

BELL SHOW CAMPDRAFT 2026

Sunday 1st March

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BELL COMMITTEE MAIDEN CAMPDRAFT

Start Time: 8am or immediately after the conclusion of the Challenge - Sunday 1st March 2026

Competition: One Round + Final

Nomination Fee: \$60

Competitors: 13 Years and over

Restrictions: Three (3) Runs per Competitor

Total Prize Money: \$1500

Final Prize Money (1st \$300, 2nd \$270, 3rd \$240, 4th \$195, 5th \$165, 6th \$135, 7th \$105, 8th \$90)

1st place receives a service fee to Youngstar Marnies Duke, donated by Youngstar Stud - Rick Young.



- Nominations via Campdraft Central www.campdraftcentral.com.au – Open Thursday 12th February at 8am for 48 Hours
- Nominations processed once closed and not accepted until notification received.
- Full payment for nominations must be received by 24th February.
- Unpaid nominations will be cancelled after this date.
- Direct deposit to Bell Show Society Campdraft - BSB 638070, A/C 13632906. Payments without reference (Reference number on Invoice) **will not be accepted**.
- **No changes** will be accepted after the draw is posted, other than scratching's.
- All competitors must complete the below forms for all horses on the grounds and be handed in at the Bell Secretary Box prior to competing.
 - **Bell Campdraft Horse Health Declaration Form 2026**
 - **Bell Show and Rodeo - Waiver for Horse and Ring Events.**
- Campdraft Program is a **Non-ACA Affiliated** event and insured by the Bell Show Society.
- The Committee reserves the right to refuse entries without any reason.
- All “**RULES AND REGULATIONS**” published in the 2026 Bell Show Program and Bell Show Society Facebook Page apply to all Horse and Ring events.

Thank you to our very generous cattle donors. Without them the draft wouldn't happen.

We ask competitors to please look after the cattle that have been kindly donated for our event.

Medical Services provided by – Queensland Ambulance Service

Fireworks will be featured on Saturday Night – Please take responsibility for your animals.

CONDITIONS:

1. The Bell Show Campdraft is a sport run by volunteers of the Bell Show Society, as a committee, we ask that all competitors treat all our volunteers with respect. The Bell Show Society reserves the right to refund nomination fees and ask any competitor to leave the Bell Show Grounds who is found by the committee to be behaving in an inappropriate manner towards any of our volunteers.
2. The Bell Show Campdraft Committee reserves the right to alter or amend the program in any way whatsoever and if required close nominations earlier, due to possible shortage of cattle or weather events.
3. All events to be conducted under the rule of the Qld Chamber of Agriculture Societies and the Bell Show Society where each applies.
4. All competitors compete at their own risk. Each competitor must acknowledge that it is a condition of acceptance of their nomination that neither the Bell Show Society Inc nor the Western Downs Regional Council will be responsible for any injury, loss, or damage.
5. **Helmets:** Riders under the age of 18 must wear helmets whilst mounted on a Horse. Helmets must comply with current Australian and New Zealand safety standards and must be securely fastened under the chin at all times.
6. **Scratching:** A 100% refund of the nomination fee will be given if the competitor withdraws more than 96 hours (4 days) prior to 8am on the first morning of the program. If a competitor withdraws less than 96 hours (4 days prior to 8am on the first morning of the program), then the entire nomination fee may be retained by the committee. If the committee deems that extenuating circumstances apply, then a refund may be granted. Each case will be at the discretion of the committee.
7. **Horse Status:** The status of a horse winning a campdraft will be determined by the highest class of horse that competes, except for Juniors, Juveniles and Encouragement Campdrafts. The winner attains the status of the highest class of horse participating (e.g., if one Open Horse competes then it is classed as an Open Draft)
8. **Status Breaking:** Running a status breaking event, rider and/or horse may break status.
9. **Stallions:** All Stallions are to be retained in accordance with ACA Rule 11.11
10. **Complaints:** Any competitor who wishes to lodge a complaint must lodge the complaint in writing with the Secretary of the Bell Show Society Campdraft Committee within one hour of the incident taking place. A fee of \$20 (cash only) must be lodged with the complaint. If the complaint is dismissed by the Committee, the \$20 is forfeited.
11. In the case of any exotic animal disease outbreak occurring prior to or during the Campdraft, all equine animals must remain at the Bell Showgrounds and abide by the DPI rulings and guidelines at that time. All costs incurred are to be borne by the competitor and in no way is the Bell Show Society Inc. liable for the expenses in the case of a lock-down.
12. More information contact David Thornberry – 0429 877 732 or Email: bellcampdraftsecretary@gmail.com



YOUNGSTAR STUD

Goose Neck Hitches Australia

Downs Livestock Services

BELL CAMPDRAFT HORSE HEALTH DECLARATION 2026

Please complete this form and hand into the secretary's office the day of arrival.

