20KM RIDERS COURSE PREVIEW

BLUE ARROWS

The Saturday 20km ride starts at 12.30pm.

Please make your way to the gate at the front of the ride base approximately 10 minutes before your start time. Now is the time to ask if you have any questions. Have your numbers ready to give the gate steward as you exit.

Your minimum ride time is 1.5 hours and your maximum ride time is 3.5 hours.

Your course will exit the Neville Showground to the LEFT and follow the road towards the Neville Hotel turning left down the main street through town. THIS IS A WALK ONLY ZONE. Even though the town is very quiet, you will encounter cars parked outside the Neville Hotel and pass residential homes so please be careful and mindful of residents.

At the Neville Siding (train carriages), you will take a LEFT onto Macquarie St and then a RIGHT onto Mandurama Street crossing OVER the tar road (Carcoar Street) and continuing down Mandurama Street on the other side which heads out onto a quiet, well maintained dirt road.

The dirt road will take you directly into a stock-route which you will follow along to the end. Look out for a WATER trough on the RIGHT side of the stock-route that the property owner has very kindly allowed us to use. Leaving the stock-route, you will head LEFT and follow the dirt road along, this is a great trot and canter spot as the road and side verges are lovely underfoot.

When you see the big windmill on your left, you will take the RIGHT turn onto Kentucky Road where you will see the CHECK-POINT and water point up ahead on your left. Please give your number to our check-point volunteers.

You will then head into the natural bushland which will loop you around for approximately 5km and back to the check-point. When you leave the check-point and get to the windmill, turn RIGHT this time to head back to the Ride Base for the final 5km.

Please go to the timing desk as you enter into the ride base and swipe your card. You will receive a timing slip. Please check your details and then head back to your camp where you can strap your horse and ready them for final vetting.

We hope you will enjoy the Neville Ride and we wish you a fun and successful weekend.

THE BELUBULA ENDURANCE TEAM