

SECTION A – CATTLE

HEAD STEWARD: Aaron Johnson 0409 238 288

STEWARD: Bob Coles and Philip Clarke

MAJOR SPONSORS: Alpine Motor Group, Monbeef & WFI

Entry fee: \$5 per exhibit, no charge in inter-beef breed classes

Entries: Entries will be accepted on the morning of the show. However, it would be appreciated if attending exhibitors could notify the head steward of their intention to compete by **Wednesday March 11 2026**.

Special By-Laws for Cattle Entries

1. All exhibits must be penned by 9:30am on the day of the show, ready to be judged.
2. Exhibitors must arrange for either themselves or attendants to be available to present the cattle to the judge.
3. Age of cattle to be the actual age at **February 28 2026**.
4. Entries to be registered with respective breed societies.
5. All entries in stud section must be led.
6. Bulls over the age of 12 months being paraded must have a nose ring.
7. Cattle entered in all classes must be TB and CAB free.
8. All ribbon winners must take part in the parade of champions, if conducted.
9. Classes may be changed on the day of the show at the discretion of the stewards.
10. Cooma Showground is a protected Bovine Johnes area and any breeder wanting to exhibit from a lower status area must blood test their show team within six months of the current show, if they are two years or older. If they are under two years, their dam must be blood tested. If cattle come from a herd in the Johnes MAP, a copy of current certificate must be forwarded to previous exhibitors.
11. Exhibitors entering calves under six months do so at their own risk.
12. **NLIS:** All cattle brought onto the showground must be identified with an NLIS device before leaving their property.
13. **No cattle will be permitted to leave the showground before 3:30pm unless with the express permission of the head steward.**
14. All cattle exhibited must be accompanied by a negative PI test for Pestivirus. No cattle will be permitted on the showground without supporting documents. For more information, contact the head steward.
15. Any breed exhibiting more than 20 head may apply to the cattle committee to have that breed judged in its own sections. Otherwise all cattle will be judged as an interbreed competition.

LED CATTLE CLASSES

1. FEMALE, under 12 months.
2. FEMALE, 12 months and under 16 months.
3. FEMALE, 16 months and under 20 months

JUNIOR CHAMPION & RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE

HAZELDEAN PASTORAL CO TROPHY – JUNIOR FEMALE CHAMPION OF THE SHOW (Open to junior champion females from any class. No reserve award. To be won three times in succession or five times in all.)

4. FEMALE, 20 months and under 2 years.
5. FEMALE, 24 months and under 30 months.
6. FEMALE, over 30 months.

SENIOR CHAMPION & RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE

KALUDAH HEREFORDS SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE OF THE SHOW.

COTTAGE CREEK PAST CO. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE OF THE SHOW.

7. BULL, under 12 months
8. BULL, 12 months and under 16 months.
9. BULL, 16 months and under 20 months.

JUNIOR CHAMPION & RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL

HAZELDEAN PASTORAL CO TROPHY – JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL OF THE SHOW (Open to the champions from any class. No reserve award. To be won three times in succession or five times in all.)

10. BULL, 20 months and under 2 years.
11. BULL, 24 months and under 30 months.
12. BULL, over 30 months.

SENIOR CHAMPION & RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION BULL

MONBEEF SENIOR CHAMPION BULL OF THE SHOW

GEORGE HAIN MEMORIAL TROPHY – GRAND CHAMPION BULL OF THE SHOW.

GROUP CLASSES

1st prize 3 points, 2nd prize 2 points. No points unless two or more exhibits in class

13. TWO BULLS, bred by the exhibitor, under 2 years. Trophy donated by Yarradale Poll Hereford Stud.

14. TWO FEMALES, bred by the exhibitor, under 2 years, Trophy donated by Yarradale Poll Hereford Stud.

15. ELDERS RURAL SERVICES COOMA – SIRES PROGENY GROUP. Both sexes to be represented, to consist of three head to be bred by the exhibitor and to be by the one sire. Trophy donated by Elders Rural Services Cooma

16. GUNYAH STUD – BREEDERS GROUP. Both sexes to be represented, to comprise three head bred by the exhibitor. Wendy Hain Memorial Trophy and \$50 prize money donated by Gunyah Stud.

17. RH & JJ SEEARS CHAMPION COW AND CALF, both cow and calf to be represented.

18. SUPREME BEEF BREED EXHIBIT - RR JOHNSTON MEMORIAL TROPHY.

LED STEER

19. VEALER LED STEER

20. TRADE LED STEER

MONBEEF CHAMPION LED STEER

NUNGAR PLAINS SANTA GERTRUDIS RESERVE CHAMPION STEER

21. BENDOC PARK POLL HEREFORD PARADERS' COMPETITION. Will be held subject to numbers. Open to competitors under 25 years of age.

22. BILLILINGRA TROPHY – MOST SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITOR IN CATTLE SECTION. Donated by Billilingra Poll Hereford Stud.

Thank you to our valued sponsors: Alpine Motor Group, Monbeef, WFI, Agriwest Cooma, Abbey Animal Health, Monaro Livestock and Property, Bendoc Park Poll Herefords, Nutrien Ag Solutions, Elders Rural Services Cooma, Nungar Plain Santa Gertrudis Stud, Kaludah Herefords, Gunyah Hereford Stud, South East Rural Supplies and Yarradale Poll Herefords.

Perpetual trophies to remain the property of the Cooma P&A Association.

Beef Cattle Paraders – Group 6 Final Competition

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Sponsored by Bendoc Park Poll Herefords

Competitors must be 13 years and under 19 years of age on May 1st 2026 to compete in the State Final Championships at the 2026 Royal Easter Show.

Competitors over 19 years and under 25 years can enter the Open Cattle Paraders in Sydney and competitors must lead a bull at any age.

Each group final will be allowed to select from 3 to 10 finalists, depending on the number of entrants in the group final.

Paraders may lead a steer, heifer, or bull under 20 months. Paraders must be neatly attired, and males expected to wear a tie. Shorts and thongs not permitted.

This competition is designed to select the parader who has prepared, presents, and parades an animal before a judge most effectively.

Entry form and score sheets available on show day.