

Te Aroha Hack & Hunters

Qualifying Show

Sunday October 25th 2026

WAIHOU RECREATION RESERVE

33 Ngutumanga Road, Waihou

Full Canteen (Cash Only)

ENTRIES close October 23th 2026 5pm

\$10 Ground fee applies to non members

Officers

President: Carol Forsythe

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Events Coordinator: Karen Brooks

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Disclaimer:

Te Aroha Hack & Hunters continues to strive to support all aspects of the Equestrian Community, Each Ring shall have a set entry fee inclusive of RAS levies, We would also like to acknowledge the hard work put in by surrounding committees and have made the decision to not accept any forms of donations or sponsorship in order to not impact their shows in any monetary way. Based on this decision we will not be offering any prize money for our classes and have set entries as all inclusive of RAS Levies,

PLEASE NOTE: THE SHOW COUNTS AS A 2027 SHOWING TITLES ATTENDANCE, BUT ONLY ENTRIES IN RAS QUALIFIER SECTIONS GAIN RAS QUALIFICATION PLACINGS AT SHOWING TITLES 2027

- All hay and manure must be taken home with you
- All non-members incur a \$10 Ground Fee per horse
- Yards available – \$10 per day
- Overnight camping available – \$25 per yard

Rules and Conditions

1. Run under the Bylaws and Regulations of the RAS Equestrian Rule Book
2. In-Line Resolution Process Policy will be enforced in cases of offences in respect of abuse of animals or inappropriate behaviour as per the RAS Constitution and the RAS Rules & Regulations. RAS No entries will be accepted unless accompanied by fees
3. website - www.ras.org.nz
4. Clean Sport - The rules of the Royal A&P Society NZ in regard to Clean Sport apply. Competitors are advised that tests for forbidden substances may be carried out during the Show/Event and that testing of all animals is at the person's responsible risk. Forbidden substance - any substance capable of affecting the speed, stamina, courage or conduct of a horse or pony.
5. The show committee reserves the right to refuse or cancel any entry without deducting any reason for doing so.
6. In all ridden events an approved safety helmet must be worn. Note: All riders must wear an approved 'yellow' tagged helmet, which must conform with one of the current approved safety standards.
7. Whiskers and Inner Ear trimming - as from 1st January 2022 - there is to be no trimming of whiskers, eye or inner ear hair/whiskers of Horses/Ponies competing at RAS affiliated A&P shows/events.
8. The measuring rules of the RAS of NZ will apply at this show. All horses and Ponies competing in RAS Qualifying Rings must have a current height certificate which shall be presented on request.
9. Starting times are approximate only, but will be adhered to as closely as possible. Although it is provided that horses may compete in more than one class, or any or all such classes may be judged simultaneously at the convenience of the judges or stewards, in all such cases exhibitors having an exhibit in more than one class must elect in which class they compete. The steward will call their name twice only. Entry fees will not be refunded if an event is missed through not hearing the call.
10. Refunds are at the discretion of the Show Committee
11. Performance Cards: It is the responsibility of the owner/rider to present these to the Horse/Pony ring office for updating.
12. Rider/Handlers age and eligibility is determined as per the 1st of August i.e. riders/handlers who are of age for any division/section of the 1st of August completes the show year/season in that division/section.
13. Protests must be submitted to the secretary within 30 minutes of the completion of the section along with a \$100 deposit.
14. NOTE: GR 8. Fall of Rider: If a rider has a fall or suspected head injury, at any time at a RAS affiliated Show/Event in the: competition ring/arena, practice / warmup / collecting ring / arena; or elsewhere within the grounds of where the show/event is being convened, the rider must be removed from the activity and checked by the show/event's nominated First Aid service/personnel and be given the 'all-clear' before the rider is permitted to re-mount and continue riding at the show/event.

Disclosure Statement

PLEASE READ ** IMPORTANT INFORMATION Conditions

The competitor or Exhibitor must comply with the appropriate Legislation and the Health and Safety at work act 2015. Each Competitor and/or exhibitor must supervise and control their animals at all times and shall be liable for any risk

created, accident, illness or damage caused by the action of themselves at grounds of Te Aroha Hack and Hunters.

