



Geelong & District Carriage Drivers

Precision Speed Excitement

September 22nd, 2024

@ Leighdale Equestrian Centre

1248 Bannockburn-Shelford Road, Teesdale

**THIS EVENT WILL BE DRIVEN IN BOTH AN
INDOOR & OUTDOOR SAND ARENA**

EVENT OFFICIALS

Event Supervisor -	Pixie Heath
Event Secretary -	Kirsty Blake
Precision and Paces Judges -	Peter Harkness & Deb Fuller
Scorer -	Nicole Linic
Course Designer -	Peter Harkness
Cones & Obstacle Judge -	Karina Moore

Judges Decisions
are Final

PROGRAM

EVENT 1 Indoor/Outdoor Carriage Driving - 3 phases

A- Precision & Paces - Arena 50m x 20m

Indoor Carriage Driving UK Test 2022-2023 Season Version 3 – All Classes

B- Cones - Driven at 220 metres per minute, approximately fast trot. No stopwatches allowed.

C- Obstacles

EVENT 2

Speed Cones - One round-fastest, clear round to win.

SCHEDULE

EVENT 1 Indoor/Outdoor Carriage Driving

1. Very Small Equine under 91cm sponsored by 'Craigellachie Performance Ponies'
2. Single Pony 91cm ne 124cm sponsored by 'Kilpara Park Shetlands'
3. Single Pony 124cm ne 149cm sponsored by 'The Benallack Family'
4. Single Horse Over 149cms sponsored by 'The Page Family'
5. Multiples, any Height sponsored by 'The Lawrence Family'
6. First Season Driver sponsored by 'Sirap Cleaning Services'

EVENT 2 Speed Cones – drive immediately after Event 1 cones round

7. 'Craigellachie Performance Ponies' Single any Height
8. 'Craigellachie Performance Ponies' Multiple any Height

APPROXIMATE TIMETABLE

(times may change depending on entry numbers)

Sunday

10.30am Start with Precision and Paces, Cones (+Speed), Obstacles. Competitors may be organised in groups, 1st round followed by 2nd round of obstacles.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR FINAL

Refer to the current version of the Rules and Guidelines. All entrants need to ensure they have qualified for the 2024 Championships. Your entry **MUST** be accompanied with a copy of your membership card and receipt of payment for the new ACDS membership year 24/25. Your entry **MUST** also list the events in which you qualified at in order to be eligible for the 2024 Championship event.

EXTRA INFORMATION

- Competitor times will be emailed prior to the event.
- A basic Canteen will be available for Breakfast & Lunch open 9am-2pm. A General Takeaway Store is located in the town of Teesdale.
- Camping **ONLY** available Saturday & Sunday nights. Horses must **NOT** be driven or worked onsite Saturday. Arrivals after 4pm Saturday allowed. Toilets & Showers available.

ENQUIRIES & ENTRIES

Enquiries: Kirsty Blake - Event Secretary

Phone: 0427 811 971

Email: gcdc.entries@gmail.com

Entry Fee \$50 (inc. speed cones)

Camping: \$10 per Float / Truck per night.

Facility Fee: \$5 per horse (compulsory for non GDCD members)

Horse Yards: \$5 per yard, steel with double rails.

Noting you may erect yards however this will only be allowed in a specific location back towards the roundyard. Please note we do have kangaroos frequent the site it is your responsibility to ensure your yard is suitable to contain your equine.

ENTRIES CLOSE: 9TH SEPTEMBER, 2024

Please ensure you have your new 24/25 ACDS Membership Card & Receipt of payment saved to your device to upload to your entry form prior to commencing.

ONLINE ENTRY FORM LINK [click here](#)

PAYMENT DETAILS

Geelong & District Carriage Drivers

BSB: 633 000 Account No: 16381 2647 Ref: Last Name/Champs

Entries are only accepted via online entry form above.

An entry is only accepted once payment in full has been made and required information to accompany your entry has been received.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. You **MUST** use & complete the QR Code scan in when entering the Leighdale Site.
2. The Event will be judged under the current Australian Indoor/Outdoor Horse Driving Rules and any additional conditions included in this schedule.
3. Drivers must be full members of the ACDS and horses must be minimum 4 years of age and ACDS registered. All competitors compete at their own risk.
4. Junior drivers age, 6-10 must be accompanied in the vehicle by an ACDS adult member (an experienced driving person) seated next to the driver at all times and holding a second pair of reins attached to the bit. Junior Drivers 11-15 must be accompanied in the vehicle by an ACDS adult member (an experienced driving person).
5. Livestock control: Entrants /Owners of livestock are advised that horses must be adequately and securely restrained and controlled at all times.
6. Dress code: Marathon gear, gloves and whip. Protective headgear is compulsory in accordance with ACDS rules.
7. Properly completed medical information bands to be worn by all Drivers & Grooms, and must be clearly visible at all times.
8. Parents are responsible for the supervision of children at all times at this venue.
9. Only the horses/ponies listed on the official entry are able to attend this event. Permission to bring additional horses/ponies must be sought and granted by the Organizing Committee prior to the close of entries.
10. Dogs must be on a leash at all times. Manure to be bagged and binned.
11. No manure or fodder is to be left in the yards, beside floats or in the camping area. Discard in the manure pit provided onsite.
12. Any Special requests must be made to the event secretary in writing **PRIOR** to the close of entries.
13. Refunds will only be issued in accordance with the GDCD Refund Policy available to view via the GDCD Facebook page under the files tab, can be supplied if requested.
14. Should any fodder, manure etc be left behind in any yards, constructed yards or beside your float/truck your entry to any GDCD events maybe declined going forward

