

HAY TOSS COMPETITION

Layout of Hay Toss Competition Area

Consists of a square '*throwing zone*' and a wedge shaped '*landing zone*' based around the design of a Javelin throwing area.

Competition Rules

- 🧺 The 'Hay Toss' is a *Distance* throwing event. It is measured from inside the arc at the front of the '*throwing zone*', to the closest point of where the bale has landed in the '*landing zone*' (not where it rolls to).
- 🧺 The '*throwing zone*' is an area 3m wide and 3m deep from within which the bale throw/toss must be executed.
- 🧺 The thrower must enter and exit the '*throwing zone*' from the back.
- 🧺 The thrower must stay within the '*throwing zone*' until the bale has landed.
- 🧺 The bale may be tossed from (a) a standing position (staying behind the arc line at the front of the '*throwing zone*'), (b) from a run up, side-step or shuffle that starts and finishes within the '*throwing zone*', or (c) from a spin executed within the '*throwing zone*'.
- 🧺 Stepping on or over the inside lines of the '*throwing zone*' extremities during the execution of the throw will result in a foul throw, and no measurement will be taken.
- 🧺 If any part of the bale lands on or outside the border lines of the bale '*landing zone*', the toss will be deemed a foul and no measurement will be taken.
- 🧺 Each competitor will only have one throw each.

Age Categories and Bale Sizes

- 🧺 **Junior (Under 12 - Mixed)** ¼ bale approx 5kg
- 🧺 **Teen (12 to <18 – Male & Female)** ½ bale approx 10kg
- 🧺 **Open (18 to <50 – Male & Female)** Full bale approx 20kg
- 🧺 **Old Farts (50 & over – Male)** ½ bale approx 10kg
- 🧺 **Old Flossies (50 & over – Female)** ¼ bale approx 5kg

Note 1 Anyone wishing to participate in the hay toss needs to *Register* and *Sign* a 'Waiver & Release Form' at the 'Office', *prior to the event*.

Note 2 A parent/caregiver must sign for anyone *under the age of 18*.

Prizes

- 1 x 'Junior Tosser' – Certificate + \$20
- 1 x Female 'Teen Tosser' - Certificate + \$40
- 1 x Male 'Teen Tosser' - Certificate + \$40
- 1 x Open Female 'Biggest Tosser' - Mug + Certificate + \$150
- 1 x Open Male 'Biggest Tosser' - Mug + Certificate + \$150
- 1 x 'Old Flossie Tosser' - Certificate + \$50
- 1 x 'Old Fart Tosser' - Certificate + \$50