



## **WA State Rockdrill Championships**

**31<sup>ST</sup> August 2019**

*Main St, Opposite Norseman Hotel, 9.30am First heat.*

*Confirmation of payment and registration from 8am. Briefing at 9am*

**Email:** [angie.fielder@epiroc.com](mailto:angie.fielder@epiroc.com)

**NO NOMINATIONS WILL BE TAKEN ON THE DAY**

**Competitors to enter at their own risk and must abide by all rules and regulations set out on the entry forms**

**Entries close Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> August @ 5.00pm**

### **WA State Rockdrill Championships 2019 limited to;**

- 40 Singles
- 20 Doubles
- 12 Jack & Jill's
- 20 No Pusher
- 12 WASM Students (limited to Volunteers)
- Veteran's competitors will be picked out of the fastest 4 times from the Singles event for a drill off to determine the winner. Veterans are competitors with ages exceeding 65 years of age
- Novice competitor will be picked out of the fastest time from the Singles event to determine the winner. Novice are competitors who have never drilled in competition before.

Email [angie.fielder@epiroc.com](mailto:angie.fielder@epiroc.com) before Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> August 2019 to reserve entry positions. Entry positions for events will be decided by a "first come, first served" basis. Payment must be received prior to the event, either by cash prior to Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> August 2019 by electronic funds transfer to:

**BANK: Goldfields Money**  
**Account Name: WA Rockdrill Club**  
**BSB: 806043**  
**Account Number: 139634**

Please include your full name as the Reference.

Clarification of successful or non successful entry positions will be sent back to entrants by the 28<sup>th</sup> of August 2019. Interstate participants may enquire about the likelihood of their position prior to this date in order to book flights.

In the event that some or all of the Championship events are oversubscribed, unsuccessful participants will be allocated a reserve number. If successful personnel fail to pay their nomination on the 28<sup>th</sup> of August 2019, their



position may be given away to the next available reserve in attendance on the day. All competitors must provide photo ID when confirming their registration on the day.

*All Competitors enter at their own risk and must abide by all rules and regulations set out on the entry forms. Entry forms are due by the 28<sup>th</sup> of August 2019 @ 5pm. Entry forms must be signed and witnessed prior to emailing back to [angie.felder@epiroc.com](mailto:angie.felder@epiroc.com) in PDF, Word or Common picture format (.JPEG, .PNG, .TIF, .GIF)*

## **Rules and Regulations**

1. Closed in shoes, eye protection and gloves must be worn. Other Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), is strongly encouraged.
2. No machine (aka, Airleg or a Rockdrill) is to be started until the bridle is down. All machines must start on the ground behind the ladder.
3. No spitting out steels.
4. Any hole that runs along the side of the steel pipe and fails to hit the backplate will result in disqualification
5. A clean hole must be drilled through the back of the concrete cylinder and must hit the rear plate. The block will be checked if in doubt.
6. Timing will start from the front of the drill stand and a false start will see competitors relegated to the rear of the stand. Second false start will result in disqualification. Times will be decided by two stop watches and an average of the two times will be the recorded time.
7. Competitors are responsible for their air and water taps to be turned on.
8. Singles competitors will commence with a short steel and drill to a mark on the steel, then change to the long steel to complete the hole. Short steel to be 90° to the ladder on the ground. 5 foot steel to be vertical in holder at start of drill.
9. Doubles first driller will drill a hole with a 5 foot long steel, retract the machine and steel and carry to the mark, hand over the 2<sup>nd</sup> driller who will drill the 2<sup>nd</sup> hole through the same block with the same steel. If holes meet or intersect before exiting the block both entrants will be disqualified in the doubles division.
10. Jack & Jill will start with the male to drill with a short steel, Complete a steel change and put a 5 foot steel back into the block. Run back to the mark and tag the female competitor to finish the hole.



11. The fastest 8 competitors in the Singles and Doubles events will progress through to the quarter finals, the fastest 4 competitors will progress through to the semi finals and the fastest 2 competitors will progress to the grand final (drill off).  
Jack & Jill will take the fastest 4 times for the Semis finals, then the fastest two times for the Grand final.
  12. The WASM student competition will be the same rules as the Singles competition and will be awarded on the fastest time. Only 1 attempt will be permitted.
  13. The Veterans competition will be picked from the fastest 4 times from the Singles division for competitors over the age of 65 years old. These fastest 4 competitors will then drill-off for the title.
  14. Novice competitor will be picked out of the fastest time from the Singles event to determine the winner. Novice are competitors who have never drilled in competition before.
  15. The head judge has the final say on any decision throughout the competition, which may or may not include grounds for a re-run.
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I \_\_\_\_\_ wish to enter the WA Rockdrill State Championships at the Norseman Gold Fever Festival, on the 31<sup>st</sup> August 2019 and compete in the following events (tick events you wish to nominate yourself for).

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| Singles (\$30)                | <input type="checkbox"/> |                     |
| Doubles Team (\$25 each)      | <input type="checkbox"/> | Partners Name _____ |
| Jack & Jill Team (\$30 team)  | <input type="checkbox"/> | Partners Name _____ |
| No Pusher (\$20 each)         | <input type="checkbox"/> | Partners Name _____ |
| WASM Students (Free)          | <input type="checkbox"/> |                     |
| Veterans (covered in Singles) | <input type="checkbox"/> |                     |

Entry fees to be paid in cash or EFT prior to 28<sup>th</sup> of August, or position will be forfeited. Payment non-refundable



## Declaration

I hereby acknowledge responsibility for myself and my actions in all activities undertaken during or related to this event. I further acknowledge that the organisers of the Norseman Gold Fever Festival WA Rockdrill State Championships and their agents are not responsible for any death, injury, and loss to myself, my property, or any other person, or property whatever the cause. I waive all right to claim against any cause or action, or any other person, or any other property whatsoever which may suffer or sustain in the course as a consequence of entry or participation in the Competition. Entrants must be of sufficient age and of a physical condition to use heavy machines in potentially awkward positions. I am aware that the machine and Airleg are heavy and potentially dangerous to operate.

I acknowledge that I have read the above declaration and enter the competition at my own risk.

Entrant Name	Print name here	Witness Name	Print name here
Entrant Signature	Sign Here	Witness Signature	Sign here
Date	Print date here	Date	Print date here
Address	Print address here		
Phone Number	Print phone number here		
Email	Print email address here		