



# SYDNEY VAULTING GROUP COMPETITION & CLINIC

*Competition 12th-14th April 2024*

*Vaulter Clinic with Int Judge 15th April 2024*

*Sydney International Equestrian Centre*

## ***Closing Date***

✓ 11th March 2024

## ***Contact***

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Entries  
Via  
Nominate



**SVG OFFICIAL COMPETITION**  
**12<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

To be held at Sydney International Equestrian Centre Saxony Rd Horsley Park

Organised by Sydney Vaulting Group Inc, under EA National Vaulting Rules (1 Jan 2024)

- ENTRIES:** Entries **Open 21<sup>st</sup> February and close 11<sup>th</sup> March 2024** via Nominate website <https://www.nominate.com.au> Entries may be limited.
- ENTRY FEES:** Listed as per schedule, plus a Nominate processing of 5.5%.  
Administration Levy: \$80.00 per vaulter.  
Arm number refundable deposit: \$20.00 per vaulter via Nominate.  
Late entries: \$50.00 fee until Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024 via Nominate.
- REFUNDS:** Cancellation of the event due to unforeseen circumstances: class entry fees & Admin Levy (less any expended costs) will be provided. Nominate fee is not able to be refunded.  
  
Class refunds will only be considered after the close of entries accompanied by Doctor's and/or Veterinarian's Certificate. The administration levy will be retained by the organising committee.
- Enquiries:** Julia Dickens or Natalie Miskelly: [sydneyvaultinggroup@gmail.com](mailto:sydneyvaultinggroup@gmail.com)

**VAULTER CLINIC WITH INTERNATIONAL JUDGE**

A clinic will be held in the Conference Room at SIEC on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April for coaches, lungers, vaulters & parents to review the competition and discuss updates from the international judges. There will be the opportunity to have performance video feedback from the competition. Cost for the clinic is \$50.00

## CLASSES OFFERED

<b>CLASS</b>	<b>INDIVIDUAL CLASSES</b>	<b>ENTRY PER PERSON</b>
1	OPEN INDIVIDUAL	90.00
2	ADVANCED INDIVIDUAL	90.00
3	INTERMEDIATE INDIVIDUAL	75.00
4	NOVICE INDIVIDUAL	60.00
5	PRE-NOVICE INDIVIDUAL	60.00
6A	PRELIMINARY INDIVIDUAL - FRIDAY	60.00
6B	PRELIMINARY INDIVIDUAL - SATURDAY	60.00
6C	PRELIMINARY INDIVIDUAL - SUNDAY	60.00
7C	PRELIMINARY IND COMPULSORIES INTRODUCTORY	35.00
7F	PRELIMINARY IND FREESTYLE INTRODUCTORY	35.00
8C	LUNGERS CLASS - CANTER	40.00
8W	LUNGERS CLASS - WALK	40.00
9B	HORSE DEVELOPMENT - FRIDAY	20.00
9C	HORSE DEVELOPMENT - SATURDAY	20.00
9D	HORSE DEVELOPMENT - SUNDAY	20.00

<b>CLASS</b>	<b>PAS DE DEUX CLASSES</b>	<b>ENTRY PER PERSON</b>
12	OPEN PAS DE DEUX	30.00
13	INTERMEDIATE PAS DE DEUX	30.00
14	PRELIMINARY (A) PAS DE DEUX	30.00
15	PRELIMINARY (B) PAS DE DEUX	30.00

<b>CLASS</b>	<b>SQUAD CLASSES</b>	<b>ENTRY PER PERSON</b>
16	ADVANCED SQUAD COMPULSORIES	20.00
17	INTERMEDIATE SQUAD COMPULSORIES	20.00
18	PRENOVICE SQUAD COMPULSORIES	20.00
19	PRELIMINARY SQUAD COMPULSORIES	20.00
20	ADVANCED SQUAD FREESTYLE	20.00
21	INTERMEDIATE SQUAD FREESTYLE	20.00
22	PRELIMINARY SQUAD FREESTYLE	20.00

<b>CLASS</b>	<b>BARREL CLASSES</b>	<b>ENTRY PER PERSON</b>
23	PAS DE DEUX (A) BARREL	20.00
24	PAS DE DEUX (B) BARREL	20.00
25	BARREL SQUAD	20.00

## OFFICIALS:

Judges	International Judges and Tristyn Lowe, Robyn Bruderer
Competition Secretary	Natalie Miskelly
Stewards	Sarah Jones & Andrea Webb
Scorers	Karen Fraser & Dodi Rogan & Team
First Aid	Embrace First Aid
Music Coordinator	Ross "Grumpy" Andrews & Team
Announcers	Andrew Neilson & Team

