

I. DENOMINATION OF THE EVENT

VENUE: Quirindi

DATE: 30th, 31st October & 1st November 2020

NF: AUS

EVENT CATEGORIES:

Long	Short	Long	Short
CCI5*-L <input type="checkbox"/>	CCI(O)4*-S <input type="checkbox"/>	CCIYR3*-L <input type="checkbox"/>	CCIYR3*-S <input type="checkbox"/>
CCI(O)4*-L <input type="checkbox"/>	CCI(O)3*-S <input type="checkbox"/>	CCIJ2*-L <input type="checkbox"/>	CCIJ2*-S <input type="checkbox"/>
CCI(O)3*-L <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CCI(O)2*-S <input type="checkbox"/>	CCIH3*-L <input type="checkbox"/>	CCIH3*-S <input type="checkbox"/>
CCI(O)2*-L <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		CCIH2*-L <input type="checkbox"/>	CCIH2*-S <input type="checkbox"/>

CCI1*-Intro

CCI(O)P1-L CCI(O)P1-S

CCI(O)P2-L CCI(O)P2-S

CCI2*-L reserved for ponies CCI2*-S reserved for ponies

CHAMPIONSHIP CATEGORIES:

Championship 4* Championship 3* Championship 2*

Senior Young Rider Junior Pony

Young Horses

Championship official title: (as per contract)

II. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- FEI Statutes, 24th edition, effective 19 November 2019
- FEI General Regulations, 24th edition, effective 1st January 2020
- FEI Veterinary Regulations, 14th edition, effective 1 January 2018, updates effective 1st January 2020
- FEI Eventing Rules and its Annexes, 25th Edition, effective 1st January 2020
- Equine Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Regulations (EADCMR), 2nd Edition, effective 1st January 2018, updates effective 1st January 2020
- FEI Anti-Doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA), based upon the 2015 WADA Code, effective 1st January 2015
- **The FEI Policy for Enhanced Competition Safety during the Covid-19 Pandemic, effective as of 1 July 2020 and until further notice**
- All subsequent published revisions/updates, the provisions of which will take precedence.

Approved by the FEI, Lausanne, on

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Draft schedules are to be sent by e-mail to eventingschedules@fei.org

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III. THE FEI CODE OF CONDUCT FOR THE WELFARE OF THE HORSE

The Fédération Equestre Internationale (FEI) expects 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 Athletes 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 involved with the sport to attain the highest levels of education in their areas of expertise.

The Long version of this Code can be obtained from the Fédération Equestre Internationale, HM King Hussein I Building, Chemin de la Joliette 8, 1006 Lausanne, Switzerland. Telephone: +41 21 310 47 47. The Code is available in English. The Code is also available on the FEI's website: <https://inside.fei.org/fei/regulations/general-rules>.

IV. GENERAL INFORMATION

1. ORGANISER

Name: Quirindi Eventing
Address: Boonoonna SPRING RIDGE NSW 2343
Telephone: +61427473887
Fax:
Email: quirindi_eventing@bigpond.com
Website: www.quirindieventing.net

Contact Details Show Ground:

Address: East St QUIRINDI NSW 2343
Telephone: +61427473887
GPS Coordinates: 31°31'00.3"S 150°41'27.9"E
Accessibility details (directions by road, nearest airport / train station): Tamworth Regional Airport 75klms. Quirindi Train Station 2klm. Quirindi is 350 kmls North West of Sydney

2. ORGANISING COMMITTEE

Honorary President: Sandra Thompson
President of the Event: Darryl Burgess
Show Secretary: Vicki Burgess
Press Officer: Liz Ausling

3. EVENT DIRECTOR

Name: Darryl Burgess
Address: Boonoonna C/-PO SPRING RIDGE NSW 2343
Telephone:
Mobile: +61429031932
Fax:
Email: darryl.burgess@bigpond.com

4. STABLE MANAGER

Name: Vicki Burgess
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Email: eventing.nsw@bigpond.com

