

Royal Agricultural Society of NSW

Schedule

Sydney Royal Rabbit Hopping Show

11-22 April 2025 Sydney Showground Sydney Olympic Park www.rasnsw.com.au







# **SHOW DETAILS**

Date of Judging: Sunday the 20th of April 2025

Senior Judge: Natasha McGarry

**Overseeing Judges:** Jenna Sinclair, Belle Janes, Latica Berg

<u>Entry Fees</u>: Minimum entry of \$25 will be applied to each exhibitor to cover entry pass to the show (1-5 entries/classes).

\$5 per rabbit per course members, \$6.50 for non members

Entries will be capped at \$50 for members

Show Manager: Natasha McGarry

<u>Vetting in</u>: Between 6.30am and 7.30am. All exhibits must be vetted in and penned by 8.00am. Vet in opens at 6.30am please line up as you arrive.

Bump in: Delivery of exhibits between 6.30am and 8am only.

Due to venue requirements the bench slip will not permit entry into the 2025 show. To deliver exhibits during the specified delivery times, each exhibitor will need a bench slip and dash slip to permit entry for a vehicle and exhitibs, and all persons inside the vehicle will need to have a valid show entry ticket to enter the site. Vehicles must be removed from site immediately after the exhibits have been delivered. Vehicles that remain on the site illegally after 8am will be infringed. All exhibitors and passengers will need a valid show entry ticket to re-enter the site on foot via the designated pedestrian entries.

<u>Parking</u>: Parking passes to be purchased by the exhibitor before the day of judging. Tickets must be pre purchased and printed out online for \$30 for P1, P3 and P4. Please ensure you buy your parking tickets early. www.sydneyolympicpark.com.au/parking/

Entry Passes: Maximum of Two, One day entry passes will be supplied per exhibitor.

<u>Bump out:</u> No exhibits shall leave the pavilion until 5pm unless permission is given by the show manager. Passes will be given to exhibitors to enter the pick up zone on departure.

Entries close: Saturday the 8th of March 2025 at 8pm. Entries to be in word format only and emailed to NatashaMcGarry4@gmail.com

NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.

<u>Payment of entries:</u> Entry fees are to be paid with entry. Entries will not be accepted without receipt of payment. Monies are to be paid to RHSA account BSB 062 528 A/C 10438945. Receipt for payment and reference must accompany entry form. Payment on the day of judging is not accepted.

<u>Scratchings:</u> No refund will be given for rabbits scratched after entries have closed. All scratchings and withdrawals must be in writing to the show secretary no later than 8am on the day of judging otherwise a \$40 fine will apply to each exhibit.

<u>Registration:</u> All rabbits must be registered on the RHSA database for any results, points for records to count. Payment must be made by entries close.

<u>Vaccination:</u> The Rabbit Hopping Society of Australia highly recommends all exhibitors to vaccinate their exhibits. It is not a condition of entry. Please state on entry form or day before the show if exhibits have been recently vaccinated with Filavac, consideration by vets will be given for small patch of missing fur, redness at injection site or small subcutaneous lump under the skin due to recent vaccination if stated by the exhibitor prior to the show.

<u>Pavilion:</u> The hall is open to the public between 9am and 5pm. Judging will start promptly at 8.30am. Only pre selected <u>Official Stewards</u> are allowed into the judging area between 8.30am and 5pm. Exhibitors may only enter the judging area if permission is given by the show manager.



Cage base dimension 48x54cm



<u>Bedding:</u> Cages will be provided on site for exhibits. Wire inserts, puppy pads and mats are recommended. No shavings, litter or straw to be used. Exhibitors must clean their pens at the end of the day, wet wipes are recommended. Cage base dimension 48x54cm. Carry cages must be placed under pens during the show.

<u>Water and Food:</u> Water must be available to exhibits at all times. No hay or straw to be bought to the venue. Pellets are recommended for long travelling exhibits.

The Royal Agricultural Society of NSW (RAS) General Regulations form part of the conditions of entry. The Sydney Royal Rabbit Show is held under the Rules and Regulations of the Royal Agricultural Society of New South Wales (ABN 69 793 644 351) and The The Rabbit Hopping Society of Australia (ABN 18 197 810 271) Courses are judged under rules from The Rabbit Hopping Society of Australia.







# Introducing our 2025 Senior Judge Natasha McGarry



I have been breeding and exhibiting Netherland Dwarfs for 5 years under NHN Stud where I have gained awards of Best in Show, Best Fur and Best Fancy and recently started my judges training.



