



STUARTHOLME IQ QUALIFIER 7 & 8 FEBRUARY 2026

RIDER NOTES

Welcome and thank you for supporting our Stuartholme Equestrian Team Interschool Qualifier.

The schedule is full so we ask all competitors to listen closely to announcements and please be courteous to your fellow competitors, volunteers and organisers. Please arrive on time and with a smile.

We look forward to a fantastic weekend and we wish all competitors the very best of luck.

Our general recommendations for competition day:

- Float parking gates open at 6:30am. Leave yourself plenty of time to arrive and on arrival please follow the parking steward's instructions carefully - this is a busy event with restricted parking so it is important that all competitors park as directed. If you do not park as directed you will be asked to move.
- On arrival report to the event office and sign in, confirming you have signed up for sufficient volunteer positions that align with the competitor's nominations
- Check if there are any scratchings/withdrawals
- Check location of gear check area and location of your competition area, your warm-up and exercise areas etc.
- Keep yourself and horse hydrated at all times – visit our wonderful canteen for coffee, meals and drinks

SATURDAY DRESSAGE – 7 FEBRUARY 2026

Rings 1 and 4 will commence at 7:45am

Rings 2 and 3 will commence at 8am

Ring 1:

D10	Secondary PSG	7:45 AM
D09	Secondary Advanced 5.1	8:00 AM
D08	Secondary Medium Test 4.1	8:16 AM
D04	Intermediate Novice Test 2.1	8:40 AM
D07	Secondary Elementary Test 3.1	9:44 AM
D10	Secondary Inter 1	10:32 AM
MORNING TEA 10:48AM		
D05	Senior Prelim Test 1.2	11:12 AM
LUNCH 12:40 AM		
D05	Senior Prelim Test 1.2	1:28 PM
END 3:04 PM		



Ring 2:

	Warm Up for PSG	7:30 AM
D01	Primary Prelim Test 1.1	8:00 AM
MORNING TEA 9:12AM		
D01	Primary Prelim Test 1.1	9:20 AM
Warm Up for Inter 1		
D02	Primary Novice Test 2.1	10:32 AM
CHANGE OF JUDGES 11:04 AM		
D01	Primary Prelim Test 1.2	11:28 AM
BREAK 12:32 PM		
D01	Primary Prelim Test 1.2	12:40 PM
BREAK 1:36 PM		
D03	Intermediate Prelim Test 1.2	1:52 PM
Break 3:20 PM		
D03	Intermediate Prelim Test 1.2	3:28 PM
END 4:56 PM		

Ring 3:

D03	Intermediate Prelim Test 1.1	8:00 AM
MORNING TEA 11:04 AM		
D06	Senior Novice Test 2.1	11:36 AM
LUNCH 1:04 PM		
D09	Secondary Advanced 5.2	1:44 PM
D08	Secondary Medium Test 4.2	2:00 PM
D07	Secondary Elementary Test 3.2	2:32 PM
END 3:12 PM		

Ring 4:

D05	Senior Prelim Test 1.1	8:00 AM
BREAK 9:36 AM		
D05	Senior Prelim Test 1.1	9:44 AM
BREAK 11:04 AM		
D04	Intermediate Novice Test 2.1	11:28 AM
LUNCH 12:24 AM		
D02	Primary Novice 2.2	1:28 PM
BREAK 2:00PM		
D06	Senior Novice 2.2	2:16 PM
END 3:36 PM		

Dressage Gear check and ride times

- Please present to the marshal at the Rider Check In area 15 to 20 minutes before your ride time.
- All IQ dressage competitions are run in accordance with EA and FEI Rules. Please see <https://www.equestrian.org.au/Dressage-rules> for further information. Please don't wait until your ride time to ask about gear queries.
- In accordance with the applicable rules after each a dressage test, riders must immediately report to the steward for a compulsory gear check before dismounting, ensuring no equipment is altered beforehand. Failure to do so results in ELIMINATION.



- The draw allocates you a time for riding and you must ride at your published draw time. **Your Ride time is the time you should be riding up the centre line – not presenting to the marshal at the gate.**
- You cannot be required to ride before this time. However, if the horse prior to you is scratched and you are ready to ride, we kindly request that you consider riding early to keep the day moving smoothly.
- In this regard, in the case of scratchings, you may ride UP into a scratching but NOT down into one.
- Callers are permitted for this event



SUNDAY SHOW JUMPING – 8 FEBRUARY 2026

This IQ jumping competition will be run under EQ rules.

Course Walk 7:00am. Both rings start 7:30am sharp.

Grey shading in the table below denotes a height change and all parents and riders will be required to assist with changing the heights for the next class.

Unless advised otherwise on the day both rings will be riding to draw order – please read the draw carefully and present to the ring steward at least 15 minutes prior to your ride time. Please and make arrangements early if you are likely to be riding in different rings at the same time.

