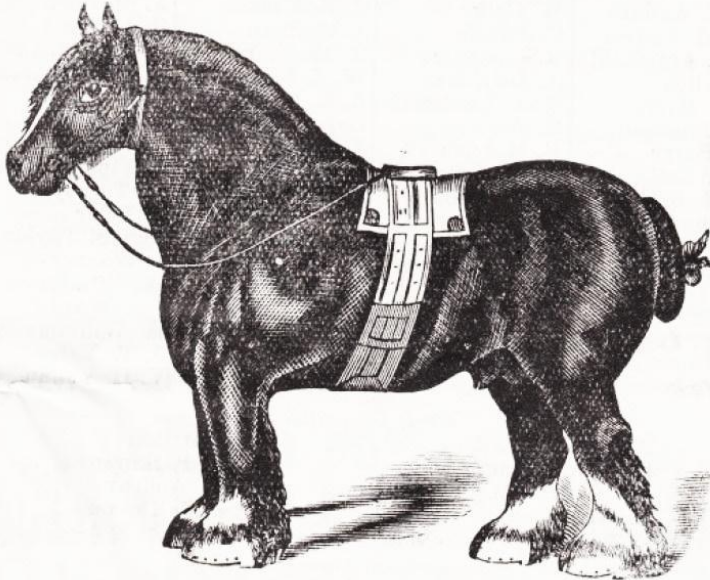


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ON

Sunday, 3rd December, 2017



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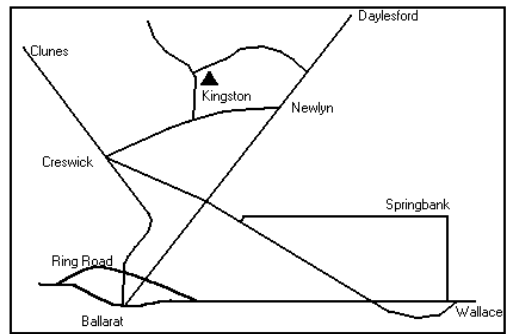
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This year the Kingston Agricultural Society celebrates the conduct of its 150th agricultural show. The proud history of the Society, Show and Heritage Listed grandstand is summarised briefly on page 37.

To commemorate the 150th show every champion will receive a special 150th show medallion. In addition, for horse and rider competitors there will be four Supreme Champions chosen from the relevant champions of Rings 1, 2 and 3. Each Supreme Champion receives a special sash, a beautiful garland and prize.

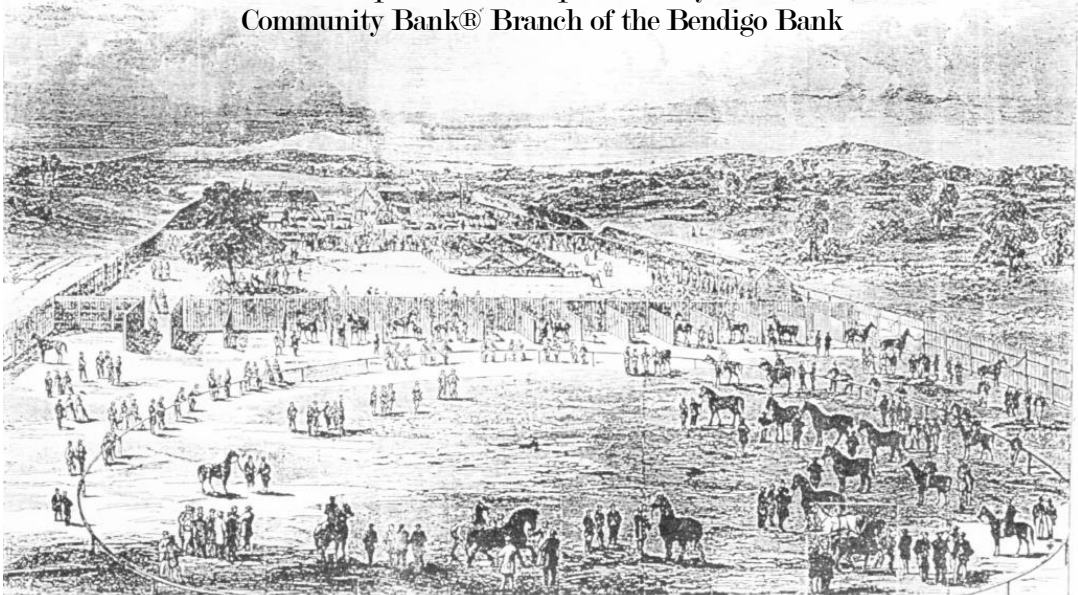
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Show sub-committee: Teresa Drayton, Chris Hastings, Jan Hutchison

Kingston Agricultural Society Ph 0490 114 279

Postal address: P.O. Box 206 Creswick 3363

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ENQUIRIES & ENTRIES

Horse enquiries: The Secretary, Chris Hastings
email kas@kingstonshow.org.au; Ph 0400 268 737

Send pre-paid entries for horse classes by 27th November to
The Secretary, Kingston Agricultural Society Inc.,
PO Box 206, Creswick, 3363
Or email kas@kingstonshow.org.au

Dairy goat enquiries: Gail Ryan Ph (03) 5345 2360
Dairy goat entries to G. Ryan, 3 Barby's Road, Creswick, 3363

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Judges' names also to be made available on website

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General Rules of Entry to Competitions

PLEASE LOOK FOR ATTENDANT at the gate to pay and for parking directions.

