

COMPETITOR SCHEDULE

1. SHOW DETAILS

Date:	26 May 2024
Venue:	Wesburn Park Warburton Hwy, Wesburn 3999 Victoria
Denomination of event:	Official Competitive (EA and FEI competitions)
Entries close:	16 May 2024
Late Entries:	19 May 2024

Documents under which this show is conducted (the following should be consulted prior to the event):

- EA Dressage Rules (2024 Edition)
- FEI Dressage Rules (26th Edition)
- EA General Regulations 2023
- EA Social Media Policy
- EA Gear Annex

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2. PROGRAM OF EVENTS

Tour		Tests
01	Preliminary	1-1 and 1-3
12	Novice opting for freestyle test	2-1 and N FS
13	Novice opting for 2-3	2-1 and 2-3
14	Elementary opting for freestyle Test	3-1 and E FS
15	Elementary opting for 3-3	3-1 and 3-3
16	Medium opting for freestyle Test	4-1 and M FS
17	Medium opting for 4-3	4-1 and 4-3
18	Advanced opting for freestyle Test	5-1 and A FS
19	Advanced opting for 5-3	5-1 and 5-3
10	Children Preliminary	Ch Prel A and Ch Prel B
11	Pony Riders opting for Freestyle test	P Team and P FS
12	Pony Riders opting for Individual Test	P Team and P Ind
13	Juniors opting for freestyle test	J Team and J FS
14	Juniors opting for individual test	J Team and J Ind
15	Young Riders opting for Freestyle	Y Team and Y FS
16	Young Riders opting for Individual	Y Team and Y Ind
17	U25 Grand Prix - Grand Prix Freestyle	GP 16-25 and GP FS
18	CDN1* opting for Intermediate I	PSG and Int I
19	CDN1* opting for Intermediate I Freestyle	PSG and Int I FS
20	CDN2* Intermediate A - Intermediate B	Int A and Int B
21	CDN2* Intermediate II - Grand Prix	Int II and GP
22	CDN3* Grand Prix - Freestyle	GP and GP FS

3. STARTERS

Due to limited starting slots, there is a strict limit of fifty (50) horses for the Event. Horses competing in higher level events will have priority in starting positions.

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STARTERS (CONTINUED)

A list of reserve Horses will be made according to order of submission of entry, and athletes who withdraw will be replaced by riders from the reserve list up to twelve (12) hours prior to the first competition.

Athletes who withdraw after the close of entries and up to twelve (12) hours prior to the first competition will be refunded for half their entry fee on the condition they provide written notice to the Organising Committee. Athletes who withdraw within twelve (12) hours of the first competition must have a valid reason to do so or risk elimination from any competitions they have already competed in and a fine of up to \$50 which must be paid prior to competing at future Melba Equestrian Club events.

4. FEES

Entry Fee per horse (2 tests):	Members	\$60.00
	Non-members	\$70.00
Admin Fee:		\$15.00
Yard Hire per day (offered to members first):		\$10.00
Late Entries surcharge:		\$30.00

5. OPTING

All athletes at the same level will compete in the same qualifying test. Where there is a freestyle and normal test available at the level, Athletes must, at time of entry, decide whether they wish to compete in the normal test or the freestyle for the Final test.

6. PRIZES AND PRIZE-GIVING

Rosettes will be awarded to third place in each competition.

It is mandatory for the top three (3) Athletes in each competition to present for the prize-giving ceremony directly after the last horse in the competition.

Failure to present to the steward within six (6) minutes of the last horse's start time will result in immediate elimination from the competition. Athletes who have a start in another competition within 20 minutes of the prize-giving ceremony may apply for an exemption to this requirement.

7. FREESTYLES / SOUND CHECKS

All music must be submitted via horsesporttechnology.au/uploads before 6 AM on the day of the Event.

Athletes competing in Freestyle Competitions may present unmounted for a sound check at 7 AM on the morning of the competition.

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8. VOLUNTEERS

This show aims to provide the cheapest possible entries for Athletes. Therefore volunteers are essential for the competition to be able to run. All athletes are requested to volunteer to scribe for one competition - one (1) to one and a half (1.5) hours.

9. NOMINATION / ENTRIES

All nominations must be made through the [Melba Equestrian Club Entry Form](#) and must include the Athlete, Horse and Primary Horse Owners Name, Address and EA Numbers.

10. ATHLETE ACCOMMODATION

Non-powered camping may be available on the show grounds with prior notice.

Athletes are welcome to book their own accommodation, please note that there are no guarantees as to the availability of horse facilities near to the venue.

The following facilities are located nearby:

- Doon Reserve Caravan Park
200 Doon Rd, Yarra Junction 3797
- Warburton's Hip Mid-Century Motel
4 Donna Buang Rd, Warburton 3799
- Buttercup Hill
9 Leila Rd, Warburton, Victoria 3799 Australia
- Warburton Lodge
18 Park Rd, Warburton 3799
- Alpine Hotel Warburton
3340 Warburton Hwy, Warburton 3799
- BIG4 Yarra Valley Park Lane Holiday Park
419 Don Road, Healesville 3777