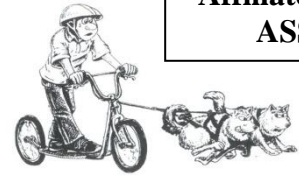




## WESTERN AUSTRALIAN SLEDDOG SPORTS ASSOCIATION

2017 RACE SEASON  
Jarrahwood Jaunt  
Info Sheet



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# Jarrahwood Jaunt – Nationals 2017

**RACE 2: Jarrahwood Pine Plantation; Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> July, 2017**

**\*This race is an IFSS accredited World Championship Race\***

WASSA Committee are delighted to bring you the second race for the season; the Australian National race of 2017 at Jarrahwood. Jarrahwood Pine Plantation is approx. 200km south of Perth, 25 km SE of Busselton, and accessed from the Vasse Highway via ~10 kms of dirt road suitable for all vehicles. Event HQ will be a bush campsite with no facilities, but plenty of room for tents, campers, RV's and caravans! (Camping fees are included with your entry fee). We will have a small number of portaloos on site, but if you can bring your own, please do.

**PLEASE NOTE** that it's a condition of our site permit from DPaW that we do not bring **soil or plant material** onto site to prevent dieback issues. Bleached, clean straw with no seeds is permitted. **If you have another kind of straw in your dog trailers, please remove it before you travel to the event site.** Please be mindful of this and bring appropriate dog bedding, clean scooters, tents and vehicles. These are superb, flat tracks and we want to ensure continued, future access to this race site. Start/Finish lines will be close to the campsite with no requirement to drive to them.

This is a morning/morning race so entrants must arrive by Friday night.

**Friday sign in: 5pm**

**Saturday Race Heat 1:** Race starts 6:00am Saturday morning. (5:30am Drivers Meeting *Compulsory*)

**Sunday Race Heat 2:** Race starts 6:00am Sunday morning. (5:30am Drivers Meeting *Compulsory*)

Drivers meeting and race start times are subject to change and controlled by the weather conditions on race weekend.

**Attendance at Drivers Meetings are compulsory for all drivers.** If you do not attend a Drivers Meeting, you will receive a penalty which will be issued by the Race Marshal. Bibs will be allocated and running order of classes will be given at the Drivers Meeting. The Race Marshal will also address possible track hazards and /or changes at this time. Helmets **MUST** be worn in ALL Classes (except canicross) and scooters/rigs equipped with appropriate cutters. Bike lights and/or helmet-mounted lights are required to be worn for races run in the dark. Equipment will be checked by the Race or Chute Marshal before each race. Please read the ASSA Race Rules and ask any questions well **BEFORE** the race.

**RACE PACKS** will be sent to all entrants shortly after entries close, with maps, directions, musher list and information for the race weekend. When submitting your entry, **please send in separate entry forms for each entrant/driver.** Multiple class entries for the same driver can be submitted on ONE form. Please check entry forms for the closing dates as no late entries will be accepted.

### Race Marshal

We're delighted to announce that Adrian Sacilotto, previous WASSA Member, is coming to be our Race Marshal for the weekend. Adrian has many years of sled dog sports under his belt, he is very friendly and open for conversation.

### Special Guests

WASSA would like to announce that Lena Boysen Hillestad and her son Andre Boysen Hillestad will be special guests in attendance at the 2017 ASSA National Championships. From Hamar in Norway about 2 hours North of Oslo Lena is one of the worlds most experienced sprint racers in both snow and dryland disciplines. She is also the most successful sprint musher with:

- 24 x World Championships
- 15 x European Championships
- 28 x Norwegian Championships

Most recent the world championships in Haliburton in Canada in January 2017 this is the third world Championships win on Snow in a row. Lena won her first Gold Medal in the Pulka discipline in 1991 also in Canada. Andre Boysen Hillestad son of Lena is the current Junior European and World Champion on snow and current European Junior Dryland Champion

See more details on Lena website <http://www.boysen-hillestad.com/21519908>

### Race Classes/Distance

8 Dog (~6.7km)	Limited to 8 dogs	Open to dogs over 12 months of age & mushers who have raced in more than 2 races
6 Dog (~6.7km)	Limited to 6 dogs	Open to dogs over 12 months of age & mushers who have raced in more than 2 races
4 Dog (~5.6km)	Limited to 4 dogs	Open to dogs over 12 months of age & mushers who have raced in more than 2 races
3 Dog (~5.6km)	Limited to 3 dogs	Open to dogs over 12 months of age & mushers who have raced in more than 2 races
2 Dog (~4.8km)	Limited to 2 dogs	Open to dogs over 12 months of age & mushers who have raced in more than 2 races
1 Dog (~3km)	1 dog only	Open to dogs over 12 months of age & mushers who have raced in more than 2 races
Touring (~2km)	1 or 2 dog only	Is a non-competitive class open to people not wishing to compete in standard classes
Veteran (~2km)	1 or 2 dog only	Is open to dogs over the age of 7 years
Puppy (~2km)	1 dog only	Open to medium breeds 9-18 months & larger breeds from 12 months.(committee's adjudication)
Novice (~2km)	1 dog only	Is for 1st year mushers or those who have competed in 2 or less previous sanctioned races
Junior (~2km)	1 dog only	Open to children from 10-16 years of age at the beginning of race season
Pee Wee (~0.5km)	1 dog only	Open to children 7-10 years of age, and may elect to have an Adult ride with them
Mini Pee Wee (~0.5km)	1 dog only	Open to children 3 to 6 years of age. Children MUST ride with an Adult.
Cannicross (~2km)	1 dog only	Open to all, including dogs that have run earlier in scooter or rig classes
Bikejoring(~3km)	1 dog only	Open to dogs over 9 months of age

