

I. DENOMINATION OF THE EVENT

Venue: Nörten-Hardenberg

Date: 24/05/2018 - 27/05/2018

NF: Germany

Indoor:

Outdoor:

EVENT CATEGORIES:

CSIO5* <input type="checkbox"/>	CSI5*-W <input type="checkbox"/>	CSI5* <input type="checkbox"/>	CSIU25-A <input type="checkbox"/>	CSIU25-B <input type="checkbox"/>
CSIO4* <input type="checkbox"/>	CSI4*-W <input type="checkbox"/>	CSI4* <input type="checkbox"/>	CSIY-A <input type="checkbox"/>	CSIY-B <input type="checkbox"/>
CSIO3* <input type="checkbox"/>	CSI3*-W <input type="checkbox"/>	CSI3* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CSIJ-A <input type="checkbox"/>	CSIJ-B <input type="checkbox"/>
CSIO2* <input type="checkbox"/>	CSI2*-W <input type="checkbox"/>	CSI2* <input type="checkbox"/>	CSIch-A <input type="checkbox"/>	CSIch-B <input type="checkbox"/>
CSIO1* <input type="checkbox"/>	CSI1*-W <input type="checkbox"/>	CSI1* <input type="checkbox"/>	CSIV-A <input type="checkbox"/>	CSIV-B <input type="checkbox"/>
CSIOY <input type="checkbox"/>		CSIL1* <input type="checkbox"/>	CSIAm-A <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CSIAm-B <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
CSIOJ <input type="checkbox"/>		CSIYH2* <input type="checkbox"/>	CSIP <input type="checkbox"/>	
CSIOP <input type="checkbox"/>		CSIYH1* <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
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II. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- FEI Statutes, 23rd edition, effective 29 April 2015
- FEI General Regulations, 23rd edition, effective 1 January 2009, updates effective 1 January 2018
- FEI Veterinary Regulations, 14th edition, effective 1 January 2018
- The Jumping Rules and its Annexes, 26th edition, effective 1 January 2018
- CSI Invitation Rules according to Annex V of the FEI Jumping Rules and its Annexes 25th edition, effective 1 January 2016
<http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/organisers/jumping/csi-invitation-rules>
- CSI AND CSIO Requirements according to Annex VI of the FEI Jumping Rules and its Annexes 25th edition, effective 1 January 2018
- CSI/CSIO Prize Money requirements 2018
<http://inside.fei.org/system/files/Final%20CSI-CSIOs%20-%202018.pdf>
- Longines Rankings – Groups Categories 2018
<http://inside.fei.org/system/files/2018%20Final%20Longines%20Rankings%20Groups.pdf>
- Equine Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Regulations (EADCMR), 2nd Edition, effective 1 January 2015, updates effective 1 January 2018
- FEI Anti-Doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA), based upon 2015 WADA Code, effective 1 January 2015
- All subsequent published revisions/updates, the provisions of which will take precedence.

THE ANNEXE(S) IS/ARE PART OF THIS APPROVED AND SIGNED SCHEDULE AND MUST BE DISTRIBUTED TO ALL OFFICIALS AND NFs AND IS AVAILABLE TO OTHERS UPON REQUEST

Approved by the FEI, Lausanne, on 12.04.2018. Updated on 17.04.2017.



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 FEI Director Jumping

NB: No modifications to the approved Schedule will be accepted less than two weeks prior to the event.

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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: <http://inside.fei.org/>.

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ACCESSIBILITY DETAILS:

Arrival by road: motorway A 7, exit Nörten-Hardenberg, from there follow signage (from exit Nörten-Hardenberg to the showgrounds is approx. 3 km)
Arrival by train ICE to Göttingen, from there about 10 km to show grounds or directly to station Nörten-Hardenberg
Arrival by plane Hannover-Langenhagen (HAJ)

2. ORGANISING COMMITTEE

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		Assistant Steward	10052995	Winfried Schormann	GER	1	
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13	NF Delegate	NF Delegate		Peter-Jürgen Nissen	GER		

VI. INVITATIONS

1. GENERAL

Horses are not permitted to be changed from one CSI star level to another CSI star level during the same Event.

