

**This document contains:**

- The Event Covid-19 risk assessment and risk mitigation plan in accordance with the [FEI Policy for Enhanced Competition Safety during the Covid-19 Pandemic](#)
- The Event Approved Schedule

Given the current covid-19 situation, please note that the FEI's approval of a Schedule should not be taken as an absolute guarantee that the Event will definitely go ahead. The decision whether the Event can take place must be made by the OC and NF in close consultation with the applicable domestic government and public health authorities. It is the responsibility of each Participant to check the status of the Event prior to planning his/her travel to the Event.

# Mass gathering risk assessment for COVID-19: addendum

*The questions below will enable sport event organizers to review the additional considerations specific to sporting events involving mass gatherings, and thus inform their risk assessment of COVID-19 associated with the event. This will help organizers to understand and manage any additional risk from COVID-19.*

*The risk assessment should be reviewed and reassessed regularly during the planning phase and updated immediately prior to the transition to the operational phase, especially in light of the rapidly evolving nature of the outbreak. Reference should be made to the latest technical guidance and situation reports on the WHO website.*

*The risk assessment for COVID-19 associated with the sporting event must be coordinated and integrated with the host country's national risk assessment for COVID-19. The person completing the questionnaire should include input from the local public health authorities, consult WHO's latest technical guidance and ensure that there is an up-to-date evaluation of the epidemiological situation.*

## Risk assessment

**Please answer Yes (1) or No (0) to the following questions to determine a risk assessment score that incorporates factors specific to mass gathering sporting events**

<b>Additional risk of COVID-19 to the mass gathering sporting event</b>	<b>Yes (1)/No (0)</b>	<b>Score</b>
<b>Will the event be held in a country that has documented active local transmission of COVID-19 (community spread)?</b>	1	1
<b>Will the event be held in multiple venues/cities/countries?</b>	0	0
<b>Will the event include international participants (athletes and spectators) from countries that have documented active local transmission of COVID-19 (community spread)?</b>	1	1
<b>Will the event include a significant number of participants (athletes or spectators) at higher risk of severe COVID-19 disease (e.g., people over 65 years of age or people with underlying health conditions)?</b>	0	0
<b>Will the event include sports that are considered at higher risk of spread for COVID-19 (eg, contact sports)?</b>	0	0
<b>Will the event be held indoors?</b>	0	0
<b>Total COVID-19 risk score</b>		<b>2</b>

## Mass gathering mitigation checklist for COVID-19: addendum for sporting events

Mitigation measures assess the current effort and planning to reduce the risk of spread of COVID-19 disease for the event. As mitigation measures can reduce the overall risk of the mass gathering contributing to the spread of COVID-19, they should be taken into account after the risk assessment has occurred to gain a clearer understanding of the overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19, should the mass gathering be held. Together with the risk assessment score, the mitigation measure will contribute to the decision matrix and influence the assessment of the overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the mass gathering.

Topic	Key consideration	Score Yes/Completed (2), Maybe/In progress (1), No/Not considered (0)	Weighting	Total score	Comments
Understanding of the overview of the current COVID-19 situation by the event organizers	Have the relevant organizers and responsible staff been informed about the <b>latest available guidance on the COVID-19 outbreak</b> (official web resources available from WHO, CDC, ECDC, UN, local public health authorities)? And are the organizers and staff concerned committed to following the available guidance?	2	1	2	( <a href="https://www.who.int/publications-detail/key-planning-recommendations-for-mass-gatherings-in-the-context-of-the-current-covid-19-outbreak">https://www.who.int/publications-detail/key-planning-recommendations-for-mass-gatherings-in-the-context-of-the-current-covid-19-outbreak</a> )
	Are organizers aware of <b>global and local daily situation reports</b> as provided by WHO or local public health authorities?	2	1	2	
	Do the organizers and responsible staff understand the <b>risks and transmission routes of COVID-19, the steps that event attendees can take to limit spread, the recognized best practices</b> (including respiratory etiquette, hand hygiene, physical distancing, etc.), and <b>the travel restrictions</b> adopted by different countries that may affect the mass gathering?	2	1	2	
	Has a <b>contingency medical response plan for COVID-19</b> been developed for this mass gathering sporting event?	2	3	6	If there will be an outbreak at the event it will be stopped immediately in consultation with our local government
	Does the contingency medical response plan include <b>information about how attendees should interact with the host country healthcare system</b> (e.g. hotline/helpline telephone number, medical teams and first-aid points for the mass gathering, local health care system)?	2	3	6	Chief Medical Doctor runs a Covid Treatment centre. For all measures he will be the main consultant for the organizing committee
	Is there an <b>Emergency COVID-19 Outbreak Response Coordinator/Team</b> in the organizing committee or other structure for the mass gathering with defined roles and responsibilities, coordinating the health preparedness and response planning for the outbreak?	2	2	4	2 authorized hygiene persons and our medical service on site
	Has the host country or organizer requested <b>support from WHO and/or local public health authorities</b> ?	2	3	6	From local public health authorities
	<b>Have the organizers of the mass gathering event acquired the following supplies to help reduce the risk of transmission of COVID-19?</b>				
	Personal protective equipment (e.g. masks, gloves, gowns) for onsite medical personnel	2	3	6	
	bins for safe disposal of hygienic materials (e.g. tissues, towels, sanitary products) in washrooms and changing rooms	2	3	6	
	Hand sanitizers and alcohol rubs for all entrances and throughout the venue	2	3	6	
	<b>If a person feels unwell/ shows symptoms of an acute respiratory infection during the event:</b>				