V. OFFICIALS

Ref	Panel	Competition	Function	FEI ID	NAME	NF	Level (Nat, 1, 2, 3)	Contact details
1	Ground Jury 1 st Competition	CCI2*-L & CCI3*-L	Ground Jury President	10051460	Victoria Lymbery	AUS	3	vlymbery1@gmail.com
			Ground Jury Member	10097646	Linda Heuke	AUS	2	linda.heuke@gmail.com
			Ground Jury Member					
	Jumping test Judge	CCI2*-L & CCI3*-L	Jumping test Judge		Cheryl Backhouse	AUS	Nat	gcbachouse@bigpond.com
2	Technical Delegate	CCI2*-L & CCI3*-L	Technical Delegate	10010305	Katja Sykes	FIN	2	sykeskatja3@gmail.com
		CCI2*-L & CCI3*-L	2nd Technical Delegate	10057857	Hunter Doughty	AUS	3	warrina@outlook.com
		CCI2*-L CCI3*-L	Assistant Technical Delegate	10003708	Belinda Bailey	AUS	Nat	belindabailey1@bigpond.com
		CCI2*-L & CCI3*-L	Assistant Technical Delegate	10188516	Simon Smith	AUS	Nat	simon@quirindiplumbing.com.au
3	Course Designer	CCI2*-L & CCI3*-L	Course Designer	10052704	Darryl Burgess	AUS	2	darryl.burgess@bigpond.com
		CCI2*-L & CCI3*-L	Assistant Course Designer	10000148	Stuart Tinney	AUS	3	stuart@tinneyeventing.com
		CCI2*-L & CCI3*-L	Assistant Course Designer	10165357	Sandra Thompson	AUS	Nat	mingthompson53@gmail.com
		CCI2*-L & CCI3*-L	Course Builder (<i>& company name if applicable</i>)		Boonoona Design	AUS		darryl.burgess@bigpond.com
		CCI2*-L & CCI3*-L	Jumping Course Designer	10074032	Greg Backhouse	AUS	Nat	gcbachouse@bigpond.com
4	Chief Steward	CCI2*-L & CCI3*-L	Chief Steward	10066747	Andrea Webb	AUS	2	Ajwebb6@outlook.com
5	Assistant Stewards	CCI2*-L & CCI3*-L	Assistant Steward		Rebecca Andrews	AUS		

CHECKLIST FOR DRAFT SCHEDULE EVENTING 2020

			Assistant Steward					
			Assistant Steward					
			Assistant Steward					
6	FEI Veterinary Delegate	CCI2*-L & CCI3*-L	FEI Veterinary Delegate	10079498	Selena Sylvester	AUS		selena@sylvestercattleco.com.au
			Assistant FEI Delegate					
	FEI Veterinary Commission (for Championships only)		President					
			Foreign Veterinary Delegate					
			Assistant FEI Delegate					
7	Veterinary Service Manager (VSM) (VR Art 1103) Treating Veterinarian (VR Art 1105)	CCI2*-L & CCI3*-L	Veterinary Service Manager	10099110	Lisa Goodchild	AUS		lgoodchi@bigpond.net.au
		CCI2*-L & CCI3*-L	FEI Permitted Treating Vet	10099110	Lisa Goodchild	AUS		lgoodchi@bigpond.net.au
8	Chief Medical Officer	CCI2*-L & CCI3*-L	Chief Medical Officer		Ian Seppelt	AUS		seppelt@bigpond.com +61412 595 647
	Medical services	CCI2*-L & CCI3*-L	Medical Services		Complete Response Solutions	AUS		zach@crs247.com.au
9	Farrier		Farrier		John Dillon	AUS		+61429 416 881
10	NF Delegate		NF Delegate (if applicable)					

VI. INVITATIONS

1. GENERAL

Number of NFs invited	unlimited
Number of Athletes from the host nation	unlimited
Number of Athletes per NF	inlimited
Number of Horses per Athlete	4 recommended
Ballot procedure in case of excessive entries. <i>Must be specified</i>	If more entries than the event can accomodated are received priority will be in oder of entry

AUS entries only and competitors must abide by State Health requirements for interstate travel re: COVID-19

Athletes are invited by the Organiser through their National Federation.

One (1) groom per athlete.

2. ENTRY RIGHT TO SHOWGROUNDS/ACCREDITED PERSONS

Entry right to the stable area according to FEI Veterinary Regulations Articles 1008-1009.

NUMBER OF ACCREDITED PERSONS:

Athlete: 1
 Partner: Either partner or groom
 Groom: Either partner or groom
 Horse Owner: 2 If from the same family two (2) accreditations per horse acc. to FEI-Passport

Events will be run with minimum numbers of people permitted on event site. The sport will be delivered 'behind closed doors' with no spectators. Riders will be permitted to bring one support person per horse, plus one owner, or two owners if they are from the same household.

For riders under 18:
 Parents/Guardians and Children

- Two parents/guardians are allowed, if absolutely necessary
- If two parents attend, no other owners will be permitted
 - Only competing children may attend

VII. ENTRIES

IMPORTANT

- Entries must be made through the FEI Entry System for all categories of this Event (<https://entry.fei.org>);
- Additional documentation can be found at: <https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/fei-entry-system>
- All Athletes and Horses participating in any International Competition must be registered with the FEI;
- Athletes and/or Horses present at the Event without having been entered through the FEI's Online Entry System will automatically be disqualified unless compelling circumstances warrant otherwise.

Space for organiser to include details if necessary

1. ENTRY DATES AND ENTRY FEES

Entries have to be in accordance with Art. 509 of the FEI Eventing Rules, 25th edition, updates effective 1 January 2020.

