## **GENERAL ENTRY CONDITIONS**

For the comfort, safety and enjoyment of all persons, the Hawkesbury District Agricultural Association (HDAA) advises that:

- Persons gaining unauthorised access to the Hawkesbury Showground and /or any of the Showground's specific areas may be liable for prosecution;
- Persons enter the Showground at their own risk and must take proper care of all things they bring onto the Showground. HDAA is not liable for any loss or damage to personal property;
- Persons entering the Showground agree to be responsible for their own actions and indemnify HDAA against any loss or liability, cost, expense or damages arising from or in relation to their acts or omissions;
- The HDAA reserves the right to inspect and/or search bags brought into or out of the Showground and search all persons, their clothing and other items of such persons;
- Persons causing a disturbance or refusing to comply with requests from HDAA will be ejected from the Showground;
- The HDAA may eject a person from the Showground for unauthorised sales or hawking of goods and services;
- The HDAA may refuse admission to or eject persons from the Showground at its sole discretion;
- Persons entering the Showground must adhere to the Work Health & Safety legislation;
- Smoking is prohibited indoors and at all catering or public seating areas of the Showground, and where indicated by 'No Smoking' signage.
- Additional entry conditions and requirements may apply to ticketed events;
- Any ticket purchased to enable entry into the Showground or any particular area or event at the Showground cannot be exchanged or returned after purchase.
- Dogs are not permitted at this event.

Exemptions –

A person in control of a registered "Assistance Animal". This refers to a guide dog, a dog trained to assist a person in activities where hearing is required and any other animal trained to assist a person to alleviate the effect of a disability.

An animal being exhibited for show purposes or engaged in prearranged organised entertainment.

A dog controlled by Police, Defence or Corrective Service personal.

 A person entering the Showground maybe photographed, filmed, taped and/or subjected to monitoring by close circuit television and it is deemed that a person by entering the Showground consents to the HDAA or third parties appointed by the HDAA photographing, filming or taping. The HDAA or third parties appointed by the HDAA can broadcast, publish, licence and use any photographs, film, recordings or images without compensation. The HDAA, third parties and anyone acquiring from them a right to use the material are not liable to the subject for its use in any way. The HDAA strictly complies with the Workplace Surveillance Act 2005;

- No Alcohol. (Unless for private function or Liquor Licence applied for and issued for approved events.)
- Intoxicated persons will not be permitted to enter.
- Intoxicated persons will be removed from the Showground.
- Alcohol beverages must not be taken into or from the Showground and are subject to immediate confiscation;
- Checking procedures will apply to prevent persons possessing liquor from entering.
- It is an offence for minors to purchase or consume alcohol;
- It is an offence to sell to or supply minors with alcohol;
- Persons supplying alcohol to minors will be reported to police;
- Penalties apply under the Liquor Act 2007.
- No Illicit drugs;
- No Flares or Fireworks;
- No Firearms;
- No Knives or other dangerous weapons including potential missiles;
- No Skateboards, scooters or roller blades
- No Laser Pointers
- Entry to the Showground does not guarantee automatic entry to all events and activities on the Showground during the period of entry;
- Parking is restricted to designated areas and vehicles must not block emergency egress doors or emergency vehicle access roads and are to give way to emergency vehicles;
- All accidents or emergencies are to be immediately reported to the HDAA Administration Office or authorised personnel.
- Persons must obey all signs, notices and directions given by the HDAA whilst at the Showground.
- Prams and infant children are not allowed in the main arena, horse stables and horse practice areas.
- No lighting of fires
- Comply with the HDAA Animal Welfare Policy and Procedures.

**Photography:** It is <u>not</u> our intention for amateur photographers to be restricted from taking photos around the Showground, providing that:-

- 1) The photographer is not causing annoyance or inconvenience to other show patrons;
- 2) That the subject of the photo is not one detailed in the *Summary Offences Act 1988(NSW)*;
- 3) The subjects have given their consent (if under 18 then their parent's consent); and
- 4) The photos are not to be sold for commercial gain.