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P.S.I. Australian Young Dressage Horse Championships

Entries Close: 12th February 2020

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Werribee Park National Equestrian Centre
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FEATURING

P.S.I YOUNG DRESSAGE HORSE CHAMPIONSHIPS 4YO, 5YO, 6YO, 7YO
P.S.I YOUNG DRESSAGE PONY CHAMPIONSHIPS 4YO, 5YO, 6YO
DRESSAGE CDI-W

COMPLETE SUPPLY CO. PRIX ST GEORGES CUP
MARCUS OLDHAM AACHEN CHALLENGE
WYNDHAM CITY COUNCIL DRESSAGE MASTERCLASS WITH CHARLOTT-MARIA SCHURMANN

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PROVISIONAL DRESSAGE TIMETABLE

WEDNESDAY 18th MARCH 2020

Arena familiarisation – check for scheduling

THURSDAY 19th MARCH 2020

4-Year-Old Pony AYDP First Round	(Indoor)
5-Year-Old Pony AYDP First Round	(Indoor)
6-Year-Old Pony AYDP First Round	(Indoor)
P.S.I. 4-Year-Old Horse AYDH First Round	(Indoor)
P.S.I. 7-Year-Old Horse AYDH First Round	(Indoor)
Complete Supply Co. Prix St Georges	(Outdoor)
Marcus Oldham Aachen Challenge	(Outdoor)
– Round 1 FEI YR Preliminary test	
CDI-W Horse Inspection	

FRIDAY 20th MARCH 2020

Music Test – Intermediate 1 F/S	(Indoor)
4-Year-Old Pony AYDP Second Round	(Outdoor)
5-Year-Old Pony AYDP Second Round	(Outdoor)
6-Year-Old Pony AYDP Second Round	(Outdoor)
P.S.I. 5-Year-Old Horse AYDH First Round	(Indoor)
P.S.I. Mini Masterclass	(Indoor)
Pony AYDP Champion of Champions –	(Indoor)
-Winner of 4, 5 and 6 YR old ridden by guest rider	
P.S.I. 4-Year-Old Horse AYDH Second Round	(Indoor)
P.S.I. 6-Year-Old Horse AYDH First Round	(Indoor)
P.S.I. 7-Year-Old Horse AYDH Second Round	(Indoor)
P.S.I. Champion 7YR Horse	(Indoor)
P.S.I. Champion 6YR Horse	(Indoor)
Consolation P.S.I. 4YR Horses AYDH	(Outdoor)
Consolation Dressage Pony 4YR, 5YR and 6YR	(Outdoor)
CDI -W Grand Prix	(Outdoor)
Complete Supply Co. Intermediate 1 Freestyle	(Indoor)
Marcus Oldham Aachen Challenge – Final (top 3)	(Indoor)

SATURDAY 21st MARCH 2020

Music Check - CDI -W Grand Prix Freestyle	(Indoor)
P.S.I. 5-Year-Old Horse AYDH Second Round	(Indoor)
P.S.I. Champion 5YR Horse	(Indoor)
P.S.I. 6-Year-Old Horse AYDH Second Round	(Indoor)
P.S.I. Champion 6YR Horse	(Indoor)
Wyndham City Council Dressage Masterclass	
with Charlott-Maria Schurmann	(Indoor)
Consolation P.S.I. 5-year-Old Horses AYDH	(Outdoor)
Consolation P.S.I. 6-year-Old Horses AYDH	(Outdoor)
Consolation P.S.I. 7-year-Old Horses AYDH	(Outdoor)
P.S.I. AYDH Champion of Champions	
-Winner of 4, 5, 6 and 7 YR old ridden by guest rider	(Indoor)
CDI -W Grand Prix Freestyle	(Indoor)

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2020 P.S.I. Australian Young Dressage Horse Championships

Competition Details

Conducted by Equestrian Victoria and the Dressage and Jumping with the Stars Committee in accordance with EA Dressage Competition Rules, effective 1 January 2020 and subsequent amendments
(Section 9 Young Horse –and any special conditions listed in this schedule)

- Competition 1: 4-year-old Championship Ponies**
Open to ponies born between 1-8-2015 and 31-7-2016
Prize Money - 1st \$250, 2nd \$150 3rd \$100
- Competition 2: 4-year-old Championship for Riding Horses**
Open to Horses born between 1-8-2015 and 31-7-2016
Prize Money - 1st \$550, 2nd \$250 3rd \$200
- Competition 3: 5-year-old Championship for Ponies**
Open to ponies born between 1-8-2014 and 31-7-2015
Prize Money - 1st \$250, 2nd \$150 3rd \$100
- Competition 4: 5-year-old Championship for Riding Horses**
Open to Horses born between 1-8-2014 and 31-7-2015
Prize Money - 1st \$550, 2nd \$250 3rd \$200
- Competition 5: 6-year-old Championship for Ponies**
Open to Horses born between 1-8-2013 and 31-7-2014
Prize Money - 1st \$250, 2nd \$150 3rd \$100
- Competition 6: 6-year-old Championship for Riding Horses**
Open to Horses born between 1-8-2013 and 31-7-2014
Prize Money - 1st \$550, 2nd \$250 3rd \$200
- Competition 7: 7-year-old Championship for Riding Horses**
Open to Horses born between 1-8-2012 and 31-7-2013
Prize Money - 1st \$550, 2nd \$250 3rd \$200