Event emergency preparedness and response plans	Is there a procedure for athletes or spectators to clearly identify <b>whom to contact and how to do so</b> if they or other event participants feel unwell?	2	3	6	Medical Doctor on site will be the contact person
	Is there a protocol on <b>whom meeting organizers should contact in the host country</b> to report suspected cases and request testing and epidemiological investigations?	2	3	6	
	Are <b>first-aid services or other medical services</b> in-place and equipped to support patients with respiratory symptoms?	2	2	4	
	Are there <b>isolation rooms or mobile isolation units</b> available onsite?	2	2	4	
	Are there any <b>designated medical facilities</b> that manage patients with COVID-19 infection in the host country?	2	2	4	
	Are there <b>transportation services with trained medical professionals</b> available to transport critically ill patients with severe acute respiratory infections to a hospital or to evacuate them from the host country, if necessary?	2	2	4	
	Has a <b>cleaning schedule</b> been developed to ensure the venue is clean and hygienic – wiping surfaces and any equipment regularly with disinfectant is strongly recommended (before, during and after the event and between each round of competition)?	1	3	3	A cleaning program for restrooms and showers will be established
	Are there established <b>screening measures</b> , including temperature checks in place for participants at the point of entry, venues, routes and on-site medical facilities (first-aid points)? (Please specify in Comments what these screening measures include)	0	3	0	temperature checks can be made if there is a suspicion of a COVID-19 case
	Is the host country conducting COVID-19 <b>laboratory diagnostic tests</b> ? (If Yes, please specify in comments the type of COVID-19 diagnostic test used)	2	3	6	
	Does the host country have a <b>national public health emergency preparedness and response plan</b> that can address severe respiratory diseases, including COVID-19?	2	2	4	
	Is there a <b>preliminary agreement by the host country to provide care</b> for any COVID-19 cases connected with the mass gathering?	1	3	3	
	If the event is for a duration of 14 days or longer, does the medical response plan for the event include resources and protocols for managing all public health interventions that would be necessary and supporting the national public health authorities if participants are infected and become unwell at the event? (If the event is for less than 14 days, please score 0)	0	3	0	
Stakeholder and partner coordination	If the event is for less than 14 days, does the medical response plan include protocols for organizers to notify all participants of possible exposure to COVID-19 if the organizers are made aware of any suspected or confirmed cases that attended the event? (If the event is for 14 days or longer, please score 0)	2	3	6	not applicabel
	Is there an established mechanism for collaboration and coordination between <b>the health and security sectors</b> , which is considered as crucial?	2	2	4	close contact
	Are there agreed, clear and easily understood processes in place for <b>reporting to external multi-sectoral stakeholders</b> (including surveillance authorities, WHO, CDC, ECDC, etc.) and disseminating risk communication messages (Media)?	2	2	4	press office
	Is there a decision-making authority/body and an agreed procedure to <b>modify, restrict, postpone or cancel the mass gathering sporting</b> event related to the evolving COVID-19 outbreak?	2	3	6	Authorized hygiene person / medical Doctor and event director will make the decisssion

Command and control	Are there arrangements to activate a <b>strategic health operations centre</b> if there are suspected COVID-19 cases in connection with the sporting mass gathering?	2	2	4	hospitals in the area are all familiar with treating Covid
	Have the mass gathering organizers and staff <b>undergone training and exercises</b> on personal safety procedures and emergency mitigation measures (including those specifically listed in this checklist)?	2	3	6	most of OC and staff members have made some events in 2020 under COVID-19 rules, with the availability of Covid 19 tests this year - a test strategy has been implemented
Risk communication	Is there a <b>risk communication strategy</b> for the sporting mass gathering in regard to COVID-19?	2	3	6	yes - measures will be published on web site and in letter to all athletes
	Is there a <b>designated person(s) to lead media</b> activities and tasked with managing all external communications with national and international government officials, the general public, and the media? (If yes, please identify the spokesperson in comments)	2	2	4	yes - one central person of the OC will manage communication
	Has there been <b>monitoring of national and international media and social media</b> established for <b>rumours</b> to be able to counter them early? (Please explain in the comments what protocols are in place for counter messaging)	1	2	2	social media are monitored by the press officer of the OC
	Has coordination been set up with major <b>official media channels and social media</b> sites such as Twitter, Facebook and Instagram so that messaging can be coordinated with, and assisted by, the platforms to provide targeted messaging from organizers (including messaging to counter fake news and rumours, and proactive messaging about the status of the mass gathering, including changes)?	1	2	2	social media are monitored by the press officer of the OC
Public health awareness of COVID-19 before and during the event	Has <b>public health advice</b> on clinical features of COVID-19, preventive measures, especially respiratory etiquette, hand hygiene practices, and physical distancing, been shared with all staff involved in the event, athletes, the public, and personnel of all relevant stakeholders?	2	3	6	Warning signs and reminders will be placed at high traffic areas
	Has information on the <b>at-risk populations</b> been provided to all athletes, the public and others so they may make an informed decision on their attendance based on their personal risks?	2	3	6	yes - measures will be published on web site and in letter to all athletes
	Has public advice included information on the meaning of the following <b>measures: quarantine, self-isolation and self-monitoring</b> ?	2	2	4	this is meanwhile common practice after more than 12 months of the pandemic event
Surge capacity	<b>Are there any surge arrangements in place in the event of a public health emergency during the mass gathering - (i.e. suspected and confirmed cases of COVID-19?</b>				
	Do these surge arrangements include funding for mitigation measures?	1	3	3	
	Do these surge arrangements include stockpiles of equipment (e.g. personal protective equipment, etc.)	1	3	3	
	Do these surge arrangements include training of extra staff?	0	2	0	
	Do these surge arrangements include volunteers?	1	2	2	
Specific mitigation measures	Will there be <b>daily health checks</b> of athletes/competitors?	0	2	0	Test certificates will be checked upon entering the site; tests will be performed
	Will the <b>athletes be separated from other groups</b> , such as officials, support staff and spectators, to limit transmission?	2	2	4	as far as technically feasible
	Are there measures in place to <b>limit the sharing of equipment, water bottles, towels</b> , etc.?	2	3	6	only small closed containers will be provided
	Will athletes be given closed <b>containers to allow for the safe disposal or storing of all hygienic materials</b> (e.g. tissues, towels, etc.)?	2	3	6	
	Will the sporting event have <b>designated seating</b> for all spectators?	2	3	6	spectators are not allowed on this event

