



CAMDEN HARNESS CLUB

PARK DRIVE & FUN OBSTACLE EVENT

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 25 2022

Rossmore Reserve, cnr Bringelly and Allenby Rds Rossmore

Open to Light and Heavy harness turnouts – singles and multiples. Each turnout will be judged at the halt before going on a drive of between 2- 4km around the grounds. During the drive a second judge will score the turnout on the move. The scores from both judges will be added together to give the final result for each turnout. The drive should be done at a leisurely trot, or for heavy horse turnouts at the walk if appropriate. This part will be judged as if on a pleasure drive. A draw will be issued to entrants to indicate when to present to the first judge.

Overall impression, quality and appearance of the turnout including the vehicle, harness, driver and groom/passenger outfits and horse obedience, presentation and manners are important.

Arrival : From 9am

Registration at Clubhouse: from 9.30am *Read Camden Club Risk Management Guidelines * Pay entry fee
*Collect entry number *Everyone sign in

Entry Fee: \$20 per class - pay on day. Please bring your helmet up when registering to have it checked that it complies with ACDS rules

Lunch: **BYO lunch**, bring your own chair and drinks

Start: 10 am

Class 1 Authentic Historical Turnout – historically correct for a period prior to 1950

Vehicle: original or restored, wooden wheels, Harness: leather Costume: authentic and Matched in time and nature to the vehicle (Driver should nominate the approx year/period the turnout is representing before judging commences)

Class 2 Historical Style Turnout – giving the impression of a period prior to 1950

Vehicle: reproduced, original or restored, Harness: leather or synthetic .Costume: giving the impression of the 'olden days'

Class 3 Show, CDE and Pleasure Turnouts – Vehicle, harness and costume as would be appropriate at a show (CDE turnout to be as for dressage phase)

FUN OBSTACLE EVENT: Involves a series of obstacles which must be negotiated, such as driving over rubber matting, cones etc

Conditions of Entry

1. Each turnout is eligible for ONE CLASS ONLY.
2. All competitors must be *either* current financial members of an ACDS affiliated club *or* complete a ONE ACTIVITY MEMBERSHIP form and pay **\$35 each** (as well as entry fees)
3. Junior drivers to compete under current ACDS rules with Hills Club variation ie drivers 6 and under 11yrs must have an experienced adult driver member seated alongside holding a second set of reins.
4. The judges' decisions are final
5. The organisers reserve the right to alter the program according to the conditions on the day
6. Handlers should be dressed appropriately in keeping with the dignity of the occasion
7. Dogs must be restrained on leashes at all times.
8. Camden regulation: All occupants in carriages must wear ACDS compliant protective headwear. This headwear may be covered to match turnout if desired.

BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL

Drivers book in with the Secretary Lou Lyons by emailing pandala@westnet.com.au by Tuesday September 20th 2022 and include class and horse name (& year/period of turnout if doing class 1) Also please supply your mobile number in case we need to contact you re weather
Contact Lou Lyons by September 20 2022

Wet Weather Policy: If rain threatens, a decision will be made no later than Sat 6.30pm whether to go ahead or cancel. All registered participants will be notified immediately by email or phone. If the decision is to go ahead but conditions on Sunday morning have deteriorated enough to cancel, participants will be notified by phone between 6-7.30am. Those farthest away will be notified first.