

Survey Results from 2007 Australian National Arabian Championships

The Board wrote to the 318 Exhibitors at the 2007 Championship and received responses from 94 Exhibitors, a response rate of 30%.

The survey results are summarised below. The responses generally rated the show well overall and the new initiatives were well received. The three major areas of concern appear to be: Stabling Management, (mainly concerned with Stable Monitor's) Ground Facilities Food & Beverage, (mainly relating to choice, quality and price) Derivative Halter Classes (mainly relating to grouping of ages and sex). There was a noticeable drop in support for the Championships to be rotated (down 30%). The Board will take into account the survey results when considering the Venue and Program for 2008.

<u>CHAMPIONSHIPS SURVEY</u>	<u>POOR</u>	-	<u>AVERAGE</u>	-	<u>EXCELLENT</u>	
2007	1 to 3	%	4 to 7	%	8 to 10	%
<u>QUESTIONS</u>						
1. RATE THE SHOW	1	1.06%	24	25.53%	69	73.40%
2. OFFICE EFFICIENCY	1	1.06%	12	12.77%	81	86.17%
3. STABLING ALLOCATION	6	6.38%	32	34.04%	56	59.57%
4. STABLING MANAGEMENT	12	12.77%	36	38.30%	46	48.94%
5. GROUND FACILITIES TOILET & CAMPING	1	1.06%	29	30.85%	64	68.09%
6. GROUND FACILITIES FOOD & BEVERAGE	10	10.64%	41	43.62%	43	45.74%
7. RING DECORATIONS & PRESENTATION	0	0.00%	25	26.60%	69	73.40%
8. USE OF TWO RINGS RATHER THAN ONE	8	8.51%	34	36.17%	52	55.32%
9. DERIVATIVE HALTER HORSE PROGRAM	10	10.64%	44	46.81%	40	42.55%
10. YOUTH PROGRAM	2	2.13%	22	23.40%	70	74.47%
11. PUREBRED HALTER HORSE PROGRAM	2	2.13%	29	30.85%	63	67.02%
12. PERFORMANCE HORSE PROGRAM	3	3.19%	31	32.98%	60	63.83%
13. AMATEUR PROGRAM	3	3.19%	27	28.72%	64	68.09%
14. SHOULD AMATEUR OWNER CLASSES BE HELD ON ONE DAY	17	18.08%	8	8.51%	69	73.40%
15. SHOULD AMATEUR OWNER HALTER CLASSES USE THE THREE JUDGE SYSTEM	21	22.34%	6	6.38%	67	71.28%
16. SHOULD CHAMPIONSHIPS ROTATE	21	22.34%	22	23.40%	51	54.26%
17. SHOULD THE PARADE OF PAST CHAMPIONS BE CONTINUED	15	15.96%	0	0.00%	79	84.04%
18. SHOULD THE FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER BE CONTINUED	10	10.64%	8	8.51%	76	80.85%
Total	143	8.45%	430	25.41%	1119	66.13%

If you have any further comments about the 2007 Championships please send them to:

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