1. The Kingston “Spring” Show is conducted under Victorian Agricultural Shows Ltd. (VAS Ltd.) and the following rules. Entrants agree to abide by these rules.
2. No protest against an exhibit or the decision of a judge will be entertained unless made in writing and lodged with the Secretary of the Society (at the Horse Secretary’s Office) within three hours of judging. \$50 must accompany each protest and this sum shall be forfeited if the appeals committee consider the protest to be frivolous.
3. The Committee may withhold any prize when statements have been made fraudulently or erroneously about an exhibit.
4. The Judges may award a second or third prize instead of a first prize, or may withhold a prize altogether where there is only one exhibit or where the exhibits are not considered worthy.
5. All successful competitors agree to have their names published in VAS Ltd. and Kingston Agricultural Society publicity and publications for the purposes of administering and promoting the relevant competition.
6. No Judge shall be an exhibitor in a class of which they are the judge.
7. The Judges shall be instructed to immediately notify the Committee of the Society regarding any exhibit which he or she considers to be tampered with or improperly dealt with.
8. Only authorised persons will be admitted to the judging areas during judging of any class and it shall be the duty of the stewards to prevent any persons interfering with the judges and, if necessary, order the removal of any offender from the judging area.
9. All competitors and their associates must behave in an appropriate manner towards judges, stewards, show organisers and other competitors at all times. Abusive behaviour will not be tolerated. Any inappropriate behaviour reported to the committee may result in elimination from the event and removal from the Showgrounds.
10. Any person causing a nuisance or undue noise or in any way interfering with the comfort of the public may be removed from the Showgrounds.
11. The use of tranquillisers, stimulants or any drugs capable of affecting the performance or behaviour of animals is forbidden. Random swabbing may take place and is the owner’s expense.
12. Dogs must be on a leash or contained at all times. This is not an off-lead dog area.
13. The Kingston Agricultural Society Inc. reserves the right to make alterations to the show program without notice.

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DAIRY GOATS



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ENTRIES to: Gail Ryan, 3 Barby's Road, CRESWICK VIC, 3363, Phone (03) 5345 2360
Entry Fees: \$2.50 per class **PRIZE MONEY** 1st \$2.50, 2nd \$1.00 & 3rd Ribbon
Judging starts 10.00am. Penning 9.30am

Classes marked # are special classes and goats entered in these classes must be exhibited in their appropriate classes.

Figures for Type & Production classes to be forwarded with entries and to have been gained in the last two (2) years. Cards to be presented on the day.

All exhibitors to be registered or eligible for registration with D.G.S.A.

CAE & Johnes disease negative show. Certificates (less than 12 months old) must be supplied with entries.

All exhibitors to wear white coats in ring.

- 1 Veteran Doe in milk, over 6 years, any breed
- 2 Saanen Doe in milk, 2 or more lactations.
- 3 Toggenburg Doe in milk, 2 or more lactations
- 4 British Alpine Doe in milk, 2 or more lactations
- 5 Anglo Nubian Doe in milk, 2 or more lactations
- 6 Saanen Doe in milk, 1st lactation under 4 years
- 7 Toggenburg Doe in milk, 1st lactation under 4 years
- 8 British Alpine Doe in milk, 1st lactation under 4 years
- 9 Anglo Nubian Doe in milk, 1st lactation under 4 years
- 10 # Doe with Best Vessel, 2 or more lactations
- 11 # Doe with Best Vessel, 1st lactations
- 12 # Type and Production Q*, 2 or more lactations
- 13 # Type and Production Q*, 1st lactation
- 14 # Doe and daughter, both in milk

Champion and Reserve Milking Doe

Type and Production Q* Overall (classes 13-14)



DAIRY GOATS (cont.)



- 15 Saanen Goatling, 12 to 24 months, unkidded
- 16 Toggenburg Goatling 12 to 24 months, unkidded
- 17 British Alpine Goatling 12 to 24 months, unkidded
- 18 Anglo Nubian Goatling 12 to 24 months, unkidded

Champion and Reserve Goatling

- 19 Saanen Doe Kid under 12 months
- 20 Toggenburg Doe Kid under 12 months
- 21 British Alpine Doe Kid under 12 months
- 22 Anglo Nubian Doe Kid under 12 months

Champion and Reserve Champion Doe Kid

- 23 # Doe in milk, daughter dry
- 24 # Two Does by same sire, not full sisters
- 25 Buck 2 years or over, any breed
- 26 Buckling 12 – 24 months, any breed
- 27 Buck kid under 12 months, any breed

Champion and Reserve Champion Buck

- 28 # Buck and Son
- 29 Junior Exhibitor under 14 years, to be judged 1ST class after lunch.



CHAMPIONSHIPS

Champion & Reserve Saanen (from Classes 2,6,15, & 19)

Champion & Reserve Toggenburg (from Classes 3,7,16, & 20)

Champion & Reserve British Alpine (from Classes 4,9,17, & 21)

Champion & Reserve Anglo Nubian (from Classes 5, 10, 18, & 22)

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Judges will be advised on the website before the show

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Chris Hastings: email kas@kingstonshow.org.au

Phone 0400 268737

Send pre-paid entries by 27th November to:

The Secretary, Kingston Agricultural Society Inc.,

PO Box 206, Creswick, 3363 or

Email to kas@kingstonshow.org.au

Additional Rules for Horse Events

See page 5 for General Rules of Entry to Competitions.

1. The Kingston Agricultural “Spring” Show is conducted under VAS Ltd. Rules, the General Rules on page 5 and the following rules. Entrants agree to abide by these rules.
2. Horse competitors are required to sign waivers (see middle of program or download from www.kingstonshow.org.au). Competitors and all those near horses are warned that horses are prone to be unpredictable. Care should be taken when riding near other horses or when on the ground near other horses. Please look after yourself and others. Please report any dangerous incident to the Horse Secretary’s Office.
3. The signing of an entry form shall be taken as a guarantee that any animal to be brought onto the grounds is free from disease as far as is known to the owner. In case of infectious disease being spread through or by an exhibitor the exhibitor shall be held responsible for any loss or damage caused.
4. If a rider falls off, he/she will not be allowed to remount until checked by medical personnel.
5. Meanings of terms for horse classes
The term ‘**novice**’ means not having won a first prize in that class at any Agricultural Show.
The term ‘**intermediate**’ means not having won a 1st, 2nd or 3rd prize in that class competing singly at any Australian Royal Show.
The term ‘**show hunter**’ means ponies and hacks with a little more substance than is required for a show horse. A quality animal with bold, free movement and reliable temperament. A gallop may be required. The outfit for the Show Hunter classes is more subdued than that of usual saddle classes. Saddlery should be clean, neat and plain. There should be no coloured browbands. Riders’ dress should also be plain with no hair ribbons or flowers.
VAS Ltd. **First Season Newcomer** means ridden (saddle), hack, galloways and ponies competing in their first Season.
Saddle horse, galloway or pony is defined to be 3 yrs of age and over.
6. The breeding year for horses shall date from August 1st.
7. Current height certificates issued by RASV and EV will be recognised by this Show Society. Horses and ponies without a current height certificate must be measured by the appointed measurer at the Show prior to being exhibited in a class where height is specified.
8. The use of tranquillisers, stimulants or any drugs capable of affecting the performance or behaviour of animals is forbidden. Random swabbing may take place and is at the owner’s expense.
9. A competitor who wins a Championship in an Open Saddle Class shall not enter the equivalent class in another ring.
10. Stallions to be ridden only where explicitly stated and when not handled or ridden should be double tied.
11. All riders must wear an Australian Standard approved helmet with harness secured at all times while riding on the Showground.

