

7-12 JULY 2026 / CLONCURRY EQUESTRIAN CENTRE

2026 OFFICIAL PROGRAM

NOMINATIONS INFO

Campdraft nominations through CampdraftONE - www.campdraft.com.au

Challenge nominations through Campdraft Central - www.campdraftcentral.com.au

Nominations open at 6:00am on 15th June 2026 for 48hrs.

Nominations must be paid by 28th June 2026.

A copy of waybills must be handed in to secretary's office on arrival. PIC QJCR0243

Camping: There are limited powered sites available.

We highly suggest packing your own generator. Reserved fences are to be erected by committee only.

Jo Thieme Photography is the Official Event Photographer; no other professional photography to be conducted during our event.

Jo Thieme
PHOTOGRAPHY

PRESIDENT:
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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. Campdraft program is ACA Affiliated & run in accordance with the General Information Competition Rules & Guidelines. Challenge program is ASCA Affiliated & run in accordance with the "ASCA Rules and Regulations 2025 V 1.2.
2. Riders under the age of 18 must wear helmets whilst mounted on a horse at all ACA affiliated events. Helmets must comply with current Australian and New Zealand safety standards and must be securely fastened under the chin at all times. All ages are permitted to compete in open age drafts unless otherwise specified on the program.
3. The Cloncurry Stockman's Challenge & Campdraft Committee is GST registered. All nominations include GST, a taxinvoice is issued online at time of nomination. For all prizemoney an ABN or hobby declaration is required and anyone wishing to collect GST on prizemoney will need to present a tax invoice with ABN to the Secretary. Failure to produce Tax Invoice will result in Prizemoney exclusive of GST. Prizemoney is GST exclusive. All Prizemoney will be deposited directly into competitor's nominated bank account unless otherwise advised. Please provide details when nominating.
4. A 100% refund of the nomination fee will be given if the competitor withdraws more than 168 hours (7 days) prior to 8:00am on the first morning of the program. If a competitor withdraws less than 168 hours (7 days prior to 8:00am on the first morning of the program), then the entire nomination fee may be retained by the committee. If the committee deemsthat extenuating circumstances apply, then a refund may be granted with a stock levy of \$15/run retained by the committee. Each case will be at the discretion of the committee.
5. The status of a horse winning a campdraft will be determined by the highest class of horse that competes with theexception of Juniors, Juveniles, Ladies, Mens, Old Buffers, Associates and Encouragement campdrafts. The winner attains the status of the highest class of horse participating (eg if one Open horse competes then it is classed as an Open draft).
6. Your ACA membership number must be provided otherwise your nomination will not be processed for all campdraft events.
7. All changes (ie run order, rider substitution and horse substitution) must be in hands of Secretary AT LEAST ONE HOUR before the start of the draft (earlier if possible). Any changes made after the event starts will require a donation fee to the RFDS.
8. Any competitor who wishes to lodge a complaint must lodge the complaint in writing with the Secretary within 1 (one) hour of the incident taking place. A fee of \$100 must be lodged with the complaint. If the complaint is dismissed by the committee the \$100 is forfeited.
9. All prizemoney as per ACA Guidelines R9.
10. All horse movement papers to be submitted to the Secretaries Box.
11. Medical services provided by QEM Medical Solutions.



*Message from the Minister for
Environment and Tourism
and the Minister for Science
and Innovation*



THE HON. ANDREW POWELL MP

It is my pleasure to welcome you to all to the 2026 Cloncurry Stockman's Challenge & Campdraft, an event that celebrates the energy and diversity of Cloncurry.

The Queensland Government is proud to support the Cloncurry Stockman's Challenge & Campdraft through Round 2 (2025) of Tourism and Events Queensland's Homegrown Fund, which backs events developed in our state and helps connect them with the unique destinations they call home.

Homegrown events play an important role in showcasing new ideas, celebrating culture, and creating memorable experiences for visitors, all while contributing to Queensland's vibrant and diverse events calendar. Beyond the Cloncurry Stockman's Challenge & Campdraft, there is so much to see and experience in Cloncurry.

I encourage visitors to take the opportunity to explore the area and enjoy the wide range of tourism opportunities that Queensland has to offer.

I want to congratulate the organisers and all those involved in delivering the Cloncurry Stockman's Challenge & Campdraft for their outstanding efforts and playing a vital role in Queensland's dynamic Homegrown events sector.



2026 PROGRAM TIMETABLE

***SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

	Time	Peter Abdy Arena	Time	Merry Muster Arena
TUESDAY	6:00AM	Vet Check Classic	6:00AM	Encouragement Challenge Dry Work
			10:00AM	Classic Challenge Dry Work
WEDNESDAY	11:00AM	Open Challenge Wet Work	6:00AM	Rookie Challenge Dry Work
	12:30PM	Encouragement Wet Work		
	2:30PM	Rookie Challenge Wet Work		
	5:00PM	Classic Challenge Wet Work		
	6:30PM	STATE OF ORIGIN		
THURSDAY	6:00AM	Novice A Draft	6:00AM	Juvenile Challenge Dry Work
			8:00AM	Open Challenge Dry Work
	1:30PM	Juvenile Challenge Wet Work		
	3:00PM	Open Draft 1st Rnd – 1st Half		
	7:00PM	Bareback Cut -Out		
	7:30pm	CALCUTTA - CLASSIC CHALLENGE FINALISTS		

BAR OPENING HOURS: 11AM-11:59PM
DRINK TICKETS ARE ONLY FOR PURCHASING DRINKS AT THE BARS.
EFTPOS AND CASH ARE WELCOME.

