



# THE COMMONWEALTH CLYDESDALE HORSE SOCIETY Victorian Branch Inc.

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## JUNIOR PRESENTATION AWARD

Royal Melbourne Show, Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2010  
Preparation Judging commences 12:00pm  
Final Judging on Main Arena  
8 to 14 years – 3:30pm; 15 to 17 years – 3:45pm

### Aim

To encourage young handlers in the art of horsemanship and showmanship

### Conditions

- Entry **FREE**
- There will be two age group sections
  - ages 8 to 14 years inclusive
  - ages 15 to 17 years inclusive
- Prizemoney : 1<sup>st</sup> \$20, 2<sup>nd</sup> \$15, 3<sup>rd</sup> \$10
- Each competitor will receive a medallion (*kindly donated by A&Y Clarke, Jika Farm*)
- The overall winner will receive the Denzildon Perpetual Trophy (*kindly donated by D&D Stewart*)

### Judging

- The event will be judged on a points system
  - 30 – Preparation of Horse (washing, plaiting, grooming)
  - 10 – Appearance of Handler
  - 30 – Presentation of Handler & Horse
  - 30 – Arena Skills (handling, ringcraft, parading)
- Entrants must be suitably dressed (e.g. Neat and clean attire; shirt with or without tie, jacket or jumper, trousers or jodhpurs, boots, hat optional).
- No outside assistance should be given unless in event of difficulties.

### Rules of Entry

1. The competitor is to prepare a Clydesdale horse as they would present it for showing, without the physical assistance from other parties
2. Competitors are to wash, plait and prepare a horse in the designated area and time allotted under the Judges supervision.
3. Competitors must present a Clydesdale that has been entered and competed in the Led Clydesdale section of the Royal Melbourne Show.
4. Stallions and Colts are ineligible.
5. Each competitor may only show one horse.
6. An appointed adult will be allocated to steward or oversee each entrant.
7. Entrants will be expected to walk and trot their horses as requested.
8. Horses used will not be judged on conformation in this class