



Bunbury 9721 8850

2018

South West

Dressage Horse of the Year

Competitor Information

You can compete at all four qualifying competitions below, but you must compete at **3 of the 4** competitions to be eligible for horse of the year. Riders who compete at all four events can gain more points. Freestyles are not eligible. **FEI horses** must compete at **2 of the 4 events**.

Please note: If you are lucky enough to win one of the categories you or your authorised representative must be present in competition attire at the final Busselton event for presentations. Non-attendance risks forfeiting the award.

- Margaret River 4th March
- Bunbury 13th May
- Henty 4th & 5th August
- Busselton October 21 Final Presentations

You gain SW DHOTY points for **every test** you compete in at the four competitions if you place in the top six - must be same horse/rider combination to be eligible.

Horse of the Year points: First = 6 points - down to sixth = 1 point.

There must be at least 3 competitors in a competition class for points to be awarded except at FEI level.

In case of a tie the champion will be awarded to the combination gaining the most points in the higher tests over the four competitions. In the event of a further tie accumulated percentages will be used to decide on the winner.

Each winner will receive a sash/ribbon and a Champions Rug. Each Reserve will also receive a sash/ribbon.

Horse of the year will be awarded as follows:

***The organiser's decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.
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