Declaration

I am the Exhibitor and/or competitor of the horse/pony stated on this form at the above event. I understand that, neither the Organising Committee of Te Aroha Hack and Hunters Inc. Nor any agent, employee or representative of those bodies, accepts any liability for any accident, loss, damage, injury or illness to horse/pony owners, riders, spectators, vehicles, their contents and accessories or any other personal property whether caused by their negligence, breach of contract or in any way whatsoever. I am the owner or his/her Authorised Agent and have been authorised by the owner to make this entry. I certify that I have read, and understand and will abide by the Rules and Regulations of Te Aroha Hack and Hunters and RAS and that I and my horse/pony(s) are eligible for any class we are competing in. I consent in terms of the Privacy Act 1993 to the information on this form being used by the Organising Committee and by RAS for all purposes connected with the administration of equestrian sport in New Zealand.

I comply with the Health and Safety I agree that Work Act 2015 and any amendments,

and will supervise and control my horse/pony(s) at all times and shall report and be liable for any hazard created, accident, illness or damage I cause at the venue of the event.

If I am 18 years old or under and I accept the following terms and conditions:

- Parents are responsible for under 18 Year Olds at all times - i.e. they must be supervised by a parent, guardian or other nominated adult.
- Adhere to the following ESNZ Policies, all of which can be found at the following link:
 - Code of Conduct
 - Behaviour Policy
 - Drug and Alcohol Policy
 - Social Media Policy

Health & Safety and Hazards

Please be aware of the following hazards whilst attending any area of the Te Aroha Hack and Hunters facility.

General Awareness:

Riding is a high risk sporting activity.

Riders need to employ the best practice possible when riding and handling horses.

Please remember to keep an eye out for small children and spectators, all children must be supervised at all times.

Please ensure you are not taking unnecessary risks when managing yourself, horse or vehicle.

Horses are unpredictable, always pay attention and avoid walking directly behind them.

Correct footwear with covered toes, helmets and appropriate clothing is required.

Please ensure you are careful when manoeuvring your vehicle and parking on the property.

Treat all electric fences as being on and stay out of roped off areas.

Be aware of all and any tools, rakes, shovels, wheelbarrows, buckets etc. that may cause injury.

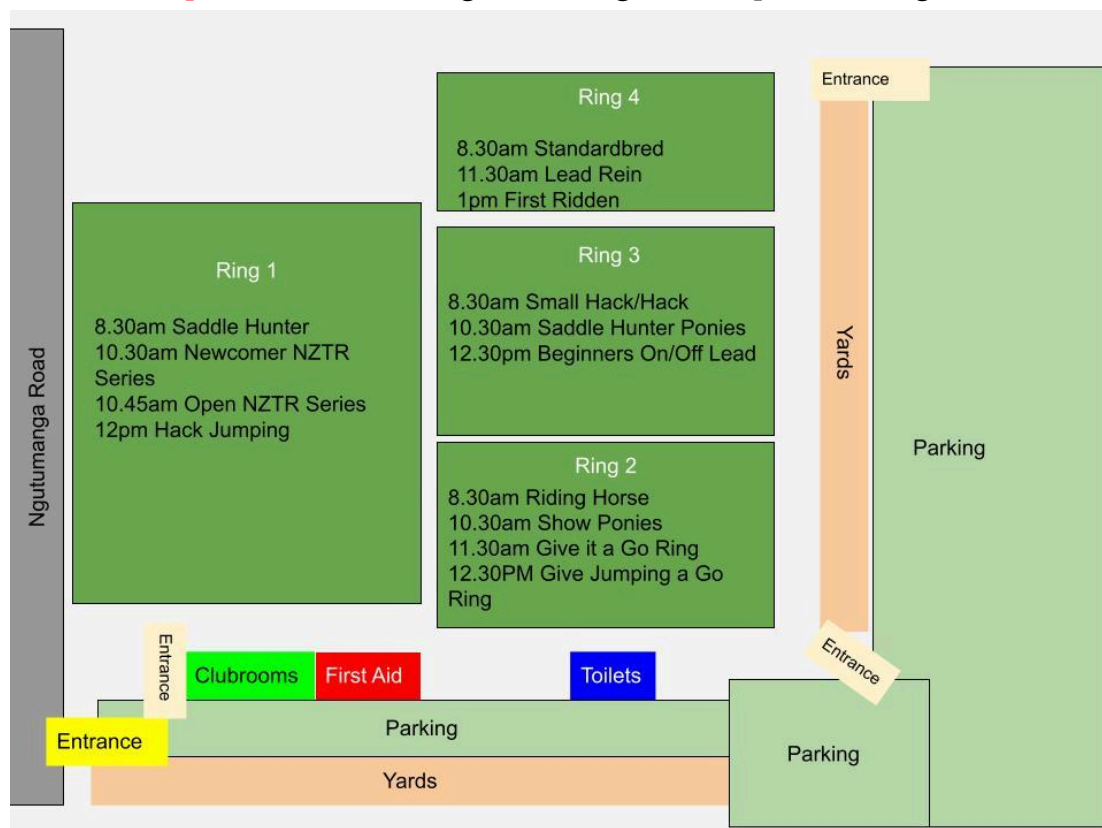
List of Hazards:

- Horses and Ponies - Ridden, lead, yarded, tacked up, grooming, washing etc.
- Property in general - Contour of property, and weather conditions which can affect ground conditions making areas slippery, dust, ground hard or soft.
- Equipment - Jump poles, jump stands, barrels, obstacles, cross-country jumps/obstacles.
- Buildings and Gateways
- Water and water troughs - situated in yards and paddocks.
- Movement of vehicles.

It is also the visitors responsibility to make Te Aroha Hack and Hunters aware of any potential hazards. If you have any health & safety concerns please bring them to the attention of the Event Manager

TIME TABLE

8.30AM	Saddle Hunter-- Ring 1 RAS QUALIFIER SECTION- Riding Horse -- Ring 2 RAS QUALIFIER SECTION- Small Hack/ Hack - Ring 3 RAS QUALIFIER SECTION- Standardbred- ring 4 RAS QUALIFIER SECTION-
10.30AM	Newcomer NZTR Ring 1 RAS QUALIFIER SECTION- Show Ponies - - Ring 2 RAS QUALIFIER SECTION- Saddle Hunter Ponies- Ring 3 RAS QUALIFIER SECTION
10.45AM	OPEN NZTR Ring 1 RAS QUALIFIER SECTION-
11.30AM	Lead Rein - -Ring 4 RAS QUALIFIER SECTION - Give it a go Ring-- Ring 2- Advanced Beginners Ring 3
12pm	Hack Jumping - Ring 1 RAS QUALIFIER SECTION-
12.30pm	Give jumping a go Ring-- Ring 2- Beginners On and off lead - Ring 3
1pm	First Ridden - -Ring 4 RAS QUALIFIER SECTION-
1.30pm	Advanced beginners-Ring 3 (at completion of Beginners)



LEAD REIN Entry Fee \$25 (Set fee)

The judging criteria is 60% suitability, temperament and safeness, and 40% conformation and paces. Riders in this section may not enter any other section, Riders must be under eight (8) years of age, with a minimum age of four (4) years. Ponies to be led by a leader/attendant (14 years and over) with the lead rein attached to the cavesson noseband of a snaffle bridle Ponies will be asked to walk and trot

Class 159 Best Presented

Class 160 Novice Lead Rein Pony, not exceeding 128cm – 0-2 wins.

Class 161 Novice Lead Rein Pony, not exceeding 128cm – 0-5 wins.

Class 162 Open Lead Rein Pony, not exceeding 123cm

Class 163 Open Lead Rein Pony, over 123cm and not exceeding 128cm

Champion and Reserve Champion Lead Rein Pony (To be judged from the winners of classes 170, 161, 162, 163. Second placed Lead Rein Pony to the Champion to be judged alongside the remaining winners for Reserve Champion)

Class 164 Open Paced & Mannered Lead Rein Pony

Class 165 Best Rider

FIRST RIDDEN Entry Fee \$25 (Set fee)

This is a transition ring from being led to riding on your own. Riders in this section may not enter any other section, A First Ridden Rider is only able to compete in the First Ridden Section for a maximum of twenty-four (24) months from the date of their first Show. The age limit in the First Ridden Section is under 10 years. In this section, the judging criteria is 60% suitability, temperament and safeness, and 40% conformation and paces.