12. Top Boots may not be worn by riders under 18 years in riding competitions but may be worn in other classes.
13. Horse classes' entry fee is \$4.00 per class if pre-paid and \$6.00 if entered on the day. No refunds for pre-paid tickets. Judges names will be advised on the website www.kingstonshow.org.au before the show.
14. **Rules for Good Hands Class.** The class shall be judged solely on riding ability. Mount, saddle or costume will not be taken into account. Special attention will be paid to hands and seat, general management and control of the horse or pony. Competitors must ride using an ordinary snaffle, single jointed in the centre. The mouthpiece must be smooth and of the same type of metal – with or without a cavesson on the noseband. A gear check may take place. Straight bar snaffles, drop nosebands, whips and spurs are not allowed. Certificate and ribbon only. The winner qualifies for 2018 VAS Ltd. Saddle Horse Championships. Open to boys and girls aged 10 years and under 15 on the day of the show.
15. **Rules for Off the Track Class.** Open to all thoroughbreds unraced or raced 4 years and over, over 14.2hh who are registered with Racing Information Services Australia. Registrations will be checked. Racing/Trial name to be used where appropriate. If a different name is used full details of Racing Victoria registration are required. Qualifying classes will be judged ridden. Once a qualifier is won, the horse cannot compete in other qualifiers in the calendar year. All qualifying winners gain entry to the Off the Track Series Final to be held at 2018 VAS Ltd. Saddle Horse Championships to be held on 6 January 2018. Riders to be 14 years and over at the day of the show. To be judged as a good example of an Off the Track thoroughbred rather than riding horse/hunter type taking the following into consideration: thoroughbred qualities, conformation, manners, paces & performance. Injuries caused through racing such as blemishes allowed. Qualifier prizes: \$50, sash and Racing Victoria Prize Pack (Gift Pack collected at State Final).
16. **Rules for Alabar HERO Series.** Open to all freeze branded Standardbreds registered with Harness Racing Australia, raced or unraced. No requirement for the horse to have been officially named but freeze brand number must be supplied. Final held at 2018 Victorian Saddle Horse Championships. To be judged ridden with riders aged 14 years and over at the date of the show. To be judged as a good example of a Standardbred rather than a riding horse/hunter type taking the following into consideration: Standardbred qualities, conformation, manners, paces and performance. Racing related injuries and/or blemishes permitted. Qualifier prizes: \$50, sash and HERO Gift Pack (Gift Pack collected at State Final).



RING 1

Commencing 8.30am

Led & Ridden Hacks, Galloways & Ponies

Classes sponsored by Hepburn Shire Council

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Entry fee: Pre-paid \$4.00 per class; entry on the day \$6.00 per class

- 1 Smartest on Parade over 18 Years
- 2 Led Gelding over 15hh
- 3 Led Mare over 15hh, 4 years & over
- 4 Led Filly over 15hh, 3 years & under
- 5 Led Stallion / Colt over 15hh

Champion and Reserve Led Hack

- 6 Novice Ridden Hack over 15hh
- 7 Intermediate Ridden Hack over 15hh
- 8 Ridden Hack over 15hh and not over 15.2hh
- 9 Ridden Hack over 15.2hh and not over 16hh
- 10 Ridden Hack over 16.hh and not over 16.2hh
- 11 Ridden Hack over 16.2hh

Champion and Reserve Ridden Hack

First Season Newcomer Hack (classes 12-13)

- 12 Ridden Hack over 15hh and not over 16hh
- 13 Ridden Hack over 16hh Ridden Hack over 16.2hh

Champion and Reserve Ridden First Season Newcomer Hack

- 14 *Off the Track* (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)
- 15 Show Hunter Hack over 15hh and not over 16hh (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)
- 16 Show Hunter Hack over 16hh (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)

Champion and Reserve Show Hunter Hack

- 17 Rider 18 years and under 21 years
- 18 Rider 21 years and over

Champion and Reserve Senior Rider

- 19 Ridden Galloway over 14hh and not over 14.2hh
- 20 Ridden Galloway over 14.2hh and not over 15hh

Champion and Reserve Ridden Galloway

- 21 Show Hunter Galloway over 14hh and not over 14.2hh (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)
- 22 Show Hunter Galloway over 14.2hh and not over 15hh (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)

Champion and Reserve Show Hunter Galloway

- 23 Open Pony 11.2hh and under
- 24 Open Pony over 11.2hh and not over 12hh
- 25 Open Pony over 12hh and not over 12.2hh

Champion and Reserve Saddle Pony 12.2hh and under

- 26 Open Pony over 12.2hh and not over 13hh
- 27 Open Pony over 13hh and not over 13.2hh
- 28 Open Pony over 13.2hh and not over 14hh

Champion and Reserve Saddle Pony over 12.2hh and not over 14hh

- 29 Show Hunter Pony 12.2hh and under (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)
- 30 Show Hunter Pony over 12.2hh and not over 14hh (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)

Champion and Reserve Show Hunter Pony

RING 2

Commencing 8.30am

Led & Ridden Galloways, Ponies & Hacks

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Entry fee: Pre-paid \$4.00 per class; entry on the day \$6.00 per class

- 31 Smartest on Parade 12 years and under 15 years
- 32 Smartest on Parade 15 years and under 18 years
- 33 Led Gelding over 14hh and not over 15hh
- 34 Led Mare over 14hh and not over 15hh, 4 years and over
- 35 Led Filly over 14hh and not over 15hh, 3 years and under
- 36 Led Stallion / Colt 14hh and not over 15hh