I have been competing in the rabbit hopping ever since the Rabbit Hopping Society of Australia started in 2013. I am the current President of RHSA and have been the youngest president to hold this role since the age 21 when I was elected in 2020. I have also been the longest standing member/exhibitor and youngest committee member at 16 years old as a Junior Committee member. Furthermore, I am the most senior judge of the society where I train new judges, have made amendments to the rulebook and run competitions and demonstrations. I have achieved many successes over the years from making different appearances in media across TV, newspaper and radio. My greatest hoppers have been the breed I am most passionate about, Netherland Dwarfs. My past hopper Beau Cutie Pie was the closest to breaking the Australian High Jump record at 70cm. I have titled 4 times for Rabbit Hopper of The Year, with 3 different rabbits and 1 of them being back to back years winner. After helping Rabbit Fanciers Society of NSW with demonstrations at the Sydney Royal Easter Show, I am excited for us to have a competition of our own.





Results and Achievements:

President of Rabbit Hopping Society of Australia Senior Judge and Trainer for RHSA and HH 2019– Rabbit Hopper of the Year (Beau Cutie Pie) 2020– Rabbit Hopper of the Year (Cloverfield Poppy) 2022– Rabbit Hopper of the Year (NHN Delores) 2023– Rabbit Hopper of the Year (NHN Delores)



Appeared in the following: The Living Room, The Today Show, Better Homes and Gardens, Channel 7 News Sydney, The Morning Show Western Weekender newspaper, Vintage FM radio













### Introducing our 2025 Judge Jenna Sinclair

I have been breeding and exhibiting a variety of common and rare breeds under Sweet Secrets for a number of years.

Competing in the rabbit hopping ever since the Rabbit Hopping Society of Australia started in

2013. I joined forces with my friend Belle to co-found the Hawkesbury Hoppers in 2023. I am the current Vice President of the Rabbit Hopping Society of Australia. Previously held the position of Vice President at the Hawkesbury Hoppers. I am one of the three official hopping clubs trainers. I am an official hopping club judge for all rabbit hopping clubs nationwide. I became a fully qualified judge on the 26th July 2013 and later reinstated on 1st of January 2023.



Results and Achievements:

Vice President of The Rabbit Hopping Society of Australia

Assistant Judge for RHSA

2022 - 3rd Place at Championships in 2017 with Rabbit Topnotch.

EXAMPLE 2023 - Rabbit Hopper of the Year Rabbit (Jeux de Faim for Hawkesbury Hoppers)

2023 - Equal 4th Place Rabbit Hopper of the Year (Vinnie for Hawkesbury Hoppers)

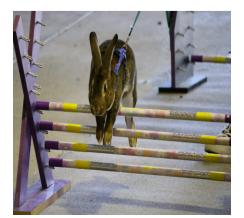
2023 - Equal 4th Place Rabbit Hopper of the Year (Renegade for Hawkesbury Hoppers)

2024 - 2nd Place highest points for overall day with Jeux de Faim for Hawkesbury Show.

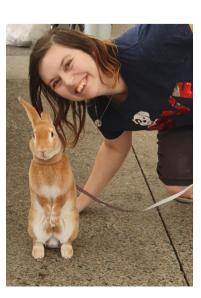
2024 - 4th Place Rabbit Hopper of the Year (Pinyas Bushwhacker)

2024 - 1st place perpetual trophy barrels and agility for Hawkesbury hoppers 2024 with Jeux de Faim for Hawkesbury Hoppers

















### Introducing our 2025 Judge Belle Janes



I have been breeding and exhibiting breeds such as Chinchilla Giganta ,Standard Rex and Mini lops under BellaRome stud for 3 years.

The passion for rabbits grew stronger with joining several committees and where I then opened Hawkesbury Hoppers in 2023, where I'm still current Club President. In corporation with RHSA I have also helped to make amendments to the rule book and introduced new official courses. I am also one of the official Judges and examiners that helps to train up new judges under the RHSA governing body. I am official club judge for all Rabbit Hopping Clubs in Australia and I became a fully qualified judge on the 20th February 2023.



Achievements and Results:

2022 - Became a Trainee Judge for RHSA.

2022 - 3rd Place Rabbit Hopper of the Year (Bela Lugosi)

2024 - 3rd place Rabbit Hopper of the Year for RHSA (Mezmerize).



2024 - Rabbit Hopper of the Year winner (Mezmerise for Hawkesbury Hoppers).