Ring 1 Run Order:

- RING 1 JUDGE - Guy Creighton
- 7:00am COURSEWALK / 7:30am START
- AM7 article 245.3

CLASS		HEIGHT
SJ01	Primary (Years 1-6)	50cm AM7
SJ02	Primary (Years 1-6)	60cm AM7
SJ10	Secondary Training (Years 7-12)	60cm AM7
SJ03	Primary (Years 1-6)	70cm AM7
SJ11	Secondary (Years 7-12)	70cm AM7
SJ04	Primary (Years 1-6)	80cm AM7
SJ12	Secondary (Years 7-12)	80cm AM7
SJ05	Primary (Years 1-6)	90cm AM7
SJ06	Intermediate Secondary (years 7-9)	90cm AM7
SJ08	Secondary (years 10-12)	90cm AM7
SJ07	Intermediate Secondary (years 7-9)	100cm AM7
SJ09	Secondary (years 10-12)	100cm AM7
SJ13	Secondary (Years 7-12)	110cm AM7
SJ14	Secondary (Years 7-12)	120cm AM7



Ring 2 Run Order:

- Ring 2 JUDGE - Anthony Murray
- 7:00am COURSEWALK / 7:30am START
- Special 2 Phase - Article 274.2

CLASS		HEIGHT
SJ04	Primary (Years 1-6)	80cm S2P
SJ12	Secondary (Years 7-12)	80cm S2P
SJ05	Primary (Years 1-6)	90cm S2P
SJ06	Intermediate Secondary (years 7-9)	90cm S2P
SJ08	Secondary (years 10-12)	90cm S2P
SJ07	Intermediate Secondary (years 7-9)	100cm S2P
SJ09	Secondary (years 10-12)	100cm S2P
SJ13	Secondary (Years 7-12)	110cm S2P
SJ14	Secondary (Years 7-12)	120cm S2P
SJ01	Primary (Years 1-6)	50cm S2P
SJ02	Primary (Years 1-6)	60cm S2P
SJ10	Secondary Training (Years 7-12)	60cm S2P
SJ03	Primary (Years 1-6)	70cm S2P
SJ11	Secondary (Years 7-12)	70cm S2P



IMPORTANT GENERAL INFORMATION RELEVANT TO BOTH DAYS OF COMPETITION

Event Stewards

Equestrian Australia Stewards Bronwyn Hew and Denise Wood will be on site for the duration of both days. All riders are required to follow any direction given by the Event Stewards.

Horse Health Declarations and Wrist bands are compulsory

Horse Health Declarations were required to be completed online on Nominate when you entered the event and hard copy Horse Health Declarations will also be required to be handed in before you compete.

<https://www.qld.equestrian.org.au/member-resources/biosecurity>

Wrist bands will be provided when you hand in your Horse Health Declarations. Riders will not be able to compete if they are not wearing their wristband.

Neither Stuartholme school or Figtree Pocket Equestrian Centre accepts any liability for any accident, damage, injury, illness to riders, spectators, horses, grounds or any other persons or property whatsoever in consideration of entries being accepted.

Helpers Roster

Interschool competitions cannot proceed without the help of everyone on the day. We are using a sign-up app for our event please follow the instructions and sign up to ensure you find a job that suits you: <https://signup.com/go/JoVMpHu>

Each rider must provide a helper for each class entry (maximum 3 jobs per family). Helpers must sign on **15 minutes prior to their rostered job** and remain for the full duration.

If a helper role cannot be fulfilled, the rider must arrange a substitute and notify the Stuartholme Equestrian Team.

Failure to complete helper duties may result in disqualification and forfeiture of placings and qualifying results. Please do not put the organising committee or your child in this situation.

In addition to sign-up roles, we will require assistance from **all competitors** with:

- dressage arena pull down
- show jump set up
- rail pick up and height changes

throughout the competition. Thank you in advance for your help.

Important Weather Notice

We are most likely going to experience warm weather, so please be prepared. Bring water buckets, ice, sponges, scrapers and ice boots for your horse where possible.

Don't forget a wide brimmed hat, sunscreen and water bottles for yourself. We will have cold drinks including water for sale in the canteen.



Reduce the duration of your warm ups and listen carefully for official announcements. Prioritise your horse at all times. EA Heat and Horse Welfare Policy will be adhered to.

Warm up location, management and facilities

Fig Tree Pocket Equestrian Centre is home to 20 horses and their families, so the yards we use for our event are their home. Respect the grounds and the agistees' property. There is no access to the cross country course beyond the yards.

Warm up

All disciplines will warm up on the grass area on the far side of the sand arena. Access the warm up area via the day parking. Please follow all instructions given by officials, use your common sense and ride safely at all times.

Please limit warm up times as appropriate for conditions.

Water for horses

There will be a large water trough at the warm up area. Please bring your own buckets and scrapers as needed and take water from the large trough to water horse and use as needed from your private bucket. *Please do not allow your horse to drink from the communal trough or put your equipment in the communal trough.*

Lunging and other areas

Lunging is permitted only in designated areas.

