



## 2018 MCDONALD'S COROWA AUSTRALIAN BILLY CART CHAMPIONSHIPS

### RACE FORMAT

#### REGISTRATIONS AND SCRUTINEERING - Saturday 31 March 2018

1. Registrations and scrutineering is located at 163 Sanger Street (outside of Hotel Australia).
2. Entries close at 9:30 am sharp on the day (cash and Eftpos only).
3. Drivers must pick up their cart number and wristbands prior to the first race.
4. The cart number must be clearly displayed on the billy cart or the driver's helmet.
5. Driver and pit crew must wear wristband at all times during the event.
6. All billy carts and drivers must attend for scrutineering between 9 – 10am. All drivers are strongly urged to attend the scrutineering area as early as possible to avoid last minute queue resulting in missing your event.

Officials are empowered to judge the driver's condition and ability to drive.

Officials are further empowered to disqualify any driver displaying poor sportsmanship.

#### HEATS AND SCORING

1. Pole position during heats is based on a methodical selection system.
2. All efforts will be made to ensure entrants will be rotated between ramps.
3. The scoring system is as follows
  - 1<sup>st</sup> = 100 points
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> = 75 points
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> = 50 points
  - 4<sup>th</sup> = 25 points
4. First, Second or Third place getters in each age heat proceed to the finals based on the overall score.
5. Total drivers score will determine their pole position in the finals. The driver with the highest points will be nominated *Pole 1* as their start.
6. In the situation of a tie, in regards to pole position. The Chief Stewart will toss a coin. The winner of the coin toss will be allocated the better pole position.
7. Each driver will race a minimum of two races. If a driver races more than their score will be calculated using a percentage of their total points.
8. The finish marshals will determine the carts across the line.
9. In the event of a tie, where one or more of the drivers (first, second or third) receive equal highest number of points, then four carts will race in the final.
10. The finish marshals decision is final.

Racing is a game of skill and chance plays no part in determining the race heat, pole placement, contestants or eventual winners.

All event officials and judge's decisions will be final.

No appeals or correspondence will be entered into.

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1. Racing commences at 10:30 am.
2. Entrants are organised into age classes with heats raced first in the following order:
  - 9 Years and Under (3 entrants per race)
  - 10 to 13 Years
  - Celebrity Challenge
  - 14 to 17 Years
  - Open Class (18 Years and Over)
  - All Schools Challenge
  - Community Groups and Representatives
  - Finals
3. Winners of each final will be presented their trophy and prize directly after their race. All drivers are to remain in their cart until the formalities are over.

Winners of each age category will receive a trophy and \$100 prize money. A trophy will be presented to 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> and to the winning school of the All Schools Challenge.