Deadlines for Entries:

Nominated Entries:

(NB: Nominated Entries apply to Championships and Games **ONLY**)

Closing date for Definite Entries: 16th October 2020

Last date for substitutions: 29th October 2020

FEES FOR HORSES

Entry fee per horse:	CCJ3*-L \$300 CCJ2*-L \$280
Stabling fee per horse:	\$60 for the duration
TOTAL per Horse	Entry fee + Stable fee
EADCMP fee Lower Level Events (CIMs) CHF 18 per horse per event (For definition of CIMs see Appendix E of the FEI General Regulations) Higher Level Events CHF 25 per horse per event (All other events not defined as CIMs) Included in entry fee <input type="checkbox"/> Not included in entry fee <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	4* AUD \$38 2* AUD \$28
Details entry procedure fee / Payment:	www.nominate.com.au

2. OTHER FEES

All other fees must be listed hereunder with the details of the amounts to be charged and approved by the FEI. Only fees approved by the FEI and listed in the approved Schedule can be charged by the OC.

Electricity for boxes (upon request): Included in camping

Manure disposal: Included

Hay: Provided by private supplier. Market Value

Straw:

Shavings: Provided by private supplier. Market Value

Sanitary facilities: included in entry fee

Lorry/ Caravan area

Parking: price: Included in entry fee

Power supply: provided by the OC Not provided by the OC Price: Nil

Water supply: provided by the OC Not provided by the OC Price: Nil

Other (please specify):

All aforementioned amounts include VAT, if applicable

VAT number of the Organiser: 34586465298

3. NO-SHOWS/LATE WITHDRAWALS

NB: In the case of withdrawals after the date of definite entries or no-shows, the athlete or the respective NF will be held liable to reimburse the OC for the actual financial loss incurred by the OC (i.e. stabling and hotel expenses) as a result of the late withdrawal or no-show.

Amount charged and refund procedure: As per EA refund policy

https://www.equestrian.org.au/sites/default/files/Eventing_Australia_Refund_Policy_2019_0.pdf

4. QUALIFICATION

Entries have to be in accordance with Art. 520 and 521 of the FEI Eventing Rules, 25th edition, effective 1 January 2020.

The eligibility to compete will be determined by a combination of the following:

- The level of the Athlete category (National, D, C, B, A) (Art.519)
- The achievement of a number of Minimum Eligibility Requirements according to the eligibility matrix of requirements (Art. 520)

VIII. TIMETABLE

Competitions must not start before 08:00 and must not finish after 23:00, unless prior approval is granted by the FEI.

1. TIMETABLE (TO BE PROVIDED PER CATEGORY/LEVEL IF MULTIPLE EVENTS)

<u>Long format competition</u>	Competition	Day	Date	Time
• Opening of stables:	CCI3&2*-L	THU	29/10/20	13:00
/ Vet examination on arrival:	CCI3&2*-L	THU	29/10/20	13:00
	CCI3&2*-L	FRI	30/10/20	8:00
• Official Course Inspection:	CCI3*-L	THU	29/10/20	13:00
•	CCI2*-L	THU	29/10/20	15:00
• 1 st Horse Inspection:	CCI3*-L	FRI	30/10/20	9:00
•	CCI2*-L	FRI	30/10/20	9:30
• Declaration of Starters:	CCI3*-L	FRI	30/10/20	9:30
•	CCI2*-L	FRI	30/10/20	10:00
• 1st Start – Dressage:	CCI3*-L	FRI	30/10/20	11:00
•	CCI2*-L	FRI	30/10/20	13:00
• 1st Start - Cross-Country:	CCI3*-L	SAT	31/10/20	11:00
•	CCI2*-L	SAT	31/10/20	12:00
• 2 nd Horse Inspection:	CCI3*-L	SUN	1/11/20	8:00
•	CCI2*-L	SUN	1/11/20	8:30
• 1st Start – Jumping:	CCI3*-L	SUN	1/11/20	10:00
•	CCI2*-L	SUN	1/11/20	11:00
• Prize-giving:	On-Line	SUN	1/11/20	After Comp

Prize money will be paid by Direct Deposit 02/11/20.

Ribbons/Rugs available for pick up 30 minutes after scores posted.

No formal presentation due to COVID-19.

Place getters to use social media to thank class sponsors.

IX. COMPETITION DETAIL

Format : CCI Long

Level : 3*

**This competition will be in accordance with Rules for Eventing, 25th Edition,
updated 1 January 2020**

Technical Conditions

DRESSAGE TEST

FEI Eventing 3* B

CROSS-COUNTRY

Event	Length	4400 - 5500
	Speed	550
	Approx. number of efforts	30-35

JUMPING

Event	Distance	600 m
	Speed:	350 m/min
	Number of efforts:	11/14
	Number of Obstacles:	10

PRIZE – CLASSIFICATION

Total amount of prize money (currency)	1040 AUD
Breakdown per category / placing (1 prize per 4 athletes, minimum 5 prizes and 1 st prize not more than 1/3 of total prizemoney)	1 st \$330 2 nd \$310 3 rd \$300 4 th \$60 5 th \$40
Other details on PM distribution	Prizemoney is inclusive of GST

