



9-11 JUNE 2021

CAKE DECORATING

COMPETITION SCHEDULE

ADVANCE
ROCKHAMPTON

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Regional Council

FOR FURTHER DETAILS

The 2021 Rockhampton Show Committee

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Applications To Enter Close	Monday, 24 May 2021
Rocky Show Website	www.rockyshow.com.au
Online Nominations	https://showday.online/
Rocky Show Facebook Page	www.facebook.com/RockyAgShow/
Entry Fees	\$2.00 per entry (General) \$1.00 per entry (Pensioners) \$1.00 per entry (Juvenile)
Number of entries per class	No restriction
Exhibit Delivery	Monday, 7 June 2021 3.00pm – 6.00pm James Lawrence Pavilion <i>Please ensure your Exhibitor Card is securely attached to your exhibit at time of delivery. If you have not received your exhibitor card, please email show@rrc.qld.gov.au</i>
Judging	Tuesday 8 June 2021
Exhibit & Container Collection	Saturday, 12 June 2021 9.00am – 12.00pm <i>**Strictly no vehicle access within the Showgrounds – kindly park outside the grounds **</i>
Section Enquiries	Carolyn Roberts – 0418 227 595
Show Office Hours of Operation	Monday to Friday From Monday 24 May 2021 <i>Excluding public holidays</i> 9.00am – 4.00pm



CAKE DECORATING REGULATIONS

Due to COVID-19 regulations the cake decorating rules have been modified for 2021. Baked cakes are NOT required and edible entries will be disposed of at the end of the show if submitted. Please use Styrofoam dummies or shaped cardboard boxes to showcase your decorating skills.

General

1. There will be a limit of two (2) entries per class.
2. Boards or other suitable bases to be no larger than 45cm x 45cm.
3. Height of Open Wedding Cake to be no higher than 60cm, other exhibits to be no higher than 50cm.
4. All exhibits will be put into show cases by the stewards only, entries to be removed by stewards. All exhibits must be able to be carried by one (1) person.
5. All bases must have Cleats, cleats to be attached and to be of suitable height to enable easy lifting. Small adhesive felt circles may suit.
6. Styrofoam dummies may be purchased from Spotlight or Cakes of Distinction, round and square cardboard boxes are available from local discount stores. The dummy used, and the design of the shape must be such that the sign would hold together if in fact, cake had been used. Shapes such as an upright circle are not permitted as it would collapse if actual cake had been used.
7. Covering of exhibits must consist of fondant icing.
8. All exhibits must be delivered to the Showgrounds on Monday June 7 and will be received in the James Lawrence Pavilion. Stewards will be in attendance from 3.00pm to 6.00pm to receive exhibits.
9. Judging will take place Tuesday June 8.
10. Exhibits will be available for collection by exhibitors Saturday June 12, 9am – 12pm, with the exception of those submitted with edible cake, which will be disposed of.
11. All class tickets must be securely attached on top of the base board and not underneath. If your entry does not have a class ticket it will not be accepted.
12. Prizes will be awarded at the discretion of the judge, who may withhold the award where the standard is not sufficiently high. The judge's decision is final and correspondence will be entered into.
13. **ALL CARE WILL BE TAKEN, BUT NO RESPONSIBILITY WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR LOSS OR DAMAGE TO ANY EXHIBIT.**
14. No part or parts of any previous entry may be used.
15. Except where specifically otherwise mentioned, no non-sugar ornaments are allowed (this includes no plastic dolls, no glass or glitter stamens). Reasonable use of wire, fishing line, taped stamens, ribbon, tulle, braids, threads, gelatine, piping jelly and unbreakable gel to support traditional sugar-based icing techniques is permitted and pillars or other means of elevating cakes are permitted. Minimal amounts of dried vegetable matter may be used for stems or stamens. Polenta, semolina and cachous are allowed. No pins are allowed to hold ribbons, etc., and no artificial flowers are allowed. Wire not to penetrate the surface of exhibit, posy picks are permitted. No bought lollies are allowed in all classes.
16. Novelty Cakes must contain edible cake and must be sculpted.
17. Covering of exhibits must consist of fondant, royal icing or any edible form of covering.
18. All entries to be bona fide handiwork of the exhibitor.
19. Lace and extension are not mandatory, however, a variety of piping skills within the bounds of good taste must be executed.
20. Entries will not be accepted without payment of fees. Entry fees and administration levy are listed on each schedule.
21. All prize money will be paid via cash payment at the Show Office during the Rockhampton Agricultural Show (9-11 June 2021) or during the exhibit collection times stated in the schedule. Any unclaimed cash prize money can be arranged for electronic transfer after the event up until the 30th of June 2021. Any prize money not collected by this date will be forfeited and put towards the next year's Show.



