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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Fellow reiners,

Welcome to 2013!!!! What an exciting year it will be and I am sure you are all looking forward to the reining year to start. Whilst the horses have been on a rest break I can assure you the committee has been in full swing with a very busy year ahead.

FIRST SHOW:

Our first ribbon show is coming up fast and will be held on February 16th-17th at QSEC Caboolture. We will be conducting a clinic on Saturday morning by the well respected trainer Shaun Saunders. This clinic is already booked out which is a reminder for everyone to keep their eyes posted on our website as these clinics book out really fast!!!

DERBY SHOOT OUT: MARCH 15-16-17 (See Flyer for Details)

The derby shoot out qualifying show continues to grow and grow with plenty of interest being shown by all.... and why wouldn't there be with one of the largest Derby Prize Pools offered in Australia!!! We thank our sponsors Dennis and Erin Neylon, Thomas Manufacturing and Backhouse Training Stables for this excellent initiative for owners, trainers, breeders and reiners alike!!!

Remember this show will not only showcase all our great Derby horses but is a qualifying show with all sanctioned classes AND is the first round in the Queensland Buckle Series!!! This is a re-vamp of the old Southern Cross Buckle Series and is FREE to enter. The Series will be held over the three largest QLD shows including the Pacific Coast Reining Spectacular and Queensland State Championships. How lucky are we in Queensland to have so many great shows locally!!!

We hope everyone gets behind these shows because without your support they cannot continue to be viable!!!

SPONSORSHIP

We will be shortly seeking sponsors for our upcoming State Show and encourage all individuals and businesses to support the show through a sponsorship. Our State Show continues to grow in prestige and gets awesome coverage throughout the horse industry.

CAN YOU LEND A HAND???

We also encourage any of our members to come forward if they wish to lend a hand at any of our shows. Many hands make light work and remember when you have packed up and heading home there is probably a committee member who has been there from the start still packing up and ensuring everything has been done.

Until next time – Keep ridin Keep slidin

Regards

Tim Hoffmann – QRHA President.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2013

FEB 16TH—17TH	CLINIC AND RIBBON SHOW QSEC CABOOLTURE
MARCH 15TH– 17TH	DERBY SHOOT OUT QUALIFIER SHOW QSEC CABOOLTURE
APRIL 20TH —21ST	CLINIC AND RIBBON SHOW QSEC CABOOLTURE
MAY 18TH—19TH	CLINIC AND QUALIFIER SHOW QSEC CABOOLTURE
JULY 6TH-7TH	CLINIC AND RIBBON SHOW QSEC CABOOLTURE
AUGUST 7TH—10TH	STATE SHOW QSEC CABOOLTURE
SEPT 13TH	AGM
SEPT 13TH – 14TH	CLINIC FRIDAY AND JACKPOT SHOW QSEC
SEPT 14TH	AWARDS NIGHT, AUCTION AND DINNER
SEPT 25TH - 28TH	RA & CONTINENTAL AFFILIATE CHAMPIONSHIPS TAMWORTH

MEMBERSHIP IS DUE 1ST JANUARY

**Welcome to new members
Janita Farrell and Ali Natoli**

THE QUEENSLAND REINING HORSE ASSOCIATION INC.

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DUE AND PAYABLE ON OR BEFORE THE 1st JANUARY 2013

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Name/s:

Home Phone: Business Phone:

Address: Postcode:

Occupation:e-mail address:

I/We hereby agree to abide by the Rules of the Queensland Reining Horse Association Inc.

Signed: Dated:

Application to be signed and returned to:

QRHA Memberships, Lynda Gray, 347 Newlands Rd, Wamuran Qld 4512 (07) 5429 8797

Bank Details

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QRHA ARE EXCITED TO ANNOUNCE
The Queensland Buckle Series for 2013
This will be run over three Shows
Derby Shoot Out 16th and 17th March
Pacific Coast Spectacular 2nd & 3rd June
Old State Championships 7th to 10th August
Open to all RA/NRHA Members
Free entry- you must compete at all three
Shows to be eligible
Further information in the Run Down

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Some information from Reining Australia

The AGM was held on the 8th December at the Gold Coast in Queensland as well as the presentation of the End of Year Awards and Rookie of the Year congratulation to all the recipients, a full list will be posted on the website.