1.1. CSI3*:

NF's invited :	According to Invitation Rules
Total number of athletes:	max. 65 (plus an addition number of 15 athletes only invited for the Small and Medium Tour – competition 1,3,5,6,8,9)
Number of home athletes:	approx. 39 (acc. to a special handicap agreed upon with NF GER)
Number of foreign athletes:	approx. 26
Number of horses per athlete:	CSI3*: 3 (7 years and older)
OC Wild Cards:	max. 20 % of foreign athletes
FEI Wild Cards:	2

The Longines Rankings number 206, established two (2) months prior to this Event, will be used for the invitation of athletes. (Applicable for CSI3*/CSI4* events in Europe and CSI5* events worldwide).

1.1.1. FOREIGN AND GERMAN ATHLETES:

The 15 best Athletes from the Longines Rankings No. 206 (max. 5 per foreign nation), to be invited in descending order.

1.1.2. GERMAN ATHLETES

Further German athletes up to a total number of approx. 39 Athletes:

Acc. to a special handicap agreed upon with NF GER.

The number of German athletes must not exceed 60 %.

1.1.3. FOREIGN ATHLETES

Further foreign athletes up to a total number of approx. 26 Athletes:

- The FEI has the right to nominate two Athletes.
- Up to a total number of approx. 26
 - 50 %, within TOP 600 of the Longines Rankings No. 206 to be invited in descending order.
 - 50 % open (ranked or unranked Athletes)
- 20 % of all foreign Athletes receive a Wild Card, these Athletes must be within the TOP 600 of the Longines Rankings No. 206.
- the winner of the "Goldene Peitsche" 2017 and the winner of the "Trophy" 2015 - 2017

1.1.4. FOREIGN AND GERMAN ATHLETES:

Further 15 athletes only eligible for the following competitions of the CSI3*: 1,3,5,6,8,9

- 5 foreign athletes: on personal invitation of the OC
- 10 German athletes: acc. to a special handicap agreed upon with NF GER

1.2. CSIYH1*:

Maximum number of athletes to be invited: 80:

All athletes, who are allowed to start in the CSI3*. If CSI athletes do not enter a horse for the CSIYH1*, the following applies:

- a respective number of further foreign athletes may receive a personal invitation from the OC.
- a respective number of German athletes may be invited acc. to a special handicap agreed upon with NF GER.

Number of horses per athlete: 1 horse (7 years old)

Athletes are invited by the Organiser through their National Federation.

One (1) groom per athlete.

1.3. CSI AM A+B

Admitted Athletes (approx. 35):

1. Approx. 15 foreign Athletes, who have been invited by the OC through their home NF

2. Approx. 20 German Athletes, who have been invited by the OC.

3. All Athletes:

- Number of horses per Athlete: 3 horses, however, max. 2 horses per competition.
- The Athlete must be the owner of the Horse(s) with which he competes. Ownership may be extended to the immediate family members.
- The Athlete must possess a valid licence granted by his NF and be registered with the FEI. Horses must be registered with the FEI and, if competing in a country outside the Horse's country of residence, have a valid FEI passport or a national passport with an FEI recognition card. Horses competing in Amateur Events in their country of residence do not need an FEI passport or FEI recognition card but must be registered and identifiable (see GRs 137.2).
- An "Amateur Owner's" license will only be granted by NFs to an Athlete who has formally signed a statement that he does not earn money for riding other people's Horses, giving riding lessons, riding sponsored Horses, or for publicity or commercial purposes, etc. The buying and selling of Horses, as well as receiving prize money in cash, are not forbidden providing they do not constitute the Athlete's only source of income.
- The "Amateur Owner" status limits participation in other Competitions and Championships. Athletes having obtained or renewed the "Amateur Owner" license, will not be allowed to continue participating as an Amateur during the current calendar year if they have taken part in international or national Competitions in which the height of obstacles in the initial round is 1.50 m or greater.
- Athletes may participate in all Amateur Competitions from the year in which they reach the age of 14 years. Athletes from the year in which they reach their 12th birthday until the end of the year in which they reach their 13th birthday may participate in Amateur B Competitions.
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One (1) groom per athlete.