22. No Responsibility will be taken for any exhibits left at the Showgrounds more than 24 hours after the end of the Show.
23. Management and its agents reserve the right to disqualify any entry which in their opinion fails to meet the entry criteria. They also reserve the right to move any entry to its correct class.

All care will be taken, but no responsibility will be accepted for any loss or damage to any exhibit by the management or their agents

Decorated Cakes Competitions

Open Class

For experienced or professional decorators

Class 3501 WEDDING CAKE

- Two (2) Tier Cake
- No higher than 60cm

Entry Fee: \$5.00

Prize: 1st \$100.00, 2nd \$50.00, 3rd Prize Card

Winner to be awarded the QLD Cake Decorators Association Rockhampton Branch Trophy

Class 3502 SPECIAL OCCASION CAKE

- Birthday, Engagement, 21st, Anniversary or Christening etc.
- Must have written inscription
- Must be suitable for Occasion
- Single (1) Tier only

Entry Fee: \$3.00

Prize: 1st \$50.00, 2nd \$25.00, 3rd Prize Card

Class 3503 NOVELTY CAKE

- An imaginative creation in any shape sculpted from madeira cake

Entry Fee: \$3.00

Prize: 1st \$50.00, 2nd \$25.00, 3rd Prize Card

Class 3504 OPEN SUGAR CRAFT

- No cake needed
- All items to be from sugar (except board)

Entry Fee: \$3.00

Prize: 1st \$50.00, 2nd \$25.00, 3rd Prize Card

Novice Class

For hobby and beginning decorators

Class 3505 NOVICE WEDDING CAKE

- Two (2) Tier Cake
- No higher than 60cm

Entry Fee: \$5.00

Prize: 1st \$60.00, 2nd \$30.00, 3rd Prize Card

Class 3506 NOVICE SPECIAL OCCASION CAKE

- Birthday, Engagement, 21st, Anniversary or Christening etc.
- Must have written inscription
- Must be suitable for Occasion
- Single (1) Tier only

Entry Fee: \$3.00

Prize: 1st \$40.00, 2nd \$20.00, 3rd Prize Card

Class 3507 NOVELTY CAKE

- An imaginative creation in any shape sculpted from madeira cake

Entry Fee: \$3.00

Prize: 1st \$50.00, 2nd \$25.00, 3rd Prize Card

Class 3508 SUGARCRAFT

- No cake needed
- All items to be from sugar (except board)

Entry Fee: \$3.00

Prize: 1st \$40.00, 2nd \$20.00, 3rd Prize Card

OPEN AND INTERMEDIATE CLASS REGULATIONS

- Entries submitted with edible cake, will be disposed of.
- Boards 50cm
- No higher than 60cm
- No bought lollies are allowed
- The use of isomalt is allowed

Junior Class

For children ages 5-17 at June 9 2021

Entry Fee: \$2.00

Prize Money: 1st \$20.00, 2nd \$10.00, 3rd Prize card

Unless otherwise stated

Novelty Cakes

An imaginative creation in any shape sculpted from Madeira cake.