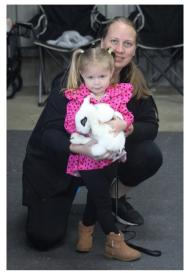






# Introducing our 2025 Judge Latica Berg





I have been competing in Rabbit Hopping for 3 years as an Exhibitor. Both of my children Lincoln and Violet are actively involved in the hopping. They have their own bunnies that they compete with. Lincoln and Violet are the youngest children to compete in Hopping in Australia.

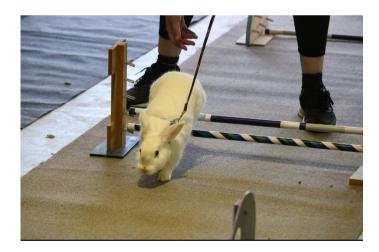
I became a fully qualified judge on the 29th September 2023. I am official club judge for all Rabbit Hopping Clubs in Australia

Achievement and Results

2023 - Trainee Judge for RHSA and Hawkesbury Hoppers

2023 - 2nd Place in Agility with Rabbit Rocket

2023 - 1st Place Perpetual Trophy for Agility and Barrel Racing with Rabbit Rocket and Handler Lincoln





### **2025 Sydney Royal Rabbit Hopping Show**

### **Major Prizes**

#### provided by the Royal Agricultural Society of NSW

Rabbit Hopping Champion in Show \* – Trophy & Rosette Rabbit Hopping Reserve Champion in Show \* – Trophy & Rosette Rabbit Hopping 2<sup>nd</sup> Reserve Champion in Show \* – Rosette \*Prizes based on the 2024 Rabbit Hopper of the Year

1<sup>st</sup> Place Mini Straight – Rossette & Certificate
 1<sup>st</sup> Place Easy Straight – Rosette & Certificate
 1<sup>st</sup> Place Open Medium Straight – Rosette & Certificate
 1<sup>st</sup> Place Open Difficult Straight – Rosette & Certificate

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Mini Straight– Sash & Certificate 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Easy Straight – Sash & Certificate 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Open Medium Straight – Sash & Certificate

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Mini Straight – Sash & Certificate 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Easy Straight – Sash & Certificate 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Open Medium Straight – Sash & Certificate

1<sup>st</sup> Place Mini Crooked – Rosette & Certificate
 1<sup>st</sup> Place Easy Crooked – Rosette & Certificate
 1<sup>st</sup> Place Open Medium Crooked – Rosette & Certificate
 1st Place Open Difficult Crooked – Rosette & Certificate

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Mini Crooked – Sash & Certificate 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Easy Crooked – Sash & Certificate 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Open Medium Crooked – Sash & Certificate

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Mini Crooked – Sash & Certificate 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Easy Crooked – Sash & Certificate 3rd Place Open Medium Crooked – Sash & Certificate

1<sup>st</sup> Place High Jump – Rosette & Certificate
2<sup>nd</sup> Place High Jump – Sash & Certificate
3<sup>rd</sup> Place High Jump – Sash & Certificate
1<sup>st</sup> Place Long Jump – Rosette & Certificate
2<sup>nd</sup> Place Long Jump – Sash & Certificate
3<sup>rd</sup> Place Long Jump – Sash & Certificate







Additional prizes provided by The Rabbit Hopping Society of Australia

2024 Rabbit Hopper of the year – Shield & Certificate 2024 Runner Up Rabbit Hopper of the Year – Certificate 2024 Third Place Rabbit Hopper of the Year – Certificate 2024 Fourth Place Rabbit Hopper of the Year - Certificate 2024 Fifth Place Rabbit Hopper of the Year - Certificate





# **RABBIT HOPPING SOCIETY**

## **OF AUSTRALIA**



### **CLASS SCHEDULE**

CLASS NUMBER	CLASS COURSE
1	MINI STRAIGHT
2	MINI CROOKED
3	EASY STRAIGHT
4	EASY CROOKED
11	HIGH JUMP
12	LONG JUMP
13	OPEN MEDIUM STRAIGHT
14	OPEN MEDIUM CROOKED
15	OPEN DIFFICULT STRAIGHT
16	OPEN DIFFICULT CROOKED



### **RABBIT HOPPING SOCIETY OF AUSTRALIA ENTRY FORM**

#### SHOW DATE: 20.4.2025 SHOW VENUE: SYDNEY ROYAL EASTER SHOW

AUSTRALIA		Name:	Address:	Phone:				
	CLASS NUMBER	RABBIT NAME	REGISTRATION NUMBER	HANDLER NAME	OWNER NAME	STUD NAME	MEMBER OF RHSA	FEES
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Members \$5 per entry (Capped at \$50 for Members)

Non-members \$6.50 per entry

Please pay via direct debit Rabbit Hopping Society of Australia

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Account Number 10438945

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