



# The Ekka Courier

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### DAILY HIGHLIGHTS

- \* 7:30 am – 4:30 pm: Farriers & Blacksmiths Competition
- \* 9 am – 5 pm: Race Around the Ekka Competition
- \* 8:45 am – 12:30 pm: Dairy Goats Judging
- \* 9 am – 6 pm: SwarmFarm Robotics - Agricultural Hall
- \* 1:30 pm – 5 pm: Stud Beef Small Breeds Judging

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## RIDGEBACKS

By Aahan



Rhodesian Ridgebacks are among the 200 breeds competing at the Canine Competition this year.

The Rhodesian Ridgeback is a large scent and sighthound dog that originated in the South African region. This dogs' ancestors can be traced to the semi-domesticated ridged hunting and guardian dogs of the Khoikhoi in Africa.

One competitor, Sarah, has three Ridgebacks that have

participated in the Canine Competition for several years.

The Ridgeback excels in conformation showing, which is similar to a beauty pageant.

"A good Ridgeback should be fearless and have confidence in themselves," Sarah said. "They're very prey-driven, so they like to chase small animals."