	Does the designated <b>seating provided allow for physical distancing</b> between spectators (minimum of 1 metre)?	2	2	4	spectators are not allowed on this event
	Have <b>pre-travel health checks</b> been performed on all athletes to ensure underlying co-morbidities, medications, allergies, etc. are documented?	1	2	2	The OC gives the advice to test prior starting the travel to the site

Sum of mitigation measures	186
Total mitigation score (%)	85

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## Mass gathering overall risk score: addendum for sporting events

The decision matrix takes the risk score and the mitigation score to provide a colour determination. This colour determination identifies the total risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the mass gathering. The "Colour Determination" key below the decision matrix describes the total risk for each colour.

<b>Total COVID-19 risk score (from "Risk Assessment" Tab)</b>	<b>2</b>
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<b>Total mitigation score (from "Mitigation Checklist" Tab)</b>	<b>85</b>
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### RISK VS. MITIGATION Matrix

<b>Total Risk Assessment Score</b>	<b>Very Prepared to Mitigate COVID-19 Impacts (76-100)</b>	<b>Somewhat Prepared to Mitigate COVID-19 Impacts (51-75)</b>	<b>Somewhat Unprepared to Mitigate COVID-19 Impacts (26-50)</b>	<b>Very Unprepared to Mitigate COVID-19 Impacts (0-25)</b>
<b>0 - Negligible</b>	<b>Very low</b>	<b>Very low</b>	<b>Very low</b>	<b>Very low</b>
<b>1 - Very Low Risk</b>	<b>Very low</b>	<b>Very low</b>	<b>Low</b>	<b>Low</b>
<b>2 - Low Risk</b>	<b>Low</b>	<b>Low</b>	<b>Low</b>	<b>Moderate</b>
<b>3 - Moderate Risk (low-moderate)</b>	<b>Low</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Moderate</b>
<b>4 - Moderate Risk (high-moderate)</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>High</b>	<b>Very High</b>
<b>5 - High Risk</b>	<b>High</b>	<b>High</b>	<b>Very High</b>	<b>Very High</b>
<b>6 - Very High Risk</b>	<b>Very High</b>	<b>Very High</b>	<b>Very High</b>	<b>Very High</b>

### KEY FOR COLOUR DETERMINATION OF OVERALL RISK

<b>VERY LOW</b>	Overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the mass gathering is considered <u>very low</u> .
<b>LOW</b>	Overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the mass gathering is considered <u>low</u> . Recommend checking whether mitigation measures can be strengthened.
<b>MODERATE</b>	Overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the mass gathering is considered <u>moderate</u> . Recommend <u>significant</u> efforts to improve mitigation measures or reduce risk of transmission (decrease risk assessment score).
<b>HIGH</b>	Overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the mass gathering is considered <u>high</u> . Recommend <u>significant</u> efforts to improve <u>both</u> mitigation measures and reduce risk of transmission (decrease risk assessment score).
<b>VERY HIGH</b>	Overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the mass gathering is considered <u>very high</u> .

# **Marbach May 2021**

## **Risk Mitigation Plan**

Upon access to the show grounds, athletes and accompanying persons agree to comply with the following safety regulations:

1. All official requirements under the current German Act on Epidemics and the pertinent regulations in force at the time of the competition must be observed by all those attending!

Travel to the event is subject to the rules of conduct in public and private spaces as specified by the crisis management team of the German government:

A safe distance of at least 1,5 metres from other persons must be kept.

2. Every person that enters and exits the show ground has to accredit their name, address, telephone number and their period of presence to the presence capturing.

They get adverted to all hygiene and infection preventive regulations. Information sheets will be posted. People will be reminded by posters and announcements. In case that athletes of non-German speaking countries announce their participation, signs and instructions will be posted in English.

3. Spectators will not be allowed on site. Helpers and officials will be registered.
4. In all contacts with other persons, the minimum distance of 1,5 metres must strictly be adhered to. Persons living in a common household are not subject to this rule. Group gatherings should be avoided.
5. Nose-and-mouth masks are required in following areas/in following cases:
  - While presence capturing
  - If it's not possible to keep the distance of 1,5 metres and there's no plexiglass pane
  - While human or veterinary medical supplies
6. Sufficient quantities of liquid soap and paper towels and hand disinfectant will be provided in the sanitary facilities. Hand disinfectant is provided at the presence capturing, the entries office and the beverage dispensing too.
7. Showering facility will be coordinated by personal
8. At the warm-up areas are signs that inform about the maximum number of horse-and-rider pairs.
9. Alcohol-free beverages are available in closed bottles.



10. In the judges' boxes, nose-and-mouth masks are required or plexiglass panes are installed to separate the judge and the assistants if the distance is lower than 1,5 metres.. The access is forbidden for everyone except the judges and necessary assistants.
11. If an announcer who is not one of the judges is necessary, he keeps the distance of 1,5 metres to the judges and assistants. The front of the judges' tower is always opened.
12. Any other assistants/helpers keep the distance of 1,5 metres or wear a nose-and-mouth mask.
13. The entries office must not be accessed. In exceptional cases, it is possible to speak to the persons in the entries office with a nose-and-mouth mask and a distance of 1,5 metres. All necessary information will be obtained by phone or online.
14. There will be no award ceremonies.
15. Persons who feel ill or show signs and symptoms of illness are not allowed to enter the show grounds.