Class 3509 5-8yrs

Class 3510 9-12yrs

Class 3511 13 years - 17 yrs

Decorated Cake

Class 8512 junior 5-8yrs decorated cake

- Single (1) Tier only

Entry Fee: \$2.00

Prize Money: 1st \$20.00, 2nd \$10.00, 3rd Prize card

Class 8513 junior 9-12yrs decorated cake

- Single (1) Tier only

Entry Fee: \$2.00

Prize Money: 1st \$20.00, 2nd \$10.00, 3rd Prize card

Class 8514 13 years - 17 yrs decorated cake

- Single (1) Tier only

Entry Fee: \$2.00

Prize Money: 1st \$20.00, 2nd \$10.00, 3rd Prize card

Sugar Craft

Class 8515 5 years - 17 years

- No dummy cake required
- All items to be sculpted from sugar (except board)

JUNIOR CLASS REGULATIONS

- Entries submitted with edible cake, will be disposed of.
- The use of dolls will be allowed in the junior section.
- No pins to be used for eyes or other decorations on any cake.
- Cake must be no bigger than 20cm (8")
- Board no bigger than 34cm (12")
- Fondant (pettinice) Icing is required
- No bought lollies are allowed
- Not to be cut
- All Classes are One (1) level only



GENERAL REGULATIONS

(For the conduct of competitions at QCAS affiliated Queensland Agricultural Shows)

Subject to the Rules, By-Laws and Regulations of the Queensland Chamber of Agricultural Society's Inc. (QCAS) and the Society relevant to this schedule, the following General Regulations shall apply.

Where there is a conflict between these regulations and the regulations and rules of the local Agricultural Society, the rules of the Affiliated Agricultural Society prevail.

GENERAL REGULATIONS AND ACCEPTANCE OF ENTRIES

- 1.1. All affiliated Queensland agricultural shows are conducted subject to the rules of the Queensland Chamber of Agricultural Societies Inc. (QCAS), the constitution and rules of this Society, and any other special regulations which appear within the schedule.
- 1.2. Affiliated agricultural societies may, as required, supplement these regulations with their own special regulations ensuring they are consistent with QCAS regulations.
- 1.3. The attention of Exhibitors is drawn to the fact that entries are accepted subject to the Rules, By-Laws and Regulations of QCAS and the society relevant to this schedule, in addition to any special regulations which appear in this schedule. Copies of the Rules and By-Laws may be obtained upon application to QCAS or the society relevant to this schedule.
- 1.4. No refunds will be made after close of entry.
- 1.5. In the case of insufficient numbers being nominated or shown in any class, the society retains the right to suspend classes at anytime.
- 1.6. The section Chief Steward retains the right to reduce prize money where classes are not sufficiently patronized.
- 1.7. Any competitor, who receives any physical or electronic communication aid during the judging of an event on an affiliated Society's Showground, will have all nominations cancelled. The persons concerned may be asked to leave the Showground.

2. JUDGING

- 2.1. Judging will be performed by a Judge or panel of Judges appointed by the Society.
- 2.2. In the event of the Judge deciding that the exhibits in any Class are not worthy of a prize, no prize will be awarded.
- 2.3. It is considered good ethics that if a Junior Judge or

Associate Judge has been judging in his/her own right at any affiliated Agricultural Show, they are not eligible to enter the Young Judges competition at that Show, BUT they can still enter at another Show where they are not acting in a judging roll. A Judge shall not adjudicate at more than one show within 30 days within a Sub-Chamber unless judging different sections. This rule applies to all affiliated agricultural show sections.

