

Warwick Show & Rodeo Society Inc.

48th PRIME CATTLE
HOOF & HOOK
COMPETITION SCHEDULE

29 SEPTEMBER – 2 OCTOBER 2010

Entries close 4pm Friday 17 September 2010



All classes will be processed at John Dee Warwick with public viewing at approximately

11.30am on Saturday 2 October 2010.

The cattle from these classes will be purchased by John Dee Warwick Pty Ltd.

CHIEF STEWARD Mr W A Gross

STEWARDS Messrs R Bondfield, J Box, J Browne, B Cory, A Gross,
H Gross, D McIvor, W Schelbach, J Waltisbuhl,
G Whitton, C Pavey, B Shelley

JUDGES

Hoof Classes Mick McMahan, Kilcoy
Hook Classes Warren Stiff, John Dee Warwick Pty Ltd

JUDGING

Hoof Classes Warwick Municipal Saleyards
Thursday 30 September 2010 at 8.00 am
Hook Classes John Dee Warwick Pty Ltd

CARCASS VIEWING

All Classes John Dee Warwick Pty Ltd
Saturday 2 October 2010 at 11.30 am

The Prime Cattle Committee extends its sincere appreciation to the buyers.
Without their support this competition would not be possible.

A banner will be awarded to the Agent obtaining the greatest number of entries
in this Hoof & Hook Prime Cattle Competition.

The Prime Cattle Committee wishes to thank all Sponsors, who have contributed to the success of this competition.

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ANZ Bank
Austasia Animal Products Pty Ltd
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Warwick Credit Union
Warwick Freighters & Ag Services
Warwick Livestock Selling Agents
Warwick Watchmakers and Jewellers

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

*The decision of the Stewards on all matters pertaining or incidental to the competition shall be final and conclusive and binding on all nominations for the competition. In addition, the Committee reserves unto itself the right at any time, without being liable, for any loss or damage which may be sustained, to alter or postpone the date of the competition or cancel the same, or to change the venue of the Competition. **Every care will be taken of the Exhibits, but the Society will not be responsible for any damage, accident, loss or death.***

CONDITIONS

1. Open to all breeds or cross breeds of cattle.
2. Entries close at 4pm in Friday 17 September 2010. Late entries will not be accepted under any circumstances.
3. Feeding restrictions as per schedule must be strictly adhered to.
4. There will be no refund of any entry fee.
5. The Warwick Show and Rodeo Society Inc is acting only as agent for the buyer and is not liable for any money owing by the buyer.
6. Entries to be bona fide property of the exhibitor at least three months prior to the date of judging.
7. **Cattle must be at the Warwick Municipal Saleyards by 3.00pm Wednesday 29 September 2010 when they will be weighed. Exhibits must be accompanied by a Declaration as to the age (number of teeth) of the Exhibits. Stewards reserve the right to mouth all prize winners. This rule will be strictly enforced.**
8. Late arrivals will not be accepted.
9. **Only poll or de-horned cattle not showing any re-growth in excess of 3cm with no sharp edges, are eligible to compete in this competition.**
10. All cattle must arrive at the Saleyards tagged with special eartags in the **NEAR SIDE EAR**, provided by the Society, according to entry number in the catalogue.
11. All cattle must be penned by the owner or representative. All cattle will be weighed and entries may be moved into a class with the correct weight range. NO LATITUDE will be allowed where cattle exceed 700kg live weight.
12. Ear tag numbers of beasts will correspond with numbers in the catalogue. Pens of three (3) will be numbered A,B,C. The exhibitor must nominate breeds to correspond for identification.
13. Stewards may use their discretion and refuse any entry. Before being accepted the purchasers have the right to reject unsuitable cattle (including under-finished and over-finished) after which accepted cattle must be slaughtered.
14. All cattle will be purchased by John Dee Warwick Pty Ltd on a price grid that will be available before close of entries.
15. All cattle must be fitted with a NLIS device and accompanied by National Vendor Declarations (LPA edition 1) and for all grainfed stock a National Feedlot Accreditation Scheme Docket must be completed.
16. Judging on the Hoof will commence at 8.00am sharp on Thursday 30 September 2010.
17. Cattle will be transported to the works on Thursday 30 September 2010, processed and exhibited there.
18. The carcass is to remain the property of the buyer but the Warwick Show & Rodeo Society Inc. will retain the right to exhibit the carcass for the period of the competition.
19. Carcasses will be available for inspection at John Dee Warwick Pty Ltd at approximately 11.30am on Saturday 2 October 2010.
20. Stewards reserve the right to limit entries to the first 150 head.
21. Classes 1 and 2 will be limited to the first 20 entries in each class.
22. The results of the Hoof judging will not be taken into consideration when the carcass is being judged.
23. A freshly erupted tooth will be counted.
24. **All entries must be nominated through a member of the Warwick Livestock Selling Agents Association.**