General rules:

- Wash your hands frequently! Regularly and thoroughly wash your hands with soap or clean them with disinfectant.
- Keep your distance! Maintain at least 1,5 metres distance between yourself and all other persons.
- Do not touch eyes, nose and mouth! Hands can pick up viruses and transfer the virus to your face!
- Practice respiratory hygiene! Cover your mouth and nose with your bent elbow or tissue when you cough or sneeze.

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06-09 May 2021

Marbach (GER)

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SCHEDULE



## **I. DENOMINATION OF THE EVENT**

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**Venue:** Marbach

**NF:** GER

**Date:** 06/05/2021 to 09/05/2021

**Event Categories:**

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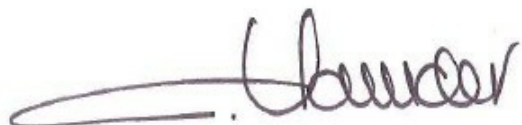
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## **II. GENERAL CONDITIONS**

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- FEI Statutes, 24th edition, effective 19 November 2019
- FEI General Regulations, 24th edition, effective 1st January 2020, updates effective 1st January 2021
- FEI Veterinary Regulations, 14th edition, effective 1 January 2018, updates effective 1st January 2021
- FEI Eventing Rules and its Annexes, 25th Edition effective 1st January 2019, updates 1st January 2021
- Equine Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Regulations (EADCMR), 3rd Edition, effective 1st January 2021
- FEI Anti-Doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA), based upon the 2021 WADA Code, effective 1st January 2021
- 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 16 March 2021 (V1), modified on 06 April 2021 (V2), modified on 23 April 2021 (V3)



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

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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

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### Showground contact details

**Venue name:** Marbach

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**Phone:**

**GPS Coordinates:** Lat: 48.3846236, Long: 9.4188452999999



### Accessibility details (directions by road, nearest airport / train station):

Arrival by car coming from Stuttgart: motorway A 8 (Stuttgart), exit Reutlingen/Tübingen, then onto

B27/B312 in direction of Reutlingen, then onto B28 in direction of Bad Urach, in Bad Urach turn right onto B465 in direction of Münsingen, before entering Münsingen turn right in direction of Gomadingen, then follow the signs “Stallzelt/LKW (stable tent/lorries).

coming from München/Ulm: motorway A 8, exit Merklingen in direction of Münsingen, when leaving Münsingen turn half left in direction of Gomadingen, then follow the signs “Stallzelt/LKW (stable tent/lorries).

Arrival by train      station Münsingen or station Reutlingen

Arrival by plane      airport Stuttgart

## **2. ORGANISING COMMITTEE**

<b>President of the Event</b>	Dieter ALDINGER
<b>Press Officer</b>	Michaela WEBER-HERRMANN
<b>Show Secretary</b>	Claudia DEYLE
<b>Sports Director</b>	Iris GOEDICKE-RUGGABER

## **3. EVENT DIRECTOR**

<b>Name:</b>	Dieter ALDINGER
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## **4. STABLE MANAGER**

<b>Name:</b>	Kim-Janik SCHNIERLE
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## V. OFFICIALS

Assignment	Name / FEI ID	NF	Function	Events
<b>1. Ground Jury</b>				
<b>CCI4*-S</b>				
Ground Jury President	<b>Helmut METT</b> 10052702	GER	Judge (3)	
Ground Jury Member	<b>Hanna ROGGE</b> 10052816	GER	Judge (3)	
Jumping Judge	<b>Helmut METT</b> 10052702	GER	Judge (3)	
<b>CCI2*-S</b>				
Ground Jury President	<b>Hans-Friedrich NAGEL</b> 10004287	GER	Judge (2)	
Ground Jury Member	<b>Holger SONTHEIM</b> 10004338	GER	Judge (N)	
Jumping Judge	<b>Hans-Friedrich NAGEL</b> 10004287	GER	Judge (2)	
<b>2. Technical Delegate</b>				
Technical Delegate	<b>Wolf G. MUELLER</b> 10049783	AUT	Technical delegate (3)	CCI4*-S
Technical Delegate	<b>Michael GOLA</b> 10140590	GER	Technical delegate (2)	CCI2*-S
Assistant Technical Delegate	<b>Iris GOEDICKE-RUGGABER</b> 10101691	GER	Technical delegate (N)	CCI2*-S
Assistant Technical Delegate	<b>Michael GOLA</b> 10140590	GER	Technical delegate (2)	CCI4*-S
<b>3. Course Designer</b>				
Cross Country Course Designer	<b>Rüdiger SCHWARZ</b> 10050161	GER	Course designer (3)	All Events
Jumping Course Designer	<b>Guido VÖLK</b> 10076558	GER	Judge (N)	All Events
Cross Country Assistant Course Designer	<b>Guido VÖLK</b> 10076558	GER	Course designer (N)	All Events