VII. ENTRIES

IMPORTANT

- Entries must be made by NFs through the FEI Entry System for all categories of this Event (<https://entry.fei.org>);
- Additional documentation can be found at:
<http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/nfs/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 be automatically disqualified unless compelling circumstances warrant otherwise.

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!

1. ENTRY DATES AND ENTRY FEES

Entries have to be in accordance with Art.251 of the FEI Jumping Rules, 26th edition, effective 1 January 2018.

Deadlines for Entries:

Definite Entries:

German Online System NeOn: 30/04/2018 (only German athletes)

FEI Entry System: 04/05/2018

Last date for substitutions: 24/05/2018, one hour prior to the begin of the horse inspection

Entry fee per horse:

CSI3*: € 290,00

CSIYH1*: € 140,00

Stabling fee per horse: € 160,00

VAT (entry fee 7 %/stabling fee 19 %)

Entry fee per horse:

CSI3*: € 20,30

CSIYH1*: € 9,80

Stabling fee per horse: € 30,40

Total fee per horse:

Entry fee per horse:

CSI3*: € 500,70

CSIYH1*: € 340,20

Entry fee per horse (incl. box, fee for manure disposal and EADCMP fee):

CSIAm A+B: € 1.500 (incl. VAT)

The entry fee has to be paid on receipt of the OC's invoice before the event starts.

Please refer to definition of Entry fees and Compulsory fees in the Glossary of the FEI Jumping Rules 26th Edition effective 1 January 2018, that is copied in Section XIV point 10.

Compulsory fees per horse:

- EADCMP Fee **):
 - CSIAm A+B: Included in entry fee
 - CSI3*/CSIYH1* Not included in entry fee
- Lower Level Events CSIYH1* (CIMs) CHF 18 per horse per event
- Higher Level Events (CSI3*) CHF 25 per horse per event
(For definition of CIMs see Appendix E of the FEI General Regulations, all other events not defined as CIMs)
- Fee for manure disposal*): € 40,00 per box
- Fee for health/customs-related documents for Horses*): € 70,00 per horse

All aforementioned amounts with *) are including VAT
For the amount with **) no VAT will be levied and no VAT will not be shown on the invoice.

Total maximum Compulsory fee per horse: € 40,00 + € 70,00 + EADCMP fee

Compulsory fees per athlete:

- Fee for lorry parking if applicable (Athletes may opt out of this fee only if they do not have a lorry at the Event) € 90,- per lorry
- Fee for electric hook-up for lorry (Athletes may opt out of this fee only if they do not have a lorry at the Event) € 80,- per charge

All aforementioned amounts are including VAT

Total maximum Compulsory fee per Athlete: € 170,00

2. OTHER FEES

All other fees must be optional fees and 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:	€ 9,00 per bale
Straw (1 st bedding free):	€ 8,00 per bale (2 big bales of straw)
Shavings:	€ 10,00 per bale
Additional box for a horse:	€ 190,40 per box plus manure disposal
Tack box:	€ 190,40 per box
Parking fee for cars with lorry:	€ 90,00 per car
VIP entry right:	€ 120,00 per band
Infringement of smoking ban:	€ 50,00 per incident

All aforementioned amounts are including VAT

VAT number of the organiser: 117 76 96 11

Tax-No. of the organiser: 56/270/54200

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 per horse/pony:

CSI3*: € 500,70

CSIYH1*: € 340,20

CSIAm A+B: € 800,00

Entry fee, stabling fee, parking fee and fee for power supply
- of German Athletes will be subject to direct credit through the German online system NeOn.
- of Foreign Athletes will be due on site at the latest.