The Treasurer Mick Taylor gave a very comprehensive report on the financial position of Reining Australia which is now in very good shape, with Q12, the National Show and Equitana all making a profit.

The elections of the Board were held and the positions are as follows:

President Scott Sutton

Vice President Kathleen Murphy

Secretary Lynda Gray

Treasurer Mick Taylor

Board Members – Tania Powell, Nils Euren, Sue Franks and Kate Elliott.

All their contract details are on the website and we encourage members to contact them if they have any enquiries. The Board will be holding a Face to Face Meeting on the 2nd and 3rd February 2013.

Please note that there has been a slight change to the date of the Continental Affiliate Championships and Futurity Show to the 25th to 28th September 2013, this has happened because of change in bookings at Aelee.

The Continental Affiliate conditions are on the website, the main points being that Affiliates are required to hold only two (2) NRHA approved shows, and riders must participate in a minimum of one (1) of those Show, and place in the top 20 horse and rider combination of each class they wish to qualify for the Continental Affiliate Championship.

A list of the Top Twenty Highest Horse earnings will also be listed on the website, we would like to Congratulate Whizz Peppy owned by Charles Kalnins for being the first horse in Australia to go over \$60,000

Please also note that the ineligibility list and End of Year Awards will run from the 1st January of each year as there is a change over period this year two shows from Victoria will be included in the End of Year Awards for 2013. Riders and Owners must remember that it is their responsibility to know which classes they are eligible to compete in.

Reining Australia is once again running the Green Rider Program; all riders must renew each year and only riders who are not members of Reining Australia need to pay the \$30 fee. We thank the members for support of the program for 2012. Application and updated conditions are on the website.



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CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES MONDAY 11TH FEBRUARY 2013
QSEC CABOOLTURE—SATURDAY & SUNDAY 16TH & 17TH FEBRUARY 2013

SATURDAY CLINIC

A four hour Clinic will be held on Saturday 16th February with Shaun Saunders
Minimum 12 Riders.
The Clinic starts at 7.00 am and run for 4 hours until 11.00 am. Cost \$60 per Rider.

SATURDAY SHOW PROGRAM START 1.00 PM

No		EVENT	ENTRY FEE	JUDGES FEE	TOTAL	PATTERN
1	RIBBONS	SHORT STIRRUP	NIL	NIL	NIL	12
2	RIBBONS	BEGINNER RIDER	\$10	\$10	\$20	12
3	RIBBONS	GREEN HORSE	\$10	\$10	\$20	6
4.	RIBBONS	GREEN RIDER LEVEL 1 & 2	\$10	NIL	\$10	6
5	RIBBONS	SENIOR HORSE	\$10	\$10	\$20	2
6	RIBBONS	JUNIOR HORSE	\$10	\$10	\$20	8

SUNDAY SHOW PROGRAMME START 8.00 AM

		EVENT	ENTRY FEE	JUDGES FEE	TOTAL	PATTERN
7a	RIBBONS	NOVICE HORSE NON PRO LEVEL 1 **	\$10	\$10	\$20	5
7b	RIBBONS	NOVICE HORSE NON PRO LEVEL 2 **	\$10	\$10	\$20	5
7c	RIBBONS	NOVICE HORSE OPEN LEVEL 1 **	\$10	\$10	\$20	5
7d	RIBBONS	NOVICE HORSE OPEN LEVEL 2 **	\$10	\$10	\$20	5
8a	RIBBONS	LIMITED OPEN **	\$10	\$10	\$20	3
8b	RIBBONS	ROOKIE PROFESSIONAL **	\$10	\$10	\$20	3
9	RIBBONS	LIMITED NON PRO	\$10	\$10	\$20	6
10a	RIBBONS	YOUTH 13 & UNDER **	\$10	NIL	\$10	8
10b	RIBBONS	YOUTH 14-18 **	\$10	NIL	\$10	8
11a	RIBBONS	ROOKIE LEVEL 1 **	\$10	\$10	\$20	4
11b	RIBBONS	ROOKIE LEVEL 2 **	\$10	\$10	\$20	4
12	RIBBONS	INTERMEDIATE NON PRO	\$10	\$10	\$20	10
13a	RIBBONS	INTERMEDIATE OPEN **	\$10	\$10	\$20	9
13b	RIBBONS	OPEN **	\$10	\$10	\$20	9
14a	RIBBONS	NON PRO **	\$10	\$10	\$20	6
14b	RIBBONS	PRIME TIME NON PRO**	\$10	\$10	\$20	6