Class 169 Best Presented

Class 170 Novice First Ridden Pony, not exceeding 138cm - 0-2 wins

Class 171 Novice First Ridden Pony, not exceeding 138cm - 0-5 wins

Class 172 Open First Ridden Pony, not exceeding 128cm

Class 173 Open First Ridden Pony, over 128cm and not exceeding 138cm

Champion and Reserve Champion First Ridden Pony (To be judged from the winners of classes 170, 171, 172, 173. Second placed First Ridden Pony to the Champion to be judged alongside the remaining winners for Reserve Champion)

Class 174 Novice Paced and Mannered First Ridden Pony 0-5 wins

Class 175 Open Paced and Mannered First Ridden Pony

Class 176 Novice Rider (First Ridden Section) 0-5 wins

Class 177 Open Rider (First Ridden Section)

SHOW PONY Entry Fee \$25 (Set fee)

Class 179 Best Presented

Class 180 Novice Show Pony, 0-2 wins

Class 181 Novice Show Pony, 0-5 wins

Class 182 Novice Paced and Mannered Show Pony, 0-5 wins

Champion and Reserve Champion novice Show Pony

Class 183 Open Show Pony, not exceeding 128cm

Class 184 Open Show Pony, over 128cm and not exceeding 138cm

Class 185 Open Show Pony, over 138cm and not exceeding 148cm

Champion and Reserve Champion Open Show Pony (To be judged from classes 183, 184, 185.

Second placed Show Pony to the Champion to be judged alongside the remaining winners for Reserve Champion)

Class 186 Open Paced and Mannered Show Pony

SADDLE HUNTER PONY Entry Fee \$25 (Set fee)

A Pony may only be entered in the Show Pony Section or the Saddle Hunter Pony Section - not both. All novice pony classes are open to riders of any age. Note: Shows can still run a Novice 0-2 class as well as the Novice 0-5 class and then have a Novice Championship for these two classes, if they so choose.

Class 189 Best Presented

Class 190 Novice Saddle Hunter Pony, 0-2 wins

Class 191 Novice Saddle Hunter Pony, 0-5 wins

Champion and Reserve Champion Novice Saddle Hunter Pony

Class 192 Novice Paced and Mannered Saddle Hunter Pony, 0-5 wins

Class 193 Open Saddle Hunter Pony, not exceeding 128cm

Class 194 Open Saddle Hunter Pony, over 128cm and not exceeding 138cm

Class 195 Open Saddle Hunter Pony, over 138cm and not exceeding 148cm

Champion and Reserve Champion Open Saddle Hunter Pony (To be judged from classes

193, 194, 195, Second placed Saddle Hunter Pony to the Champion to be judged alongside the remaining winners for Reserve Champion)

Class 196 Open Paced and Mannered Saddle Hunter Pony

SMALL HACK/HACK Entry Fee \$25 (Set fee)

An exhibit may only be entered in the Show Hack or Riding Horse or Saddle Hunter section.

Class 200 Novice Small Hack to 158cm, 0-2 wins

Class 201 Novice Small Hack to 158cm, 0-5 wins

Champion and Reserve Champion Novice Small Hack

Class 202 Novice Paced and Mannered Hack, 0-5 wins

Class 203 Open Hack, over 148cm and not exceeding 153cm

Class 204 Open Hack, over 153cm and not exceeding 158cm

Champion and Reserve Champion Open Small Hack (To be judged from Class 203 & 204).

Second placed Small Hack to the Champion to be judged alongside the remaining winners for Reserve Champion Open Small Hack

Class 207 Open Hack, over 158cm and not exceeding 163cm

Class 208 Open Hack, over 163cm

Champion and Reserve Open Large Hack (To be judged from classes 207 & 208 only. Second placed Large Hack to the Champion to be judged alongside the remaining winners for Reserve Champion Open Large Hack)

Class 209 Open Paced and Mannered Small Hack, over 148cm and not exceeding 158cm

Class 210 Open Paced and Mannered Large Hack over 158cm

RIDING HORSE Entry Fee \$25 (Set fee)

An exhibit may only be entered in the Show Hack or Riding Horse or Saddle Hunter section.