Further compulsory fees for horses and athletes as well as further other fees - if applicable – (see above) will be invoiced in addition on site.

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VIII. TIMETABLE

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

	Day	Date	Time
• Opening of stables	Thursday	24/05/2018	09.00 h
• Horse Inspection <i>All horses taking part at this Event must be present during the first horse inspection, unless unable to do so due to "force majeure"</i>			
• * CSIAm A+B	Thursday	24/05/2018	16.00 - 17.30 h
• * CSI3*/CSIYH1*	Thursday	24/05/2018	18.00 - 20.00 h
• Horse Re-Inspection			
• * CSI3*/CSIYH1*/CSIAm A+B	Friday	25/05/2018	07.00 h

Competitions CSI3*:	Day	Date	Time	Art	Prize Money
• Declaration of Starters close	evening before the respective competitions		19.00 h	///////	////////////////////
• Warm-up	Thursday	24/05/2018	16.00 - 18.30 h	///////	////////////////////
• Competition 1 - Penalties / Time	Friday	25/05/2018	08.00 h	238.2.1	1.500,00 €
• Competition 2 - with Jump-Off	Friday	25/05/2018	18.00 h	238.2.2	6.000,00 €
• Competition 3 - Penalties / Time	Saturday	26/05/2018	09.30 h	269.1-5	2.000,00 €
• Competition 4 - with Jump-Off - LR	Saturday	26/05/2018	14.00 h	238.2.2	16.550,00 € plus car, value: 9.900,00 €
• Competition 5 - Penalties / Time	Saturday	26/05/2018	18.00 h	238.2.1	3.500,00 €
• Competition 6 - with Winning Round - LR	Saturday	26/05/2018	22.15 h	276.2	24.700,00 €
• Competition 7 - with Jump-Off - GP LR	Sunday	27/05/2018	13.00 h	238.2.2	28.000,00 € plus car, value: 16.000,00 €
• Competition 8 - Speed and Handiness - LR	Sunday	27/05/2018	11.15 h	239/263	24.700,00 €
• Competition 9 - Penalties / Time	Sunday	27/05/2018	16.00 h	238.2.1	2.000,00 €
• Total Prize Money	108.950,00 €				
• Car Mitsubishi ASX	16.000,00 €				
• Car Mitsubishi Space Star	9.900,00 €				

Competitions CSIYH1*:	Day	Date	Time	Art	Prize Money
• Declaration of Starters close	evening before the respective competitions		19.00 h	///////	////////////////////
• Warm-up	Thursday	24/05/2018	16.00 - 18.30 h	///////	////////////////////
• Competition 10 - Penalties / Time	Friday	25/05/2018	14.00 h	238.2.1	500,00 €
• Competition 11 - with Jump-Off	Saturday	26/05/2018	19.30 h	238.2.2	4.000,00 €
• Total Prize Money	4.500,00 €				
• Prizes in Kind	./.				

FEI APPROVED SCHEDULE

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Competitions CSIAm A+B:	Day	Date	Time	Art	Prize Money
• Declaration of Starters close	evening before the respective competitions		19.00 h	///////	///////
• Warm-up	Thursday	24/05/2018	16.00 – 18.30 h	///////	///////
• Competition 12 - Penalties / Time	Friday	25/05/2018	12.00 h	238.2.1	300,00 €
• Competition 13 - Penalties / Time	Saturday	26/05/2018	11.30 h	238.2.1	300,00 €
• Competition 14 - in Two Phases	Sunday	27/05/2018	09.15 h	274.5.3	300,00 €
• Competition 15 - Penalties / Time	Friday	25/05/2018	13.00 h	238.2.1	500,00 €
• Competition 16 - Penalties / Time	Saturday	26/05/2018	08.15 h	238.2.1	500,00 €
• Competition 17 - in Two Phases	Sunday	27/05/2018	08.35 h	274.5.3	600,00 €
• Competition 18 - Penalties / Time	Friday	25/05/2018	16.15 h	238.2.1	1.500,00 €
• Competition 19 - Penalties / Time	Saturday	26/05/2018	12.15 h	238.2.1	1.500,00 €
• Competition 20 - in Two Phases	Sunday	27/05/2018	08.15 h	274.5.3	1.500,00 €
• Competition 21 - with Jump-Off	Sunday	27/05/2018	10.00 h	238.2.2	2.000,00 €
• Total Prize Money	9.000,00 €				
• Prizes in Kind	./.				