Assignment	Name / FEI ID	NF	Function	Events
Cross Country Assistant Course Designer	Ulrich STAHL 10013571	GER	Course designer (N)	All Events
Cross Country Assistant Course Designer	Clemens SANTACHI 10065916	SUI	Course designer (2)	All Events
Course Builder	Gottfried Seitter (Bautrupp Marbach) 30000020		Corporation	All Events
4. Chief Steward				
Chief Steward	Tanja PRÜLL 10153239	GER	Steward (2)	All Events
5. Assistant Stewards				
Assistant Steward	Susanne KOCZY-FEHL 10049142	GER	Steward (2)	All Events
Assistant Steward	Sonja THEIS 10059486	GER	Steward (2)	All Events
6. FEI Veterinary Delegate				
Veterinary Delegate	Annette WYRWOLL 10024674	GER	Official Veterinarian (2)	All Events
7. Veterinary Service Manager & Treating Veterinarian				
Veterinary Service Manager (VSM)	Bernd BIESINGER 10051252	GER	FEI Permitted Treating Veterinarian	All Events
Treating Veterinarian	Bernd BIESINGER 10051252	GER	FEI Permitted Treating Veterinarian	All Events
8. Chief Medical Officer & Medical Services				
Chief Medical Officer	Peter MAGUNIA 10219141 Phone: +49.176-32568691	GER		All Events
Medical Services	DRK Pfullingen 30000024		Corporation	All Events
9. Farrier				
Farrier	Oliver STOLL 10229041 Phone: +49.173-9631715			All Events
10. NF Delegate				
NF Delegate	Rüdiger SCHWARZ 10050161	GER		All Events

Assignment	Name / FEI ID	NF	Function	Events
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## VI. INVITATIONS

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### 1. GENERAL

**Invited NFs** Unlimited  
All NFs affiliated to the FEI.

**Number of athletes from the host nation** 100

**Number of athletes per NF** Unlimited  
max. 40

**Maximum number of horses per athlete** 2  
per competition

**Ballot procedure in case of excessive entries**

#### **CCI2\*-S/CCI4\*-S:**

Maximum number of starting places: 165

CCI4\*-S: approx. 85 starting places

CCI2\*-S: approx. 110 starting places

Should in one competition the maximum number of starting places cannot be reached, the unused starting places can be allocated to the other competition and filled up with athletes from the waiting list.

The date when the entries have been received will be decisive for athletes on the waiting list. Athletes will be accepted in the following order, 1st athletes of the CCI4\*-S, then of the CCI2\*-S.

Entries that have been made after the maximum number of starting places have been reached, will be put on the waiting list acc. to the order stated above - decisive will be the receipt of entries (this also applies to entries received through the German Entry System NeOn).

Only entries which have correctly been paid will be accepted.

The waiting list will be published as of 22/04/2021 under [www.eventing-marbach.de](http://www.eventing-marbach.de).

Foreign Athletes:

Foreign Athletes, must be qualified acc. to "Minimum Eligibility Requirements of Athletes & Horses" (see Eventing Rules Art. 516 – 522).

German Athletes:

Acc. to a special handicap agreed upon with NF GER; however "Minimum Eligibility Requirements of Athletes & Horses" (see Eventing Rules Art. 516 – 522) have to be adhered to.

Athletes are invited by the Organiser through their National Federation.

One (1) groom per athlete.

### 2. ENTRY RIGHTS TO SHOWGROUNDS / ACCREDITED PERSONS

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

**NUMBER OF ACCREDITED PERSONS**

<b>Athlete</b>	1
<b>Partner</b>	1
<b>Groom</b>	1
<b>Horse owner</b>	2 accreditations per horse acc. to FEI Passport

The number of accreditations may alter if Covid-19 regulations will make it necessary.

## 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.

### 1. ENTRY DATES AND ENTRY FEES

Entries have to be in accordance with Art. 509 of the FEI Eventing Rules, 25th edition, effective 1st January 2020, updates effective 1st January 2021.

#### Deadlines for entries

<b>Closing date for definite entries:</b>	<b>CCI4*-S</b> 19/04/2021 German Athletes have to enter through the German Entry System Neon. Entries of German Athletes will then be uploaded into the FEI Online Entry System!
	<b>CCI2*-S</b> 19/04/2021 German Athletes have to enter through the German Entry System Neon. Entries of German Athletes will then be uploaded into the FEI Online Entry System!
<b>Last date for substitutions:</b>	<b>CCI4*-S</b> 06/05/2021
	<b>CCI2*-S</b> 06/05/2021

#### Fees for horses

Entry fee per horse	
CCI4*-S	460 EUR incl. VAT (0%)
CCI2*-S	365 EUR incl. VAT (0%)
<b>EADCMP Fee</b> 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)	
CCI4*-S	25 EUR incl. VAT (0%) (25 CHF included in entry fee)
CCI2*-S	18 EUR incl. VAT (0%) (18 CHF included in entry fee)
<b>Stabling fee per horse</b>	

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Not Applicable	CCI4*-S : included in the entry fee
	CCI2*-S : included in the entry fee

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**Total fee per horse**

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CCI4*-S	460 EUR incl. VAT Included in the entry fee: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 1 box</li><li>• 1st bedding (straw)</li></ul>
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CCI2*-S	365 EUR incl. VAT Included in the entry fee: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 1 box</li><li>• 1st bedding (straw)</li></ul>
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## **2. DETAILS ENTRY PROCEDURE FEE / PAYMENT**

For late entries (after 19/04/2021) the OC reserves the right to charge a fee acc. to the rules for late entries of NF GER – this rule applies to both German and foreign Athletes.

Entry fee of German Athletes will be subject to direct debit through the German online system NeOn.

Foreign Athletes are asked to transfer entry fee by closing date of entries to the following account:

Account holder: IGV Baden-Württemberg  
Bank: Volksbank Münsingen  
IBAN: DE67 6409 1300 0075 3810 01  
BIC: GENODES1MUN

“Other fees” (see below) will be invoiced on site.

If it is clearly stated in the NeOn Entry System (German athletes only) or FEI Entry System that no box is needed, € 75 will be reimbursed. In this case the respective athlete is no longer entitled to a box.