- 2.4. In all affiliated Agricultural Show sections, Judges should not judge the same section within a two (2) year period at the same show.
- 2.5. Judging cards and performance records shall be completed by the committee person in charge, Chief Steward and/or the Judge of a section (if required) during or immediately after the judging of the section or at the Judge's convenience.
- 2.6. If a Judge is unable to fulfil a judging commitment, the Judge shall notify the Society as soon as possible so a replacement can be arranged.
- 2.7. A Judge shall not send a substitute Judge but may nominate a replacement judge to the society. All invitations to judge shall be sent by the affiliated Society.
- 2.8. A Society shall report to QCAS any Judge who fails to attend a Show to which he or she has accepted an invitation to judge or, who has failed to judge at the time advertised for the commencement of the class provided that the failure to attend or appear is without reasonable cause.
- 2.9. A Judge may not officiate, and compete or exhibit in the same section at the same show unless exceptional circumstances exist such as sickness or unavailability of the appointed Judge.
- 2.10. A Steward assisting the Judge in a particular section shall remove him/herself from the section if within a period of six (6) months prior



to or during the show he/she or any member of their immediate family, business partners, or employee has owned, leased, bred, trained or schooled an animal or competitor exhibiting in any class in that section.

- 2.11. An Exhibitor shall not compete in a section if the Exhibitor is a member of the Judge's immediate family.
- 2.12. No Exhibitors shall deface or alter registration papers or performance cards for any exhibit. A Judge or Steward must not knowingly permit an ineligible Exhibit or Exhibitor to compete.
- 2.13. No Exhibitor or members of the Exhibitor's immediate family or employed by the Exhibitor shall approach a Judge with regard to a decision made by the Judge unless they first obtain permission from the Committee person in charge or Steward of the Section.
- 3. NOTICE TO INTENDING EXHIBITORS**
- 3.1. No person under disqualification recognised by the Society may exhibit or compete.
- 3.2. Entries for the upcoming Agricultural Show relevant to this schedule can be made as described for each section in the schedule. Entries submitted other than on the correct form or online will be returned to the Exhibitor and, unless all requirements are complied with, and the forms returned to the Agricultural Society office by completion of business on the closing date, as shown in this Schedule, they will not be considered.
- 3.3. Notwithstanding the provisions of General Regulation.
- 3.4. Above, late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Section Chief Steward.
- 3.5. Entries are accepted subject to the Rules, Bylaws and Regulations of the Society, in addition to any Special Regulations, which appear in the Schedule.
- 3.6. Exhibitors whose entries have not been accepted shall be advised accordingly and entry fees refunded.
- 3.7. The exhibitor irrevocably consents to the Society publishing or reproducing in any manner whatsoever any particulars or information in relation to their exhibits; the publication or reproduction may be in a printed form or visual image through electronic means and/or on the internet.
- 3.8. Whilst all reasonable care is taken, the affiliated Agricultural Society cannot accept any responsibility for any losses and/or damage or injury to or by any livestock exhibits, equipment, vehicles or any other

property or person whilst on the Showground's.

- 3.9. Any persons causing a nuisance by loud comments, or the decision of the Judges or of otherwise unseemly behaviour will after being cautioned, be expelled from the showgrounds, and in the case of exhibitors, be liable for disqualification.
- 3.10. Dogs, other than those owned by members of the Canine Control Council, must be kept in a closed float, a vehicle, or on a short leash and must be suitably muzzled as to prevent it from being able to injure or bite any person or other animal, whilst on the Affiliated Society's Showground. The Society reserves the right to impound or have impounded any stray or nuisance animal whilst on the Showgrounds.
- 3.11. The use of straw, sawdust and/or shavings for bedding of livestock is at the discretion of the Agricultural Society Management Committee.
- 4. ELECTRIC FENCES**
- 4.1. Energised electric fences are prohibited on the showground at any time, without the express permission of the society or unless specified in the societies schedule. Any fences are to be suitable signed.
- 5. BIOSECURITY**
- 5.1. All QCAS affiliated agricultural societies have developed a comprehensive Agricultural Show Biosecurity Plan and all event organisers, competitors and spectators have a joint responsibility to ensure the successful implementation of a biosecurity plan.
- 6. PRIVACY STATEMENT**
- 6.1. The information provided by exhibitors is used by QCAS and the society relevant to this schedule to organise, process and conduct competitions at the relevant agricultural show, sub chamber and state finals. By entering such competitions you consent to their personal information being used for this purpose including this information being made available to sponsors, breed associations, the media, the public, promotional purposes, archival purposes, published in publications and could be made available to other third parties for the purpose of promoting the Queensland agricultural show movement, or as otherwise required by law.
- 6.2. Exhibitors have a right of access to and alteration of personal information concerning them-selves in terms of the Privacy Act. This may be done by contacting the QCAS Executive



