



## February Flier

### National Finals Show

Our season has kicked off well. As a council we are always striving to do the best for cutting in NZ. With our two major shows just around the corner, we are looking into getting an Australian judge for the National Finals. The cost to do so is similar to bringing one over for the futurity approximately \$1400. We as an association cannot afford to take this extra money out of our main accounts as it already provides the \$1500 towards the purse. There are two ways round this.

1. We charge a separate fee on top of your total entry fees. With the calculations that have been done with probable contestants entering, the cost is approximately \$70 per person entered.
2. Or if the members can find sponsorship for either the purses or for judges costs then this cost to entrants could be reduced. The pre-budget for the National finals predicts that without an Australian judge the National Finals will run at a \$709 loss or with an Australian Judge with competitor fee of \$70 the show will still run at a loss of \$600.

Have a think about our options and get back to Karen Matchitt [bonus3@xtra.co.nz](mailto:bonus3@xtra.co.nz) with your ideas and feedback, council are having a brief meeting to finalise arrangements after the Saturday show at Mackies on 20<sup>th</sup> Feb.

The venue for the Nationals is still being confirmed, however we can say they will not be at

Te Uranga B2 Inc, Taumaranui. At this stage Jack who was the manager at Te Uranga B2 is now managing Te Pa Station, near Waiouru and he is very happy to have us there for the Nationals, so we are just waiting for approval from the Atihau-Whanganui Incorporation before we go ahead with the show approval.

Could all of last year trophy winners please ensure the trophies are engraved and returned in clean condition, thank you?

### Information for CPCHC Sitemans Show 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> Feb.

Things are a little different this year and all competitors and spectators will have to come totally self-sufficient, no billy tea or scones this year. The nearest toilet is across by the arena (a good walk away), so bring your own if you have one, also bring enough drinking water for yourself and if possible some for your horse/s, the stream maybe running as a back-up.

Saturday's dinner will still be a communal meal at the camp site, no fancy kitchen gadgets or tables, but we will have a couple of BBQs, you will need your own plates, cutlery, chairs etc.

For those parking on the road, please ensure there is sufficient room for stock trucks and locals to pass safely.

## South Island Finals Show

	<b>NZCHA Application for Approval of Cutting Competition</b>						
We <b>CSCHC - SOUTH ISLAND FINALS</b>							
hereby make application for the approval of our cutting competition to be held at							
<b>TBA</b>	Date: <b>12th &amp; 13th March 2016</b> Start time: <b>3pm/10am</b>						
Entries Close: <b>5-Mar-16</b>	Judge/s: <b>Craig Laird</b>						
Show Secretary: <u>Janine Taylor</u> Phone: <u>03 689 2781</u>							
Address: <u>Mt Aitken, 146 South Bouthwaites Road, RD 7, Waimate 7977</u>							
CONTEST	Category CH or JP	Minimum Guaranteed Purse	Entry Fee	NZCHA Levy & Insurance	Office Fee	Cattle Hire	Total Cost
Open Horse	CH	\$205.00	\$41.00	\$ 7.00	\$2.50	\$6.00	\$ 56.50
Novice Horse	CH	\$180.00	\$36.00	\$ 7.00	\$2.50	\$6.00	\$ 51.50
Open Non Pro	CH	\$180.00	\$36.00	\$ 7.00	\$2.50	\$6.00	\$ 51.50
U\$1500 Non Pro	CH	\$128.00	\$25.60	\$ 6.00	\$2.50	\$6.00	\$ 40.10
U\$750 Non Pro	CH	\$128.00	\$25.60	\$ 6.00	\$2.50	\$6.00	\$ 40.10
Rookie	CH	\$103.00	\$20.60	\$ 6.00	\$2.50	\$6.00	\$ 35.10
Restricted	CH	\$103.00	\$20.60	\$ 6.00	\$2.50	\$6.00	\$ 35.10
Youth	CH	\$70.00	\$14.00	\$ 5.00	\$2.50	\$6.00	\$ 27.50
S naffle Bit	CH	\$70.00	\$14.00	\$ 5.00	\$2.50	\$6.00	\$ 27.50
The CSCHC will be holding a Club Novice/Maiden and Open S naffle Bit class each day.							
NB Saturday 1st go round and Sunday 2nd go rounds. Payout to placegetters based on aggregate judges score from both go rounds							

Other show approvals still to come:

CPCHC Superstakes  
 North Island Finals  
 National Finals  
 Futurity Show

Next Chatter due beginning of March 2016.