Contact details:

Name: Iris Goedicke-Ruggaber  
Mobile: +49 171 2051815  
Email: irisruggaber@icloud.com

## **3. 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.

Hay	10 EUR per bale incl. VAT (7%)
Straw	7 EUR per bale incl. VAT (7%) First bedding included.
Shavings	15 EUR per bale incl. VAT (7%)

Sanitary facilities 0 EUR per person incl. VAT (0%)

**Lorry / Caravan area**

Parking price 75 EUR incl. VAT (19%)  
A parking lump sum of € 75,00 (incl. electricity and manure disposal of the parking site) will be charged per parking site, which has to be paid with the entry. This fee applies also to Athletes who do not need a box.

Power supply 0 EUR per lorry/caravan incl. VAT (0%) - Provided by the OC included in the parking lump sum

Water supply 0 EUR per lorry/caravan incl. VAT (0%) - Provided by the OC included in the parking lump sum

**Specific fees**

Additional boxes 150 EUR per box incl. VAT (19%)

Tack box 150 EUR per box incl. VAT (19%)

Additional parking site 75 EUR unit incl. VAT (19%)  
(incl. electricity)

Health papers (if requested) 80 EUR per horse incl. VAT (19%)

All aforementioned amounts include VAT, if applicable

VAT number of the Organiser: DE194048177

#### **4. NO-SHOWS AND LATE WITHDRAWALS**

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** 460 EUR  
CCI4\*-S: € 460,00  
CCI2\*-S: € 365,00

**Refund procedure** After closing date of entries no refund will be granted.

#### **5. QUALIFICATIONS**

Entries have to be in accordance with Art. 520 and 521 of the FEI Eventing Rules, 25th edition, effective 1st January 2020, updates effective 1st January 2021.

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

CCI4*-S	Day	Date	Time
Vet examination on arrival on arrival	Wednesday	05/05/2021	10:00
Opening of stables	Wednesday	05/05/2021	10:00
Declaration of starters	Wednesday	05/05/2021	12:00 - 15:00
Official course inspection	Wednesday	05/05/2021	18:00
Dressage Test - 1st Day	Thursday	06/05/2021	11:30
Dressage Test - 2nd Day	Friday	07/05/2021	07:30
Jumping Test	Friday	07/05/2021	16:00
Cross-Country Test	Saturday	08/05/2021	09:30

CCI2*-S	Day	Date	Time
Vet examination on arrival on arrival	Wednesday	05/05/2021	10:00
Opening of stables	Wednesday	05/05/2021	10:00
Declaration of starters	Wednesday	05/05/2021	12:00 - 15:00
Official course inspection	Wednesday	05/05/2021	18:00
Dressage Test 1st Day	Thursday	06/05/2021	11:30
Dressage Test - 2nd Day	Friday	07/05/2021	07:30
Jumping Test	Saturday	08/05/2021	07:30
Cross-Country Test	Saturday	08/05/2021	14:30

## IX. COMPETITIONS

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These competitions will be in accordance with the FEI Eventing Rules and its Annexes, 25th edition, effective 1st January 2020, updates effective 1st January 2021.

### CCI4\*-S

#### TECHNICAL CONDITIONS

**DRESSAGE TEST** CCI4\* A  
CCI4\*-S

**CROSS-COUNTRY TEST** Length: 3.420 - 3.990 m m  
CCI4\*-S Speed: 570 m/min  
Number of efforts: 30 - 35

**JUMPING** Distance: 600 m  
CCI4\*-S Speed: 375 m/min  
Max. number of efforts: 12  
Number of obstacles: 15

#### PRIZE CLASSIFICATION

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**Total amount of prize money per section:** 6,000 EUR

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1.600/1.300/900/600/400/300/180/120/75/75/75/75/75/75/75. Further placed athletes (max. 1/3) have no right to prize-money.

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Please see XIV. „Prizemoney Distribution“.

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#### Other details on prize money distribution

Please see XIV. „Prizemoney Distribution“.

**CCI2\*-S**

**TECHNICAL CONDITIONS**

**DRESSAGE TEST** CCI2\* A  
CCI2\*-S

**CROSS-COUNTRY TEST** Length: 2.600 - 3.120 m m  
CCI2\*-S Speed: 520 m/min  
Number of efforts: 25 - 30

**JUMPING** Distance: 600 m  
CCI2\*-S Speed: 350 m/min  
Max. number of efforts: 11  
Number of obstacles: 12

**PRIZE CLASSIFICATION**

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**Total amount of prize money per section:** 2,000 EUR

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€ 450/370/280/200/140/120/100/90; 250 are to split among the remaining placed athletes (the best 25 %) (however, the last athlete placed will receive at least € 15, maximum € 90 - in case of little number of starters, the breakdown of prize-money will be recalculated). Further placed athletes (max. 1/3) have no right to prize-money.

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Please see XIV. „Prizemoney Distribution“.

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**Other details on prize money distribution**

Please see XIV. „Prizemoney Distribution“.

## PRIZE MONEY SUMMARY

Category	Amount
CCI4*-S	6,000.00 EUR
CCI2*-S	2,000.00 EUR
Total	8,000.00 EUR

### 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.

## **X. FACILITIES OFFERED**

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### **1. ATHLETES**

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Athletes have to book accommodation themselves. Please contact:

Fremdenverkehrsamt Gomadingen Tel. +49 7385 96960 Internet: [www.gomadingen.de](http://www.gomadingen.de)

Touristik Information Münsingen Tel. +49 7381 182145 Internet [www.muensingen.com](http://www.muensingen.com)

Accommodation will be at the athletes' own expense.

#### **MEALS**

Meals will be made available from 05/05/2021 to 09/05/2021 at the athletes' own expense.

### **2. GROOMS**

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Accommodation will be at the athletes' expense.

#### **MEALS**

Meals will be available from 05/05/2021 to 09/05/2021 at the athletes' expense.