Champion and Reserve Led Galloway

- 37 Novice Galloway over 14hh and not over 15hh
- 38 Intermediate Galloway over 14hh and not over 15hh
- 39 Ridden Galloway over 14hh and not over 14.2hh
- 40 Ridden Galloway over 14.2hh and not over 15hh

Champion and Reserve Ridden Galloway

First Season Newcomer Galloway (classes 41-42)

- 41 Ridden Galloway 14hh and not over 14.2hh
- 42 Ridden Galloway over 14.2hh and not over 15hh

Champion and Reserve Ridden First Season Newcomer Galloway

- 43 Show Hunter Galloway over 14hh and not over 14.2hh (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)
- 44 Show Hunter Galloway over 14.2hh and not over 15hh (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)

Champion and Reserve Show Hunter Galloway

- 45 Rider 12 years and under 14 years
- 46 Rider 14 years and under 16 years
- 47 Rider 16 years and under 18 years

Champion and Reserve Intermediate Rider

- 48 Open Pony 11.2hh and under
- 49 Open Pony over 11.2hh and not over 12hh
- 50 Open Pony over 12hh and not over 12.2hh

Champion and Reserve Saddle Pony 12.2hh and under

- 51 Open Pony over 12.2hh and not over 13hh
- 52 Open Pony over 13hh and not over 13.2hh
- 53 Open Pony over 13.2hh and not over 14hh

Champion and Reserve Saddle Pony over 12.2hh and not over 14hh

- 54 Show Hunter Pony 12.2hh and under (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)
- 55 Show Hunter Pony over 12.2hh and not over 14hh (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)

Champion and Reserve Show Hunter Pony

- 56 Ridden Hack over 15hh and not over 15.2hh
- 57 Ridden Hack over 15.2hh and not over 16hh
- 58 Ridden Hack over 16hh and not over 16.2hh
- 59 Ridden Hack over 16.2hh

Champion and Reserve Ridden Hack

- 60 *Good Hands for girls and boys (10 years and under 15 years as at date of show) (no entry fee)*
See Additional Rules for Horse Events for conditions of entry and judging criteria.

- 61 Show Hunter Hack over 15hh and not over 16hh (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)
- 62 Show Hunter Hack over 16hh (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)

Champion and Reserve Show Hunter Hack

RING 3

Commencing 8.30am

Led & Ridden Ponies, Hacks & Galloways

Classes sponsored Hepburn Shire Council

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Entry fee: Pre-paid \$4.00 per class; entry on the day \$6.00 per class

NOTE: all riders under 12 years are required to use snaffle bit in Riding, Turnout and Smartest on Parade

63 Miniature turnout 10.2hh and under, rider 6 years and under (*may be led*)

64 Smartest on parade 7 years and under 12 years

65 Led Pony Gelding 12.2hh and under

66 Led Pony Gelding over 12.2hh and not over 14hh

67 Led Pony Mare 14hh and under, 4 years and over

68 Led Pony Filly/Colt/Gelding 14hh and under, 3 years and under

69 Led Pony Stallion 14hh and under, 4 years and over

Champion and Reserve Led Pony

70 Novice Pony 12.2 and under

71 Intermediate Pony 12.2hh and under

72 Open Pony not over 11.2hh

73 Open Pony over 11.2hh and not over 12hh

74 Open Pony over 12hh and not over 12.2hh

Champion and Reserve Saddle Pony 12.2hh and under

75 Novice Pony over 12.2hh and not over 14hh

76 Intermediate Pony over 12.2hh and not over 14hh

77 Open Pony over 12.2hh and not over 13hh

78 Open Pony over 13hh and not over 13.2hh

79 Open Pony over 13.2hh and not over 14hh

Champion and Reserve Saddle Pony over 12.2hh and not over 14hh

First Season Newcomer Pony (classes 80-82)

80 Ridden Pony not over 12hh

81 Ridden Pony over 12hh and not over 13hh

82 Ridden Pony over 13hh and not over 14hh

Champion and Reserve Ridden First Season Newcomer Pony

83 Show Hunter Pony 12.2hh and under (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)

84 Show Hunter Pony over 12.2hh and not over 14hh (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)

Champion and Reserve Show Hunter Pony

85 Rider 6 years and under (may be led, all to receive a ribbon)

86 Rider under 8 years

87 Rider 8 years and under 10 years

88 Rider 10 years and under 12 years

Champion and Reserve Junior Rider

89 Ridden Hack over 15hh and not over 15.2hh

90 Ridden Hack over 15.2hh and not over 16hh

91 Ridden Hack over 16hh and not over 16.2hh

92 Ridden Hack over 16.2hh

Champion and Reserve Ridden Hack

93 Show Hunter Hack over 15hh and not over 16hh (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)

94 Show Hunter Hack over 16hh (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)

Champion and Reserve Show Hunter Hack

95 Ridden Galloway over 14hh and not over 14.2hh

96 Ridden Galloway over 14.2hh and not over 15hh

Champion and Reserve Ridden Galloway over 14hh and not over 15hh

97 Show Hunter Galloway over 14hh and not over 14.2hh (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)

98 Show Hunter Galloway over 14.2hh and not over 15hh (see Additional Rules for Horse Events)

Champion and Reserve Show Hunter Galloway

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Round The Kingston Show With Dudley Gordon





150th Kingston Agricultural Show
3rd December 2017

**HORSE SPORTS PARTICIPANT
RISK ACKNOWLEDGEMENT & WAIVER FORM**

Name of Participant Contact phone no.....

Participant address

Email.....

Please read and sign this form and return it with your entry form

Victorian Agricultural Shows Ltd and Kingston Agricultural Society Inc. (together “the Suppliers”) advise that participation in horse sports at an agricultural show contains elements of risk, both obvious and inherent. Horse sports are dangerous recreational activities and horses can act in a sudden and unpredictable way, especially when frightened or hurt.

