



Dairy Cattle Paraders

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1. **State Final**
 - Competitors must be 15 years and under 25 years of age on 1st May in the year of the State Final.
 - Competitors under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a chaperone.
 - To be eligible to participate in a State Final, a competitor must be a resident of Tasmania for at least 6 months prior to the competition.
 - The State Final will be held at the Circular Head Show in December each year.
2. **Agricultural Show event:** Competitors must be over 10 and under 25 years of age on 1st May in the year of the State Final.
3. No competitor can represent more than one show society in any one State Final.
4. Winners of two (2) State Finals in any one class shall not be eligible for future competitions in that class. Winners are ineligible to compete again after winning a National Final in the Dairy Cattle Paraders Competition.
5. Show Secretaries **must** inform the ASCoT Secretary of the name, address, email address and telephone number (mobile if available) of **any** competitor in the Dairy Cattle Paraders Competition judging competition going on to State Final. The ASCoT Secretary will advise these competitors of the venue and time of the State Final.

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The arrangements for the conduct of Dairy Cattle Paraders Competition are as follows:

A. PROCEDURE

1. One class of paraders is to be judged.
2. Each parader must be identified with an armband numbered 1 – 6, and **not** A B C D E F.
3. Paraders must lead a Dairy Female under 24 months (**DRY**). One animal per entrant.
4. Holstein, AIS, Jersey, Guernsey, Ayrshire and Brown Swiss Breeds to select from.
5. Animals in this class must be identified by 'breastplates' numbered 1 – 6, and **not** A B C D E F.
6. Paraders will be required to ballot for their animal one hour prior to Parading.
7. Paraders will have one hour to prepare their animal for presentation at Judging.
8. Paraders must be neatly attired and males expected to wear a tie. Points will be deducted for poor presentation.
9. Paraders must wear breed society approved attire or a white coat with no **names** or **Logo** on them.
10. Paraders will supply their own **plain white coat**.
11. Paraders must be willing to swap animals if required.

B. PARADING OF ANIMALS

Paraders will parade their animals in a clockwise manner as is normal in a Dairy Cattle Ring at the discretion of the Judge. This competition is designed to determine the parader who presents and parades an animal before a Judge most effectively.

C. COMPETITION TIMING

From the point of view of the competitors, the animals and the spectators, it is important that the whole competition be completed in one hour. In order to maintain the impetus of the competition, immediately the Judge has completed their placings and made their final comments, the competition results should be announced and the awards and presentations made.

