



STANDARD BRED NATIONAL HIGH POINT COMPETITION 2018 –2019

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Members of the Australian Standardbred Pleasure Horse Associations are invited to take part in the 2018 - 2019 Standardbred National High Point Competition, members-only, showing competition. The competition offers 2 JUNIOR sections for younger members showing mares or geldings and 3 SENIOR sections for members, 18 years and over, showing mares, geldings or stallions.

This, unique to the Standardbred, low cost national competition does not require interstate travel, it all happened in your home state.

Each state association, participating in this competition, nominates shows that offer led and ridden classes that lead to a Supreme Led Exhibit sash presentation and a Ridden Champion sash presentation.

Entrants MUST choose 4 of the 8 nominated shows below.

The Confirmed NSW Shows are as follows:

- **Penrith Annual Ag Show 24th August 2018**
- **Tamworth Annual Ag Show 1st September 2018**
- **Menangle Annual Ag Show 23rd September 2018**
- **Cootamundra Annual Ag Show 20th October 2018**
- **Luddenham Annual Ag Show 2nd March 2019**
- **Goulburn Annual Ag Show 2nd March 2019**
- **Cessnock Annual Ag Show 22nd February 2019**
- **Hawkesbury Annual Ag Show 11th May 2019**

To contest this competition, just fill in the entry form on the attached sheet and return it with entry fees of \$20 for each section you wish to contest – either led or ridden or both. The maximum entry fee is \$40.

You will be issued with a National High Point performance card. This card is to be taken to **your nominated 4 shows** from the above list, where you are to record your placings and have the card signed by the judge or ring steward. All cards are to be returned to the SPPHA NSW PO Box by 30th June 2019. Unsigned cards will be deemed unacceptable.

Point allocations will be as follows:

1 st place	4 points	Supreme	10 points	These points are not accumulative. The horse that is awarded a Supreme can only achieve 10 points, a Champion 8 points, a Reserve 6 points. 1 st place and no Champion, or Supreme will achieve 4 points, etc.
2 nd place	3 points	Champion	8 points	
3 rd place	2 points	Reserve	6 points	
4 th place	1 point			

Achievement sashes will be presented to the Top-5 in each section as follows:

Juniors – handler/rider to be under 18 years of age on 1 July 2018

Junior Led Gelding	Junior Led Mare
Junior Ridden Gelding	Junior Ridden Mare

Seniors – handler/rider to be 18 years or over on 1 July 2018

Senior Led Gelding	Senior Led Mare	Senior Led Stallion
Senior Ridden Gelding	Senior Ridden Mare	Senior Ridden Stallion

- Competitors who do not place Top 5 receive a complimentary Participation Sash.
- National Championship sashes will be presented to the led and ridden horses, in each section (junior and senior), with the highest points – 10 Championships on offer.
- National High Point Performance Horse sashes will be presented to the horse, in each section (junior and senior), with the highest combined (led and ridden) points. In the event of a draw of points for a National High Point Performance Horse there will be a count of all horses competed against at the four nominated shows i.e. number of geldings, mares and stallions leading up to each Supreme or Champion. We are sorry but there can only be one National High Point Performance Horse in each section.
- We have a new sponsorship for all Champions and the 2 National Performance Horses, from **Maxisoy Australia**.
- With funds coming from entry fees, Horseland vouchers, valued at \$25, will be presented to the 10 Champions and the 2 National Performance Horses will receive vouchers valued at \$100 each. All entry fees for this competition are returned to the competitors – the more entries the greater the value returned

We are also hoping to secure further, outside sponsorship for this year's competitions; if this is successful members will be advised and prize values increased.

The SPPHA NSW is asking all members to please consider taking part in the National High Point Competition and to fill in the entry form (below) and return it to competitions@standardbred.org.au in time to have your SNHPC Performance Card returned before the first show.

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NAME:SPPHANSW MEMBERSHIP NUMBER:

POSTAL ADDRESS:
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NAME OF HORSE: HORSE REGISTRATION NUMBER:

Please circle GELDING / MARE / STALLION YOUR TELEPHONE NO.:

SECTIONS ENTERED: please circle **JUNIOR** LED RIDDEN FEES: \$20 / \$40

DATE OF BIRTH (JUNIORS ONLY)

SENIOR LED RIDDEN FEES: \$20 / \$40

Return this form, with your entry fees to:

SPPHA NSW
Competitions@standardbred.org.au

Payment via EFT:
BSB: 633 000
ACC: 120 5959 21
Please use NHP (your surname) as reference