Format : CCI Long

Level : 2*

**This competition will be in accordance with Rules for Eventing, 25th Edition,
updated 1 January 2020**

Technical Conditions

DRESSAGE TEST

	FEI Eventing 2* B

CROSS-COUNTRY

Event	Length	3640 - 4680
	Speed	520
	Approx. number of efforts	25 - 30

JUMPING

Event	Distance	600m
	Speed:	350m/min
	Number of efforts:	11/13
	Number of Obstacles:	10

PRIZE – CLASSIFICATION

Total amount of prize money (currency)	990 AUD
Breakdown per category / placing (1 prize per 4 athletes, minimum 5 prizes and 1 st prize not more than 1/3 of total prizemoney)	1 st \$320 2 nd \$300 3 rd \$290 4 th \$50 5 th \$30
Other details on PM distribution	Prizemoney is inclusive of GST

PRIZEMONEY SUMMARY

Category	Level	Currency	Amount
National Long	3*	AUD	\$1190
International Long	2*	AUD	\$1090
AUD TOTAL			\$2280

IMPORTANT

The total amount of prize money shown for each Competition in the schedule must be distributed. (FEI General Regulations articles 127 and 128)

The value of the 1st prize must not exceed 1/3 of the total prize money distributed for the competition. The minimum number of prizes offered for each competition must be allocated on the basis of one prize for every commenced four Athletes, with a minimum of five prizes.

X. FACILITIES OFFERED

1. ATHLETES

Accommodation

Hotel: Quirindi has a variety of accommodations
Address: www.visitquirindi.com.au/accommodations/
Telephone:
At the expense of: The Organiser or Athletes
Accommodated (bed and breakfast) from to

Meals

At the expense of: The Organiser or Athletes
Meals provided from to

Canteen with pre-package foods & drinks available. Take away only
New amenities block constructed

2. GROOMS

Accommodation.

Requests for accommodation must be sent with entries.
Accommodation will be at the expense of: Organiser Athletes
Accommodated (bed and breakfast) from to

Meals.

At the expense of: The Organiser or Athletes
Meals provided from to

Canteen with pre-package foods & drinks available. Take away only
New amenities block constructed

NB: If applicable, Organiser must provide proper sanitary conditions. The showering facilities should be sufficient for both male and female grooms with hot and cold water. Shower facilities as well as restrooms should at all times be in a state of cleanliness.

**XI. LOGISTICAL/ADMINISTRATIVE/TECHNICAL
INFORMATION**

1. DRAW

List of Draws, time, date and location: www.nominate.com.au Draw by email 18th
August and updated as required

2. COMPETITION ARENA(S)

Dressage:

- Dimensions: 60m x 20m
- Type of Footing: grass

Cross Country:

- Type of Ground grass and black soil

Jumping:

- Dimensions: 120m x 80m
- Type of Footing: grass

3. PRACTICE ARENA(S)

Dimensions: 60m x 20m
Type of Footing: grass
Additional practice areas: Large open grassed area

4. STABLES

Size of boxes 3.6 m x 3.6 m (80% minimum 3m x 3m + 20% 3m x 4m)

Hold Ya Horses 3.6 x 3.6 Polo X yards 3.3 x 3.3 PC Stalls 3.m x 3m
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5. SCORING/TIMING PROVIDER

Will you use a FEI Certified Service Provider to manage the scoring and timing at your Event?

(The list of certified Service Providers is available here: <https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/it-providers/list>)

Yes

Name of the company:
FEI Certified Service Provider ID number:
Contact person at Event
Name:
FEI ID number:
Contact email:

No

Name of the company: Eventing NSW
Contact person at Event
Name: Vicki Burgess

FEI ID number: 10085225

Contact email: eventing.nsw@bigpond.com

The FEI may require to be provided with real time results data feed of your events according to FEI requirements; in this case you and your provider will be informed accordingly.

6. OTHER TECHNOLOGY/SERVICE PROVIDER(S)

Will you use other technology/service provider(s) at your Event?

Yes

Name of Company: TBA

Contact person

Name:

FEI ID number (if applicable):

Contact email:

Activity/Function: Camera System

(i.e.: Accreditations, Stable Management, Camera system, Sensors, etc...)

No

7. PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY

The owner of the winning horse/pony is invited to the prize giving ceremony:

Yes No

The number of athletes required to present themselves for the prize-giving ceremony of each competition is Nil due to COVID-19.

Athletes riding their horses: Yes No

8. ADVERTISING ON ATHLETES AND HORSES

At CI events, and all competitions except for the Nations Cup, athletes are authorised to carry the logo of their personal sponsor in accordance with article 541 of the FEI Eventing Rules.

For Championship or CIO Nations Cup Competitions, please specify below.