THE QLD REINING HORSE ASSOCIATION

NOMINATION FORM

QSEC - CABOOLTURE

One Entry Form per horse – Forms may be copied

All Licenses and NRHA Cards must be sighted

Horse's Name: _____ **NRHA Licens No:** _____

Owner's Name: _____ **NRHA M'Ship No:** _____

Rider's Name: _____ **NRHA M'Ship No:** _____

Riders' Address: _____

Postcode: _____ **Tel:** _____ **Mobile:** _____

EVENT	RIDER	TOTAL
Office Fee \$10 per horse (Not applicable to Youth if showing in Youth class only)		\$ 10.00
Open Pen Fee per horse for the Show		\$ 10.00
ENTRIES CLOSE 11/02/13		
Camping @ \$20/Site per Night Powered. Number of sites _____ X number of nights _____		
Camping @ \$15/Site per Night unpowered. Number of sites _____ X No. of nights _____		
Total		
Stabling @ \$25/Stable per Night. Number of stables _____ X number of nights _____ Total		\$
Stable cleaning fee. \$50 per stable (please supply separate cheque – refunded if left clean)		
Pre nominations would be appreciated, some nominations will be taken on the day TOTAL		\$
Please make cheques payable to: "QRHA" and mail to: Lynda Gray, 347 Newlands Rd, Wamuran Qld 4512		
Bank Details – CBA - BSB 06 4167 - 00902004		

I, We hereby agree that entry submitted shall constitute an agreement that the owner, rider & agent undersigned understands the Rules and regulations of this show & release the QRHA from any claim or loss to myself/ourselves, employees, horses & or equipment. I am fully aware of the inherent risks of equine activities. All risk or loss or injury to my horse, myself or others is my own. I/We hereby release the QRHA from all liability in connection with my/our entry in the class/classes.

Signed: **Print Name:** **Dated:**

ORHA NON SANCTIONED EVENTS – MUST BE A MEMBER OF QRHA OR NRHA

BEGINNER RIDER: Restricted to riders who have not won more than 3 Reining events

(sanctioned/non sanctioned) as at 1st January 2013

JUNIOR REINING HORSE: For horses five years & under.

SENIOR REINING HORSE: For horses six years and over.

GREEN HORSE: Restricted to horses that have not won more than 3 Reining events (sanctioned/non sanctioned) as at 1st January 2013.

Western attire and Saddlery not compulsory in these non sanctioned classes however a long sleeved shirt and hat or helmet required (no caps). Riders may use one or two hands on the reins or change from one handed to two handed throughout the performance. Any legal headgear is allowed.

GREEN RIDER

Green Rider Level 1 Open to any rider holding valid RA Green Rider card and has less than \$100 in RA life-time earnings, all categories, has less than twenty five (25) lifetime Youth points and less than fifty (50) Green Rider points.

Green Rider Level 2 Open to any rider holding valid RA Green Rider card and has less than \$100 in RA life-time earnings, all categories, has less than twenty five (25) lifetime Youth points and more than 50 points and less than 100 (100) Green points.

Green Rider Level 1 and 2 will be run concurrently

All riders must pay the Annual fee of \$30 to be in the program (unless you are already RA/NRHA Member) Full conditions and application form on the RA website.

