

**COMMONWEALTH  
CHAMPIONSHIP  
SHEEP DOG TRIALS**



5<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> February 2023

**Judges:**

**Barry McKenzie  
Colin Reid**

Entries Close 13<sup>th</sup> Jan 2023

*Commonwealth Championship Sheep Dog Trials are proudly affiliated with VWSDA*

**Farmer & Encouragement Trial**

**Commencing Sun 5<sup>th</sup> 8:00am Sharp;**  
Open to worker that has not won 2 farmer or 2 encouragement trials.

1<sup>st</sup> – \$40, sash & trophy  
2<sup>nd</sup> – Trophy & sash  
3<sup>rd</sup> – Sash

Sashes donated by Shane Beauglehall

**Novice Trial**

**Commencing Sun 5<sup>th</sup> TBA on Draw**  
**'Mackie' Paton Memorial trophy**  
**Top 15 to receive \$15**

1<sup>st</sup> - \$1000, sash & trophy  
2<sup>nd</sup> - \$300, sash & trophy  
3<sup>rd</sup> - \$200, sash & trophy  
4<sup>th</sup> - \$100, sash & trophy  
5<sup>th</sup> - \$50

**Improver Trial**

**Kevin Farley Memorial trophy**

1<sup>st</sup> - \$700, sash & trophy  
2<sup>nd</sup> - \$200, sash & trophy  
3<sup>rd</sup> - \$150, sash & trophy  
4<sup>th</sup> - \$75  
5<sup>th</sup> - \$50  
6<sup>th</sup> - \$25

**Open Trial**

**Walker Johnson Memorial trophy**  
**Moyne shire Open Top 20 = \$20/each**

1<sup>st</sup> – \$2500, sash & trophy  
2<sup>nd</sup> – \$600, sash & trophy  
3<sup>rd</sup> – \$300, sash & trophy  
4<sup>th</sup> - \$155 & trophy  
5<sup>th</sup> - \$125 & trophy  
6<sup>th</sup> - \$95 & trophy  
7<sup>th</sup> - \$50

**Purina Trans Tasman Trial – 1 dog/competitor – 1<sup>st</sup> \$250, Trophy & Sash**

Highest scoring Kelpie Trophy (excluding finals) – Donated by Ann Leonards – Kinghayes Kelpies

- Novice dogs may enter Open & Improver Trial;
- Open winner is eligible to enter Champion of Champions – Nationals Canberra 2024;

***Special Trophies that will be awarded:***

- Novice; Open; Improver;
- Cast; Lift & Draw;
- Highest score in 1<sup>st</sup> draw;
- Dog that missed final;
- Highest scoring novice entered in improver and open;
- Most dogs worked during novice;
- Most dogs worked during entire trial.