Meals will only be made available on the show grounds, if Covid-19 regulations will allow this at the time of the event.

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 AND TECHNICAL INFORMATION

### 1. DRAWS

#	Draw name	Day	Date	Time	Additional information
1	CCI4*-S - draw acc. to Art. 533.2	Wednesday	05/05/2021	15:30	The draw will take place in the show office. 1st test – Dressage: by draw, 2nd test – Jumping: as Dressage, 3rd test – Cross Country: in reverse order of classification for the best 25 % of athletes after Dressage and Jumping test at the end. For the remaining athletes the starting order will be as in the Dressage test.
2	CCI2*-S - draw acc. to Art. 533.2	Wednesday	05/05/2021	15:30	The draw will take place in the show office. 1st test – Dressage: by draw, 2nd test – Cross Country: as Dressage, 3rd test – Jumping: in reverse order of classification for the best 25 % of athletes after Dressage and Cross Country test at the end. For the remaining athletes the starting order will be as in the Dressage test.

### 2. COMPETITION ARENAS

	Name	Width (m)	Length (m)	Type of footing/ground
Dressage	Dressage Arena	20	60	sand
Cross-country	Cross Country Course			grown grass
Jumping	Jumping Arena	55	90	sand

### 3. PRACTICE ARENAS

Name	Width (m)	Length (m)	Type of footing/ground
Dressage Practice Arena (indoor)	25	60	sand
Dressage - last preparatory arena (outdoor)	20	55	sand
Jumping Practice Arena (indoor)	25	60	sand
Jumping - last preparatory arena (outdoor)	20	55	sand

### 4. STABLES

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

Horses will be stabled (incl. 1st bedding - straw) on the show grounds from 05/05/2021 - 09/05/2021. The necessary number of boxes has to be ordered when handing in the entries – the order is binding. If no boxes have been ordered, the OC will reserve as many boxes as necessary acc. to the entries. Only the assigned stables may be used.

## 5. SCORING/TIMING PROVIDER

The Scoring and Timing of the Event will be performed by the following provider:

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

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<b>Provider contact information:</b>	<b>Name:</b>	ClaudiaDEYLE
	<b>FEI ID Number:</b>	10217876
	<b>Contact email:</b>	turnierservice.deyle@gmail.com

Scoring: Claudia Deyle

Timing:

Name of the company: Loosen Turnierservice

Contact person: Stefan Loosen (FEI ID: 10086094)

Contact email: Loosen@turnierservice.com

## 6. OTHER TECHNOLOGY/SERVICE PROVIDER(S)

Will you use other technology/service provider(s) at your Event? **No**

## 7. PRIZE-GIVING CEREMONY

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

The number of athletes required to present themselves for the prize-giving ceremony of each competition is: **0**

Athletes riding their horses: **No**

Prize-giving ceremony will take place without horses in compliance with the minimum distance regulations.

## 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.

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? **No**

## 10. BETTING

Betting will be authorised by the Organiser: **No**

## **11. TRANSPORT REIMBURSEMENT HORSES/PONIES**

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## **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: **No**

Organiser shuttle service available: **No**

Public transport available: **No public transport available**

## **14. LORRY / CARAVAN FACILITIES**

Lorry or caravan can be parked close to the stables: **Yes**

## **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

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### 1. CUSTOMS FORMALITIES

Contact details for Customs Formalities:

**Name:** Landratsamt Reutlingen - Kreisveterinär- und Lebensmittelüberwachungsamt

**Address:** Aulberstr. 32 72764 Reutlingen Germany

**Phone:** +49.7121-480-2413

**Fax:** +49.7121-480-1848

**Email:** n.hennes@kreis-reutlingen.de

**Opening hours:** Tuesday: 8.00 to 12.00 h  
Thursday: 8.00 to 12.00 h and 14.00 to 17.30 h  
Friday: 8.00 to 12.45 h

Website: [www.kreis-reutlingen.de](http://www.kreis-reutlingen.de)

Customs and veterinary fees will not be taken over by the OC.

### 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

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##### Quarantine period

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##### Specimen Import Licence applied

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Every Athlete is obliged to deliver all necessary health certificates for the transport to the event or identification of the horses before they come into the stables:

a) in case of arrival from a EU-member-country, a health attestation for registered horses acc. to sample of Annex II to COUNCIL DIRECTIVE 2009/156/EC (see <http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?>)

uri=CELEX:32009L0156&from=DE) of the currently valid version will be necessary.

b) in case of arrival from a country not belonging to the EU, a health certificate for registered horses acc. to sample of annex II (see ([https://www.bmel.de/DE/Tier/TierhandelTransport/Gesundheitsbescheinigungen/\\_texte/Pferde.html](https://www.bmel.de/DE/Tier/TierhandelTransport/Gesundheitsbescheinigungen/_texte/Pferde.html)) of the decision of the commission 92/260/EG of the currently valid version will be necessary.

A certificate must be done in at least one official language of the country of destination and in one official language of the member country. The Athlete must carry with him the original certificate, not a copy.

The organiser sees to it that on the competition site, an official state veterinarian is present to issue the health certificates which are necessary for the transport of the horses to their destination abroad.

In case the OC has entrusted a forwarding agency, the latter is ready to assist regarding the required documents.

Furthermore, questions relating to health requirements for horses can be directed to the veterinary authorities in the country of origin or in Germany.