**It is a condition of race entry that you may be asked to assist the Committee with various tasks during the event.**

**Please note** that some classes may be run together (subject to change and number of entries)

**Please note** that race distances are a guide only. Track maps and distances will be available in the race packs.

**Committee reserves the right to cancel a class if there are not at least 3 entries. Also note that puppy/touring/novice /junior & veteran may be run in various combinations or all together depending on number of entrants.**

**Enquiries:** [Jacqueline Hansen 0437 615 117](mailto:Jacqueline.Hansen@wassa.com.au) or [Committee@wassa.com.au](mailto:Committee@wassa.com.au)

**WASSA wishes to thank everyone involved in our race season and we hope to see you all at the races.**

### Catering

Catering will be provided for Saturday night the 15<sup>th</sup> July 2017. It is a Spit Roast Dinner with 3 meat choices, jacket potatoes and a selection of salads/vegetables. (Please provide any dietary requirements and we will try to assist).

Everyone wanting Saturday night catering is an extra **\$30 per person**

**Please let committee know how many people will be attending for the Saturday night catering.**

Apex Bunbury will be present Saturday and Sunday Mornings with food to purchase.



BUNBURY / KOOMBANA

### Costs

Camping costs for the musher are included in the race entry fees

Camping costs for non-competitors are \$10 for the weekend.

Catering costs for all individuals is \$30 if attending the Saturday Night Dinner. Catering costs are NOT included in race entry fees.

WASSA National Merchandise will be available to purchase soon, a separate order form will be provided separately.



**WESTERN AUSTRALIAN SLEDDOG  
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Presents

**The 2017 Jarrahwood Jaunt - Nationals**

**ENTRY FORM**

(Online registration is preferred)

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Class descriptions, approximate distances, arrival times, race locations and directions are explained on the Info Sheet.

NOTE: **Please fill out separate entry forms for each person entering.** Print out this form or enter online via our website

**Entries Close: Midnight Sunday July 2<sup>nd</sup> 2017.** Late entries accepted until Midnight Sunday July 9<sup>th</sup> 2017

**Race Start:** Saturday Heats 6:00am & Sunday Heats 6:00am – if temperature is acceptable for racing.

CLASSES	Code	Competing Dog/s Name	Entry Fees
Mini Pee Wee	MPW		
Pee Wee	PW		
Junior	J		
Puppy	P		
Novice	N		
Touring 1 dog <input type="checkbox"/> 2 dog <input type="checkbox"/>	T		
Veteran 1 dog <input type="checkbox"/> 2 dog <input type="checkbox"/>	V		
1 Dog	1D		
2 Dog	2D		
3 Dog	3D		
4 Dog	4D		
6 Dog	6D		
8 Dog	8D		
Canicross	CNC		
Bikejoring	BJ		
Non WASSA Member		1 x \$10 fee / race	
Non ASSA Member		1 x \$5 fee / race for Insurance	
Camping Fees- Non Musers		\$10 per person attending – No. of people _____ x \$10	
Saturday Night Buffet Dinner		\$30 per person attending – No. of people _____ x \$30	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$</b>

Please tick the classes you are entering. WASSA reserves the right to cancel any class that does not meet the minimum number of required entries. If this happens, all entrants of that class will be notified and they can then elect which alternate class they wish to compete in.

**ENTRY FEES:** Individual Class fees: P/N/T/V/CNC/BJ/1D/2D/3D/4D/6D/8D Classes: \$50 per class

Any consecutive entry is \$10/class. MPW/PW Classes: \$10 J Class: \$25/class

Entries and payment must be received by Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July, 2017, and online entry is preferred. Late entries will be accepted until Midnight Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2017 **with a late fee of \$10**

**NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED ON THE DAY OF THE RACES.**

Fees payable to WA Sled dog Sports Association by cash in person to race secretary, or by money order or Bank Deposit **BSB-633 000 Account 135893196** (Please put your surname plus 'Race 2' as description).

Posted entry forms and fees to: **WASSA PO Box 3232 MIDLAND WA 6056.** Please **DO NOT send cash by Post!**



**Entrant's Statement:** Enclosed is my entry form and fee. By submitting this entry, I state that I have read, understand, and agree to run under the rules governing the race. I agree to abide by the official decisions made at the race. I agree to be responsible for my conduct and that of my helpers and dogs. I also agree to clean up after myself and my dogs. I shall not hold the sponsoring/organizing bodies/individuals liable for any accident which may occur at the race site resulting in any loss of life, injury, damage or loss whatsoever which my dogs, my helpers or I may sustain / incur as a consequence of my entry or participation in the said events. I understand that sled dog sports may be dangerous and acknowledge that I enter the said events AT MY OWN RISK.

**Team Driver:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Team/Dogs** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ASSA No.** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **I would like to volunteer at the races: Y / N**

**Parent/Guardian Signature :( MPW/PW/J Classes):** \_\_\_\_\_

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