



# Clydesdale Cross Sport Horse Association Inc.

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## NOTES FOR COMPLETING ONLINE REGISTRATION

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### Registration rules and regulations

Please read these rules carefully BEFORE completing the ONLINE form. **Any incomplete or incorrect will be returned.**

#### **A. General rules**

Only one horse per form.

Only horses which you have a genuine belief are PART Clydesdale may be registered. Please do not register full Clydesdale horses.

For the purposes of registering the height of your horse, "adult" means 5 years and over.

The registration of horses with the CCSHA is for life, although if the current owner(s) of the horse are not financial members of the CCSHA the registration shall be designated "suspended". Horses may only be registered once with the Association.

The initial and continuing registration of the horse is dependant upon the owner remaining a financial member of the CCSHA. All named owners or part owners MUST be members of the CCSHA. If the owner(s) are not currently members of the CCSHA, please also ensure you complete a membership application at the same time.

#### **B. Names**

If the name you have chosen is already registered, you will be contacted to choose an alternative name.

The CCSHA accepts registration of Stud Prefixes/Suffixes. A separate form is available for the registration of your stud prefix/suffix. If a prefix/suffix is already registered you may not incorporate this prefix/suffix into your name unless you have proof the horse was bred by the stud in question.

Addition of numbers to a name already in use is not allowed eg. Stolichnaya (currently registered) cannot be Stolichnaya 2 or Stolichnaya II. Addition of "The" to the beginning of a name already in use is not allowed.

#### **C. Registration Types**

The Clydesdale Cross Sport Horse Association operates two separate registers for Clydesdale Cross horses, the "Studbook" and the "Sport Horse" registry.

**STUDBOOK** registration is reserved for horses that meet at least ONE of the following criteria:

Mares and Stallions with 25% or more registered Clydesdale in their pedigree (ie. at least one grand(sire)/grand(dam) is a REGISTERED Clydesdale)

Mares and Stallions that are at minimum the first cross progeny of Studbook Mares and Stallions (ie EITHER sire or dam or BOTH are registered in the Studbook of the CCSHA)

Mares and Stallions that are the progeny of registered Clydesdale Cross Sport Horses (ie BOTH sire and dam must be registered in the Sport Horse Register)

Mares and Stallions upgraded from the Sport Horse Register due to special merit (a separate application form is available for request to upgrade)

**SPORT HORSE** registration is reserved for horses that meet at least ONE of the following criteria:

All geldings that meet the criteria outlined above for Studbook mares and Stallions

All stallions, mares and geldings that are "believed" to be part Clydesdale

Please specify which type of registration you are applying for and complete the appropriate sections of the registration form. Please ensure that all appropriate certificates are supplied. When completing registration online, your registration **WILL NOT** be processed until all appropriate certificates are sent to the CCSHA Registrar.

#### **D. Description and identification of horses**

All **STUDBOOK** horses must be either branded or microchipped. The CCSHA does not currently supply its own microchips for implantation, so only microchips already registered with another Association (such as the Equestrian Federation of Australia) will be accepted. Please supply appropriate proof of microchip implantation.

All brands will be accepted. Due to the differing rules for brand registration between States brands cannot be reserved.

**SPORT HORSE** registrations can be accepted without brands or microchips.

All simply coloured horses (ie NOT appaloosa, pinto or paint) to provide hand drawn diagrams of white markings/whorls/scars for registration. Please complete the appropriate section of the registration form using the online tools provided.

All "excessively" marked horses to provide two sets of 3 photos (one of head and forelegs, one of near and one of off side). One set of photos will be kept by the registrar and the other set signed and dated by registrar to prevent alteration and returned with certificate of registration. Your registration **WILL NOT** be processed until the appropriate photos have been received by the registrar.

All known names (sire, dam etc) to be included to be included on pedigree, as well as all information known about all horses in the pedigree. All horses registered with other breed associations should have a copy of the certificate sent to the registrar. If certificates are not enclosed, names will be included on the pedigree but noted as (for example) "Sally (unreg TB)".

Again, if you are applying for "StudBook" registration please ensure you comply with the requirements for confirmation of Clydesdale heritage.