Prizes:

First	Rosette/Sash, Trophy Rug & Prize Breeder: Commemorative Prize
Second - sixth	Rosette and prize
Seventh - tenth	Rosette
Champion of Champions	Horse \$500
Champion of Champions	Pony \$500

Special Trophies:

The Esther Bellis Trophy - All Round Young Horse Champion. Donated by The Horse Magazine this trophy will be awarded to the overall best performed AYD and AYJ horse combined. The horse may have a different rider for each discipline.

Jill Cobcroft Trophy – Presented to the Young Dressage Pony Champion of Champions

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Entry Fee:

\$175 (Inc GST) per horse per competition

Entry fees include two Gallery passes (Indoor) for the event plus one copy of the souvenir program.

If you require additional passes for owners or grooms please purchase through djwts.org.au/.

Rules:

It is the responsibility of the rider to know the rules under which they compete. The 2020 EA Dressage rules (including Young Horse Amendments 2017) can be found at the following link: www.equestrian.org.au and the FEI rules at www.fei.org. Relevant tests can also be found on these websites.

Competitions 1 and 2: AYD Horse and Pony 4-Year-Old Championship Procedure

First Round:

- To be ridden one or two horses at a time in the arena
- The Ground Jury will consist of 3 FEI and/or EA accredited Young Horse judges who will sit together at E or B
- Test will be the EA 4yr old Commanded Test (EA Dressage Rules 9.4.4)
- Each horse will be awarded a mark for each of the requirements on the judging sheet and a final score calculated
- Where possible there will be commentary for the public after each horse

Second Round:

- The top ten (10) placings (including equals) from the first round will go forward into the second round provided they have attained a score of no less than 6.5 (65%) in the first round
- The Ground Jury will consist of 3 FEI and EA accredited Young Horse judges who will sit together at C
- To be ridden one horse at a time
- The mark from the first round will not carry forward to the second round
- The mark from the second round will determine the Final placings for the Champion 4yr old Horse and Pony
- Test to be ridden – EA Dressage Rule 9.4.4
4 yr old horses and ponies - Current FEI Dressage Test for 4yr olds

Competitions 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7: AYD Horse and Pony 5, 6 and 7-year-old Championship Procedure

First Round

- To be ridden one or two horses at a time in the arena
- For 5 and 6-year-old competitions the Ground Jury will consist of 3 FEI and/or EA accredited Young Horse judges who will sit together at E or B
- For the 7-year-old competition the ground jury will consist of one technical judge of at least EA A level who will sit at C and two or more FEI and/or EA YH judges who will sit at E or B.
- Test will be the EA YH commanded tests for 5 & 6-year-olds and the FEI 7YO Preliminary test for 7 year olds (EA Dressage Rules 9.4.4)
- Each horse will be awarded a mark for each of the requirements on the judging sheet and a final score calculated
- Where possible there will be commentary for the public after each horse

Second Round

- The top ten (10) placings (including equals) from the first round will go forward into the second round provided they have attained a score of no less than 6.5 (65%) in the first round
- The Ground Jury will consist of 3 FEI and EA accredited Young Horse judges who will sit together at C
- To be ridden one horse at a time
- The mark from the first round will not carry forward to the second round
- AYDH final placings and National Age Group Champion are determined at the conclusion of the second round
The 5, 6 and 7 yo horses who win the second round are qualified to be selected to represent Australia at the annual World Championships for Young Horses (EA Dressage Rules 9.6 and as per conditions)
- AYDP final placings and National Age Group Champion are determined at the conclusion of the second round
- Tests to be ridden – EA Dressage Rule 9.4.4
5 yr old horses and ponies- Current FEI Dressage Test for 5-year olds – Final
6 yr old horses – Current FEI Dressage Test for 6-year olds – Final
6 yr old ponies – EA Test for 6yr old Ponies (effective 1.8.14)
7 yr old Horses – Current FEI Young Horse Final Test 7-year-old

AYDH Champion of Champions:

The following will apply for the Champion of Champions prize:

- The P.S.I. Australian Young Dressage Horse Champion of Champions will be chosen from the winners of each age group. The guest rider will ride the three winners in front of the judges' panel and provide commentary after riding each horse. The judges, together with the guest rider, will determine the Champion of Champions

AYDP Champion of Champions:

The following will apply for the Pony Champion of Champions:

- The Australian Young Dressage Pony Champion of Champions will be chosen from the winners of each age group. The guest rider will ride the three winners in front of the judges' panel and provide commentary after riding each pony. The judges, together with the guest rider, will determine the Champion of Champions

