



SYDNEY INTERNATIONAL THREE DAY EVENT



25th–28th April 2019

Sydney International Equestrian Centre

2019 Australian Young Event Horse Championships

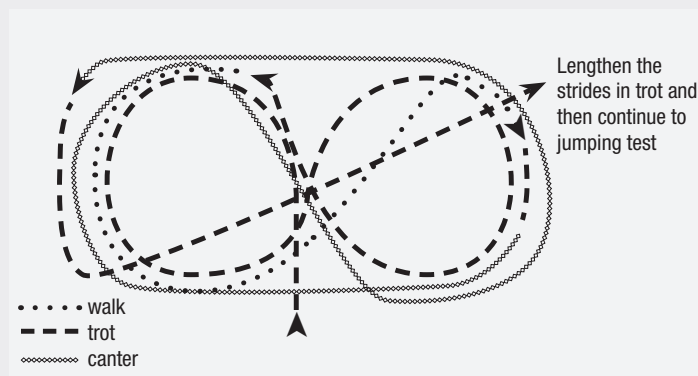
The Australian Young Event Horse Championships gives owners and breeders the opportunity to showcase the potential of their four, five and six year-old horses while encouraging them to produce good quality event horses for the future.

Young horses will be asked to complete a test that demonstrates the 3 phases: Dressage, Jumping and Cross Country. The ultimate goal of the Young Event Horse Classes is to choose the young horse that possesses the talent and mind set, and who with proper training, will excel in the uppermost levels of the Eventing world.

The Judges are looking for potential for the future. They are looking for an athletic, elastic moving horse with a promising jumping technique that, with correct training, will develop physically and mentally into a strong upper level mount. The horse's conformation and movement should enable them to withstand the demands of the sport in terms of soundness, speed and stamina. Lack of quality and other defects which may prevent them being fast enough will be penalized, even though he/she may make a nice dressage or show jumping horse.

The class will take place over one day and the winner of each age class will be asked to return to the main arena in the afternoon to award The Australian Young Event Horse Champion.

Judging format for 4, 5 & 6 year old Young Event Horse



Jumping Heights

80cm for the 4 Year Old (born Aug 2014 to Jul 2015)
90cm for the 5 Year Old (born Aug 2013 to Jul 2014)
1.00m for the 6 Year Old (born Aug 2012 to Jul 2013)

GEAR REGULATIONS

Bits are at the rider's discretion, however harsher bits may negatively affect the overall impression.
NO hind kick up boots. Boots will be checked before entering the arena

Present to the judges

Conformation Judging

Complete Flat work

Trot away from judges
Circle left 20 m
Circle right 20 m
Complete circle and transition to walk.
Medium walk, free walk across the diagonal, medium walk. Return to R circle and trot on
Canter right and continue straight
Change of lead at centre (rider's choice)
Canter left and continue straight
Transition to trot 1/2 20m circle and lengthen the trot on the diagonal in front of the judges

Immediately commence jumping test

Numbered course of showjumps and cross country obstacles

Galloping

Upon completion of the jumping test use the whole arena to show the horse's galloping ability

Return to trot and then walk and proceed to the jumping section