ORIGIN ON THE BIG SCREEN WEDNESDAY NIGHT
MEET N GREET BBQ THURSDAY NIGHT IN SUPPORT OF RFDS

	Time	Peter Abdy Arena	Time	Merry Muster Arena
FRIDAY	6:00AM	Open Draft 1st Rnd – 2nd Half		
	11:00AM	Novice A Draft - FINAL	9:00AM	Rookie Challenge Dry Work Final
	11:45AM	Rookie Challenge Wet Work Final		Open Challenge Dry Work Final
		Open Challenge Wet Work Final	1:00PM	GRAND PARADE
				Encouragement Challenge Dry Work Final
				Classic Challenge Dry Work Final
	4:00PM	Encouragement Challenge Wet Work Final		
		Classic Challenge Wet Work Final		
		STOCKMANS CHALLENGE PRESENTATIONS		
	6:00PM	Restricted Open Draft		
	8:00PM	Slotted Draft		

SATURDAY	6:00AM	Open Draft 2nd Rnd	8:00AM	Junior Challenge
	8:30AM	Futurity Draft	10:00AM	Mini Challenge
	10:30AM	Juvenile Draft	10:30AM	Mini Draft
	11:15AM	Junior Draft		
	1PM	Ladies Draft		
	4:15PM	Open Draft Final	7:30PM	RODEO
SUNDAY	6:00AM	Novice B Draft	9:00AM	GYMKHANA
	10:00AM	Novice B Draft Final		



CHALLENGE EVENTS



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All Challenge competitors must be current financial members of ASCA.

****For further description on eligibility for all challenge events please refer to ASCA Website:
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CURLEY CATTLE TRANSPORT CLASSIC STOCKMANS CHALLENGE

**\$50,000 Prize Money. Nomination \$500 including GST.
Two phases and Final. No Clean Slate Final. Final pays to 10th place.**

As per ASCA Rules and Regulations and followed by Cloncurry Stockman's Challenge Regulations.

- **1st Place:** Quart Pot Trophy donated by committee, Lindsay Whiteman whip, Trophy Buckle donated by Ridetuff Buckles, Product Prize Pack donated by Stance Global, Stocklick Trading, Gidgee Eyewear and ten bags of Riverina Feed.
- **Dry Work Preliminary Phase:** Paid to 4th place. 1st place will receive a Bevs Bag sponsored by Outback Auctions and five bags of Riverina Feed.
- **Wet Work Preliminary Phase:** Paid to 4th place. 1st place will receive Bevs Bag sponsored by Western Appliances and five bags of Riverina Feed.
- **Highest Cut-Out** to receive a bridle donated by Jodie Wall and five bags of Riverina Feed.
- **Rising Star Award:** Hand-crafted saddle donated by Mick Connolly.
- **Most Successful Breeder:** Trophy donated by Boonara Performance Horses.
- **Highest Scoring Colt:** Select Sires Marketing Package
- **Highest Scoring Mare:** Kneipps Ransom service fee
- **Highest Scoring Local:** prize sponsored by McMillan Pastoral
- All Finalists receive a shirt donated by Thomas Cook Boot & Clothing Co and matching tie/ scarf.

DURACK CIVIL LIMITED CLASSIC STOCKMANS CHALLENGE

Run in conjunction with Curley Cattle Transport Classic Stockman's Challenge

Nominations \$10 including GST.

Two phases only.

As per ASCA regulations.

- **1st Place:** Trophy Buckle donated by the ASCA, Product Prize Pack donated by Stance Global and Stocklick Trading and ten bags of Riverina Feed.
- **Dry Work Preliminary Phase:** 1st place will receive a Bevs Bag sponsored by Outback Auctions and fivebags of Riverina Feed.
- **Wet Work Preliminary Phase:** 1st place will receive a Bevs Bag sponsored by Western Appliances and five bags of Riverina Feed.

AJ MCDONALD MEMORIAL ENCOURAGEMENT CHALLENGE

**Sponsored by MDH Pty Ltd. \$5,000 Prize Money. Nomination \$115 including GST.
Two phases and Final. No Clean Slate Final. Final Pays to 6th place.**

As per ASCA Rules and Regulations and followed by Cloncurry Stockman's Challenge Regulations.

- **1st Place:** Trophy Bronze donated by the McDonald Family, Trophy Buckle donated by committee, Product Prize Pack donated by Kent Saddlery, Stance Global and ten bags of Riverina Feed.
- **Dry Work Preliminary Phase:** 1st place will receive a Bevs Bag sponsored by Outback Auctions and fivebags of Riverina Feed.
- **Wet Work Preliminary Phase:** 1st place will receive a Bevs Bag sponsored by Western Appliances and fivebags of Riverina Feed.
- **Highest Scoring Local:** prize sponsored by McMillan Pastoral
- All Finalists receive a shirt donated by Thomas Cook Boot & Clothing Co and matching tie/ scarf.