Consolation Final (Art 5.5 EA Dressage Rules)

5.5 Consolation Finals

5.5.1 4-Year-Old Horses and 4-Year-Old Ponies

- The test to be ridden will be the current FEI Young Horse Test for 4 year olds
- Horses and ponies that are not eligible to compete in the second round will be eligible to compete in the Consolation Final providing they have scored at least 6 (60%) in the First Round
- To be judged by 2 EA accredited Young Horse judges together sitting at C

5.5.1 5, 6 and 7-Year-Old Horses and 5 and 6-Year-Old Ponies

- Horses/ponies that are not eligible to compete in the second round will be eligible to compete in the Consolation Final providing they have scored at least 6 (60%) in the first round
- To be judged by 2 EA accredited Young Horse judges sitting at C

Tests to be ridden will be as follows:

- 5YO YH/PONY Current FEI Dressage Test for 5 year olds – Final
- 6YOYH Current FEI Dressage Test for 6 year olds – Final
- 6YO PONY EA Young Pony test for 6 year olds (effective 1.8.14)
- 7YO Horse FEI YH Final Test for 7-year-old

Rosettes will be awarded to 6th place

Consolation Nomination

- Competitors must nominate their intention to compete in the consolation final no later than 18:00 (6pm) on the day of the completion of the first round by completing a nomination form and handing into the secretary's office. Reminders will be announced over the PA system at the event

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Eligibility for the Australian Young Dressage Horse/Pony Championships:

As per EA Rule 9.4.3

- 4, 5, 6, 7-Year-old horses/ponies must qualify by achieving at least 6.5 (65%) at a **YH Qualifying Competition** as per Section 5 in the EA Dressage Rule Book at the age group they are entering
- Horses/Ponies may begin to qualify for the 2020 Young Dressage Horse Australian Championships from the 1st August 2019 until the close of entries of the Australian YDH Championships (12th February 2020).
- Competitors are to submit on the entry form **two performances** in the above-mentioned competitions for eligibility as detailed above. If performances are at events with 2 rounds, the entry form must state in which round the score was achieved. Both scores from the 2 rounds will be accepted, providing different judges are used for each round. Judges names must be stated on entry form if these scores are used.
- Horses/ponies may qualify with one performance; however, preference will be given to those with two performances
- To verify the performance, a copy of the test paper or result sheet **must** be submitted with the entry
- Competitors will be ranked from the highest average of the two performances to the lowest
- The competitions will be limited to 36 horses from each age group
- The highest ranked horses will determine the acceptance list of the top qualified 36 horses
- A reserve list in ranking order will be established
- In exceptional circumstances, the OC may request permission from the ADC to increase the number of entries per age group
- Imported horses that only have international qualifications may be accepted, provided proof of appropriate qualification in one or more overseas YH competitions accompanies the entry

General Conditions:

- Competitions are conducted under EA National Dressage Rules (1 January 2020) and relative amendments.
- All horses and ponies must be EA registered and hold a current Dressage Performance Card/ Competitor License
- All riders and horse owners must be current financial members of EA
- Reminder that all EA registered horses must have a microchip and will be randomly checked at the event
- Riders must turn 12 years of age or over in the calendar year of competition
- Horses must exceed 149cm with shoes or 148cm without shoes and ponies must **not** exceed 149cm with shoes or 148cm without shoes
- All ponies must supply a current EA height certificate
- In all FEI tests the trot is to be executed sitting unless specified rising
- Tests may not be called except for the commanded tests in the first round
- The birth dates for all horses will be as of 1st August
- Competitions are official but do not attract grading points
- The same judges will not necessarily officiate in all rounds
- Horses and ponies will be judged on walk, trot, canter, rideability and overall impression as a future dressage horse, including standard of training on the basis of the Training Scale
- The organising committee reserves the right to alter any competition/group sizes dependent upon entries

Dress and Saddlery:

- Approved safety helmets are to be worn in all 4/5/6-year-old competitions
- A whip is permitted to be carried in the 4-year-old age group (only) at the Australian Championships
- A whip is **not** permitted to be carried in the 5 and 6-year-old competitions at the Australian Championships
- In the practice area, the use of one whip with a total maximum length of 120cm is allowed; for ponies the use of one whip with a total maximum length of 100cm is allowed. The whip must be dropped before entering the space around the competition arena or the rider will entail a penalty of 0.1 points from the total score
- Pony riders, regardless of age, may only wear spurs that are no longer than 4.0cm. The length of the spur is measured from the boot to the tip of the spur.
- 4,5,6 Year Old Horses/ponies are to be ridden in a snaffle bridle as defined in Section 2 of the EA Dressage Rule Book. 7 Year Old horses may wear a snaffle or double bridle.
- The minimum diameter of the mouthpiece of the snaffle bit must be at least:
 - 14mm for horses
 - 10mm for ponies