Championship: personal sponsor logo Authorised Not authorised

Nations Cup Competitions: personal sponsor logo Authorised Not authorised

The Chief Steward will check that the advertising on athletes and horses complies with these Articles.

9. TICKETING

Are you selling tickets for spectators to attend your event: Yes No

Name of your ticketing provider:

Web address to buy tickets:

10. BETTING

Betting will be authorised by the Organiser: Yes No

11. TRANSPORT REIMBURSEMENT HORSES / PONIES

Transport expenses to be paid by:

The Organiser at _____ per km.

The Athlete

12. WELCOME

The time and date of arrival of athletes, horses and their means of transport must be given to the Organiser in order to facilitate their arrival.

13. LOCAL TRANSPORTATION - ARRANGEMENTS FROM HOTEL TO SHOWGROUNDS

Walking distance

Organiser Shuttle Service

Public Transport to be paid by the Organiser / the Athlete

If paid by Athlete approximate cost per round trip: \$10

Other: Taxi

Square for OC to include additional details if necessary

14. LORRY / CARAVAN FACILITIES

Lorry or caravan can be parked close to the stables Yes No

Parking can not be on the racetrack

15. SUSTAINABILITY

Please consider the environment when organising an FEI Event. Please find useful information on FEI Sustainability here:

<http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/organisers/handbook>

XII. VETERINARY MATTERS

1. CUSTOMS FORMALITIES

Contact details for Customs Formalities:

Name:

Address:

Telephone:

Fax:

Email:

Opening hours:

Space for organiser to include details if necessary

2. HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

GENERAL

In accordance with the FEI Code of Conduct for the Welfare of the Horse it is imperative that all Horses at FEI Events are physically fit and free from infectious disease before being allowed to compete.

ENTRY OF HORSES

Required health tests and vaccinations:

Quarantine period:

Specimen Import Licence applied:

Space for organiser to include details if necessary

3. NATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

If applicable please provide:

Horses from the NSW far North Coast and Queensland should be Hendra Vaccinated

4. PONIES

FEI Veterinary Regulations, Chapter IX and Annex X: For all Pony Events, Ponies must be available for Pony Measurement if requested by the FEI.

5. INJURY SURVEILLANCE

FEI Veterinary Regulations, Chapter VIII: Horses participating in FEI Events are subject to injury surveillance protocols; and in the event of fatality, a post mortem examination.

6. TRANSPORT OF HORSES

Horses must be fit to travel and be transported in suitable vehicles for the transport of horses. Any government requirements for disease testing and control must be requested well in advance, to ensure that the horse is in compliance by the time of arrival at the border of the country where the Event is taking place. Athletes, or their representatives, have the responsibility to comply with national legislation in both their country of origin and the host nation of the Event. Where necessary athletes must contact local government authorities or veterinary advisors for information regarding animal health requirements and transport legislation. Within the European Union (EU), this includes EU Council Regulation (EC) No 1/2005 concerning the protection of animals during transport within the Member States of the EU.

7. VENUE ARRIVAL INFORMATION & FITNESS TO COMPETE

7.1. PASSPORTS. FEI General Regulations Article 137

For all issues relating to FEI Horse Passports/FEI Recognition Cards please contact your National Federation.

All Horses competing at FEI Events must be registered with the FEI. FEI Passports or FEI Recognition Cards (for those Horses with a national passport approved by the FEI) are compulsory for FEI Events.

NB: Horses entered in CIMs and in CSIP in their country of residence are not required to have an FEI Passport or FEI Recognition Card but must be properly registered with the FEI and identifiable (GRs 137.2).

Athletes who do not present a Horse’s Passport and/or Recognition Card, or one that is not correctly validated or fail to meet other passport requirements will be **subject to Sanctions in accordance with Annex VI of the FEI Veterinary Regulations** and may not be allowed to compete.

NB for Horses permanently resident in a Member State of the European Union: all Horses must have a national EU passport in compliance with EU Regulations to which a FEI Recognition card is applied. The exception to this being Horses in possession of an FEI passport which has been continually revalidated without interruption.

7.2. VACCINATIONS - EQUINE INFLUENZA. FEI Veterinary Regulations Article 1003

Horses competing at FEI Events must comply with the requirements for Equine Influenza vaccination in accordance with the Veterinary Regulations and as summarised below.

VACCINATION	PROTOCOL	ELIGIBILITY TO ENTER VENUE
Primary Course	1 st Vaccination: day 0 2 nd Vaccination: day 21-92	May compete 7 days after the 2 nd Vaccination
First Booster	Within 7 months of the 2 nd vaccination of the Primary Course	May compete for 6 months +21 days after the 2 nd vaccination of the Primary Course Must not compete in the 7 days after receiving a vaccination
Boosters	MINIMUM: within one year of previous booster vaccination IF COMPETING: must be in the 6 months +21 days of the booster previous vaccination	Must have been vaccinated within 6 months +21 days before arriving at the Event Must not compete in the 7 days after receiving a vaccination

All FEI registered Horses intending to compete at FEI Events (including CIMs) must be vaccinated against Equine Influenza in accordance with these VRs. The exception being if the applicable domestic legislation prevents the use of Equine Influenza vaccines within the relevant territory.