## CONDITIONS OF ENTRIES

- Competition Eligibility – **Pending Horse Points** Vaulters are eligible to compete in:
  - a) Individual: One horse and one barrel class.
  - b) Squad: One squad compulsory class and one squad freestyle class and one barrel squad.
  - c) Pas de Deux: One horse and one barrel class
  - d) HC Entries welcome.
- Vaulting is an Inclusive sport. All vaulters with a disability are encouraged to compete in the class that they feel most comfortable. Athletes with a disability will need to indicate where appropriate on the Nominate entry to be considered for the AWD prizes, which will be awarded across all classes.
- Clubs are to supply their own team numbers.
- Each competitor must supply their own volunteer. In the event that a competitors' volunteer is an Official during the duration of the event, they may credit one other competitor with that volunteer.
- This SVG competition is a "Closed Event" and as such only members of SVG or EA members can enter. Vaulters are to be members of Equestrian Australia as per the [EA Membership Structure](#). If not, Vaulters are to become Associate members of SVG. Membership forms are available from Julia Dickens email [sydneyvaultinggroup@gmail.com](mailto:sydneyvaultinggroup@gmail.com)

## MUSIC

- Music for running in/out, compulsories and freestyle is to be submitted in mp3 format no later than **15<sup>th</sup> March, 2024**
- Each club to make their own Dropbox folder and share it with the email address: [sydneyvaultingmusic@gmail.com](mailto:sydneyvaultingmusic@gmail.com)
- Each club is to keep a separate copy of their files as the music co-ordinator may make changes or remove files from this dropbox.
- **NOTE: CHANGE TO NAMING MUSIC FILES - CLASS NAME/CLUB/SURNAME/FIRST NAME**  
The class name as per this schedule.

## CONDITIONS FOR CLASSES

- **Individual Official Classes will have all tests separated.**  
Open is 1 round / 3 tests: Compulsories, Tech Test, Freestyle.  
Advanced is 2 Rounds. Round 1: Compulsories & Freestyle. Round 2: Freestyle.  
Intermediate is 1 Round / 2 tests: Compulsories & Freestyle
- **Squad Freestyle Classes**  
Will be conducted as per 1.8.2 Australian Vaulting Rules 2024, as per FEI Rules.
- **Preliminary Individual Class**  
A Preliminary individual horse class is being offered each day. Vaulters can enter the day that suits their schedule.  
Their first day will be competitive. On subsequent days, they may enter HC, if the class is oversubscribed, priority will be given to the competitive entrants and HC entries will be waitlisted in order of entry.
- **Pas de Deux Classes will be split.**  
Pas de Deux A combinations previously scoring 6.0 or higher.  
Pas de Deux B combinations previously scoring up to 6.0.  
New Pas de Deux combinations are encouraged to start in the level best suited to their ability.
- **Horse Development Class**  
Only one vaulter needs to enter the horse. Additional vaulters may vault if required.  
Maximum time per horse is 3 mins.  
General judge comments will be given.  
No scores will be given.  
No prizes will be awarded.  
Horse Development may be offered all days of the competition.
- **Lunger Classes**  
Lungers must nominate the horse to be lunged and complete a competitor entry via Nominate.  
The Admin Levy will apply.  
Judging will be based on the horse score component of FEI/AVR rules (A3 score sheet used).  
Lunger must enter, salute, put the horse on a circle, trot a circle then walk or canter (depending on class entered) the horse for one minute, halt, salute and then exit. The timing commences after the completion of the trot circle. Lungers may have a person run in to assist with the whip.
- **Barrel Classes**  
The Organising Committee will nominate the judge approved barrel. No other barrels will be used.
- Horse points as per the current Australian Vaulting Rules. Horse Development is 1 point.
- Placings: Ribbons to 6<sup>th</sup> for all events (except horse development class).
- Individual Classes may be split by age, however split horse classes will run in as if one class.

**The Organising Committee reserves the right to change or amend the schedule and split classes.**

## TIMETABLE FOR CLASSES

A timetable of the scheduled classes for each day can be found on the [Great Southern CVI Website](http://www.greatsoutherncvi.com.au/cvi--svg-competition-info.html)  
<http://www.greatsoutherncvi.com.au/cvi--svg-competition-info.html>

## CODE OF CONDUCT

Vaulters and officials must observe the EA Code of Conduct.

Officials, coaches, lungers and spectators to set their mobile phones to silent mode.

All children must be under the supervision of an adult.

Competitors must comply with any instruction given by officials and/or organisers of the event.

Unsportsmanlike behaviour will not be tolerated from competitors or spectators.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Start time: 8.30am each day with Horse Development.

The Competition Secretary will be available from 7.30am to advise of any scratchings.

Any changes to the draw need to be advised by 5pm Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April 2024 .

Team Managers meetings will only be initiated if required, anytime throughout the event.