CLASS CRITERIA

POINT ALLOCATION SYSTEM FOR CLASSES 1 - 8

25 points	allocated to carcass muscularity (20 points for rib eye area in proportion to HSCW) (5 points for muscle score/butt shape profile)
15 points	allocated for P8 fat depth – optimum 10-15mm for classes 4 to 8 and 8-13mm for class 3
15 points	allocated for 10/11 th rib fat depth – optimum 10-15mm for classes 4 to 8 and 8-13mm for class 3
10 points	allocated for fat distribution
5 points	allocated for intramuscular fat colour – 0-5 for class 4, 0-4 for classes 5 & 6, 0-3 for classes 7 & 8 (carcass rejected from class if out of range)
10 points	allocated for meat colour – 1b-4 for classes 4 to 6, 1b-3 for classes 7 & 8 (carcass rejected from class if out of range)
5 points	allocated for meat texture and firmness
15 points	allocated for marbling

Class 1 to 4 – Subcutaneous fat colour = 0 – 7 (carcass rejected from class if out of range)

Class 5 to 8 – Subcutaneous fat colour = 0 – 5 (carcass rejected from class if out of range)

Competitors please note – All classes are subject to price deductions on a grid basis.
Entries will be purchased on the John Dee Warwick Pty Ltd grid system.

CLASS 1

ENTRY FEE

\$30.00 including G.S.T.

SINGLE STEER OR HEIFER – UNRESTRICTED FEEDING

Light Domestic Trade suitability

250 – 350 kgs live weight – NO latitude

No permanent teeth

Optimum finish Rump Measurements 6 – 10 mm

Good evenness of fat over carcass

Limit of 1 entry per exhibitor. Total entries limited to 20 in Class 1.

CLASS 2

ENTRY FEE

\$30.00 including G.S.T.

SINGLE STEER OR HEIFER – UNRESTRICTED FEEDING

Domestic Trade suitability

355 - 395 kgs live weight – NO latitude

No permanent teeth

Optimum finish Rump Measurements 6 – 10 mm

Good evenness of fat over carcass

Limit of 1 entry per exhibitor. Total entries limited to 20 in Class 2.

PRIZE VALUE – EACH CLASS

HOOF	1 ST \$250.00	2 ND \$150.00	3 RD \$100.00
HOOK	1 ST \$500.00	2 ND \$300.00	3 RD \$200.00

**CHAMPION HEAVY WEIGHT, DOMESTIC TRADE & GRAINFED CARCASS
RECEIVE \$1000.00 CASH EACH**

Competitors please note that some prizes will be in the form of
Sponsors' vouchers or product

CLASS 3

ENTRY FEE \$30.00 including G.S.T.

SINGLE STEER OR HEIFER – UNRESTRICTED FEEDING

Heavy Domestic Trade suitability

400 - 445 kgs live weight – NO latitude

No permanent teeth

Optimum finish Rump Measurements 8 – 13 mm

Good evenness of fat over carcass

CLASS 4

ENTRY FEE \$30.00 including G.S.T.

