

The Lockyer Equestrian Group  
presents



Ipswich

# Brenda Wittmann Classic

2 Star Regional Championship

Lockyer Indoor Equestrian Centre &  
Gatton Showground  
Woodlands Road, Gatton

Preliminary to Grand Prix

Entries open via  
[www.nominate.com.au](http://www.nominate.com.au)

at midnight,

**31 March 2019**

Entries close midnight,

**17 April 2019**

*Entries for this event through nominate only.  
Other forms of entry or HC requests will not be  
accepted.*

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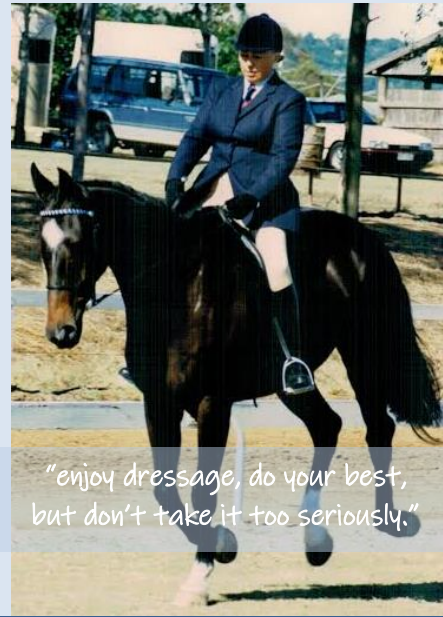
The lady herself.  
Brenda Wittmann

The Brenda Wittmann Classic is an event in recognition of the Brenda's contribution to the Lockyer Equestrian Group.

She loved dressage and loved her horses. Always encouraging and helping whether on the committee, behind the scenes or with the heavy lifting. Brenda was able to offer advice, especially to the younger members. Her impish sense of humour no doubt played a part in her choosing Bold Personality (the ring-in for Fine Cotton) as her last mount.

Her death many years too early devastated her husband Max, her four boys and all those who knew her.

We would encourage you while taking part in this event at whatever level you may compete to live by the philosophy that Brenda espoused that is:



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PROPOSED SCHEDULE OF COMPETITION			
SATURDAY 11 <sup>TH</sup> May 2019		SUNDAY 12 May 2019	
EA COMPETITIONS			
Preliminary B	<b>DRB Floats</b> <b>Champion Preliminary</b>	Novice B	<b>Benchmark Hanoverians</b> <b>Champion Novice</b>
Preliminary C		Novice C	
Pony Prelim B	<b>ELD</b> <b>Champion Preliminary Pony</b>	Pony Novice B	<b>NRG team</b> <b>Champion Novice Pony</b>
Pony Prelim C		Pony Novice C	
Elementary B	<b>DRB Floats</b> <b>Champion Elementary</b>	Medium B	<b>Sevenoaks Farm</b> <b>Champion Medium</b>
Elementary C		Medium C	
Advanced B	<b>Horse Fashion Australia</b> <b>Champion Advanced</b>	<b>Para tests by request</b> – requested test to be stated on entry	
Advanced C			
FEI COMPETITIONS			
Inter I		Prix St Georges	
<b>The Yamanto Pool and Spa Care Small Tour Champion</b>			
Inter B		Inter A	
<b>The Equestrian Land Developments Medium Tour Champion</b>			
Grand Prix		Inter II	
<b>The Bang for your Buck Horsegear Big Tour Champion</b>			
FEES			
<b>EA Championship</b>	\$100 (2 tests)	<b>FEI Test</b>	\$70ea
<b>First Aid Levy</b>	\$10/rider	<b>Admin &amp; Facility fee</b>	\$30/entry
<b>Stables</b>	\$25/stable	<b>Stable Bond</b>	\$50/stable
<b>Camping</b>	\$20/night/vehicle	<b>Raffle tickets</b>	\$5ea or 3/\$10

~ Saturday Night Social Event ~

Pizza, Punch and Promenade

### Trivia Challenge

General Knowledge – Dressage knowledge – Arts, Music and Movies –  
Science & Tech – Australiana

Teams of four – Register with your nomination - 100 Questions to Brainiac Glory!  
Test your skills in the arena and out!

## EVENT INFORMATION

**Timetable** is subject to change at the discretion of the organising committee and relative to entries received.

**Draw** A copy of the Draw/Start list will be emailed to competitors and posted on the Facebook event page after the close of entries.

**Prizes** for competitions will be cash and/or equivalent value of goods/vouchers. Prizes will not be posted. All award winners are to be present to receive prizes

**Prizes** to third place in all competitions

**Competitions** Ribbon or Rosette to 6<sup>th</sup> place

**Champions** – Sash, Rug and **Precision Equine** pack for each Champion

**Presentation** all riders are to present for award presentation in full ridden attire

### CHAMPIONSHIP AWARDS

*\*\*Please note that the Championship awards will be calculated as per rule 3.19\*\**

#### EA Championships

Preliminary, Novice, Elementary, Medium, Advanced

#### EA FEI Championships

SMALL TOUR - Prix St Georges & Intermediate I

MEDIUM TOUR – Intermediate A & Intermediate B

BIG TOUR - Intermediate II and Grand Prix

**Adult Amateur Owner Rider** - Rosettes 1st to 6<sup>th</sup>, Supported by **Horseland Gold Coast**

**Youth Rider** – Rosettes 1st to 6<sup>th</sup>, Supported by **Arnage Warmbloods**

**Para Equestrian** – Ribbons or rosettes to 6<sup>th</sup> place

**Outdoor** arenas - The OC will ensure the outdoor footing is suitable at the required level

**Arena surfaces** – all FEI classes will be competed indoors, all EA classes will be conducted on the outdoor sand arenas unless otherwise noted in the final program/draw. Competitions may commence from within the arena on confirmation from the C Judge. This decision will be notified at least 30 minutes prior to the commencement of the competition.

