

# CONDITIONS FOR APPROVED ASH SALES

The complete SOCIETY REGULATIONS for APPROVED ASH SALES including Vendor, Organiser & Agent Responsibilities), Drugs Policy & Identification of Horse's are available from Head Office or the Society's Website – [www.ashs.com.au](http://www.ashs.com.au)

In relation to Approved ASH Sales, members should be familiar with all the Society's Regulations, in particular the following main points:

1. All horses must be Australian Stock Horse Registered. No foal recorded horses will be accepted. If the horse's registration has not been finalised by the close of nominations, the horse will NOT be accepted into the catalogue.
2. To enter horses in the sale, the vendor must be a Financial Member of the Society for the year that the sale will be conducted. The name of the vendor must be the same as the name of the owner under which the horse is currently registered.
3. All Nomination Forms must be submitted as indicated with a copy of the horse's registration papers. The Society recommends that a good quality colour picture of the horse (photograph or JPEG file) be submitted to the Society by post or email with the name of the sale and sale date, as well as the horse's registered name and number prior to the Sale. If submitted, the picture will be loaded with the Sale Catalogue on the Society's Online Stud Book at no charge.
4. Nominations must be submitted by the closing date and will not be accepted unless accompanied with the nomination fee and a copy of the horse's Certificate of Registration. Once a horse has been accepted into the catalogue, there is no refund on the nomination fee. Nomination Forms without a vendor#, signature will not be accepted.
5. Owners are required to compare the horse's Certificate of Registration to the horse being nominated (prior to entering the horse) into an ASH event; ie, sex, colour, brands, markings, etc. Owners are advised to review the Society's Regulations in relation to Horse Identification, in particular the verification of brands and markings policies. A horse may be REJECTED from an Approved ASH Sale under the Identification Regulations due to a brand or marking discrepancy. Stock Brand, Identification number and Year number must be clearly visible.
6. The Inspector may REJECT a horse from the sale if the horse does not comply with the following conditions: The horse should be prepared and presented suitably for the sale and should be free of undesirable characteristics and conformation faults.
7. All stallions or colts, 4 years and over, at time of sale nomination must be Sire Registered and DNA Recorded.
8. Any person involved with handling the horse on the day of the sale, within the perimeter of the grounds; ie, strapper, handler, trainer, rider and the like must be a Competition Eligible Financial Member of the Society. Temporary Membership is available through a branch, when a branch conducts an event. Temporary Membership entitles a person to participate in a single Branch show, activity or programme. Youth under 18 years of age must wear an equestrian helmet approved by the current Australian Standards Association or International equivalent, which MUST be securely fastened under the chin, when mounted anywhere within the perimeter of the grounds, including all public areas, as well as leading or handling a horse.
9. Remarks on the horse should be restricted to a maximum of forty words, Comments found to be excessive will be shortened. References to other breeds are not permitted during the sale or in the catalogue.
10. The following must be disclosed by the Vendor to the Auctioneer prior to sale and the Auctioneer will disclose these facts at time of sale:
  - Any horse addicted to windsucking or showing any symptoms of being a wobbler or roarer.
  - Any horse being a cryptorchid or showing a visible deformity of the genitalia.
  - Where the Vendor has retained semen or embryos.
11. The Sale Committee reserves the right to restrict the number of entries (if excessive).
12. By nominating a horse in this sale, I/we agree to be bound by the Rules, Regulations and Codes of Conduct governing the affairs of the Society.
13. Neither the organising committee, nor the Agents, nor The Australian Stock Horse Society Limited accept any liability for any accident, damage, injury to horses, riders, beasts, ground, spectators, or any other person or property whatsoever.

## ADDITIONAL CONDITIONS OF SALE

(as requested by the Organiser/Agent and approved by the Board)

- The Selling Agent will not accept the nomination, if the horse's registration has not been finalised.
- A photocopy of the horse's CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION must be attached to the Sale Nomination.
- If a colour photograph is included with the nomination to the AGENT, the photograph will be printed in the Sale Catalogue. If a photograph is supplied to the agent, it will be loaded on the Society's Online Sales Catalogue at NO CHARGE.
- All horse movements must be in accordance with DPI requirements for any State the horse is being transported.
- A Society Inspector appointed for this sale must inspect each horse prior to being paraded for the sale. Inspections will be conducted on Saturday 1st December 2018 from 7am in Lot order. It is the responsibility of the owner to ensure that the horse is presented for inspection. Horses must be presented unsaddled & without a rug. The original Certificate of Registration must be presented to the Society Inspector at time of inspection.
- All horses nominated for the Dalby Australian Stock Sale will be subject to random drug test to be carried over the 30th November, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> of December 2018. Refer to Australian Stock Horse Society Rules & Regulations - Drugs Policy Section 8
- All horses must be ridden. A ridden parade will be conducted prior to the sale. A beast will be available for Cattle Working Demonstrations on Saturday during the parade and Sunday during the sale. Mares must not be joined. Horses registered as Breeding Purposes ONLY are not eligible for this sale.
- Commission of 6.5% (plus GST) will be payable by the vendor to the Auctioneer and will apply on SALE PRICE, in respect of each lot catalogued and SOLD; from day of sale to ten days after the advertised sale date, whether sold at Auction or Private Treaty.
- The Vendor will pay the cost of \$50.00 (GST inclusive) for transfer of ownership. The agent will deduct this fee from sale proceeds.
- NO nomination fees will be refunded.