Officer or by writing to QCAS.

7. WORKPLACE HEALTH AND SAFETY

- 7.1. All QCAS affiliated society's showground's are designated workplaces within the meaning of the Workplace Health and Safety Act 2011 and exhibitors / competitors are required to ensure that they and all persons under their direction or control, including their contractors or subcontractors, comply with all requirements of the Act and QCAS holds each exhibitor responsible to discharge its obligations to provide and maintain a safe place and system of work during occupation by the exhibitor/competitor of any area of the affiliated Agricultural Society's Showground's.
- 7.2. Each exhibitor/competitor will assess the risk to themselves, staff, volunteers, family, other exhibitors, agricultural society staff, show visitors, children and any person foreseeably affected by the presentation of their exhibit.
- 7.3. Risks identified by exhibitors/competitors will be eliminated or controlled by the exhibitor/competitor and particular attention will be paid to ensuring public safety and safety of other exhibitors/competitors.
- 7.4. Exhibits will only be held and handled by competent persons whose experience is known to the Exhibitor/Competitor.
- 7.5. Exhibitors/competitors are advised that the use of primus stoves, any heating or lighting appliances of a like character, or any naked light, is strictly prohibited in pavilions or any other building or area defined by the Queensland Fire and Rescue Service.
- 7.6. Any exhibitors/competitors intending to bring electrical equipment to the Showground's will be required to ensure that such equipment is fitted with earth leakage circuit breakers / residual current protection and that all electrical leads, tools and appliances have been inspected by a licensed electrical contractor and currently tagged. This is essential for the safety of all exhibitors and the general public AND is a requirement of the current Electrical Safety Regulations.
- 7.7. The use of double adaptors is prohibited and all power boards must also be tested and tagged.
- 7.8. All exhibitors/competitors will comply with the requirements of the Act and its Regulations and Standards in every other respect. This is essential for the safety of all exhibitors / competitors and the general public. The Act imposes very severe penalties

in the event of noncompliance with its provisions. Any exhibitors/competitors who do not comply will not be allowed to exhibit at QCAS affiliated Shows.

8. DISCLAIMER

- 8.1. The information contained in the Competitions Schedule/Catalogue is gathered for the purpose of providing information to Exhibitors and show patrons. The information is a compilation of information provided by third parties and QCAS and affiliated Agricultural Society's does not warrant its accuracy and advises that any such information may be subject to change or amendment occurring at any time and thereby making the information incorrect. Subject to QCAS legal obligations and responsibilities, if you require confirmation of any information please contact the QCAS Office.

9. GOODS AND SERVICES TAX (GST)

- 9.1. The Australian Taxation Office has deemed that GST is payable on prizes if an Exhibitor is registered for GST and enters an Exhibit as part of a business enterprise.
- 9.2. The information an Exhibitor provides on the Application for Entry determines whether GST is applicable.
- 9.3. Any prize stated in this Schedule does not include GST.
- 9.4. GST will not apply:
 - a. If an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as a hobby or private recreational pursuit;
 - b. If an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as part of a business enterprise, the Exhibitor has an ABN, but the Exhibitor is NOT REGISTERED for GST.
- 9.5. If an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as part of a business enterprise, the Exhibitor is not entitled to an ABN as the business or enterprise is not operating in Australia.
- 9.6. GST will apply if an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as part of a business enterprise, the Exhibitor has an ABN, and the Exhibitor is REGISTERED for GST.
- 9.7. Where GST applies, the Society will pay the prize money quoted in this Schedule plus 10% GST. The Society will issue a recipient created tax invoice