Please Note: Random measuring of bits will take place

- The Mexican/Crossed noseband is not permitted
- All other dress and saddlery requirements as per Section 5 of the 2020 EA Dressage Rule Book

COMPLETE SUPPLY CO. PRIX ST GEORGES CUP

Competition: 8 Prix St-Georges Cup

- Prix St-Georges
- Intermediate I Freestyle

Tests can be found at the following link: www.fei.org

Entry Fee:

\$250.00 (Inc GST) per horse. This includes two Riders Gallery passes for the event plus one copy of the souvenir program

Prize Money & Trophies: (Inc GST)

Prix St Georges and Inter I Freestyle Prize money or prize (P):

Comp	Test	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th
8a	Prix St Georges	300	200	150	130	P	P
8b	Intermediate 1 Freestyle	350	250	200	150	P	P

*Prize money may replace prize

Sashes/Rosettes 1st – 6th place for the PSG test **and**

Sashes/Rosettes 1st – 6th place for the Inter 1 Freestyle test

Champion Sash and Rug for the Prix St George Cup winner (combined PSG and Freestyle score)

Championship will be decided as per EA rules "Awards and Placings (2020 3.19)"

Conditions:

Open to all horses and ponies. Horses and ponies must be registered with EA and hold a current Competition License / Dressage Performance Card

- All riders and horse owners must be current financial members of EA
- **Prix St Georges Cup is open to riders** from the beginning of the year in which they reach their **12th birthday**
- A maximum of 35 horses will be accepted in the Prix St Georges Cup based on qualifications

The top 12 placings who achieved a 58% from the Prix St Georges test will be eligible to compete in the Inter I Freestyle.

Eligibility:

- Performances gained between 13 February 2019 and 12 February 2020
- At least one performance at 60% or higher at PSG/Inter I by the horse/rider combination
- Horses accepted on performances as per National Championships – i.e. based on the average percentage of the 3 highest performances during the previous 12 months. Three performances accepted ahead of those who submit one or two performances. Only one HC score is allowed

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CDI-W

Competition 9: **CDI-W Grand Prix**
Grand Prix (Edition 2009 Revision 2014) update 2020 valid from 01.01.2020

CDI-W Grand Prix Freestyle
Grand Prix Freestyle (Edition 1999, Revision 2009) update 2017

Tests can be found at the following link: www.fei.org

Entry Fees and Prize Money:

\$285.00 (Inc GST) per horse. This includes two Riders Gallery passes for the event plus one copy of the souvenir program per competitor. Each competitor will also receive one rider, one groom and two owner Stable Security passes which will allow them to enter the CDI Security stabling Area (note: the CDI Security Stabling passes do not provide access to the indoor arena.) **Entry fee also includes the FEI EADCMP compulsory fee.**

PRIZEMONEY

Comp	Test	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th
9a	Grand Prix	\$400	\$350	\$300	\$250	\$200	\$150
9b	Grand Prix Freestyle	\$600	\$450	\$300	\$250	\$200	\$150

9a Rosettes to 6th place

9b Rug, Sash for 1st place, Rosettes 2nd to 6th

Commemorative rosette for 7th – 12th in CDI Grand Prix Freestyle

Conditions

The CDI-W will be conducted in strict accordance with the current edition (including amendments) of:

FEI General Regulations; FEI Veterinary Regulations; FEI Dressage Rules; and FEI Rules for World Cup Dressage.

The **Grand Prix** and **Grand Prix Freestyle** will be conducted under the FEI Dressage and World Cup rules. The Grand Prix serves as the qualifying competition for the Grand Prix Freestyle. The Grand Prix Freestyle will be limited to a maximum of 15 competitors. Participation will be determined by the results in the Grand Prix. Horses must have achieved a minimum score of at **least 60%** in the qualifying GP test to be eligible for the Freestyle.

- Horses must be **at least 8 years of age for Grand Prix** level and have a height at the withers exceeding 149 cm including shoes
- **CDI-W is open to riders** from the year in which they reach their **16th birthday**
- **Riders** may participate under the **jurisdiction of the country from which the rider holds their passport**
- Riders must take part in both the Grand Prix and Grand Prix Freestyle to be able to obtain World Rider Ranking points
- **Riders** may ride more than one horse in the Grand Prix and Grand Prix Freestyle
- **Once entered**, failure to start in the Freestyle to Music for reasons other than illness of horse or rider (Veterinary/Doctor verification will be required), results in the rider **losing his/her Grand Prix classification**
- Riders should be aware that the FEI considers any withdrawals without a valid excuse after the definite entry date as serious
- All horses entered in the CDI-W are subjected to a Horse Inspection
- FEI Horse Passports will be collected by the FEI Chief Steward at the time of the Veterinary Arrival inspection and retained by the OC for the duration of the event. All riders will be required to sign out on collection of the passport at the completion of the CDI-W
- All horses entered for a CDI-W must have a current FEI Passport or an FEI Recognition Card to accompany their EA Identification Document as a means of horse identification. ***Reminder that all EA registered horses must have a microchip and these may be randomly checked at the event (EA Directive 2011)***

