

### Terms & Conditions of Entry

1. All competitions and advertising leading up to and including regional finals must be titled and advertised as the “STG Australia Virtual Holstein Spectacular”.
2. At Sub-Branch level individual classes may be named after local event sponsors. Holstein Australia can use sponsor names in award announcements if sponsor names are provided prior to 31/03/2022.
3. The five official age group classes are:
  - 2-Year-Old : Born after 1/7/2019
  - 3-Year-Old : Born 1/7/2018 to 30/6/2019
  - 4-Year-Old : Born 1/7/2017 to 30/6/2018
  - 5-Year-Old : Born 1/7/2016 to 30/6/2017
  - 6-Year-Old and over (Mature) : Born on or before 30/6/2016
4. All animals entered MUST be registered Holsteins owned by financial members of Holstein Australia. Entry is free.
5. The competition is open to IN MILK animals only.
6. A maximum of 2 (two) animals per class can be entered per Holstein Australia membership
7. On the day of filming animals are NOT TO BE FITTED or haltered whilst being filmed. It is at the judge’s discretion to reject or penalise any animal that they deem to be in conflict of this ruling.
8. Entries MUST NOT be filmed by a professional photographer or videographer. It is at the judge’s discretion to reject or penalise any entrant that they deem to be in conflict of this ruling.
9. Animals MUST be filmed in accordance with the video brief ‘How to film your animals’ available on the STG Australia Virtual Holstein Spectacular page on the Holstein Australia website. Entries accompanied by video footage longer than 30 seconds may be disqualified prior to judging.
10. All videos entered into the STG Australia Virtual Holstein Spectacular are for the sole use of the competition organisers until the completion of the National Finals Presentation on the Holstein Australia Facebook page.
11. Eligibility of entries will be determined by the information stored for the animal on the Holstein Australia database. It is the responsibility of entrants to ensure that animal registration details are correct at the time of entry.
12. Entries open at 9am Tuesday 15/03/2022 and close 5pm Thursday 28/04/2022.
13. The top 2 (two) animals per class from each Sub-branch competition will progress to the regional competition. At regional level the top 2 (two) animals per class per regional will progress to the national competition.
14. Sub-Branch judging will be completed by 09/05/2022, regional judging by 17/05/2022 and national judging by 24/05/2022. Sub-branch, regional and national finalist and winner

announcements will take place during May 2022, culminating in the National Winner presentation event streamed online on 31/5/2022.

15. STG Australia Virtual Holstein Spectacular prizes will be awarded as follows:

- Certificates for the top 3 (three) animals per class in each Sub-branch competition
- Trophies for the top 3 (three) animals per class in the regional competition
- Trophies for the top 3 (three) animals per class in the national competition with \$1,000 awarded to the entrant of the winning animal in each class and \$250 to the entrant of the runner up animal in each class.