Food and drink (humans)

Full canteen will be available on both days offering breakfast, lunch, snacks and cold drinks. EFTPOS will be available.

Manure and Hay

All manure and hay must be picked up from the day parking, wash bays, yards and camping area. All areas are to be left spotless.

Bring an empty feed bag, fill it with your horse's waste and take it home for your garden. Please also try to take your human rubbish with you. Help us with this requirement.

Dress & Gear

Riders MUST ride in their school equestrian uniform.

Tagged helmets, that comply with Helmets of Australian Safety Standard 3838:1998 or EN 1384 or ASTN F1163, must be worn at all times while mounted. All tack and attire must comply with EQ and IQ rules. Helmet Tagging will be available across the weekend courtesy of Jo from Cavaleira Equestrian.

Please remember that it is a rider's (and parent's) responsibility to familiarise themselves with the rules under which they are competing, including saddlery and attire. Please refer to the IQ Handbook: <https://www.qld.equestrian.org.au/interschool>

Back protectors are optional but strongly recommended for showjumping.



Please refer to the draw for each horse-rider bridle number that is specific to our competition this weekend. This number is to be displayed on your horse's bridle or saddle cloth on both sides of the horse at all times. Horses that are camping overnight must have their competition number on their halter at all times when outside their stable.

Any person handling a horse must be safely and appropriately attired at all times. Please note that crocs and thongs are not considered an appropriate form of footwear when handling a horse.

Competition objections, disputes and general behaviour

Objections must be made within 30 minutes of the event giving rise to the objection and all objections, protests and appeals will be handled in accordance with the EA General Rules and EA Sport rules for the relevant discipline.

No competitors or parents or coaches are to directly approach any judges, stewards, course builders or any other officials or volunteers with disputes, complaints or queries.

We remind all riders and parents that this event is organised and run by volunteers. Any abuse, either by rider or parent aimed at a volunteer or official will not be tolerated.

When representing their school and whilst on competition grounds, all competitors must obey school rules and competition etiquette. Those who fail to do so risk elimination from the competition.

Damage to any third party by anyone at the competition will be the responsibility of the adult involved or the parents or guardians of those who cause any damage.

Enquiries & Scratchings

All enquiries are to be sent to StuartholmeQNominations@gmail.com.

There will be no refund for scratching after close of entries unless accompanied by veterinary/medical certificate and at the discretion of the OC.

Furthermore, there will be no refund after draw and helpers roster has been posted (camping and stabling will be refunded).

Finally no substitutions or changes to horse-rider combinations or classes following the publishing of the draw.

Dogs & Vehicles

Dogs are permitted but must be leashed at all times and are not permitted in warm-up areas.

Electric bikes, scooters, motorbikes, four-wheelers and other such vehicles are not permitted to be used on the grounds.

Stuartholme School, EQ and IQ accept no responsibility in relation to the use of vehicles on the grounds over the course of the competition. Vehicles are not permitted in competition or work areas.

Vet

Vet will be on call but the owner/rider of the horse will be obliged to pay for the service not Stuartholme School nor Stuartholme Equestrian Team.

Yards & Camping

You may only use a yard if you have booked and paid via Nominate.

Horses must be yarded in line with the published plan and horses yarded overnight must be Hendra vaccinated.

If you have booked powered camping, please ensure that your power lead is not a trip/safety hazard to horses and pedestrians.

Only vehicles transporting horses are to be parked in the grounds. Visitors' and family cars are to be parked on Fig Tree Pocket Road outside the grounds. There is ample street parking available.





Raffle and silent auction

We have a variety of fantastic items that will meet a range of interests and budgets. The silent auction will be open for the duration of the event with all items on display under the pop-up tent adjacent to the canteen. Drop in and place a bid – don't miss out! EFTPOS available.

We also have a huge range of raffle prizes. Raffle tickets to be purchased online with details provided on the day.

Photographers

Please support our photographers

- **Dressage:** Kalyoxer Photography (sisters Katie and Alyse) – please find them on facebook or instagram or <https://kalyoxerphotography.shootproof.com/>
- **Show Jumping:** Fiona Loggie Photography (<https://fionaloggiephotography.mypixieset.com>) and JRS Photography (<https://www.jrsphotography.com.au>) or @_jrsphotography on Instagram

Presentation

- Saturday: Presentation will be held at the end of competition in the area near the canteen, where ribbons and prizes will be awarded to placegetters in each class as well as overall placegetters and teams.
- Sunday: Ribbons will be awarded to riders at the conclusion of each class in the main arena. Presentation for overall placegetters and teams will be held at the conclusion of competition in the area near the canteen.

Note that it is an IQ requirement that all riders attend presentations. Requests for early departures must be submitted to the Organising Committee.

Finally, a huge thank you to our wonderful sponsors. Without them this event would not be possible.



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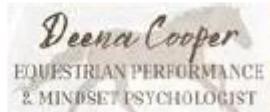
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