1. By signing this waiver I acknowledge that:

- a. participation in horse sports is a hazardous activity and may result in injury, loss, damage or death to me;
- b. participation in horse sports requires certain skills. I declare that I have sufficient skills to be able to safely and properly participate in the events;
- c. horses can act in a sudden and unpredictable way, especially if frightened or hurt, or if exposed to loud or unfamiliar noises;
- d. the horse sports will be held in close proximity to large groups of people and entertainment activities and that there may be loud and unfamiliar noises which can frighten horses;
- e. as the event is held outdoors there are risks to me and to my horse as a result of the weather conditions, including either extreme hot or cold weather, rain or wind;
- f. insects or other animals may cause my horse or other horses to become frightened and act in an unpredictable way;
- g. there is inherent in horse riding events the risk of suffering injury including falling from my horse;
- h. I am responsible for ensuring that I have and will wear equipment suitable for safely and properly participating in the event; and
- i. I use the facilities of the Kingston Agricultural Society Inc. entirely at my own risk, as I find them and with the *prior acceptance of the risk of possible danger to me.*
- j. This document constitutes a contractual waiver pursuant to Section 22 of the Australian Consumer Law and Fair Trading Act 2012.

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2. If I suffer harm while participating in the Kingston Agricultural Show, I will not sue for any damages or costs or hold the Suppliers (in particular the Kingston Agricultural Society), their employees or agents legally responsible for any personal injuries I suffer caused by their negligence or breach of contract or breach of the statutory guarantee provided by the Australian Consumer Law and Fair Trading Act 2012 (Vic) to the extent allowed by that Act (see Warning below). I agree to release the Suppliers and their employees from legal responsibility for the services I have been provided.
3. I acknowledge and agree that my participation in the Kingston Agricultural Show and associated activities are a danger and may have inherent risks as a result of which personal injury (and sometimes death) may occur and I accept and assume all such risks of personal injury or death in anyway whatsoever arising from these activities and hereby waive my individual right to sue the Suppliers (in particular the Kingston Agricultural Society) for all tort or contractual claims I or my representatives may have for such personal injury or death against the Suppliers in any way whatsoever arising from or in connection with these activities.
4. I will not consume any alcohol or illicit drugs while participating in the Kingston Agricultural Show and agree that such use may result in me being excluded from an event with no entitlement to any refund of money paid for entry to the Suppliers.
5. I agree to be bound by the rules and guidelines of Victorian Agricultural Shows Ltd as varied from time to time.

**WARNING UNDER THE AUSTRALIAN CONSUMER LAW
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Under the Australian Consumer Law (Victoria), several statutory guarantees apply to the supply of certain goods and services. These guarantees mean that the suppliers named on this form are required to ensure that the recreational services it supplies to you—

- are rendered with due care and skill; and
- are reasonably fit for any purpose which you, either expressly or by implication, make known to the supplier; and
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Under section 22 of the **Australian Consumer Law and Fair Trading Act 2012**, the supplier is entitled to ask you to agree that these statutory guarantees do not apply to you. If you sign this form, you will be agreeing that your rights to sue the supplier under the **Australian Consumer Law and Fair Trading Act 2012** if you are killed or injured because the services provided were not in accordance with these guarantees, are excluded, restricted or modified in the way set out in this form.

NOTE: The change to your rights, as set out in this form, does not apply if your death or injury is due to gross negligence on the supplier's part. **Gross negligence**, in relation to an act or omission, means doing the act or omitting to do an act with reckless disregard, with or without consciousness, for the consequences of the act or omission. See regulation 5 of the Australian Consumer Law and Fair Trading Regulations 2012 and section 22(3)(b) of the **Australian Consumer Law and Fair Trading Act 2012**.

(please sign on the next page, page 3 of the waiver form)

150th
Kingston Agricultural Show

**PRE-PAID HORSE
ENTRY FORM**

Pre-paid entries close Monday 27 November 2017

Horse entries to:

The Secretary, Kingston Agricultural Society Inc.,
PO Box 206, Creswick, 3363

Or email to kas@kingsstonshow.org.au



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NAME OF PARTICIPANT at the 2017 Kingston Agricultural Show:

Where the participant is over 18 years of age:

I agree that I have read and understood this waiver and Warning prior to signing and agree that this waiver will be binding on my heirs, next of kin, executors and administrators. I agree to waive my rights to sue the Suppliers (in particular the Kingston Agricultural Society) for common law negligence, breach of contract and for a breach of the *Australian Consumer Law and Fair Trading Act 2012 (Vic)* with respect to injury or death as a result of participation in horse events at the Kingston Agricultural Show. I agree that this waiver shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of Victoria.

Signature: Dated:

Where participant is under 18 years of age (to be completed by a parent or guardian):

I, being a parent or legal guardian of the participant named above hereby consent to my child participating and confirm I have read and understood and explained the waiver and Warning to the participant prior to signing it and agree that this agreement will be binding on my (and their) heirs, next of kin, executors and administrators. I agree to waive our rights to sue for common law negligence, breach of contract and for a breach of the Australian Consumer Law and Fair Trading Act 2012 (Vic) with respect to injury or death as a result of participating in horse events at the Kingston Agricultural Show. I agree that this waiver shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of Victoria.

Signature of parent/guardian:..... Dated:

Print name: _____

Name of horse	Owner of horse	Microchip no. or reg no. or description (sex, colour, brand)	Pic No.	Last event & date

I, the owner/rider/exhibitor of the above horse/s declare that, to the best of my knowledge, it is/they are fit and healthy and I agree that if found to be otherwise it/they will not be allowed to compete at this event.