- **EA Identification documents** are available from the EA National Office. Riders must ensure that they have the appropriate documents on arrival. Enquiries EA 02 8762 7777
- All riders and horses participating in FEI events (CDI-W) **must be registered on the FEI database**. Registrations must be renewed each calendar year. EA collects the charges on behalf of the FEI. Registration forms are available on the EA web site. www.equestrian.org.au or contact the National Office. Please note that this registration is required even if the horse has an FEI Passport or EA National Identification Document
- **Advertising and Publicity on competitors and horses** (Gen. Regs. Art. 136.1-2) the competitors are authorised to carry the logo of their personal sponsor on the saddle cloth in accordance with Art. 136.1-2. **Riders** with privately organised sponsorship may display a "logo" of their sponsor on their saddlecloth. The area covered by this logo **may not exceed 200 sq. cm. A sponsor's label on jackets must not exceed 80 sq. cm at the height of breast pockets**. Please note that if more than one sponsor logo is placed on the saddlecloth, **the area covered by all logos may not exceed 200 sq. cm as above**.
The Chief Steward will check that the advertising and publicity on competitors and horses complies with Article 13 of the General Regulations
- **CDI-W Whips:** At all international events, it is forbidden to carry a whip of any kind while competing in the arena. However, the use of one (1) whip, with a total maximum length of one meter and twenty (1.20m) in the practice arena is allowed. The whip must be dropped before entering the space around the competition arena or the athlete will be penalised. See article 430 of the FEI Dressage Rules
- **Ear Hoods:** are permitted for all Events and may also provide noise reduction, however ear hoods must not cover the horse's eyes and ear plugs are not permitted. The ear hoods should be discreet in colour and design. (FEI Dressage Rules Art 428.7.1) Logos on ear hoods are permitted - seventy five square centimetres (75 cm²) (FEI Gen Regs 2016 Art.135 2.3.1 (xi))
- **The draw for the CDI-W Grand Prix** (in groups of 5) shall be in reverse order of the World Dressage Ranking List. Riders who are not listed on the WDRL shall be drawn first
- **The draw for the CDI-W Grand Prix Freestyle** shall be in reverse order of placing in the Grand Prix (in groups of 5- i.e. a draw first within the group of athletes placed 11th -15th, then within the group placed 6th - 10th, and the last group of athletes placed 1st – 5th i.e. the best athlete/horse combination starts last). (Art. 425)

Eligibility:

- Performances gained between 13 February 2019 and 12 February 2020
- Horses must have a performance of 63% or above at two (2) separate Grand Prix competitions to be eligible for CDI-W.
- Horses will be accepted on performances as per National Championships – i.e. based on the average percentage of the 3 highest performances during the previous 12 months. Three performances accepted ahead of those who submit one or two performances.

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MARCUS OLDHAM AACHEN CHALLENGE

Competition: 10 Marcus Oldham Aachen Challenge

- Round 1 Test: FEI YR Preliminary test
- Final: Special test – available to top 3 competitors.

Round 1 Test can be found at the following link: www.fei.org

Entry Fee:

\$110.00 (Inc GST) per horse. This includes two Riders Gallery passes for the event plus one copy of the souvenir program

Prizes

Sashes/Rosettes 1st – 6th place for the FEI YR Preliminary Test

Sashes/Rosettes 1st – 3rd for Final

Champion Sash and Rug for the Aachen Challenge winner.

Marcus Oldham Aachen Challenge winner will receive a trip to CHIO Aachen 2020, (including return economy airfares to Dusseldorf (GER) and Season Ticket to Dressage events at CHIO Aachen July 2020). Prize is not transferrable.

Other:

- The Aachen Challenge is open to riders from the beginning of the calendar year in which they turn 16 to the end of the calendar year in which they turn 25.
- A horse and rider combination that has previously won the Aachen Challenge is ineligible to enter
- Ponies are ineligible to compete in the Aachen Challenge
- The horse need not be owned by the rider and may be borrowed for the competition
- One performance from the horse / rider combination at the level (FEI Young Rider / Prix St-Georges) in the previous 12 months is required.
- The horse may compete in other competitions, however, the horses in the final will not be permitted to compete in another competition on the day of the final
- Horses must be ridden by the same rider in all classes at the 2020 PSI DJWTS event
- Riders may enter more than one horse
- Rider must hold an Australian Passport
- The Aachen Challenge will be ridden at Prix St Georges level and will consist of 2 separate competitions
- The first competition is the qualifying event; in the case of equal scores the rider with the highest collective marks will be awarded the placing
- The test for the qualifying event will be the EA FEI Young Riders Preliminary Competition.
- If a rider qualifies more than one horse for the final, only one horse (rider's choice) may compete in the final, and the 4th placed qualifier will then be eligible for the final
- In the final, riders will change horses. Riders have 10 minutes before the test to familiarize themselves with the horse. Stewards will be appointed to assist. Saddles may be changed but bridles stay with the horse and may not be altered
- A whip may not be used
- The rider with the best result from the qualifying competition starts last
- The winning rider is the rider with the highest aggregate for the 3 rides
- If there is a tie for 1st place, the rider with the highest score on own horse is the winner
- There will be a prize for the horse with the highest aggregate score for its 3 rides
- The test for the second round will be available to the 3 finalists at the event

