declare all foreign substances used in his/her dogs before testing.

PENNING

Exhibitors need to provide their own crates for penning of their dogs.

Dogs must remain inside the pavilion at all times

DOG WEIGH-INS

All dogs shall be weighted prior to each pull contest. Weigh-ins shall close when the time keeper has all entries confirmed and is ready to commence the event.

HARNESSES

All dogs shall be fitted with an approved weight pull harness.

LEADS

All dogs will be constrained in the designated area by a lead no longer than 40 cm.

PULLING AREA

The pulling surface shall be uniform. The dogs shall achieve traction on the same surface as that on which the cart rides.

REQUIRED DISTANCE AND TIME LIMIT

- The dog will be required to pull the load to a marked and measured five (5) metres.
- The dog will be required to pull the load within a sixty (60) second time limit.
- If a dog fails to pull a weight successfully, it is deemed as competition completed.

LOAD INCREMENTS

Increments may be as determined by the chief judge or three-quarters (75%) majority of handlers.

TANGLES

A tangle shall be called by the judge only if the dog or any part of the equipment in use becomes tangled.

The handler may untangle his/her dog with the permission of the chief judge.

FAILURE TO EXHIBIT

Every dog entered must be exhibited unless a certificate signed by the exhibitor or their authorised agent is lodged with the Society before the day of exhibition stating that the animal is unable to compete for one of the following reasons:

1. The dog has died;
2. The dog is unfit for exhibition due to injury or disease (confirmed by veterinary surgeon's certificate);
3. Some other cause which the Society considers reasonable.

Exhibitors must notify the Show Society Supervisors of any dogs that will not be exhibited at least 24 hours before the day of exhibition. Failure to comply with this rule will render the exhibitor liable to a fine of \$15 for each dog not exhibited. Non-payment of these fines may debar such persons from exhibiting at future Royal Adelaide Shows.

Dogs not entered for competition will not be permitted on the Showground under any circumstances.

CLASSES

Class 1—THE ADVANCE PRIZE

25 kg Class

- Sponsored by

MARS Petcare Australia.

1st Prize - 8kg bag, 2nd & 3rd prize - 3kg bag

◆ First Product; second Product;
third Product.

Class 2—THE ADVANCE PRIZE

35 kg Class

- Sponsored by

MARS Petcare Australia.

1st Prize - 8kg bag, 2nd & 3rd prize - 3kg bag

◆ First Product; second Product;
third Product.

Class 3—THE ADVANCE PRIZE

45 kg Class

- Sponsored by

MARS Petcare Australia.

1st Prize - 8kg bag, 2nd & 3rd prize - 3kg bag

◆ First Product; second Product;
third Product.

Class 4—THE ADVANCE PRIZE

55 kg Class

- Sponsored by

MARS Petcare Australia.

1st Prize - 8kg bag, 2nd & 3rd prize - 3kg bag

◆ First Product; second Product;
third Product.

Class 5— THE ADVANCE PRIZE

Unlimited, above 55 kg Class

- Sponsored by

MARS Petcare Australia.

1st Prize - 8kg bag, 2nd & 3rd prize - 3kg bag

◆ First Product; second Product;
third Product.

THE PETSTOCK ANIMAL SUPPLIES PRIZE for

HIGHEST PULL OF THE DAY

- Voucher (value \$100) - sponsored by
Petstock Animal Supplies.

THE PETSTOCK ANIMAL SUPPLIES PRIZE for

WEIGHT TO WEIGHT

- Voucher (value \$100) - sponsored by
Petstock Animal Supplies.



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COMPETITIVE EXHIBITORS

Conditions of Entry

RISK MANAGEMENT HAZARD REPORTING

Competitors must notify the Area/Pavilion Supervisor or the Venue Management Office immediately of any hazards detected. Hazards are any situation that could result in:

1. Injury, illness or death to people or animals
2. Damage or destruction to property

INCIDENT REPORTING

Competitors must notify the Area/Pavilion Supervisor or the Venue Management Office immediately an incident occurs which has resulted in:

1. The injury, illness or death of any person or animal
2. The damage, destruction or loss of property
3. A near miss incident that could have resulted in the consequences listed in 1 and 2

WASTE DISPOSAL

All waste including liquids must be disposed of responsibly. Storm drains must not be used for the disposal of any waste.