**Stabling** must be booked and paid for with entries.

Stable cost is \$25/stable per 24 hour period, (i.e. if you arrive Friday afternoon and leave Sunday afternoon you pay for 2 days).

A copy of the stable plan allocation will be sent out with the official draw. Bedding is supplied on the grounds and in the stables in the form of sawdust. Stables **MUST** be left in a clean state prior to departure and all manure and hay must be removed and placed in the areas designated not left in laneways. A stable bond of \$50/stable is required to be paid with entries and the owner of any stable left unclean at the end of the event will incur a loss of bond.

**Camping:** Onsite powered camping is available throughout the grounds. Camping must be booked and paid for with entries and will NOT be allocated but available on a first in first served basis.

**Catering** will be available at the competition venue on Saturday and Sunday.

#### Off-venue Accommodation:

- Rooms Motel  
33 Lake Apex Drive Gatton  
07 5462 1111
- Gatton Motel  
74 Railway St, Gatton QLD  
07 5462 1333

The LEG committee would like to extend its sincere thanks to Dressage Queensland, Officials, Competitors and Crew – without whom a 2\* does not exist.

A most special thanks is extended to our generous sponsors.

*Horseland Ipswich, Equestrian Land Developments, Horse Fashion Australia, Precision Equine, DRB Floats Yamanto Pool and Spa, Sevenoaks Farm, Benchmark Hanoverians, NRG Team, Braid-Up Photography*

It's a big ask to support events like this, and yet here they are.

*Thank you*

## CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

### ALL COMPETITORS

It is the riders' responsibility to know the rules under which they compete

1. **Rules:** This event will be conducted under the current EA Dressage Rules, subject to any amendments or inclusions.

2. **Official Competitive event:** Horses/Ponies must be registered with a current competition licence, and riders must be full competitive financial members of, Equestrian Australia (EA) in their State of residence, or if not Australian, with their respective national federation. Owners of horses must be current EA members of at least supporter category.

3. **Rider Age Limit:** Riders on horses may compete from the beginning of the year in which they turn 10. Riders on ponies may compete from the beginning of the year they turn 8.

4. **One horse, one rider:** Each horse/pony entered must have the same rider as nominated on the entry form for all competitions at the Championships. Any change of rider from the rider nominated on the entry form, must be notified as per rule 4.2a.

5. **No Substitution** of Horses/Ponies after the close of entries except with approval of the OC – refer to rule 4.2b.

6. **Eligibility of horses/ponies:** Horses/ponies may only compete in two consecutive levels at the event but no more than three tests may be ridden on a single day. Horses/ponies must compete at their graded level or higher. Horses/Ponies competing PSG or above can enter and compete in no more than 2 FEI level tests per day and no more than 2 consecutive levels. A horse which competes in PSG may only compete in one Advanced level test on the same day – refer to 4.8.1d.

7. **Horse ID numbers:** All Queensland dressage horses have been allocated an Identification number. This number must be quoted on the entry form. If required, interstate horses will be allocated a temporary horse identification number and the rider will be required to supply their own equipment for this. All horses must wear their identification number at all times when out of the stable - refer to 4.8.5

8. **Balloting:** All competitions are limited to 35 competitors. This may be reduced at OC discretion. The OC will not divide competitions, but instead will be balloting based on scores achieved, for each horse at each level entered, in the 12 months preceding close of entries. Preference will be given to riders entering both tests at a level. A minimum of one official competitive score for each level entered must be supplied, horses will be balloted based on descending order of scores, entries which supply no official score for balloting will be placed on the bottom of the list in order of entries received. If more than 35

entries are received for any one competition a reserve list will be issued with the draw and these riders will be advised as places become available. Riders on the reserve list who scratch prior to the start of the event or who do not receive a start in the competition will receive their entry fees for that level back in full.

9. **Refunds Competitions:** Entry fees will not be refunded after the closing date of entries unless a medical or veterinary certificate is produced within 24 hours of the completion of the event. In such cases the organising committee reserves the right to retain up to 50% of the entry fees. Entry fees will be refunded in full for scratchings before the closing date and for riders on the reserve list who are not offered a start in a competition. The administration fee will not be refunded under any circumstances after close of entries.

10. The Organising Committee reserves the right to accept and/or reject entries.

11. Incomplete entries or entries without a PIC number included will not be accepted.

12. Stallion owners must abide by the EA Stallion Safe Practices Rules and Regulations. As suitable stabling is available LEGS requires that **ALL STALLIONS MUST BE STABLED** throughout the event and stables must be booked and paid for with entry.

13. **Helpers.** As an event of this size cannot be run without assistance, LEG requests that all competitors nominate on their entry form a job they (or their nominated helper) would be able to volunteer to undertake during the event when they are not riding should the need arise.

14. **Amateur Owner:** Riders who are eligible (as per rule 4.6.1) for Amateur Owner division prizes must nominate this on the horse entry form.

15. Para Entries: must nominate the Para grade on entry

16. **GST information:** Lockyer Equestrian Group Inc is not registered for GST and no GST has been charged in entry fees.

17. **Statement of Liability:** Neither the Organising Committee of any competition to which these rules apply, or the EA, accepts any liability for any accident, damage, injury or illness to horses, owners, riders, grounds, spectators or any other person or property whatsoever.

#### 18. **WELFARE OF THE HORSE –**

CODE OF CONDUCT Refer to Rule 1.2 of the EA Dressage Rules. All those involved in this event must comply with this rule.

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