

2026 Rockhampton Wildcard

Venue:	Rockhampton
Heats:	Wednesday, 1 April 2026
Final:	Wednesday, 8 April 2026
Grade:	Open
Distance:	510m
Nominations:	Close Monday, 30 March 2026, at 9am
Prizemoney:	Total \$24,000
	1 st \$16,000
	2 nd \$4,000
	3 rd \$2,000
	4 th \$1,000
	Unplaced \$250

Eligibility:

A greyhound is eligible to be nominated for the Rockhampton Wildcard if they qualify under one of the following criteria:

1. The greyhound has been domiciled* in the Rockhampton local zone on or before 10/02/2025 (50 days before the heats) and has started at the track at least once.

*The change of kennel notification form (or equivalent evidence) will be deemed as the commencement date of domiciliary.
2. The greyhound is not domiciled within the local zone but has started at the track 10 times or more in the six months (01/10/2025) before the date of the Wildcard heats.
3. The greyhound is not domiciled within the local zone but has started at the track 20 times or more in its career before the date of the Wildcard heats.

The local zone for the Rockhampton Wildcard is defined as the following:

- Inclusive of post code 4570 (Gympie area) to 4799 (Mackay area)

Conditions:

- The winner of the Rockhampton Wildcard is granted automatic entry into the Final of the Rockhampton Cup on Wednesday, April 22.
- There is only one Wildcard for the Rockhampton Cup Final. In the event of a dead-heat, GAR 120 (1) will apply. In the event of the Wildcard Final being abandoned, GAR 57 (2b) will apply.