Equestrian Victoria - Special Conditions of Entry

Applicable Equestrian Australia (EA) documents and requirements

1. This Equestrian Victoria (EV) event is governed by the Equestrian Australia (EA) General Regulations, applicable EA Sports Rules and all relevant EA Codes, policies, bylaws, rules and regulations. The EA Sports rules (i.e. the National Rules for each EA sport or discipline) and regulations may be accessed on the EA website "Discipline Rules & Regulations" page via the following link <http://www.equestrian.org.au/rules>. The EA Codes, Policies etc. may be accessed on the EA website "Policies & Bylaws" page via the following link <http://www.equestrian.org.au/policies>.
2. To be eligible to participate in this event you must be a current EV member or current member of an EA state branch. You must also satisfy any further membership or registration requirement (including those for any horse entered) referred to in the General Conditions of Entry for the event (**Conditions of Entry**) and individual disciplines.
3. The EA National Sports Rules applicable to the event are referred to in the Conditions of Entry.
4. All EA and EV events are subject to the EA Code of Conduct (**Code of Conduct**). The Code of Conduct can be accessed on the EA website via the following link http://www.equestrian.org.au/sites/default/files/Equestrian_Australia_Code_of_Conduct.pdf
It is important that all members understand that the Code of Conduct also covers parents, guardians and spectators in respect of any activity held or sanctioned by EV or an EA state branch. A key aim of the Code of Conduct is to respect the rights of everyone involved, to abide by all EA rules and requirements, to be fair, considerate, honest and professional in all aspects of the sport.
5. EA and EV are committed to the protection and welfare of its members. The EA Member Protection Policy (**MPP**) can be accessed on its website via the following link http://www.equestrian.org.au/sites/default/files/Equestrian_Australia_Member_Protection_Policy_updated05072017.pdf. The EA Social Media Policy, which can be accessed via the following link, <http://www.equestrian.org.au/sites/default/files/Social%20Media%20Policy.pdf> should be read in conjunction with the MPP. These are important documents designed to ensure the safe and fair conduct of the event for everyone involved. They should be read, understood and complied with.
6. EA and EV events are also subject to various codes and regulations designed to protect the horse, the welfare of which is paramount (**Horse Welfare Provisions**). Entrants and Competitors must familiarise themselves with the Horse Welfare Provisions and ensure that they are complied with. These Provisions may be accessed on the EA website via the following link <http://www.equestrian.org.au/policies>.
7. If the event is conducted at Werribee Park National Equestrian Centre (WPNEC) the WPNEC Risk Management Conditions shall apply to the event. The Risk Management Conditions can be accessed via the following link <http://wpnec.com.au/risk-management/>.

Entrants and Competitors bound by EA documents

8. Entrants and Competitors must familiarise themselves with the provisions of the EA documents referred to above (**EA documents**) and ensure that they comply with them.
9. By submitting an entry for the event you agree to comply with and be bound by the provisions of the EA documents, these Special Conditions and the Conditions of Entry.
10. If you are the parent or guardian of a participant or competitor under the age of 18 years, by submitting an entry for the event you consent to their participation in the event and undertake to the best of your ability to ensure that they understand and comply with the provisions of the EA documents, these Special Conditions and The Conditions of Entry.
11. If there is any conflict in the interpretation between the provisions of the General Regulations and any of the EA documents, these Special Conditions or the Conditions of Entry, the General Regulations will take precedence. If there is any conflict in the interpretation between the provisions of these Special Conditions and the Conditions of Entry, the Special Conditions will take precedence.

Organising Committee

12. The Organising Committee for the event is referred to in the Conditions of Entry. The Organising Committee may at its absolute discretion, decline to receive any entry or return any fee without being liable for any compensation: General Regulation, Article 116.11. The Organising Committee's decision in relation to any entry for the event shall be final and binding.

Cancellation and Refund

13. EV or the Organising Committee may cancel the event due to catastrophic conditions, disease or force majeure, or for any other reason at its absolute discretion.
14. If the event is cancelled after it has commenced there will be no refunds. If the event is cancelled prior to commencement the entrant may be entitled to a proportional refund of the entry fees paid. Any such refund will be determined at the absolute discretion of EV, having regard to the direct or fixed costs for the event.
15. Entrants who have provided with their entry an email address and/or mobile phone number will be notified of event cancellation by email and/or text message.
16. The refund policy for withdrawal, scratching or change of an entry is set out in the Conditions of Entry.