Horses will be required to gallop within the confines and constraints of the venue involved. The Novice status of the horse from previous Show Hack, Park Hack or Saddle Hunter competitions will apply to this 'Riding Horse' section.

Class 220 Novice Riding Horse, 0-2 wins

Class 221 Novice Riding Horse, 0-5 wins

Champion and Reserve Champion Novice Riding Horse

Class 222 Novice Paced & Mannered Riding Horse, 0 – 5 wins

Class 223 Open Riding Horse, over 148cm, and not exceeding 163cm

Class 224 Open Riding Horse, over 163cm

Champion and Reserve Champion Open Riding Horse (To be judged from the winners of Open height classes only. Second placed Riding Horse to the Champion to be judged alongside the remaining winners for Reserve Champion). OR Open Riding Horse – Best Paces to be Judged Open Riding Horse – Best Manners to be Judged '

Class 225 Open Paced and Mannered Riding Horse

SADDLE HUNTER Entry Fee \$25 (Set fee)

. Horses will be required to gallop within the confines and constraints of the venue involved.

Class 230 Novice Saddle Hunter, 0-2 wins

Class 231 Novice Saddle Hunter, 0-5 wins

Champion and Reserve Champion Novice Saddle Hunter

Class 232 Novice Paced and Mannered Saddle Hunter, 0-5 wins.

Class 234 Open Saddle Hunter, over 148cm and not exceeding 163cm

Class 235 Open Saddle Hunter, over 163cm

Champion and Reserve Champion Open Saddle Hunter (To be judged from the winners of Open height classes only. Second placed Saddle Hunter to the Champion to be judged alongside the remaining winners for reserve)

Class 236 Open Paced and Mannered Saddle Hunter

Class 100 NZTR THOROUGHBRED LOVE RACING A&P SHOW SERIES

NEWCOMER Entry Fee \$10

Prize Money – 1st \$100, 2nd \$50, 3rd \$30, 4th \$20 will be awarded if 5 or more entries are received. 3 or less entries – no prize money, ribbons to 4th place.

Thoroughbred horse, Registered to any Thoroughbred stud book, either in NZ or overseas Sire and Dam must be listed at time of entry.

Judging 80% confirmation, 20% Paces and Manners

Judging to assess each horse individually with saddles removed. After they have been assessed, Horses to show true Thoroughbred qualities. Horses to show good walk as well as gallop.

Series winner 2026-2027 will be awarded at RASC 2027

Class 101 NZTR THOROUGHBRED LOVE RACING A&P SHOW SERIES

OPEN Entry Fee \$10

Prize Money – 1st \$100, 2nd \$50, 3rd \$30, 4th \$20 will be awarded if 5 or more entries are received. 3 or less entries – no prize money, ribbons to 4th place.

Thoroughbred horse, Registered to any Thoroughbred stud book, either in NZ or overseas Sire and Dam must be listed at time of entry.

Judging 80% confirmation, 20% Paces and Manners

Judging to assess each horse individually with saddles removed. After they have been assessed, Horses to show true Thoroughbred qualities. Horses to show good walk as well as gallop.

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WORKING HUNTER HORSE Entry Fee \$20 (Set fee)

JUDGE

STEWARD

Working Hunter judged on 40% Jumping Style,30% Conformation,30% Paces and
Manners. No boots or bandages to be worn in this section

CLASS 240 Novice Working Hunter 0-5 wins

CLASS 241 Open Working Hunter over 148cm but not exceeding 163cm

CLASS 242 Open Working Hunter over 163cm

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION WORKING HUNTER

To be judged from winners of classes 241 and 242 Second place getters to standby

HUNTER JUMPING Entry Fee \$25 (Set fee)