### **3. NATIONAL REQUIREMENTS**

In addition to the Rules and Regulations applicable as set out above the following national regulations apply:

- German Animal Welfare Act (Tierschutzgesetz): [www.gesetze-im-internet.de/bundesrecht/tierschg/gesamt.pdf](http://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/bundesrecht/tierschg/gesamt.pdf)
- German Law concerning Manufacture and Distribution of Medicines (Arzneimittelgesetz): [www.gesetze-im-internet.de/bundesrecht/amg\\_1976/gesamt.pdf](http://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/bundesrecht/amg_1976/gesamt.pdf)
- German Animal Health Act (Tiergesundheitsgesetz): [www.gesetze-im-internet.de/tiergesg/TierGesG.pdf](http://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/tiergesg/TierGesG.pdf)
- German Regulation for Animal-Welfare during Transport (Tierschutztransportverordnung): [www.gesetze-im-internet.de/bundesrecht/tierschtrv\\_2009/gesamt.pdf](http://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/bundesrecht/tierschtrv_2009/gesamt.pdf)
- German Regulation regarding Livestock Transport (Viehverkehrsverordnung): [www.gesetze-im-internet.de/bundesrecht/viehverkv\\_2007/gesamt.pdf](http://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/bundesrecht/viehverkv_2007/gesamt.pdf)
- etc.

### **4. PONIES**

FEI Veterinary Regulations, Chapter IX: 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.

<b>Vaccination</b>	<b>Protocol</b>	<b>Eligibility to enter venue</b>
Primary course	1st Vaccination: day 0 2nd Vaccination: day 21-92	May compete 7 days after the 2nd Vaccination
First booster	Within 7 months of the 2nd vaccination of the Primary Course	May compete for 6 months +21 days after the 2nd vaccination of the Primary Course Must not compete in the 7 days after receiving a vaccination
Boosters	<b>MINIMUM:</b> within one year of previous booster vaccination <b>IF COMPETING:</b> 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 ARTICLE 1048-1053)**

All Horses are subject to examination under the protocol for abnormal limb sensitivity throughout the period of an Event, including, but not limited to, between rounds and before the Jump Off. 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)**

### **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**

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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 FEI's 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**

The organizer declines any liability for property or pecuniary damage which may happen to visitors, athletes, grooms and horse owners through slight negligence of the organizer, his delegates or his assistants. The OC is liable in case of intent, gross negligence as well as in case of injury to life, body or health and in further cases he is liable for compelling legal liability acc. to the legal requirements.

### **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.

## **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:** <http://inside.fei.org/sites/default/files/FEI%20Protest%20Form.pdf>

**Appeals:** <http://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, 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**

### **7.1 GERMAN SHOW RULES**

The OC acknowledges that para 1.4 LPO (German Show Rules) is binding for international events in Germany.

### **7.2 TIMETABLE**

The times stated under "VIII. TIMETABLE" are subject to alterations.

### **7.3 FEI-PASSPORTS**

Horses entered in CIMs (CCI1\*-Intro/CCI2\*-S&L/CCI3\*-S&L/CCIP1/CCIP2) 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).

### **7.4 GERMAN ANIMAL WELFARE ACT**

According to paragraph 6 of the German Animal Welfare Act, trimming the vibrissae around eyes and muzzle as well as clipping or cutting the hairs inside the ears of horses are prohibited.

### **7.5 DOGS**

All dogs must be leashed and affixed to a human or stationary object on the whole show ground, in the stable area and on the Cross Country course. Violation of this rule will incur a fine of CHF 100 per offence and, in case of a repeated offence at the Event, may lead to exclusion from the Venue (Art. 109.13 General RG). Dog poo bags will be available in the show office.

### **7.6 DATA PROTECTION BASIC REGULATION**

With the entry declaration the athlete agrees that the show organizers are permitted to save their data and use photos and film footage made at the event of the athlete for publications.

### **7.7 INFORMATION ON COVID19**

FEI: see Covid-19 Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs): <https://inside.fei.org/fei/covid-19/faqs>

NF GER: see "Coronavirus: Impact on Equestrian Sport" (Auswirkungen auf den Pferdesport): <https://www.pferd-aktuell.de/coronavirus>

### **7.8. U25-Förderpreis Vielseitigkeit 2021**

CCI4\*-S will be a rating competition of the „U25-Förderpreis Vielseitigkeit 2021“. Further information are published under:

<https://www.pferd-aktuell.de/spitzensport/disziplinen/vielseitigkeit/u25-foerderpreis-vielseitigkeit>.

## 8. MINIMUM AGE LIMITATION

Level	Athletes	Horses
1*	12	5
2*	14	6
3*	16	6
4*	18	7
5*+CH4*	18	8

## 9. PRIZE MONEY 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.

### Distribution of Prizes and Indemnities

All prize money and all prizes in kind rewarded instead of prize money as well as reimbursements (e. g. transport charges, travelling expenses) will be distributed acc. to FEI-RG Art. 127/128 following the last competition at the latest.

Settlement will be done per athlete. Depending on the agreement with the horse owner, each athlete binds himself to pass on to the horse owners the prize money or prizes in kind rewarded instead of prize money. The organizer is allowed to deduct possibly outstanding debts of the athlete. Acc. to § 50a EstG this also applies to foreign horse owners. Taxes are due on prize money as well as on prizes given in kind instead of prize money and on reimbursements. As a rule, the deduction (based on the amount received per day) is 0 % on amounts up to and including 250 EUR, 15 % plus solidarity surcharge (currently 0,82 % on the prize money or 5,5 % on the amount of tax deduction) on amounts above 250 EUR. Travelling expenses being taken over or reimbursed are only regarded as revenues if they exceed the actual costs and the reimbursement for additional meal allowances acc. to § 4 Abs. 5 Satz 1 Nr. 5 EstG. The tax deduction has to be certified on demand. Those foreign athletes being exempted from tax deduction are kindly asked to submit an exemption certificate either with the entry or on the first show day at the latest. Every athlete himself is responsible for the correctness of the details he submits.

## XV. ANNEXES

### 1. STEWARDING



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)