



POULTRY, PIGEONS & CAGED BIRDS COMPETITORS DISCLAIMER - WAIVER

All Poultry, Pigeons & Caged Bird exhibitors must complete and sign this document. A copy must be handed into the Show Office or to the Poultry Steward prior to the start of judging. The purpose of this document is for the awareness and protection of Poultry/Bird exhibitors. The recent outbreaks in Victoria of the Avian Flu are closely monitored by the Victorian State Government and the Swan Hill District Agricultural & Pastoral Society operates under the control of the State Government regulations. As part of the Societies Bio Security Plan, all care and responsibility will be undertaken to maintain good health and safety measures during the 2025 Swan Hill District Show.

Exhibitor/Competitor Responsibilities

- Exhibitors/competitors are not to bring sick or injured poultry/birds.
- Exhibitors/competitors must not have been in/to the restricted/quarantine areas of Victoria prior to event.
- Do not allow exhibits to share common water sources (where practical).
- Ensure birds are penned or caged upon arrival.
- Exhibitor/competitor vehicles that are onsite should be clean of contaminants such as mud and manure.
- All exhibitors/competitors should minimize unnecessary contact with other exhibitors' or competitor's exhibits and should wash hands thoroughly after handling birds.
- Exhibits that become sick whilst at the showgrounds are to remain in their housed area and must be reported to the Biosecurity Manager immediately.
- Exhibits returning home should be isolated for 7-21 days and kept under observation.

Disclaimer

I hereby agree to exhibit my poultry/birds at my own risk and are aware of the current Avian Flu regulations and the risks involved.

I will also accept the discussion of the show society to remove any or all my exhibits if there is any health issues or concerns relating to my birds.

First Name: Surname:

Signed:

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