7.3. EXAMINATION ON ARRIVAL. FEI Veterinary Regulations Article 1031

On arrival at an Event venue, all Horses must undergo an examination by a veterinarian to confirm their identification from their passport and micro-chip ID (where present), their vaccination status and general health. To protect all horses attending events, any Horse with a questionable health status concerning vaccination, disease or other concerns, must be stabled within the isolation facilities provided by the Organising Committee pending a decision on entering the venue.

7.4. HORSE INSPECTIONS. FEI Veterinary Regulations Articles 1034-1042

All Horses will be assessed for their fitness to compete during the Horse Inspection. Any Horse demonstrating questionable fitness may be referred to the Holding Box for further veterinary examination. Horses not deemed fit to compete by the Inspection Panel will not be permitted to compete.

7.5. LIMB SENSITIVITY EXAMINATION. FEI Veterinary Regulations Articles 1048-1053

All Horses are subject to examination under the protocol for abnormal limb sensitivity throughout the period of an Event. For Jumping that includes, but is not limited to, between rounds and before the Jump Off. For Endurance that includes, but is not limited to, pre-ride, during the ride and after the ride. Horses may be examined once or on multiple occasions during the Period of an Event. Horses may be selected for examination under the protocol randomly or they may be targeted. All Horses selected to be tested must submit promptly to the examination or are subject to immediate disqualification. There is no obligation to examine any specific number of Horses at an Event.

8. EQUINE ANTI-DOPING AND CONTROLLED MEDICATION PROGRAMME (EADCMP). FEI VETERINARY REGULATIONS, CHAPTER VII

8.1. SAMPLING. FEI VETERINARY REGULATIONS CHAPTER VII

All horses competing at FEI Events may be subject to sampling for the presence of Prohibited Substances in accordance with the Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Regulations (EADCMRs). Horses may be selected for sampling in accordance with obligatory testing, targeted or random sampling procedures. Refer to FEI Financial Charges for details of fees relating to Equine and Human Anti-Doping program (EADCMP), which OCs/NFs have the right to charge to the athlete (applicable for all FEI events worldwide).

8.2. ELECTIVE TESTING. FEI VETERINARY REGULATIONS ARTICLES 1057 AND 1058

Elective Testing may be carried out prior to an Event to check for the presence of Prohibited Substances. Please refer to <https://inside.fei.org/fei/cleansport/horses> for information and details.

XIII. HUMAN ANTI-DOPING

Athletes can be tested at any FEI Event, by the FEI or by other Anti-Doping Organisations with Testing jurisdiction. Organisers will have the responsibility to provide facilities and staff/volunteers to facilitate such Testing if requested by the FEI as outlined in article 22.3 of the FEIs' Anti-doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA).

The ADRHA rules are published on the FEI's website at <http://inside.fei.org/content/anti-doping-rules>.

XIV. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1. THE FEI POLICY FOR ENHANCED COMPETITION SAFETY DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

The FEI Policy for Enhanced Competition Safety during the Covid-19 Pandemic ("Policy") (<https://inside.fei.org/fei/covid-19/return-to-play/policy-tools>) is mandatory and applies for any FEI Event taking place **as of 1 July 2020**. The Policy has been developed based on currently accepted best practices by the WHO and US Center for Disease Control (CDC) and will be continually reviewed and updated as more information becomes available. It is not intended to replace the applicable guidance and policies from domestic government and health authorities, but to supplement their recommendations with sport specific considerations.

The OC shall submit the risk assessment and mitigation plan (including name and contact details of the person in charge) to the FEI as an annex to the Event Schedule, **at the latest ten (10) working days before the event's deadline for Definite Entries**.

Events for which the FEI has not received the documented risk assessment and mitigation measures plan in accordance with article 2.1.g) of the Policy **will be removed from the FEI calendar** in accordance with Article 112.3 of the FEI General Regulations.

ASSUMPTION OF RISK / WAIVER OF LIABILITY

In consideration of being allowed to participate in the Event and related activities, all Participants (as defined in the Policy) acknowledge, appreciate, and agree that:

1. Participation includes possible exposure to and illness from infectious diseases including but not limited to COVID-19. While particular rules and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious illness and death does exist; and,
2. The Participants knowingly and freely assume all such risks, both known and unknown, even if arising from the negligence of the OC or others, and assume full responsibility for their participation; and,
3. The Participants willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation as regards protection against infectious diseases. If, however, a Participant observes any unusual or significant hazard during his/her presence or participation, the Participant will remove himself/herself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately; and,
4. The Participants, for themselves and on behalf of their heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS THE OC AND THE FEI, their officers, officials, agents, and/or employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners and lessors of

premises used to conduct the event ("RELEASEES"), WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL ILLNESS, DISABILITY, DEATH, or loss or damage to person or property, WHETHER ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

The Participants confirm to have read this release of liability and assumption of risk agreement, fully understand its terms, understand that they have given up substantial rights.