Competitor's name/s and person/s in charge of Horses:

Names:				
Address:				
Phone Number:		Email:		
Property of Horse Origin: (Property Name & Address)				
PIC Number:				
Number	Breed	Description/Sex	Brand/Microchip #	Horse Name

Add extra Horses over the page if more than 8 Horses.

Arrival Date at Bell Show Grounds:		Expected Departure Date:	
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Declaration by owner or person in charge of horse/s

I, _____ declare that the horse(s) named above has/have been in good health, eating normally and not shown signs of illness during the last 3 days leading up to the Bell Campdraft. I give my authorisation for the designated Committee Member to call for veterinary inspection of the horse/s named above, and in my care, should they be showing signs of illness at any time during the course of the event. I agree to pay any veterinary fees incurred as a result of this.

I AGREE TO ENSURE THAT:

1. If required before movement, all horses will be shampooed, rinsed and allowed to dry with hooves picked cleaned and washed.
2. All vehicles and equipment accompanying the horse/s should be in a clean condition at the start of travel to the Bell Campdraft.
3. The information contained in this Horse Health Declaration is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.
4. I agree to abide by all conditions and directions of Bell Campdraft Committee.
5. I acknowledge that failure to comply with the above may result in refusal of entry to the venue, disqualification or other disciplinary action as decided by the Judiciary/Disputes Committee.
6. In the event of Horse movement restrictions, each participant will be responsible for the care, maintenance and cost of their Horse/s including feeding and watering.

Signature: _____ Name: _____ Date: _____



BELL SHOW AND RODEO

WAIVER FOR HORSE AND RING EVENTS

I, _____

Please print name in full

As a condition of entry to the Bell Showgrounds, I hereby acknowledge that I ride at my own risk or my children ride at their own risk and that I am aware that the activities involving horses can be hazardous and that the Bell Show Society Inc accepts no responsibility or liability for any injury or loss that I/we might sustain as a direct consequence of the activities of the competition whether such injury is a consequence of any act or omission by the Bell Show Society Inc or its servants, agents, representatives or volunteers.

On the basis of these conditions, I hereby indemnify Bell Show Society Inc against any liability arising as a result of my negligence (or the negligence of my servants or agents), in respect of any injury, loss or damage (including property damage) occurring as a result of such negligence, to the fullest extent permitted by law but only to the extent that they are not already indemnified or insured.

I declare that both my horse/s, my saddlery and myself are in sound condition and undertake this competition with knowledge of the physical demands that this competition requires.

I consent to receiving any medical treatment, including ambulance transportation that the event organisers think desirable during or after the event.

I acknowledge that the safety precautions undertaken by the event organisers (such as course inspection, pre-event safety briefings), are a service to me and other competitors but are not a guarantee of safety.

I certify that I am 18 years or older and read this document and fully understand it.

Rider, _____ Date: _____

Please sign here

As a parent or guardian of competitor/s who are under the age of eighteen years (18 years), I agree to the above for myself and on behalf of my child/children. I indemnify and will keep indemnified all people and corporations with the conduct of the event on the term referred to.

Parent/Guardian, _____ Date: _____

Please sign here

68th Annual



Saturday 28th February 2026

BELL SHOW AND RODEO

Sunday 1st March 2026

Section A 2 – STOCK HORSE CHALLENGE

Chief Ring Steward: Maree Frame 0429 400 487

Nomination Secretary: Dave Thornberry 0429 877 732 bellcampdraftsecretary@gmail.com

Livestock Superintendents: Don McNamara & Winston McNamara

NOMINATIONS: All nominations via Campdraft Central www.campdraftcentral.com.au

Open Thursday 12th February at 8am for 48 hours only.

PROCESSING: You will be notified if your nomination is successful. Payment must be received by 24th February. Unpaid nominations will be cancelled after this date.

PAYMENT: Direct Deposit to Bell Show Society Campdraft – BSB 638 070 Account: 1363 2906

Reference: your Campdraft Central USERNAME NAME.

STARTING TIME: Led work starting at 8am Saturday 28th February

Wet work for Open and Intermediate competitors – Sunday 1st March – starting at 6am

FORMS: All competitors must complete a **Biosecurity Horse Health Declaration**, and **Waiver and Indemnity Form** for all horses on the grounds, whether competing or not. Forms are attached and can also be found on our website. All forms must be signed on the day of entry and handed in to Bell Campdraft Secretary Box prior to commencement of your Horse Challenge. Non-compliance may mean that your horse may not compete at the Bell Show.

Fireworks will be featured at the 2026 Bell Show on Saturday 28th February 2026.

Please take responsibility for your own animals.