JUDGE

STEWARD Marie

CLASS 243 Best combination over fences

CLASS 244 Novice Hunter over fences 0-5 win

CLASS 245 Open Hunter over fences over 148cm but not exceeding 163cm

CLASS 246 Open Hunter over fences over 163cm

CLASS 247 Wire Jump

CLASS 248 Open Hunter Over fences **Winner to receive \$100**

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION HUNTER JUMPING HORSE

To be awarded to the 1st and 2nd place getters of class 358

CLASS 249 Best rider over fences 17 years and under 21 years

CLASS 250 Best rider over fences 21 years and over

STANDARD BRED Entry Fee \$40 (Set fee)



STANDARD BRED SCHEDULE RULES

- Horses age as of the 1st August.
- Competitors must state their NZSBA Passport registration number on entry forms. Entry's may not be accepted with it
- All Standardbreds must carry a brand or a microchip that is registered with Harness Racing New Zealand.
- NZSBA Passports must be carried by all Standardbreds for both Inhand & Ridden sections for identification.
- RAS Height Certificates are not required for the Inhand section, unless classes are defined by height.
- RAS Height Certificates must be carried by all Standardbreds in the Ridden section and wins recorded in it under the Breed / Standardbred section.
- Novice horses to be ridden in a snaffle bridle.
- On entering the ring, Competitors must present their NZSBA Showing Passport to the Steward to check - a strict policy of "no passport - no entry" will be in place at all shows

STANDARD BRED- INHAND

CLASS 265 Best Presented Horse and Handler

CLASS 266 Filly/Mare

CLASS 267 Gelding/Colt/Stallion

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION INHAND STANDARD BRED

To be judged from the winners of classes 206 and 207

Second placegetters to standby

CLASS 268 Best Handler

STANDARD BRED - RIDDEN

To follow In Hand - Saturday -

JUDGE

STEWARD

CLASS 269 Best Rider

CLASS 270 Novice 0-2 wins 158cm and under

CLASS 271 Novice 0-5 wins Over 158cm

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION NOVICE STANDARD BRED

To be judged from the winners of classes 212 and 213

Second placegetters to standby

CLASS 272 Open 158cm and under

CLASS 273 Open Over 158cm

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION STANDARD BRED

To be judged from the winners of classes 214 and 215

Second placegetters to standby

CLASS 274 Best Paced & Mannered

THE FOLLOWING RINGS ARE 'GRASSROOTS' RINGS, NO HEIGHT
CERTIFICATES REQUIRED

RECYCLED RIBBONS

BEGINNERS ON AND OFF LEAD RING_(under 10 yrs) *Entry Fee \$25 (Set fee)*

walking and trotting only, no jumping

Class 500 Best presented

Class 501 Best mannered mount

Class 502 Best Paced Mount

Class 503 Walking Race

Class 504 Best Combination

Class 505 Rider on the flat

CHAMPION

RESERVE

ADVANCED BEGINNER*Entry Fee \$25 (Set fee)*

Class 510 Best Presented

Class 511 Best Walk

Class 512 Best Trot

Class 513 Best mannered mount

Class 514 Best combination

Class 515 Best Rider

Class 516 Creeping up Race

Champion

Reserve Champion

GIVE IT A GO RINGEntry Fee \$25 (Set fee)

This ring is aimed at Grassroots riders 10 years to 120!! It is not for riders regularly seen in the Open rings at A&P level. It is aimed to be a fun low level 'give it a go' Ring (A combination of Improvers and Adult Improvers)
Ring may be split dependant on numbers

- Class 520 Best Presented
- Class 521 Best Walk
- Class 522 Best Trot
- Class 523 Best Paced mount
- Class 524 Best Mannered mount
- Class 525 Rider on Flat
- Class 526 Best Combination

Champion

Reserve Champion

GIVE JUMPING A GO RINGEntry Fee \$25 (Set fee)

This ring is aimed at Grassroots riders 10 years to 120!! It is not for riders regularly seen in the Open rings at A&P level.

This ring is a stepping stone for riders aiming for the Open rings
Jumps will be solid RTR type jumps ranging from 55-75cm
Ring may be split dependant on numbers

- Class 530 Walk Trot Canter Jump
- Class 531 Rider over Jumps
- Class 532 Handy Hunter
- Class 533 Wire Jump

Champion

Reserve Champion