Name (printed)..... Signature Date



**HORSE SPORTS PARTICIPANT RISK
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT & WAIVER FORM**

150th Kingston Agricultural Show 2017

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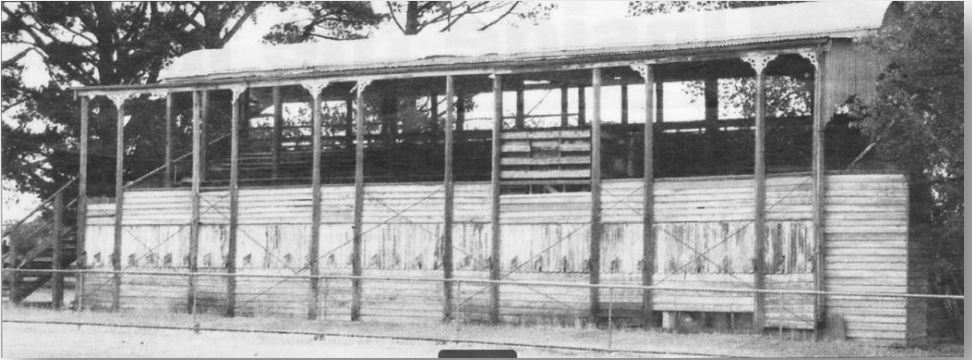
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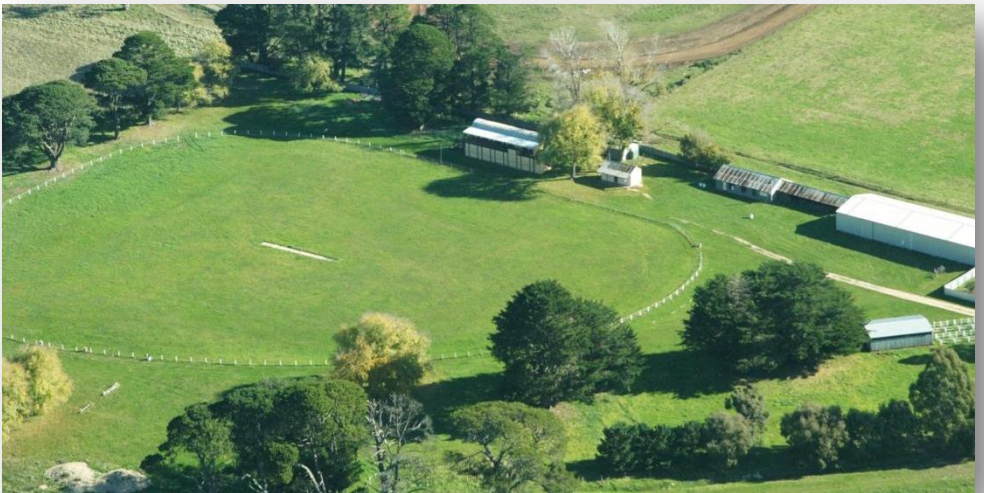
The Grandstand



Circa 1980's or 1990's



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Aerial view 2010

RING 4

Commencing 8.30am

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Entry fee: Pre-paid \$4.00 per class; entry on the day \$6.00 per class

ARABIANS 'B CLASS SHOW'

All horses to be registered in the Arabian Horse Stud Book.

Sponsorship from WDARAB.

PUREBRED ARABIAN

99 Filly 3 years & under

100 Mare 4 years and over

Champion & Reserve Champion Purebred Female

101 Colt 3 years & under

102 Stallion 4 years & over

Champion & Reserve Champion Purebred Stallion or Colt

103 Gelding 3yrs & under

104 Gelding 4yrs & over, not over 14.2hh

105 Gelding 4yrs & over, over 14.2hh

Champion & Reserve Champion Purebred Gelding

ARABIAN DERIVATIVES

106 Filly 3 years & under

107 Mare 4yrs & over, not over 14.2hh

108 Mare 4yrs & over, over 14.2hh

Champion & Reserve Champion Arabian Derivative Female

109 Colt 3 years & under

110 Stallion 4yrs & over

Champion & Reserve Champion Arabian Derivative Stallion or Colt

111 Gelding 3yrs & under

112 Gelding 4yrs & over, not over 14.2hh

113 Gelding 4yrs & over, over 14.2hh

Champion & Reserve Champion Arabian Derivative Gelding

**SUPREME CHAMPION PUREBRED
SUPREME CHAMPION DERIVATIVE**

Sponsored by Kayelle Arabian Stud

RIDDEN PUREBRED ARABIANS

114 Ridden Mare or Filly

115 Ridden Stallion or Colt

116 Ridden Gelding

117 Purebred Ridden by a Child under 18

118 Purebred Ridden by adult 18 & over

Champion & Reserve Champion Ridden Purebred Arabian

RIDDEN ARABIAN DERIVATIVES

119 Ridden Mare or Filly not over 14.2hh

120 Ridden Mare or Filly 14.2hh and over

121 Ridden Stallion or Colt

122 Ridden Gelding not over 14.2hh

123 Ridden Gelding over 14.2hh

RING 4 (cont.)

124 Arabian Derivative ridden by a child under 18

125 Arabian Derivative ridden by adult 18 & over

Champion & Reserve Champion Ridden Arabian Derivative

SUPREME CHAMPION RIDDEN ARABIAN (PUREBRED OR DERIVATIVE)

Sponsored by BMV Equine Bowen Therapy

ARABIAN/ARABIAN DERIVATE PERFORMANCE CLASSES

126 Show Hunter

127 Bridle Path Hack

128 Western Pleasure

129 Side Saddle

130 Arabian Costume

WDARAB Inc. Agricultural Show – Highpoint Awards 2017

OPEN TO ALL COMETITIORS in Arabian Classes

Purebred Arabian – Highpoint – Winner gets Embroidered Woollen Rug

Derivative Arabian – Highpoint – Winner gets Embroidered Woollen Rug

WDARAB will collate the totals – results are to be emailed by each Agricultural Society after the show.

WDARAB will notify all winners – Presentations will be at the August 2018 WDARAB Meeting

All enquiries – Lauren Jantzen kayelle80@bigpond.com or www.wdarab.com

PINTOS – ‘D Grade Program’

All ponies must be registered with the Victorian Pinto Society and owners must be current financial members. Proof of registration may be requested. *Sponsored by Victorian Pinto Society*

131 Best Presented Pinto

132 Best Handler of Led Pinto

133 Led Stallion or Colt, 14hh & over

134 Led Stallion, under 14hh

Champion & Reserve Champion Led Pinto Stallion or Colt

135 Led Mare or Filly, 14hh & over

136 Led Mare of Filly, under 14hh

Champion & Reserve Champion Led Pinto Mare or Filly

137 Led Gelding, 14hh & over

138 Led Gelding, under 14hh

Champion & Reserve Champion Led Pinto Gelding

SUPREME CHAMPION LED PINTO

139 Ridden Pinto, 14hh & over

140 Ridden Pinto, under 14hh

Champion & Reserve Champion Ridden Pinto

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REGISTERED PONIES

All ponies must be registered and owners must be current financial members of the relevant society, i.e., Australian Pony Stud Book Society (APSB), Riding Pony Stud Book Society Inc., Welsh Pony and Cob Society or A.M.P.S. Inc. Ponies must be shown in the registered owner's name. Registration Certificates and Membership cards must be produced upon request. Failure to do so will lead to disqualification from the class. **Ridden ponies must be 3 years and over.** Newcomer Cards need to be produced on the day of the show if competing in Newcomer Classes.