ERNEST HENRY MINING OPEN CHALLENGE

**\$8,000 Prize Money. Nomination \$200 including GST.
Two phases and Final. No Clean Slate Final. Final Pays to 6th place.
As per ASCA regulations.**

- **1st Place:** Perpetual Trophy, Trophy Buckle donated by committee, Product Prize Pack donated by Stance Global and Stocklick Trading and ten bags of Riverina Feed.
- **Dry Work Phase:** 1st place will receive a Bevs Bag sponsored by Outback Auctions and two bags of Riverina Feed.
- **Wet Work Phase:** 1st place will receive a Bevs Bag sponsored by Western Appliances and two bags of Riverina Feed.
- **Highest Scoring Local:** prize sponsored by McMillan Pastoral
- All Finalists receive a shirt donated by Thomas Cook Boot & Clothing Co and matching tie/ scarf.

RON WALL MEMORIAL ROOKIE CHALLENGE

**Sponsored by Lemmons Store Cloncurry. \$5,000 Prize Money. Nomination \$130 including GST.
Two phases and Final. No Clean Slate Final. Final Pays to 6th place
As per ASCA regulations.**

- **1st Place:** Perpetual Trophy and Trophy Buckle donated by committee, Townes Metallica service fee, Product Prize Pack donated by Kent Saddlery, Stance Global, Townes Performance Horses and ten bags of Riverina Feed.
- **Dry Work Phase:** 1st place will receive a Bevs Bag sponsored by Outback Auctions and two bags of Riverina Feed.
- **Wet Work Phase:** 1st place will receive a Bevs Bag sponsored by Western Appliances and two bags of Riverina Feed.
- **Highest Scoring Local:** prize sponsored by McMillan Pastoral
- All Finalists receive a shirt donated by Thomas Cook Boot & Clothing Co and matching tie/ scarf.

BRODIE HARDWARE JUVENILE CHALLENGE

\$500 Prize Money. Nomination \$25 including GST.

Two phases and no final. Pays to 6th place.

As per ASCA regulations. Riders must have turned 13 and be under 17 years. 2 horse limit.

- **1st Place:** Trophy Buckle donated by committee, Product Prize Pack donated by Stance Global and Gary and Lou Wells Emmet Therapy Team and five bags of Riverina Feed.
- **Dry Work Phase:** 1st place will receive a Bevs Bag sponsored by Outback Auctions and two bags of Riverina Feed.
- **Wet Work Phase:** 1st place will receive a Bevs Bag sponsored by Western Appliances and two bags of Riverina Feed.
- **Best Presented Horse and Rider Award:** Donated by Boonara Performance Horses

MMG JUNIOR CHALLENGE

\$200 Prize Money. Nomination \$20 including GST.

Dry Work Only. Pays to 6th place.

Riders must have turned 8 & be under 13 years. 2 horse limit.

- **1st Place:** Trophy Buckle donated by committee, **DBBRAIDING Split Reins**, Product Prize Pack donated by Stance Global and Gary and Lou Wells Emmet Therapy Team and five bags of Riverina Feed
- **Best Presented Horse and Rider Award:** Donated by Boonara Performance Horses

MELINDA DOWNS MINI CHALLENGE

\$100 Prize Money. Nomination \$15 including GST.

Dry Work Only. Pays to 5th place

Riders 7 years and under. 1 horse limit.

- **1st Place:** Trophy Buckle donated by committee, Product Prize Pack donated by Stance Global, Gary and Lou Wells Emmet Therapy Team, APH Magazine and five bags of Riverina Feed



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OTHER DETAILS

- **Vet Checks:** All Classic horses are required for vet check with a physical copy of registration papers or vet cert proof of age at 7:00am Tuesday morning at the secretary's box.
- **In order to qualify for ASCA points,** all entries must have either a hard copy of their registration papers in the name of the horse as nominated or a Vet Certificate aging the nominated horse appropriately.
- **Classic finalists are required for vet check at 8:00am Friday.**
- **Bit Check:** All Challenge competitors must have their bit checked and tagged with an ASCA bit tag prior to competing. Bit checks will be available at scheduled times during the event.
- **Finalists Shirts and Ties/Scarves:** Shirts and matching ties/scarf to be collected from secretary box by Friday 8am.
- **Nominated rider to select 1 horse (first preference to be Classic, then Open, Rookie and then Enc) to ride in presentations** - they must organise riders for any others also in a challenge finals line up. 1 shirt per HORSE - to suit the substitute rider if nominated rider has more than one horse in any of the finals.
- **Classic Challenge Entries:** All riders in the Classic challenge will be issued with custom back identifiers. It is a requirement that all riders in the Classic preliminary runs have this pinned (safety pins provided) to the backs of their shirts. To be retained by the rider after completion of the preliminary rounds.