10. PRIZE AWARDS

- 10.1. The Prize Ribbons / Rosettes / Sashes, affixed to Exhibits, shall be distinguished by the following colours,

Supreme Champion	Wide Sash any colour at Show's discretion
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Grand Champion	Red, White and Blue Sash or equivalent
Champion	Purple Sash or equivalent
Reserve Champion	Dark Green Sash or equivalent
First	Blue Ribbon or equivalent
Second	Red Ribbon or equivalent
Third	White Ribbon or equivalent
Fourth	Yellow Ribbon or equivalent
Fifth	Light Green Ribbon or equivalent
Sixth	Brown Ribbon or equivalent
Seventh	Buff Ribbon or equivalent
Eighth	Pink Ribbon or equivalent
Ninth	Orange Ribbon or equivalent
Tenth	Grey Ribbon or equivalent
Special Prizes	Pale Blue Ribbon or equivalent

10.2. For Group Classes (e.g. Dairy Cattle):

First	Pink and Blue
Second	Pink and Red
Third	Pink and White
Fourth	Pink and Yellow

10.3. All cash prizes and trophies must be claimed within six months from the closing date of the show (or as otherwise advised in this schedule). Prizes not claimed and prize cheques not presented by that date will be considered to have lapsed, and the amount will become a donation to the society.

11. PROTESTS

- 11.1. A protest against a Judge's Award must:
- be in writing addressed to the Secretary, and signed by the person lodging the protest;
 - be lodged by delivery to the Secretary's Office within twenty-four hours of the making of the Award;
 - give the name and address of the person lodging the protest, and where two or more persons join in the protest, state which one of those persons is authorised to receive correspondence or notices on behalf of all;
 - set out in reasonable detail particulars of the matter complained of including but not necessarily limited to the number of the Class and the Award protested against;
 - Be accompanied by a deposit of \$50.
- 11.2. The Secretary shall advise the President when a protest is received and the President shall appoint a Protest Board consisting of such members of the Board as she/he may determine to consider and determine the matter.
- 11.3. The Protest Board shall proceed in all respects according to the justice of the case and may decide the issue according to equity and good conscience

without being bound by legal technicalities or the laws of evidence.

- A protest shall not be upheld on the ground that the Judge made an honest but incorrect decision unless it is proved to the satisfaction of the Protest Board that the Judge had been wilfully or accidentally misled by the act of some other person.
- If the Protest Board should be of the opinion that the protest was frivolous the deposit may be forfeited.
- The decision of the Protest Board shall be final and conclusive.
- For the purpose of this regulation an Award shall be deemed to be made when the results of the class in question are announced or otherwise made available to the public.

12. DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE

- 12.1. The functions of the Disciplinary Committee shall be to hear and determine all complaints, allegations and other matters relating to
- Prohibited substances, as defined in these General Rules or Sectional Regulations.
 - any alleged breach of the Rules, By-Laws and Regulations of the Society by an exhibitor and relating to an exhibit or to a competition, except if the alleged breach is of a kind that the Chief Steward of a Section considers is of a less serious nature and should properly be dealt with by the Sectional Sub Committee, and;
 - Any other alleged breach of the Rules, By- Laws and Regulations of the Society that may be referred to Disciplinary Committee.
- 12.2. The Disciplinary Committee shall comprise of such members of the Societies Management Committee as are appointed by the Management Committee from time to time.
- 12.3. The Management Committee shall appoint a member of the Disciplinary Committee as Chairman of the Disciplinary Committee.
- 12.4. For the purposes of any proceedings of the Disciplinary Committee, the Disciplinary Committee shall comprise, no less than three of its members and those persons shall constitute the Disciplinary Committee for the purpose of those proceedings.
- 12.5. If a member of the Disciplinary Committee dies or becomes otherwise unable or unwilling to participate in proceedings, then:
- If this occurs prior to the commencement of any hearing in relation to the matter, the Chairman of the Disciplinary Committee shall appoint a