Sponsorship from the **Western Promotional Group of the APSB.**

APSB classes qualify for APSB Pony of the Year.

SHETLANDS

141 Led Shetland Stallion, 4 yrs & over, over 8.2hh and not over 10.2hh

142 Led Shetland Colt, 2 and 3 yrs, over 8.2hh and not over 10.2hh

143 Led Shetland Gelding, 2 yrs & over, over 8.2hh and not over 10.2hh

Champion & Reserve Champion Shetland Male

144 Led Shetland Mare, 4 yrs & over, over 8.2hh and not over 10.2hh

145 Led Shetland Filly, 2 and 3 yrs, over 8.2hh and not over 10.2hh

Champion & Reserve Champion Shetland Female

146 Led Shetland Colt, yearling, over 8.2hh and not over 10.2hh

147 Led Shetland Filly, yearling, over 8.2hh and not over 10.2hh

148 Led Shetland Gelding, yearling, over 8.2hh and not over 10.2hh

Champion & Reserve Champion Shetland Yearling

SUPREME CHAMPION LED SHETLAND, over 8.2hh & not over 10.2hh

Prize sponsored by Davies & Rose Rural & Hardware Creswick

149 Led Shetland Stallion, 4 yrs & over, not over 8.2hh

150 Led Shetland Colt, 2 and 3 yrs, not over 8.2hh

151 Led Shetland Gelding, 2 yrs & over, not over 8.2hh

Champion & Reserve Champion Shetland Male

152 Led Shetland Mare, 4 yrs & over, not over 8.2hh

153 Led Shetland Filly, 3 yrs & under, not over 8.2hh

Champion & Reserve Champion Shetland Female

154 Led Shetland Colt, yearling, not over 8.2hh

155 Led Shetland Filly, yearling, not over 8.2hh

156 Led Shetland Gelding, yearling, not over 8.2hh

Champion & Reserve Champion Shetland Yearling

SUPREME CHAMPION LED SHETLAND, not over 8.2hh

Prize sponsored by Davies & Rose Rural & Hardware Creswick

157 10 years and under

158 Junior Handler, 11 years and under 16 years

159 Ridden Shetland (children under 12 yo may be led)

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RING 5 (cont.)

AUSTRALIAN MINIATURE PONIES -

Classes sponsored by Geelong Miniature Pony Promotional Group

(Ponies must be registered with A.M.P.S Inc)

160 Led Gelding 4 yrs and over

161 Led Gelding 3 yrs and under

Champion & Reserve Champion Miniature Gelding

162 Led Stallion 4 yrs and over

163 Led Colt 2 and 3 yrs

164 Led Yearling Colt

Champion & Reserve Champion Miniature Stallion or Colt

165 Led Mare 4 yrs and over

166 Led Filly 2 and 3 yrs

167 Led Filly Yearling

Champion & Reserve Champion Miniature Female

SUPREME LED MINIATURE PONY

Trophy from Geelong Miniature Pony Promotional Group

AUSTRALIAN PONIES - Led

Registered in the Australian section of the APSB

168 Led Colt or Stallion not over 14hh

169 Led Mare or Filly not over 14hh

170 Led Gelding not over 14hh

Champion and Reserve Australian Pony

WELSH PONIES

Entries to classes 171 to 178 must be registered in the Welsh section of the APSB and/or Welsh Pony & Cob Society and owners must be financial members of same

WELSH MOUNTAIN PONY – SECTION A

171 Led Colt or Stallion

172 Led Filly or Mare

173 Led Gelding

Champion and Reserve Champion Welsh Mountain Pony Section A

WELSH MOUNTAIN PONY – SECTION B

174 Led Colt or Stallion

175 Led Filly or Mare

176 Led Gelding

Champion and Reserve Champion Welsh Pony Section B

WELSH COB – SECTIONS C OR D

177 Led Colt, Stallion or Gelding

178 Led Filly or Mare

Champion and Reserve Champion Welsh Section C or D

SUPREME CHAMPION LED WELSH

Prize sponsored by Davies & Rose Rural & Hardware Creswick

RING 5 (cont.)

MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND BREEDS (participants in classes 171-178 not eligible)

179 Led Colt or Stallion

180 Led Gelding

181 Led Filly or Mare

Champion and Reserve Champion Mountain & Moorland Breeds

Classes and garland sponsored by Pamtab Park Highland Stud

PART-BRED WELSH LED - ponies must be registered with Welsh Pony & Cob Society and owners must be financial members of same

182 Led Part Bred Female

183 Led Part Bred Male

Champion & Reserve Champion Led Part Bred Welsh

REGISTERED APSB RIDING PONY - APSB PART-BRED

184 Led Male

185 Led Female

Champion and Reserve Champion Led APSB Riding Pony

REGISTERED PONIES – RIDDEN CLASSES

186 Ridden Male

187 Ridden Female

Champion & Reserve Champion Ridden Pony

188 Ridden APSB Riding Pony – APSB part-bred

RIDING PONIES

All ponies must be registered and owners must be current financial members of the Riding Pony Stud Book Society Ltd. Ponies must be shown in the registered owner's name. Registration certificates and membership cards must be produced upon request. Failure to do so will lead to disqualification from the class. **Ridden ponies must be 3 years and over.**

RIDING PONY LED EVENTS

Stallions and Colts eligible for classes 189-191)

189 Senior Led Riding Pony 4 yrs & over, over 13.2hh and n.e. 14.2hh

190 Senior Led Riding Pony 4 yrs & over, over 12.2hh and n.e. 13.2hh

191 Senior Led Riding Pony 4 yrs & over, n.e. 12.2hh

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR LED RIDING PONY

192 Led Colt, Gelding or Filly 3 yrs

193 Led Colt, Gelding or Filly 2 yrs

194 Led Colt, Gelding or Filly Yearling

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LED YOUNG STOCK

SUPREME CHAMPION LED RIDING PONY

Prize sponsored by Equine Vit&Min

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RING 5 (cont.)