• OVERALL PRIZE MONEY	122.450,00 €
• OVERALL PRIZES IN KIND	25.900,00 €

Applicable government tax to be deducted from Prize Money (see XIV.8).

GENERAL CLASSIFICATION AT THE END OF THE COMPETITIONS:

Leading athlete award - ./.
 Best foreign athlete - ./.
 Best home athlete - ./.
 Team awards - ./.

PRIZE – CLASSIFICATION:

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IX. COMPETITION DETAIL

1. CSI3*/ CSIYH1*

CSI3*: Each horse may be started **once** on the 1st day (25/05/2018) and on the 2nd and 3rd day **twice** per day.

CSIYH1*: Each horse may be started **once** per day.

THURSDAY

DATE: 24/05/2018

Warm-Up (without obstacles)

Time: approx. 16.00 – 18.30 h

All athletes acc. to VI. Invitations
4 horses per athlete
Draw reins not allowed.

FIRST DAY: FRIDAY

DATE: 25/05/2018

COMPETITION NO 1 – CSI3*

Time: 08.00 h

Jumping Competition acc. to Penalties and Time - international

Qualifier for Competition 8

Table: A acc. to Article 238.2.1 (acc. to penalties and time, without jump-off)

Speed: 350 m/min.

Height of obstacles: 1,40 m

Number of horses per athlete: 2

Number of starters: if more than 100 take part then please refer to Section XIV point 9

Total prize money: € 1.500,00

Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)

Prize money amount for each athlete placed 13th and beyond: € 10.

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COMPETITION NO 2 – CSI3* (Large Tour)

Time: approx. 18.00 h

Jumping Competition with Jump-Off – international

Qualifier for Competition 6, Gothaer Trophy 2018

Qualifier for Competition 7, Grand Prix

Qualifier for Competition 8

Table: A acc. to Article 238.2.2 (acc. to penalties and time, with one jump-off in case of equality of penalties for the 1st place)

Speed: 350 m/min.

Height of obstacles: 1,45 m

Number of horses per athlete: 1 – **not being started in competition 1**

Maximum number of starters: 65

Total prize money: € 6.000,00

Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)

Prize money amount for each athlete placed 13th and beyond: € 35.

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COMPETITION NO 10 – CSIIH1*

Time: approx. 14.00 h

Jumping Competition acc. to Penalties and Time - international

Table: A acc. to Article 238.2.1 (acc. to penalties and time, without jump-off)
Speed: 350 m/min.
Height of obstacles: 1,35 m
Number of horses per athlete: 1, 7jährig
Maximum number of starters: 80
Total prize money: € 500,00
Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)

Prize money amount for each athlete placed 13th and beyond: € 5.

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SECOND DAY: SATURDAY

DATE: 26/05/2018

COMPETITION NO 3 – CSI3*

Time: 09.30 h

Accumulator Competition – international

Qualifier for Competition 6, Gothaer Trophy 2018

Qualifier for Competition 8

Table: A acc. to Article 269.1,2,3,5 with one joker, directly against the clock. No jump-off. The Joker carries double points, if the Joker is knocked down, these double points must be deducted from the total points obtained so far by the Athlete.
Speed: 350 m/min.
Height of obstacles: 1,40 m
Number of horses per athlete: 2
Number of starters: if more than 100 take part then please refer to Section XIV point 9
Total prize money: € 2.000,00
Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)

Prize money amount for each athlete placed 13th and beyond: € 10.