All Rules and Regulations of the Bell Show Society must be adhered to can be found at www.bellshowandrodeo.com.au.

HORSE AND RING REGULATIONS:

In the case of any exotic animal disease outbreak occurring prior to, or during the show, all equine animals must remain at the Showgrounds and abide by the Biosecurity Qld DAFF rulings and guidelines at that time. All costs incurred are to be borne by the exhibitor and in no way is the Bell Show Society liable for expenses in case of lock-down.

The Chief Ring Steward shall have the final say in all decisions regarding the event and entrance into events. The Chief Ring Steward has the ability to alter or remove any event in the Bell Show Schedule

All persons shall pay for admittance to the show the sum prescribed, unless otherwise provided with a Pass from the Secretary.

All colts and stallions, 2 years of age and over, must be shown with a bit in the mouth and a safe head stall and lead. Stallions must be controlled by a person 18 years of age or over.

Competitors are advised to bring their own panels or appropriate fencing to secure their stock if camping over-night. No horses to use cattle yards for penning prior to or during the show.

Suitable attire and footwear must be worn in the ring. Singlets, thongs and similar attire are not permitted. No young children/prams allowed in the ring. Children under 18 years must wear helmets.

Stewards and Officials have the right to evict any entry in the Horse Ring which may appear to be ill, is of questionable soundness or is acting in an unsafe and uncontrollable manner. The Show Society reserves the right to reject any nomination without explanation. Horses deemed unfit or unsafe will be asked to retire from all further events.

Bell Show Society recommends competitors have their own current public liability policy if showing animals.

Exhibitors are not to transport any horse showing signs of illness onto the Showgrounds or knowing these animals have been in contact with other horses which have contracted any illness/disease prior to the event.

Immediate disqualification for ANYONE riding in the show ring the day before, and the day of the show, before events start. The pony club grounds will be available to exercise your horses.

To be eligible for Pony Club prizes, riders must be financial members of the Bell Pony Club for 2026.

To be eligible for Australian Stock Horse Society prizes, horses must be registered with the ASHS for 2026.

The Challenge Drafts will drop a peg, therefore your horse will NOT lose its Maiden Status.

14. Any horse may enter an Open event. Excluding futurity horses, who can only compete in the Futurity.
15. A rider in the Open and Intermediate classes can only ride a total of three (3) times in the day (ie 3 different horses). Competitors will be numbered and expected to ride in that order. Competitors must have completed the first four (4) phases to be eligible to compete in the Draft on Sunday.
16. Juvenile riders may either compete as a Juvenile (and have two rides) or as an Intermediate (and have 3 rides), but cannot compete in both Challenges.
17. Junior riders can only ride once.
18. Outside assistance is not allowed. Disqualification may occur.

PATTERNS AND TRIALS: [ASHS Pattern Book Revised June 2025](#)

'CAMS AGRICULTURAL GROUP' OPEN STOCK HORSE CHALLENGE

NOMINATION FEE: \$60 per horse
PRIZEMONEY: \$1800
5 EVENTS: LED - Judges discretion WP10
 UP2
 WET WORK - Draft held Sunday morning



'MORGAN PASTORAL COMPANY' INTERMEDIATE STOCK HORSE CHALLENGE

NOMINATION FEE: \$60 per horse
PRIZEMONEY: \$1500
5 EVENTS: LED - Judges discretion WP3
 UP1
 WET WORK - Draft held Sunday morning



'RMS MECHANICAL' FUTURITY

13 years and under at time of show
 Start Time 1pm

NOMINATION FEE: \$60 per horse

PRIZEMONEY: \$500

EVENTS: LED - Draft Horse
 WET WORK - Draft

Futurity horses must not have competed in any other events other than Futurity Challenges or Futurity Campdrafts.

'DARLING DOWNS STOCK HORSE SOCIETY' JUVENILE STOCK HORSE CHALLENGE

13 years and under 18 years at the time of the show

NOMINATION FEE: \$15 per horse - Limit 2 horses

PRIZEMONEY: \$500

4 EVENTS: LED - Judges discretion WP1
 UP1 Mechanical Cow



'BARTLETT FAMILY' JUNIOR STOCK HORSE CHALLENGE

12 years and under at time of show

NOMINATION FEE: \$15 - Limit 1 horse

PRIZEMONEY: \$200

4 EVENTS: LED - Judges discretion
 UP1 U #



'U8J CATTLE CO.' SUPREME LED CHALLENGE HORSE

PRIZEMONEY: \$100

Open, Intermediate, Juvenile and Junior Stockhorse Led Class Winners Eligible



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The committee reserves the right to adjust run limits or change the program should nominations be excessive.

Under no circumstances can you use the two big arenas to exercise your horses. See Rule 10 above.



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