

# Australian Alpaca Association Ltd

## 2022 National Alpaca Show

### Update #9 – June 2022

## Call for Volunteers for the Nationals

An event like the AAA National Alpaca Show can only be the fun and success that we have come to know and love, without a host of volunteers to make it all happen. Not surprisingly, this year is no exception.

In the spotlight, our judges are among our volunteers, giving of their time, experience and expertise. This year our judges are:

- Halter Classes: Angela Preuss and Shane Carrey
- Fleece and Youth Events: Adrienne Clark

In order for them to do their job as well as would like, there is a veritable army of volunteers making sure things run to schedule and that we are all where we need to be, when we should be. This year, these key personnel are:

- Chief Steward Nick de Bruyn
- Ring Steward Darren Hard
- Shed Captain Shane Read
- Recorder Sharon Dawson
- Fleece conveners Ruth Goodfellow and Julie Wilkinson

For the halter judging, our Ring Steward, Darren Hard, will need about six volunteers to help him keep us all in line ... !! Our Shed Captain, Shane Read, will also need about six volunteers, to make sure we are in the marshalling area with the right alpacas when we should be ... !! (Shane will also be providing the overnight security for the alpaca pavilion, as he has so generously done in the past.)

For the fleece judging, we will also need a band of volunteers. The fleeces will be judged in Pages Flat in South Australia, with the following timetable:

- Weigh and sample all fleeces – Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> August 2022
- Suri judging – Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> August 2022
- Huacaya judging – Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> August 2022

There will be host of other roles to fulfill, including ribbon stewards, the all-important “Meet and Greet” team, support for administration and record keeping and a range of other opportunities to contribute.

We would be delighted to hear from you, to be able to add your name to the list of volunteers, who will ensure that our National Show is an outstanding success. Please put your hand up to help us showcase our wonderful alpacas.

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