SINGLE STEER – UNRESTRICTED FEEDING

Hotel & Restaurant Trade suitability

450 - 600 kgs live weight – NO latitude

No more than TWO (2) permanent teeth

NOTE : Classes 1 – 4 are unrestricted feeding but GRASSFED RATES apply

CLASS 5

ENTRY FEE \$30.00 including G.S.T.

SINGLE STEER OR HEIFER – GRAIN FED ONLY FOR 70 DAYS MINIMUM

450- 600 kgs live weight – NO latitude

No more than TWO (2) permanent teeth

Must have accompanying NFASDD

CLASS 6

ENTRY FEE \$30.00 including G.S.T.

PEN OF 3 STEERS OR HEIFERS – GRAIN FED FOR 70 DAYS MINIMUM

450- 600 kgs live weight – NO latitude

No more than TWO (2) permanent teeth

Must have accompanying NFASDD

CLASS 7

ENTRY FEE \$30.00 including G.S.T.

SINGLE STEER OR HEIFER – GRAINFED ONLY FOR 100 DAYS MINIMUM

Japanese Chilled Beef suitability

605 - 700 kgs live weight – NO latitude

No more than SIX (6) permanent teeth

Must have accompanying NFASDD

Minimum Eye Muscle Area = 55cm² (carcass rejected from class if below minimum area)

Optimum carcass weight = 300kgs to 380kgs

CLASS 8

ENTRY FEE \$30.00 including G.S.T.

PEN OF THREE STEERS OR HEIFERS – GRAINFED ONLY FOR 100 DAYS MINIMUM

Japanese Chilled Beef suitability

605 - 700 kgs live weight – NO latitude

No more than SIX (6) permanent teeth

Must have accompanying NFASDD

Minimum Eye Muscle Area = 55cm² (carcass rejected from class if below minimum area)

Optimum carcass weight = 300kgs to 380kgs

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HOOF TROPHY AWARD

Champion Single Steer or Heifer on the Hoof
selected from Winners of Classes 1, 2, 3 & 4
Sash & Trophy donated by Warwick Watchmakers & Jewellers

HOOF TROPHY AWARD

John Dee Warwick Pty Ltd
Champion Grainfed Steer or Heifer
selected from Winners of Classes 5, 6, 7 & 8
Sash & Trophy donated by John Dee Warwick Pty Ltd

HOOK TROPHY AWARD

Champion Domestic Trade Carcass
selected from Classes 1 & 2
Sash & Trophy donated by Lyons Street Butchery

HOOK TROPHY AWARD

Champion Heavy Weight Carcass
selected from Classes 3 & 4
Sash & Trophy donated by Warwick Livestock Selling Agents

HOOK TROPHY AWARD

Champion Grainfed Carcass
selected from Classes 5, 6, 7 & 8
Sash & Trophy donated by Southern Downs Regional Council

FRED COY MEMORIAL TROPHY

*Highest point scoring Local entry selected from Class 1 & 2 on the Hook
Exhibitor must reside within Southern Downs Regional Council boundaries*

DAVID CORY TROPHY

*awarded to the Exhibitor with the highest aggregate of points from the first three placings
in all classes on the hoof and on the hook*

Warwick Credit Union Carcass Luncheon

The Warwick Credit Union and the Prime Cattle Committee extends an invitation to all interested parties to attend the Carcass Luncheon to be held at the Condamine Sports Club, Palmerin Street, Warwick at 12.30pm on Saturday 2 October 2010 for the presentation of trophies.

*Ticket cost \$25.00 per adult
Guest Speaker – Stan Wallace*

R.S.V.P. to The Secretary, Warwick Show & Rodeo Society Inc. on (07) 4661 9060
by Monday 27 September 2010 or complete the space provided on the entry form.