2. MEDICAL INFORMATION FORM FOR ARMBANDS

Declaration of medical condition

Athletes with medical conditions that may be relevant in the case of a medical emergency are responsible, at every Event when riding, for wearing a medical data carrier* from a system provider able to communicate information at least in English. Alternatively (and at the minimum) a medical armband of good quality can be used. Athletes who chose to wear an armband should download and fill the form available for this purpose on the FEI's website <http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/officials/eventing/forms>.

** Medical data carrier (also called "medical identification tag"): small emblem or tag worn on a bracelet, neck chain, or on the clothing, intended to alert paramedics/physicians/ first responders that the wearer has an important medical condition.*

Conditions that are relevant include recent head injury, serious past injuries/surgery, chronic health problems such as diabetes, long-term medications and allergies. If in doubt, the athlete should discuss this with his own treating physician."

3. INSURANCES AND NATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

Equestrian sports involve inherent dangerous risks. To the greatest extent permitted by law, the FEI and the FEI Event Organiser shall NOT be liable for any damages relating to loss of property or injury of any kind to Athletes, Owners, Support Personnel or Horses at or in connection with an FEI Event and the FEI expressly excludes all such liability.

3.1. ATHLETES, OWNERS AND SUPPORT PERSONNEL

3.1.1. Personal Accident and Health Insurance

It is your responsibility as an Athlete/Owner/ Support Personnel to ensure that you have adequate personal accident insurance in place to cover your participation at FEI Events and in particular to insure against any personal injury or medical expenses arising from an accident, injury or illness which may occur at a FEI Event.

You should check with your National Federation to confirm if your National Federation's insurance policy (if any) covers personal accidents and/or illnesses, which may occur when you are attending at/participating in FEI Events.

If your National Federation does not have a personal accident/health insurance policy or if the National Federation's insurance policy does not cover personal accident or health claims, then you should obtain your own personal accident and health insurance policy to cover your attendance/participation at FEI Events.

3.1.2. Press Equipment

Press equipment and other items left in the Press workroom, Press lockers, the Press Tribune or anywhere on the showgrounds are left entirely at the owner's risk. The Organising Committee does not accept any responsibility for any loss or damage to such equipment or items. Members of the Press are advised not to leave any equipment or personal items unattended.

3.1.3. Personal Property Insurance

You should also ensure that you are insured against property loss, theft or damage, which may occur at an FEI Event.

Again, the advice is to check with your National Federation to confirm if they have an insurance policy in place, which would cover you in case of such property loss, theft or damage. If not, then you should obtain your own personal property insurance to cover such situations.

3.2. ATHLETES AND OWNERS

3.2.1. Third Party Liability Insurance

As an Athlete/Owner you are personally responsible for damages to third parties caused by you, your employees, Support Personnel, your agents or your Horses. You are, therefore, strongly advised to take out third-party liability insurance providing full coverage in relation to FEI Events at home and abroad, and to keep the policy up to date.

The FEI and the Organiser will NOT be responsible for any damage caused to third parties by you, your employees, Support Personnel, your agents or your Horses.

3.2.2. Additional Liability Information

www.gowgatessport.com.au/equestrian/

3.2.3. Horse Insurance

As an Owner you should ensure that your Horses are adequately insured against any injuries or illnesses they may sustain while participating at a FEI Event.

Equestrian Australia membership and horse registration does not provide horse insurance against injury or illness. Owners are advised to take out private horse insurance.

4. PROTESTS/APPEALS

To be valid, all Protests and Appeals must be made in writing and accompanied by a deposit of CHF 150.- or equivalent.

Protest and appeal forms are available on the FEI website:

Protests: <https://inside.fei.org/sites/default/files/FEI%20Protest%20Form.pdf>

Appeals: <https://inside.fei.org/sites/default/files/FEI%20Appeal%20Form.pdf>

5. DISPUTES

In the event of any discussion concerning the interpretation of the schedule (in translated languages), the English version will be decisive.

6. MODIFICATION TO SCHEDULE

In exceptional circumstances, together with the approval of Chefs d'Equipe, host NF delegate,
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if any, and the Ground Jury, the Organiser may change the schedule in order to clarify any matter arising from an omission or due to unforeseen circumstances. Any such changes must be notified to all athletes and officials as soon as possible and they must be reported to the FEI Secretary General by the Technical Delegate.

7. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM THE ORGANISER

Dogs must be on a leash at all times. Quirindi is a working racetrack all vehicles, people and horses must stop before crossing the track.