Release and Indemnity

17. You acknowledge that horse riding, working with or being around horses can be dangerous. Horses can act in sudden and unpredictable ways, especially if frightened or hurt. As a consequence, there is a real risk of damage to property, serious injury or even death. In consideration of acceptance of your entry and participation in the event you agree to release and forever discharge EA, EV, their servants and agents and the Organising Committee and each member thereof from all claims, proceedings or demands for any loss or damage howsoever arising from any accident or incident occurring at the event.
18. In consideration of acceptance of your entry and participation in the event, you agree to indemnify and keep indemnified EA, EV, their servants and agents and the Organising Committee and each member thereof against all claims, proceedings or demands brought by or on behalf of any participant or competitor named in your entry form for any loss or damage howsoever arising from any accident or incident occurring at the event.



FEI CODE OF CONDUCT FOR THE WELFARE OF THE HORSE

The Fédération Equestre Internationale (FEI) requires all those involved in international equestrian sport to adhere to the FEI's Code of Conduct and to acknowledge and accept that at all times the welfare of the horse must be paramount and must never be subordinated to competitive or commercial influences.

1. At all stages during the preparation and training of competition horses, welfare must take precedence over all other demands. This includes good horse management, training methods, farriery and tack, and transportation.
2. Horses and competitors must be fit, competent and in good health before they are allowed to compete. This encompasses medication use, surgical procedures that threaten welfare or safety, pregnancy in mares and the misuse of aids.
3. Events must not prejudice horse welfare. This involves paying careful attention to the competition areas, ground surfaces, weather conditions, stabling, site safety and fitness of the horse for onward travel after the event.
4. Every effort must be made to ensure that horses receive proper attention after they have competed and that they are treated humanely when their competition careers are over. This covers proper veterinary care, competition injuries, euthanasia and retirement.
5. The FEI urges all those involved in equestrian sport to attain the highest possible levels of education in their areas of expertise relevant to the care and management of the competition horse.

Risk Management Conditions

1. Werribee Park National Equestrian Centre Committee of Management considers it a privilege that you are allowed to bring your dog to this venue. We insist you keep your dog under effective control at all times.
2. Approved Safety Helmets must be worn at all times when riding
3. Cross Country obstacles must not be jumped/used unless a non-riding level one coach is present.
4. Riding of horses bareback is prohibited
5. Riding of rugged and/or unbridled horses is prohibited
6. Any person may lead a maximum of two horses while mounted
7. Stallions must have an adult handler in the vicinity at all times
8. Horses are not permitted within/upon the quadrangle (between the barn & Indoor 1)
9. Horses are not permitted near pedestrian door ways
10. Bicycles are not permitted in the Indoor Arenas or any stable block. Approved helmets must be worn at all times
11. Bicycles are not permitted near doors designated as public entrances or exits
12. Motor Cyclist riders must wear approved safety helmets and hold the appropriate licence
13. Speed limits must be adhered to at all times, the speed limit at WPNEC is 10km p/h
14. Power leads must not be on the ground or over roadways
15. Construction of portable/tape yards is prohibited
16. Alcohol must not be consumed in the Indoor Arenas, unless purchased from the licensed bar located in Indoor Arena No 1
17. Please observe all signs at the venue
18. Horses must be tied in a safe manner. Horses must not be tied to unattached floats, wheelie bins etc
19. No infrastructure to be erected on WPNEC Grounds without written approval by management prior to event
20. Entry and Exit doors to Indoors Arenas are not be obstructed at any time
21. Every event to book at WPNEC must provide their own first aid officials

These conditions apply unless the Manager or the Committee of Management has given the discipline/event/activity concerned an exemption.

Exemptions must be applied for in writing and will be only valid for the dates granted.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Stabling

Stabling charges do not include bedding. Stabling charges: \$40.00 per night. All stables will be padlocked. Please report to the Stable Manager at the event office on arrival for access. Bedding can be purchased from WPNEC (03 9741 7672). To ensure bedding is delivered to your stable before your arrival all bedding orders must be placed with WPNEC by Wednesday 11th March. Note: a compulsory cleaning fee \$30 per stable is applicable.

- All stabling requirements must be booked on the entry form
- Stables open at midday on Monday 16th March and must be vacated by 4pm Sunday 22nd March.
- Stables will be allocated in the following order of preference: 1. CDI horses, 2. Stallions, 3. Interstate horses, 4. Horses competing in multiple classes
- If bookings exceed stable availability, there will be a waiting list and competitors will be advised by email when a stable becomes available
- Temporary yards of any kind are NOT allowed. WPNEC yards are available for use.
- All horses entered in the CDI-W events must remain on the grounds from Thursday 19th March until after the completion of the Grand Prix Freestyle on Saturday 21st March.
- Competitors must use the stable allocated by the Organising Committee for their horse/s
- Horses with behavior problems in the stables—these MUST be outlined on the Stable Booking Form so that we can allocate stabling accordingly. This is a risk management and safety matter
- Any obvious empty stables are NOT TO BE USED as feed/tack rooms or for any horse for which stabling has not been booked
- No one is to enter the stable of another horse without the owners' permission and no one is to feed/water a horse that isn't their own. If a person has concerns about another competitor's horse or pony, they should go directly to the events office, Stable Manager or FEI Steward to report their concerns
- During the event, when cleaning stables, waste must be taken to the end of the aisles to the manure pits. Wheelbarrows will be supplied.
- A compulsory stable cleaning fee of \$30 per Stable is applicable and must be paid with entry.