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COMPETITION NO 4 – CSI3* (Large Tour)

Time: approx. 14:00 h

Jumping Competition with Jump-Off – international

Qualifier for Competition 7, Grand Prix

Qualifier for Competition 8

The Competition counts for the Longines Rankings – Group D

Table: A acc. to Article 238.2.2 (acc. to penalties and time, with one jump-off in case of equality of penalties for the 1st place)
Speed: 350 m/min.
Height of obstacles: 1,50 m
Number of horses per athlete: 1
Maximum number of starters: 65
Total prize: € 26.450 (24.701 € count for the Longines Rankings Group D)
Total prize money: € 16.550
Prize in kind: € 9.900,00 (Mitsubishi car Space Star) (€8.127 count for the Longines Rankings)
Breakdown of prize-money: car to the value of 9.900/4.940/3.705/2.470/1.482/1.112/741/618/494/494/247/247

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COMPETITION NO 5 – CSI3*

Time: approx. 18.00 h

Jumping Competition acc. to Penalties and Time – international

- Open to: all athletes, **not** having qualified for competition 6.
Table: A acc. to Article 238.2.1 (acc. to penalties and time, without jump-off)
Speed: 350 m/min.
Height of obstacles: 1,40 m
Number of horses per athlete: 1
Maximum number of starters: 80
Total prize money: € 3.5000,00
Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)
Prize money amount for each athlete placed 13th and beyond: € 25.

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COMPETITION NO 6 – CSI3*

Time: approx. 22.15 h

Jumping Competition with Winning Round – international

GOTHAER TROPHY 2018

The Competition counts for the Longines Rankings – Group D

- Qualification: Qualified for the Final 2018 of the Gothaer Trophy are the following athletes:
- present German Championship-cadre 2018
 - Winner of the "Goldene Peitsche 2017": Felix Haßmann
 - Winner of the the Trophy 2017: Friso Bormann
 - up to a total number of 20 (plus those ex aequo on the 20th place), the best Athletes from competition 2 (Friday)
 - 5 further athletes not yet qualified from competition 3 (Saturday)

The Athletes will be informed through the organizer (foreign Athletes through their NF).

- Table: A acc. to Article 276.2 (1st round and winning round acc. to penalties and time). The 10 best Athletes from the 1st round will qualify for the winning round (in any case all clear rounds). In the winning round all Athletes start with 0 penalties. Athletes in the winning round are placed according to penalties and time of the winning round. Possible further placements will be done acc. to penalties and time in the 1st round.

- Speed: 350 m/min.
Height of obstacles: 1,45 m
Number of horses per athlete: 1
Starting order 1st round: by draw
winning round: in reverse order of merits from the 1st round
Maximum number of starters: 25 (plus those ex aequo on the 25th place)
Total prize money: € 24.700,00 (Longines Rankings Groups D)
Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)

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COMPETITION NO 11 – CSIIH1*

Time: approx. 19.30 h

Jumping Competition with Jump-Off - international

Table:	A acc. to Article 238.2.2 (acc. to penalties and time, with one jump-off in case of equality of penalties for the 1 st place)
Speed:	350 m/min.
Height of obstacles:	1,40 m
Number of horses per athlete:	1, 7 years old
Maximum number of starters:	80
Total prize money:	€ 4.000,00
Chart to be used:	Chart 1 (25%) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chart 2 (33%) <input type="checkbox"/>

Prize money amount for each athlete placed 13th and beyond: € 25.

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THIRD DAY: SUNDAY

DATE: 27/05/2018

COMPETITION NO 7 – CSI3* (Large Tour)

Time: 13:00 h

Grand Prix – Competition for the "Goldene Peitsche" (Golden Whip)

Qualifier for the World Equestrian Games Tryon 2018 and European Championships Rotterdam 2019 (certificates of Capability)

Jumping Competition with Jump-Off – international

The Competition counts for the Longines Rankings – Group D

Admitted athletes: - The winner of the Grand Prix of Nörten-Hardenberg of the previous year

- The winner of the last German Championships (seniors)

- The individual Jumping medal winners of the last Olympic and Pan-American Games, the last World and Continental Championships and the winner of the last FEI World Cup™ Jumping Final.