8. MINIMUM AGE LIMITATION

LEVEL	ATHLETES	HORSES
1*	12	5
2*	14	6
3*	16	6
4*	18	7
5* + CH4*	18	8

9. PRIZEMONEY DISTRIBUTION

IMPORTANT

The total amount of prize money shown for each Competition in the schedule must be distributed. (FEI General Regulations articles 127 and 128)

The value of the 1st prize must not exceed 1/3 of the total prize money distributed for the competition. The minimum number of prizes offered for each competition must be allocated on the basis of one prize for every commenced four Athletes, with a minimum of five prizes.

DEDUCTIONS FROM PRIZE MONEY AT COMPETITIONS:

Full details of any deductions from prize money must be outlined in the schedule. This includes government taxes. If it is necessary for Organisers to deduct such taxes, they must provide participants with an official form indicating the amount of tax deducted.

The tax form must be provided to the athletes upon arrival and returned to the Organiser prior to departing.

All prizemoney is inclusive of GST

XV. ANNEXES

1. FEI ENTRY SYSTEM

Please fill the form below in order to provide you and the other members of your committee or your IT Providers access to the FEI Entry System.

FEI ID¹: 10085225
Name*: Burgess
First Name*: Vicki
E-Mail*: eventing.nsw@bigpond.com
Access Rights*: Admin² Consult³
Events⁴:

FEI ID¹: 10129915
Name*: Stafford
First Name*: Tina
E-Mail*: tina.stafford@bigpond.com
Access Rights*: Admin² Consult³
Events⁴:

FEI ID¹:
Name*: Norcott
First Name*: Judy
E-Mail*: junic@optusnet.com.au
Access Rights*: Admin² Consult³
Events⁴:

¹ If already have an FEI user account.

² Provides you the required access to manage entries and substitutions and download entries/lists.

³ You are just able to consult and download the entries/lists.

⁴ Leave the field blank if the user deals with the entries of all events in the show.

*** Mandatory Fields**

2. RESULTS

In order to proceed with the results publication and for qualification purposes the FEI requires results **to be uploaded directly on the FEI Database** within four days after the conclusion of the event. All relevant information, file format and tutorial can be found on this page:

<https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/results/eventing-results-forms>

If you or your provider are unable to produce the required files, results will be accepted by e-mail to **eventingresults@fei.org**, in the proper Excel or "XML" format immediately after the event. Please refer to compulsory format for CIs/CIOs/Championships and Games; the file can be downloaded using the following link:

<http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/organisers/xml-format>

All results must include FEI Passport Registration number of horses and FEI ID number of Riders.

Please note that as per Art. 109.6 (GR): OCs of International Events must inform the FEI and NFs whose teams or individuals have taken part, of the results and prize money paid to each placed Athlete and team, within five (5) days following the Event, unless otherwise specified for qualification and ranking reasons as communicated by the FEI. Failure from OCs of International Events to provide the FEI with the appropriate result(s) and/or prize money information by the aforesaid deadline and/or in the aforesaid format shall entail a warning for the first violation and thereafter a fine of CHF 1'000.- per violation.

3. STEWARDING (Only for Jumping test of the Eventing competition, as per FEI Jumping rules)

- If an athlete is uncertain as to whether the boots he/she intends to use during an event are allowed, he/she or his/her representative should show the boots to the Chief Steward for his/her opinion before the boots are used in training or in competition.
- In addition, athletes are to be made aware that hind boots must be removed and placed again on the horse's legs in the presence of a Steward while in the warm-up arena prior to entering the competition arena for certain competitions. (If bandages are used in place of boots, athletes are not required to remove the bandages in the warm-up arena.) This procedure is compulsory for competitions for which boot and bandage control is mandatory, that is the Nations Cup, Championships, and the competition with the highest prize money, and is at the discretion of the Chief Steward for other competitions.
- As an alternative to carrying out this procedure at the time designated by the Steward an athlete may ask his/her groom to take the boots to the in-gate and place them on the horse's legs in front of the Steward prior to the combination entering the arena.
- The Steward has the authority to intervene if a boot is deemed excessively tight by instructing that the boot be removed and put on again correctly. *[Stewards are to note that it is normal for a horse's gait to be somewhat affected immediately after boots have been removed and re-placed.]* If an athlete or his/her groom refuses to remove and re-place the boot(s) when instructed to do so by the Steward, a Yellow Warning Card will be issued to the athlete in question.
- If it is deemed impossible or unsafe to remove the hind boots in the warm-up arena prior to the combination entering the competition arena, due to an extremely excited or nervous horse, the boots of the horse in question are to be removed by the athlete/groom following the athlete's round upon leaving the arena and inspected by the Steward. This inspection may be carried out during the boot and bandage control if the boot and bandage control is carried out for the competition in question.
- This procedure does not replace boot and bandage control after completion of an athlete's round for competitions for which boot and bandage control is mandatory (refer to JRs Art. 244.1)