



## RULES

- No registered thoroughbred race horses,
- Competitors/Jockeys must be 18 years and over to compete
- Competitors/Jockeys ride at their own risk
- Competitors/Jockeys are required to complete a Liability Disclaimer to compete
- Competitors/Jockeys must wear helmets & protective vests
- Horses can be raced in any type of saddle, a breastplate & approved racing reins
- No whips
- Competitors/Jockeys deemed dangerous to other competitors and their horses will be disqualified
- Competitors/Jockeys deemed to be under the influence of Drugs or Alcohol will not be allowed to compete
- Any dangerous misconduct on the track will result in disqualification
- Any horse deemed dangerous or unfit to race will be disqualified
- Sprints/Races will consist of up to eight horses
- Marshalling of all Competitors/Jockeys to take place at 12.30pm in the mounting yards
- Competitors/Jockeys are not allowed to cut off or cross over in front of another competitor
- Horse can only race twice on the day
- The committee reserves the right to vet horses pre and post-race
- All winners horses will be blood sampled by Stipendary Steward for drug testing
- All questions and disputes/protests are to be directed to the Track Marshal 30 minutes prior to a sprint/race and no longer than 5 minutes on completion of a sprint/race. A \$20 fee will apply for disputes/protests
- The Judge's decision is final
- The Cup is open to all horses
- Cup/Open will be restricted to one horse per stable/trainer if required. If more than 8 horses are nominated there will be a ballot.
- All sprints/races will pay three places
- If nominations in the individual sprints exceed the barrier number, a ballot will determine the runners
- Nominations may be taken on the day if positions become available
- Nominations close on the 14.08.2022.
- The Richmond Bush Sprints reserves the right to change/delete or add any rules or changes to the program

**I have read & understand the above rules and conditions to compete in the Richmond Bush Sprints.**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_