- up to a total number of 50 the best athletes from competition 2 and 4 (plus those ex aequo on the 50th place) acc. to the following point system:

* Winner: Number of athletes in comp. 2 + 1 point

* Runner-up: Number of athletes in comp. 2 - 1 point

* Third: Number of athletes in comp. 2 - 2 points etc. (competition 2 and 4 are rated equal).

If an athlete withdraws, the next best moves up.

Admitted horses: Athletes may start a horse of their own choice, that must have completed the initial round of at least one CSI3* competition of this event (see FEI RG Art. 261.4.4)

Richtverfahren: A gem. Art. 238.2.2 + Annex VIII Art 6 (acc. to penalties and time, with one jump-off in case of equality of penalties for the 1st place)

Speed: 375 m/min.

Height of obstacles: 1,60 m (2 verticals of 1,60 m compulsory)

Number of horses per athlete: 1

Maximum number of starters: 50 (plus those ex aequo on the 50th place)

Total prize: € 44.000,00 (€ 41.791.- count for the Longines Rankings Group D)

Total prize money: € 28.000,00

Prize in kind: € 16.000,00 (Mitsubishi car ASX)

Breakdown of prize-money: car to the value of 16.000/8.358/6.269/4.179/2.507/1.881/1.254/1.045/836/836/418/418

Challenge Trophy: "Die Goldene Peitsche" (the Golden Whip) to the Athlete who wins it as of 2018 twice in a row or three times in any order.

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COMPETITION NO 8 – CSI3*

Time: approx. 11.15 h

Speed and Handiness Competition – international

The Competition counts for the Longines Rankings

Open to - the best 10 athletes from competition 1
- the best 5 athletes from competition 2
- the best 10 athletes from competition 3
- the best 5 athletes from competition 4
who have not already qualified through a prior competition with a horse of their own choice. In case an athlete withdraws the next best athlete from competition 4 moves up.

Time Limit: 120 or 180 seconds

Table: C acc. To Article 239/263 (acc. to time with conversion of penalties into second)

Height of obstacles: 1,50 m

Number of horses per athlete: 1

Maximum number of starters: 30 (plus those ex aequo on the respective last place of the above mentioned competitions)

Total prize money: € 24.700,00

Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)

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COMPETITION NO 9 – CSI3*

Time: approx. 16.00 h

Jumping Competition acc. to Penalties and Time – international

Open to all athletes, **not** being eligible to start in competition 8

Table: A acc. to Article 238.2.1 (acc. to penalties and time, without jump-off)

Speed: 350 m/min.

Height of obstacles: 1,45 m

Number of horses per athlete: 1

Maximum number of starters: 60

Total prize money: € 2.000,00

Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)

Prize money amount for each athlete placed 13th and beyond: € 15.

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2. CSIAM A+B

Each horse may be started once per day, in total a horse may be started three times during the event.

Within the tours an athlete may change, i. e. he/she may ride in a Small Tour competition (1.15 m) on two days and in a Medium Tour competition (1.25/1.35 m) the 3rd day. However, it is not allowed to start a horse in a Small Tour competition (1,15 m) and Large Tour competition (1,40 m) or vice versa.

THURSDAY

DATE: 24/05/2018

Warm-Up (without obstacles)

Time: approx. 16.00 – 18.30 h

All athletes acc. to VI. Invitations
4 horses per athlete
Draw reins not allowed.