- replacement; and,
- b. If this occurs after the commencement of any hearing in relation to the matter, the remaining members of the Disciplinary Committee shall constitute the Committee for the purposes of concluding the proceedings.
 - c. Proceedings before the Disciplinary Committee may be initiated:
 - d. Upon the request, orally or in writing, of the President.
 - e. Upon receipt by the Chairman of the Disciplinary Committee of a written complaint relating to a matter referred to in these regulations.
 - f. By the Chairman of the Disciplinary Committee on his or her own motion.
 - g. The Disciplinary Committee may conduct proceedings at any time.
- 12.6. All persons who constitute the Disciplinary Committee for the purposes of any proceedings must be present at any hearing conducted by the Disciplinary Committee.
 - 12.7. A person whose conduct is called into question in any proceedings before the Disciplinary Committee must be given notice of a hearing. It shall be sufficient for such notice to be given orally and by any such person acting with the apparent authority of the Society.
 - 12.8. The Disciplinary Committee may conduct proceedings notwithstanding that any person who has been given notice fails to attend the proceedings.
 - 12.9. The Disciplinary Committee shall not be bound by any rules of evidence and shall conduct the proceedings with the minimum of formality and in such a manner as it sees fit.
 - 12.10. The Disciplinary Committee may require any member or exhibitor to attend at any proceedings of the Disciplinary Committee and to furnish such information and evidence and to produce such documents relevant to the proceedings as to the Disciplinary Committee seems fit.
 - 12.11. The Disciplinary Committee may, at its discretion, call for and hear expert evidence.
 - 12.12. No person will be legally represented without the leave of the Disciplinary Committee
 - 12.13. The Disciplinary Committee may announce its decision orally or in writing. A decision that announced orally shall have effect in accordance with its terms.
 - 12.14. If the opinion of the Disciplinary Committee is not unanimous, the decision of the majority shall prevail. If the Disciplinary Committee are equally divided on any question concerning the guilt or innocence of a person, the question shall be resolved in that person's favour.
- 13. PENALTIES**
- 13.1. If the Disciplinary Committee considers that there has been a breach of the rules, By-laws or regulations of the Society, it may impose such a penalty as it considers to be appropriate, including without limitation:
 - a. a reprimand;
 - b. a monetary fine (payable at such time/s as the Disciplinary Committee may determine);
 - c. withdrawal or withholding of any award or ribbon;
 - d. disqualification in respect of any class;
 - e. expulsion from the Showground;
 - f. where the person concerned is a member, a suspension or termination of that membership;
 - g. a ban;
 - h. exclusion;
 - i. prohibiting a Person from exhibiting or competing at the current Show or at any future Show;
 - j. a direction that an Exhibit be removed from the Showground;
 - k. any other mandatory requirement;
 - l. Any other penalty provided for in other regulations of the Society.
 - 13.2. There shall be no appeal from any decision of the Disciplinary Committee.
 - 13.3. The Association may publish to:
 - a. all Agricultural Societies in Queensland;
 - b. the Queensland Chamber of Agricultural Societies;
 - c. the relevant Breed Societies;
 - d. the body with which the exhibit is registered, or is eligible for registration;
 - e. the result of any proceedings before the Disciplinary Committee in which a person has been found guilty of a breach of any Rule, By-Law or Regulation.
 - 13.4. The Society shall have no liability to any person in respect of any publication referred to above.
 - 13.5. No person shall have any claim against the Society or against any Committee member, member, employee, volunteer or agent of the Society in respect of any act, matter or thing done in good faith during or in connection with the proceedings before the Disciplinary Committee.