



Harness Education & Re-homing Opportunities

2019 STANDARDBREDS IN ENDURANCE SERIES

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General Information

The series comprises 3 x VERA Endurance Rides

August 10	Ararat
September 14	Moyston
September 28	Landsborough

Points will be awarded for participation and completion at each event and in each distance category. (Please see Points Table)

Individual rides will offer achievement prizes, to be presented at the discretion of the HERO Program in consultation with event organisers and/or officials.

Format

Only freeze branded Standardbred horses are eligible. Proof will be requested (ie freeze brand should be visible/clipped if necessary).

The horse's Registered Racing Name (or freeze brand number if not officially named) must be used at all Endurance events.

In addition to standard VERA entry obligations, riders are required to complete a one off HERO-specific Entry Form and MUST check in with the HERO official prior to competing to be eligible for individual ride prizes.

HERO will collect and collate information from the AREASpace data base at the conclusion of each ride and determine overall Award recipients at the conclusion of the Series.

You do not have to compete in all three rides to be eligible for the overall Awards.

Individual ride awards may be chosen from but are not limited to Veterinarians' Choice, Sportsmanship, Encouragement, Performance or Achievement, Improvement or by Lucky Draw.

Entrants MUST be present at the ride presentation to receive an award. Entrants agree to their image being used to promote the ideals of Standardbreds in Endurance.

All participants and their horses are bound by the rules and bylaws of the AERA and VERA Inc.

Overall Prizes

The overall winner will receive an inscribed rug and gift voucher to the value of \$150. Every Standardbred rider who contests all three events will go into the draw to win a \$100 gift voucher.

Points Table (allocated per event)

Participation regardless of result	5 points
Successful completion under 20kms	10
Successful completion 20kms - 40kms	20
Successful completion 41 - 60kms	30
Successful completion 80kms or greater	40

Forms

Entry

https://www.vicera.com.au/images/Forms/RIDE/Ride_Entry_Form.pdf

Horse Health Declaration 3 Days

[https://www.vicera.com.au/images/Forms/RIDE/AERA -](https://www.vicera.com.au/images/Forms/RIDE/AERA_-_Horse_Health_Declaration_Form_3_days_2019.pdf)

For horses with current Hendra Virus vaccination or horses travelling from a property of origin outside any known Hendra Risk Zone.

Horse Health Declaration 10 Days

[https://www.vicera.com.au/images/Forms/RIDE/AERA -
Horse Health Declaration Form 10 days 2019.pdf](https://www.vicera.com.au/images/Forms/RIDE/AERA-_Horse_Health_Declaration_Form_10_days_2019.pdf)

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Inquiries

In the first instance, visit the VERA website (www.vicera.com.au) which will answer many of your queries and join the VERA Facebook page.

If you have a specific question which cannot be answered via the website, email

hero@hrv.org.au

NOTE: Compulsory Pre Entries for the Ararat Ride (August 10) close on August 4, 2019.