Show management cannot charge exhibitors a judge's fee

Show management can retain any percentage of the entry fee

Must use NRHA patterns 1 – 11. However simple lead changes are allowed and the rider may use one (1) or two (2) hands, but must not change hands or switch from one to two hands.

Show Information & Conditions

Entries will be taken on Saturday morning till 12 noon.

Owners and riders competing in sanctioned events must be current financial members of the National Reining Horse Association and Reining Australia and all horses must be licensed with the NRHA.

Any transfers of ownership need to be completed by the NRHA prior to showing. A copy of horse competition license and NRHA membership card must be presented with entry form:

The working order will be drawn and will be as per program with the exception of late entries, which will run first.

DOGS must be kept at campsites. No dogs allowed in grandstand, marshalling area or in vicinity of canteen.

No glass permitted in the Stable Area and No smoking in the Grandstand

By way of making an entry you are assuming responsibility for and binding owner, rider and/or agent to the terms and conditions as set out. The indemnity and consent form accompanying entry form must be completed and signed or entries will not be accepted.

Management reserves the right to alter this program once final entry numbers are known.

- ** Limited Open/Rookie Professional will be run concurrently
- ** Youth 13 and under & Youth 14–18 will be run concurrently
- ** Rookie Level 1 & Level 2 will be run concurrently
- ** Non Pro & Prime Time Non Pro will be run concurrently.
- ** Intermediate Open and Open will be run concurrently.
- ** Novice Horse Open Level 1 & 2— Novice Horse Non Pro Level 1 & 2 will be run concurrently

Competitors nominating in both events will only pay one judges fee.





QUEENSLAND BUCKLE SERIES 2013

RULES:

1. Queensland Buckle Series will be conducted under the guidance of both QRHA and SQRHA committees.
2. Queensland Buckle Series 2013 will be conducted over the three biggest QLD shows – A. Derby Shoot Out (QSEC Caboolture) ; B. Pacific Coast Spectacular (Gatton); C. QLD State Championships (Caboolture)
3. Queensland Buckle Series will be in relation to the following events: Novice Horse Non Pro (Level 1); Novice Horse Open (Level 1); Rookie (Level 1); Rookie (Level 2); Limited Non Pro; Intermediate Non Pro; Non Pro; Prime Time Non Pro; Rookie Professional; Limited Open; Intermediate Open; Open; Youth 13 and under; Youth 14 - 18.
4. Riders must enter and compete in the same event on the same horse at each show to be eligible to win the Queensland Buckle Series.
5. Entry to the series is FREE for EACH horse and rider combination. Only those horse and rider combination that compete in the same class at each nominated show is eligible to win the Queensland Buckle Series.
6. Points will be awarded by way of – 10pts 1st; 9pts 2nd; 8pts 3rd; 7pts 4th; 6pts 5th; 5pts 6th; 4pts 7th; 3pts 8th; 2pts 9th; 1pt 10th. If there is an equal placing both riders will get the highest points possible for the placing regardless of the toss except where decision is final by way of runoff.
7. If there are less than 10 riders then the highest number of points that a rider can obtain is the number of entries in that class. For e.g If only 4 in class – 4pts 1st, 3pts 2nd etc.
8. The winner of the Queensland Buckle Series will be the rider/horse combination with highest points from all three shows. In the event of a tie a count back will occur in the following order:- Winner will be decided by most first placings; If equal - winner will be decided by most top 3 placings over all 3 shows; If equal- winner will be decided by highest scoring run; If equal- then a coin toss will decide winner unless otherwise agreed by the parties.
9. Presentation of the Queensland Buckle Series Buckles will be conducted by relevant delegates on the final night at the QLD State Show.
10. In the event that a show is cancelled then the Series will revert to a 2 show series. If more than one show is cancelled the series will be at discretion of relevant committees.
11. All decisions made by delegates of QRHA will be deemed final and no correspondence will be entered into.

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