

## FASHIONS ON THE FIELD

# Judging Criteria

Please remember that at the end of the day put an outfit together that you feel confident and comfortable in. We are looking for Autumn inspired outfits and millinery; however we are well aware of the Central Queensland climate. Enclosed shoes are a must, however we understand that hosiery is not a necessity. There will be four categories this year;

**CLASSIC LADY • CONTEMPORARY LADY • BEST DRESSED GENTLEMEN • MILLINERY**

To help with selecting your categories think about the following;

### CLASSIC LADY

Overall elegant statement, style and originality.

- Appropriateness of the outfit for the season (autumn) and the temperature of the day.
- Accessories that complement each other and the overall outfit.
- Hat/headwear is essential.
- Attention to grooming and deportment.

*Tip - Classic racing fashion leans towards the well-groomed and lady like. Overall the outfit should work as a whole, with coordinated accessories and attention to detail. It is important to consider the temperature of the day and ensure that you are comfortable. Too much make-up and overly revealing outfits are frowned upon.*

### CONTEMPORARY LADY

Appropriateness of the outfit for the season (autumn) and the temperature of the day.

- Accessories that complement each other and the overall outfit.
- Hat/headwear is essential.
- Attention to grooming and deportment.

*Tip- Be fashion forward and dare to have fun, think bold and edgy outfits. Animal prints, jumpsuits, think a little outside the box.*

### NOTE

*Ladies are allowed to enter either Classic or Contemporary, not both.*

### BEST DRESSED GENTLEMEN

- Clean, well-fitting suit.
- Hat not essential.
- Look to be focused on 'Race Day' fashion rather than a business look and be appropriate for the season and the temperature of the day.
- Accessories appropriate for the races.
- Attention to grooming.

*Tip - Wear your suit with pride, stand confidently and accessorise with options including hat, cufflinks and pocket square.*

### MILLINERY

- Hair should be styled appropriately
- Grooming and deportment are key, and should complement the outfit.
- Autumn/winter millinery is often made of felt, wool, leather and silks.

### GENERAL INFORMATION

It's important that the outfit is appropriate to the occasion and climate. An awareness of current fashion trends is something that judges look for but originality is also favoured as long as the outfit meets the essential criteria and is appropriate for the occasion and climate.

Deportment is a key factor and judges should frown upon skylarking, excessive alcohol consumption or an inability to follow the instructions given.