HAZARD MINIMISATION

All areas must be kept in a clean and tidy order with clearly defined and available access and exit routes at all times. Build up of combustible waste must be avoided.

Care must be taken to minimise trip hazards and obstacles that people may walk into. Avoid laying unprotected cables or pipes on or above paths, walkways or roads.

HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

The RA&HS are to be advised of all hazardous materials that are to be brought onto the Showground. Appropriate warning signs and Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) will need to be provided before allowing these materials on site.

MEDIA COMMENTS

Any public comment on emergencies, incidents or other venue matters should only come from the RA&HS. The key media spokesperson for the RA&HS is the Marketing Manager.

DUTY OF CARE

All competitors have a "Duty of Care" to avoid exposing themselves or other people to situations which could lead to injury. This "Duty of Care" extends to the prevention of damage to property.

LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY

1. Release

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

- (a) the Society has no responsibility or liability for any loss, damage or injury to or caused by any Exhibit;
- (b) the Society has no responsibility or liability for any loss, damage or injury to or caused by any Exhibitor, his or her family, invitees and Agents;
- (c) the Society has no responsibility or liability for any loss, damage or injury to a Motor Vehicle or any of its contents whilst it is located on the Showground; and
- (d) without limiting Regulations 1 (a) and 1 (b) above, the Society has no responsibility or liability for any loss, damage or injury resulting from the sale, treatment, failure to treat, destruction, disposal or other dealing with any Exhibit, or for loss, damage or injury to any personal belongings, equipment or property brought onto the Showground.

2. Indemnity

To the maximum extent permitted by law, the Exhibitor must indemnify and keep indemnified the Society and its officers, employees, members 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 the Society is or may be or become liable in respect of or arising from:

- (a) loss, damage or injury to any person in connection with the Exhibit or the relevant Event;
- (b) without limiting Regulation 2(a), loss, damage or injury to any other Exhibit or Exhibitor, his or her family, invitees, Agents, or to the property of the Society, or its members, or to the general public, caused or contributed to or by any act or omission of an Exhibit of the Exhibitor or by the Exhibitor, his or her family, invitees or Agents; and

COMPETITIVE EXHIBITORS

Conditions of Entry

- (c) without limiting Regulation 2(a), loss, damage or injury to the Exhibit, or the Exhibitor, his or her family, invitees, or Agents caused or contributed by an act or omission of an Exhibit of the Exhibitor or by the transportation, feeding or housing of an Exhibit of the Exhibitor.
3. Removal from Showground
Without prejudice to any other provision in these Regulations, where the Society, its officers, employees members or agents removes an Exhibit, or causes an Exhibit to be removed from the Showground, 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.
4. Insurance
The Society will arrange compulsory Owner's Liability insurance cover for all Exhibitors of Exhibits being animals. The Exhibitor is bound by the terms and conditions of this insurance and by Statutory Duties as defined under the Insurance Contracts Act (1984). Details of the Compulsory Owner's Liability insurance are set out in the Relevant Schedule
5. Personal effects
The Society has no responsibility or liability for any loss or damage caused to personal belongings, equipment or property which is brought onto the Showground by an Exhibitor, his or her family, invitees or Agents.

EMERGENCY INFORMATION

Emergency information and Emergency Assembly Points for the various animal pavilions and stables will be included with Exhibitor Entry Detail Returns and Notice to Exhibitor mail outs. Competitors should be familiar with these plans.

FIRST AID

During the Royal Adelaide Show, St John Ambulance provides First Aid Services but it is suggested that competitors have a basic First Aid kit if minor injuries are a possibility.

RA&HS EMERGENCY FACILITIES

Fire fighting and other emergency equipment must not be removed or used for any other purpose. Missing or unserviceable equipment should be reported to the Venue Management Office immediately.