CDI-W Stable Security:

- All horses entered in the CDI-W will be stabled together in the barn and subject to routine security checks
- ***Note**— Due to limited stables in the barn and many stallions attending this event, riders in the CDI-W with multiple horses will NOT necessarily have their additional horses stabled in the barn with them however every effort will be made to accommodate all requests
- Daytime and overnight security will be in place and all access to the barn overnight must be logged in the official log book
- There will be one pass each provided to the rider, groom and owner to access the barn
- There will only be one entrance in and out of the barn in use over the course of the event

Horse Feed and Bedding

Horse feed is the responsibility of the competitor.

- Stable Bedding can be purchased from WPNEC (03 9741 7672). Competitors can order additional bedding during the event at the WPNEC office, but all orders need to be made before 2pm for same day delivery. Office is open 9am – 5pm Monday to Friday
- Horse feed can be ordered for delivery through Country Link Rural Supplies. Contact Ph: 03 5282 1280
- The only bedding permitted at WPNEC is shavings, you may bring your own.

Camping Facilities

- Powered sites must be booked and paid with entry and will be allocated by site number
- You must only occupy your own site – Powered sites are \$30 per night Unpowered \$20 per night
- Day Visitors will be parking in K road parking area and will have no access to the camping area
- Caravan hire: Eastern Caravan Hire Ph. 0400 679 744 Caravan for Hire Ph: 03 5250 5132 or Bay City Caravans Ph: 03 5250 2595

Accommodation

Accommodation cannot be arranged, but the following are suggested:

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| • The Mansion Hotel | Werribee Park | Phone 03 9731 4000 |
| • Quest Werribee | 69 Synnot St Werribee | Phone 03 8744 6000 |
| • Quest Sanctuary Lakes | 9 Greg Norman Drive point Cook | Phone 03 9394 2100 |
| • Werribee Park Motor Inn | 112 Duncan's Road Werribee | Phone 03 9741 7222 |
| • Comfort Inn and Suites | 6 Tower Road Werribee | Phone 03 9741 9944 |
| • Quality Suites D'Olive | 454 Point Cook Road Point Cook | Phone 03 9243 2500 |

Dogs

Werribee Park National Equestrian Centre Committee of Management considers it a privilege that you are allowed to bring your dog to this venue. Dogs must be kept on a leash and under effective control at all times and are not permitted in the indoor arena at any time

Catering Facilities

There will be a variety of food vans. Hospitality and Bar facilities will be available each day

Exercising of Horses/Bridle Numbers:

- Two bridle numbers (as per listed competition number in program/draw) must be worn, one on each side of the horse (either on bridle or saddle cloth) at all times whenever the horse is out of the stable. Riders will need to supply their own numbers
- Specific times will be allocated for arena familiarisation. See training timetable for details
- Stallions are required to wear EA green stallion discs or green bridle numbers at all times when horse is out of stable

Swabbing:

- This event will run in accordance with the EA Medication Control Policy 2018 and the FEI EADCM Regulations.

Liability:

- Riders and/or owners whose entries have been accepted will undertake to indemnify the Organising Body against all claims, losses, suits, and damages made against or suffered by the Organising Body by reason of any negligent act or omission on the part of any rider, trainer or attendant whilst he is attending, riding or otherwise handling a horse and agrees that act or omission on the part of such rider or attendant found in any action against the Organising Body to be negligent, shall be deemed to have been negligent for the purpose of any claim under this indemnity

Administration and scratchings

- Late or incomplete entries will not be accepted
- Any horse not accepted on the reserve list will receive a full refund
- Any horse accepted on the reserve list will be charged the compulsory administration fee
- Scratchings received before close of entries (8pm, 12th February 2020) will receive a full refund of entry fees and stabling, less \$50 admin fee
- Scratchings after the close of entries 8pm 12th February 2020 will receive a 50% refund of entry fees and stabling fees and the \$50 admin fee will not be refunded, on presentation of a medical or veterinary certificate (certificates must be received by 5pm Monday 23rd March)
- After the commencement of competition, 8am 19th March 2020, there will be no refunds.
- All scratchings must be advised via email to secretary@djwts.org.au
- There will be no refund on purchased tickets
- The administration fee payable per horse is \$50.
- The facility fee payable per horse per day is \$16.