CVI Competitors may also enter the SVG Competition

- **Procedure for changes to the Draw.**

Any alterations to the Draw must be received by Wednesday prior to the competition, including the order of horses and the order of the vaulters on each horse. Every effort will be made to accommodate requests to ensure competitors have adequate time between classes. However competitive entries will take precedence over HC entries.

- **On the day of competition:**

Changes may be made prior to the start of the class and may only be due to vaulter or horse welfare.

Changes that involve the grade entered will only be accepted if the competitive entry would have been able to enter that grade at the time of entry.

Any requests to change must be notified to the O/C via Secretary

The O/C reserves the right to decline any changes.

If the change is accepted by the O/C then the Secretary will notify the Steward, Announcer, Marshall & Judges and Scorers via the official communication method.

- **HC Entries:**

Only a competitor can choose to enter a class HC, ie. "non-competitively".

If the O/C declines a change or an addition, then competitor may request to enter HC.

HC entries must meet qualification requirements for any classes entered.

## VENUE INFORMATION

### SIEC STABLING AND CAMPING:

The Great Southern CVI & SVG Competition are working with ENSW to provide availability for the duration of CVI through to the ENSW Interschools on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> April 2024.

- **Stabling:**

Stables are available from Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April to Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> April, if staying for Interschools event.

Stables are available at \$40 per day with an additional \$80 payable for the first day to cover the cost of the 5 bales of shavings included in the stable hire.

Additional bales are available at \$16 per bale. If required, the additional bales will be placed in the appropriate stable(s).

Stable Bond: Refundable equipment and cleaning bond of \$100 per stable required.

Stables will be allocated after receipt of entries. On leaving the stable, you will need to obtain an inspection to be eligible for your bond refund, which you will receive via Nominate post event.

Please bring your own wheelbarrows, rakes and brooms.

Lockable tack rooms may be available at \$20 per day (bring your own padlock). Limited availability between Sydney Competition and Interschools.

- **Day Parking:**

For any horses not using the stables (e.g. floating on a daily basis and tethering the horse to the float) there will be a 'per day stay' charge of \$16 per horse per day.

**Enter via Nominate under a separate booking to any stabling requirements.** Please indicate the number of horses on a per day stay on the appropriate days.

ONLY trucks and floats not staying overnight (day parking) need to park in P7 - check SIEC website for plan offsite. License plates will be recorded daily.

- **Camping:**

Camping for a powered site will cost \$45 per night/day and available from Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April to Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> April. Limited sites will be available to Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> April, based on distance from venue. Refunds will be provided for unsuccessful bookings.

**Campsites must be vacated by 10am on day of departure.**

When booking a camp site, please indicate whether you need space for a truck/float/caravan/tent as this makes allocation of sites easier.

If hiring a caravan, please indicate on entry form so that site can be allocated, and the lessor advised of the site number for delivery purposes.

- **Cabins on site:**

Limited cabins are available from Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April to Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> April. Cabins contain two single beds, heater and locker. Supply your own linen, pillows & blankets. The cost is \$50 per night.

**Cabins are available from 2 pm on day of first booking and must be vacated by 10 am on day of departure.** Priority will be given to those attending for the duration of the event and distance from venue. Fees will be refunded if booking is unsuccessful.

No cooking is allowed in the cabins. These facilities are available in the Mess Hall.

There will be a refundable bond of \$50 per cabin which will be refunded after the cabin has been checked by the campsite manager that it has been left clean and tidy and the key is returned.

- **Refunds & Bonds:**

All refunds & bonds will be distributed via Nominate post event. Any unsuccessful accommodation bookings will be refunded prior to the event.

## **ADDITIONAL ACCOMODATION & AGISTMENT PRIOR/POST & DURING THE EVENT**

Visit the Great Southern CVI website for more accommodation options.

<http://www.greatsouthern cvi.com.au/accommodation.html>

## **ENTRIES VIA NOMINATE**

- **Website for Nominate Entries for Vaulting:** [www.nominate.com.au](http://www.nominate.com.au)

Select Equestrian / Vaulting / Events / SVG April Competition.

Contact NOMINATE for assistance: (07) 3118 9555

- **“CLUB” ENTRY**

All EA Clubs and Independent Teams are responsible for providing correct information. Horse/Lunger details and Squad Reserves must be advised via the “Club” Entry Process

ENSW are no longer issuing physical Horse Registration Papers. An electronic copy of horse registrations may be uploaded to the “club” entry process prior to assist your horse entry.

Electronic Horse Registrations entered via Nominate will be provided to the Officials for use at the Event.

- **“VAULTER” ENTRY**

Competitors are responsible for entering the correct classes.

Refunds are available until the final closing date for incorrect classes entered.

Changes during the late entry timeframe may incur a fee.

All changes after final entries are closed will incur a fee.