SMOKING

The RA&HS Smoking Code does not permit smoking inside buildings, within 10 metres of a building entrance, around combustibles, during public performances or while handling hazardous materials.

TRAFFIC CONTROL

The RA&HS Traffic Control Code imposes speed restrictions within the Showground. For the duration of the Royal Adelaide Show the speed limit is 10 kph. The use of vehicles inside the Showground is closely managed during the Royal Adelaide Show. Conditions of entry will be provided with the issue of Vehicle Entry Permits.

ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT

1. Competitors should supply their own "Safety Switch" (RCD) for installation at each power outlet they use.
2. Extension cords must be earthed and all electrical appliances must be earthed or double insulated. Appliances must be in sound working order and safety tagged.
3. Power boards with overload protection can only be used at the discretion of the Venue Services Manager.
4. The use of double adaptors is strictly prohibited.
5. Appliances and power cables must not be used or laid through any area that may become wet.
6. Power cables must not be laid across walkways, paths, roads or any area where damage could occur to the cable.
7. Bar (resistance) heaters must not be used.
8. Light sockets must not be used for any other purpose than for lighting.

Livestock & Animal Exhibitors Public Liability Insurance Explanation

WHEREAS Royal Agricultural & Horticultural Society of South Australia Inc has agreed to effect a Public Liability insurance for certain Livestock Exhibitors at the 2010 Adelaide Show, the following applies:-

Insured Party: Livestock and Animal Exhibitors participating in competitions and events

Period of Insurance: From seven days prior to the Show until seven days thereafter

Insured Activities: 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

Description of Cover: 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 Royal Agricultural & Horticultural Society of South Australia Inc policy terms, conditions, exclusions and warranties, etc.

Amount of Cover: \$10,000,000 any one occurrence

Deductible: \$10,000 any one occurrence

Geographic Limits: At and from the event venue

Claims Payable: Worldwide excluding claims made USA and Canada

Insurer(s): Certain underwriters at Lloyds of London

Address: London Underwriting Centre, 3 Minster Court, Mincing Lane, London EC3R 7DD

Policy Number: 08GC0M0430

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 any time admit liability.
5. The Insured Party must made 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.

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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 OAMPS Consulting;
tel. 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 OAMPS Consulting
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. Royal Agricultural & Horticultural Society of South Australia Inc is not liable to the Insured Party in the event a claim is not paid or payable by Insurers.
5. Royal Agricultural & Horticultural Society of South Australia Inc 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.
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 Royal Agricultural & Horticultural Society of South Australia Inc Registered Offices at Adelaide Showgrounds, during office hours.



ROYAL AGRICULTURAL & HORTICULTURAL
SOCIETY OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA INCORPORATED

Founded 1839

MEMBERS' PRIVILEGES

MEMBERSHIP

- Annual or tri-annual subscription available
- Receive one non-transferable member's card, one transferable member's guest card, a souvenir badge, the right to purchase one extra member's guest card and/or two children's tickets (5 years to under 15 years).

LIFE MEMBERSHIP

- Receive one non-transferable Life Member's card, one transferable member's guest card, souvenir badge, the right to purchase one extra member's guest card and/or two children's tickets (5 years to under 15 years)

JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP

- Available to those under the age of 18 years at 1 January 2010
- Receive one Junior Member's card.

RECIPROCAL RIGHTS

- Full Members desirous of attending other Australian Royal Shows must contact this office for details of reciprocal rights.

ENTRY FEES

- All members are entitled to reduced entry fees in Poultry, Pigeon, Egg, Cat, Dog, Fruit, Horticulture, Grains and Fodder, Horses - Led Stock, Dairy Products, Sheep Dog Trials and Woodcutting sections.

VOTING POWER

- Ordinary and Life Members are entitled to attend and vote at all General and Special General Meetings of the Society and to elect office-bearers.

MEMBER'S FACILITIES

- Access to Member's Dining Room and Grandstand.

Check the website www.rahs.com.au
or phone 8210 5210 for membership pricing details



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