RIDING PONY RIDDEN EVENTS

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RIDDEN RIDING PONIES

195 Ridden Riding Pony n.e. 12.2hh

196 Ridden Riding Pony over 12.2hh, n.e. 13.2hh

197 Ridden Riding Pony over 13.2hh, n.e. 14.2hh

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDDEN RIDING PONY

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RING 6

Commences 8.30am

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WALERS - WWSA Showing Guidelines apply. Horses must be registered with WWSA or
WHOBAA.

- 1 Led purebred mare or filly
- 2 Led purebred stallion or colt
- 3 Led purebred gelding

Champion & Reserve Led Purebred Waler – sponsored by WWSA

- 4 Led part-bred
- 5 Ridden pure-bred
- 6 Ridden part-bred

PALOMINOS – All horses must be registered with APHA and owners must be financial
members - proof may be required.

- 7 Best presented Led Male Palomino
- 8 Best Presented Led Female Palomino
- 9 Best Body colour, Male
- 10 Best Body colour, Female
- 11 Best Mane and Tail, Male
- 12 Best Mane and Tail, Female
- 13 Led Stallion 4 years and over
- 14 Led Colt 3 years and under

Champion and Reserve Champion Stallion or Colt

- 15 Led Mare 4 years and over
- 16 Led Filly 3 years and under

Champion and Reserve Champion Mare or Filly

- 17 Led Gelding 4 years and over
- 18 Led gelding 3 years and under

Champion and Reserve Champion Gelding

SUPREME LED PALOMINO EXHIBIT (judged from 3 Champions)

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Ridden Classes

- 19 Ridden Stallion or Colt
- 20 Ridden Mare or Filly
- 21 **Ridden Gelding**

Champion and Reserve Champion Ridden Exhibit

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RING 6 (cont.)

STANDARDBREDS Horses must be registered with Harness Racing Australia or Standardbred Pleasure & Performance Horse Assn of Victoria Inc.

- 22 Best Presented Male or Female (pure or part bred)
- 23 Part bred Led – male or female
- 24 Led Stallion or colt (pure)
- 25 Led gelding (pure)
- 26 Led Female (pure)

Champion & Reserve Led Standardbred – prize sponsored by Davies & Rose Rural & Hardware, Creswick

- 27 Ridden Novice (pure or part bred)
- 28 Ridden Male (pure or part bred)
- 29 Ridden Female (pure or part bred)

Champion and Reserve Champion Ridden Standardbred - prize sponsored by Davies & Rose Rural & Hardware, Creswick

- 30 *Atabar HERO Standardbred Series* (see additional Rules for Horse Events)

HARNESS 12 noon

All exhibitors to enter the ring at 12 noon or as directed by the steward

Champions proudly sponsored by

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- 31 Jog cart Turnout
- 32 Shetland Turnout
- 33 Two or four wheel Turnout (not viceroys)
- 34 Viceroy Turnout

Champion and Reserve Champion Turnout

- 35 Non Hackney Pony 11hh and under
- 36 Non Hackney Pony over 11hh and under 12.2hh
- 37 Non Hackney Pony 12.2hh and under 14hh

Champion and Reserve Champion Non Hackney Pony

- 38 Non Hackney Horse 14hh and under 15hh
- 39 Non Hackney Horse 15 hands and over

Champion and Reserve Champion Non Hackney Horse

SUPREME HARNESS EXHIBIT

Sponsored by Blackwood Park Stud

- 40 Open Driver
- 41 Pleasure Horse or Pony

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Celebrating the 150th Kingston Agricultural Show

The forerunner of the Kingston Agricultural Society, the Smeaton, Spring Hill, and Bullarook Agricultural Society, was formed in 1858 to bring together the best of the early settlement's agricultural and pastoral exhibits, animal husbandry and home crafts. The first show was held at Smeaton in 1861 and in 1873 the Grand National Show was held there.

For sixty years the activities of the Society were pursued in comparative calm but, with the obstacle of Smeaton not being on a railway line, show numbers of exhibits and patrons dropped. In 1921, as an experiment, the show was held at Allendale. Some members then advocated transferring it to near the Kingston railway station. A site was purchased and in 1922 buildings and equipment, including the grandstand, were moved from Smeaton to Kingston. The showground arena was designed by the Shire Engineer W.H. Gore. The first Kingston Annual Spring Show was held on 9 November 1922.

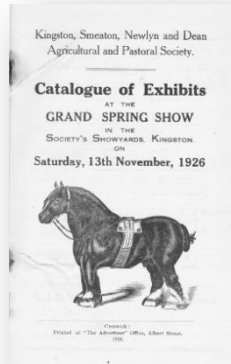
At the AGM in 1923 the Society was renamed the Kingston, Smeaton, Newlyn and Dean Agricultural & Pastoral Society. In 1984 it was incorporated and re-named the Kingston Agricultural Society Inc.

THE GRANDSTAND

The grandstand, noted for its unusual vernacular design, was built in 1902 by J.T.Knox. An "All Nations" fair organised by the ladies of Smeaton raised the funds for its building.

In 1922 it was moved to the new Kingston site, towed there by a Handley Page steam engine. It was included in the Heritage Victoria Register in 1997 because of its social and historical importance, namely, its association with one of Victoria's most famous country shows,

Significant restoration work was carried out in the early 2000s and the grandstand was 're-opened' in 2007. It is time, however, for more work to be done so it can be restored to its former glory.



1926



1960



Front cover

Horse illustration from 1926 Kingston, Smeaton, Newlyn and Dean Agricultural and Pastoral Society show program.

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The lithograph depicts the annual show, then held at the Smeaton showground. The Smeaton, Springhill and Bullarook Agricultural Society was formed in 1859. Shows were held at the Smeaton grounds from 1861 until 1920. The Show was held at Allendale in 1921 and moved to Kingston in 1922.

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“Round the Kingston Show with Dudley Gordon.” Cartoon by Tom Evans from The Ballarat Courier, Saturday December 10, 1949.

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The grandstand in need of repair; as it is today and a recent aerial view (taken by W. Rex Brereton).

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Events at the ‘Kingston Spring Show’, circa 1960’s. Photo taken by Antonie Schellens.

This page

View from the grandstand of horse events at the 2015 Kingston Agricultural Show.

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