FIRST DAY: FRIDAY

DATE: 25/05/2018

COMPETITION NO 12

Time: 12.00 h

Jumping Competition acc. to Penalties and Time - international
ESCON Spring Club - Small Tour - Kat. B

Table: A acc. to Article 238.2.1 (acc. to penalties and time, without jump-off)
Speed: 350 m/min.
Height of obstacles: 1,15 m
Number of horses per athlete: 2
Number of starters: if more than 100 take part then please refer to Section XIV point 9
Total prize money: € 300,00
Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)
Prize money amount for each athlete placed 13th and beyond: € 5.

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COMPETITION NO 15

Time: approx. 13.00 h

Jumping Competition acc. to Penalties and Time - international
ESCON Spring Club - Medium Tour - Kat. B

Table: A acc. to Article 238.2.1 (acc. to penalties and time, without jump-off)
Speed: 350 m/min.
Height of obstacles: 1,25 m
Number of horses per athlete: 2
Number of starters: if more than 100 take part then please refer to Section XIV point 9
Total prize money: € 500,00
Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)
Prize money amount for each athlete placed 13th and beyond: € 10.

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COMPETITION NO 18

Time: approx. 16.15 h

Jumping Competition acc. to Penalties and Time - international

ESCON Spring Club - Large Tour - Kat. A

1st Qualifier for Competition 21 – Trophy for the "Silberne Peitsche" (Silver Whip)

Table: A acc. to Article 238.2.1 (acc. to penalties and time, without jump-off)

Speed: 350 m/min.

Height of obstacles: 1,40 m

Number of horses per athlete: 2

Number of starters: if more than 100 take part then please refer to Section XIV point 9

Total prize money: € 1.500,00

Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)

Prize money amount for each athlete placed 13th and beyond: € 15.

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SECOND DAY: SATURDAY

DATE: 26/05/2018

COMPETITION NO 16

Time: 08.15 h

Jumping Competition acc. to Penalties and Time - international

ESCON Spring Club - Medium Tour - Kat. A

Table: A acc. to Article 238.2.1 (acc. to penalties and time, without jump-off)

Speed: 350 m/min.

Height of obstacles: 1,30 m

Number of horses per athlete: 2

Number of starters: if more than 100 take part then please refer to Section XIV point 9

Total prize money: € 500,00

Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)

Prize money amount for each athlete placed 13th and beyond: € 10.

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COMPETITION NO 13

Time: approx. 11.30 h

Jumping Competition acc. to Penalties and Time - international

ESCON Spring Club - Small Tour - Kat. B

Table: A acc. to Article 238.2.1 (acc. to penalties and time, without jump-off)

Speed: 350 m/min.

Height of obstacles: 1,15 m

Number of horses per athlete: 2

Number of starters: if more than 100 take part then please refer to Section XIV point 9

Total prize money: € 300,00

Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)

Prize money amount for each athlete placed 13th and beyond: € 5.

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COMPETITION NO 19

Time: approx. 12.15 h

Jumping Competition acc. to Penalties and Time - international

ESCON Spring Club - Large Tour - Kat. A

2nd Qualifier for Competition 21 – Trophy for the "Silberne Peitsche" (Silver Whip)

Table: A acc. to Article 238.2.1 (acc. to penalties and time, without jump-off)

Speed: 350 m/min.

Height of obstacles: 1,40 m

Number of horses per athlete: 2

Number of starters: if more than 100 take part then please refer to Section XIV point 9

Total prize money: € 1.500,00

Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)

Prize money amount for each athlete placed 13th and beyond: € 15.

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THIRD DAY: SUNDAY

DATE: 27/05/2018

COMPETITION NO 20

Time: 08.15 h

Jumping Competition in Two Phases - international

ESCON Spring Club - Large Tour - Kat. A

Table: A acc. to Article 274.5.3 (both phases against the clock)

Speed: 350 m/min.

Height of obstacles: 1,40 m

Number of horses per athlete: 2 - - horses being started in competition 21, are not admitted to this competition

Number of starters: if more than 100 take part then please refer to Section XIV point 9

Total prize money: € 1.500,00

Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)

Prize money amount for each athlete placed 13th and beyond: € 15.

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COMPETITION NO 17

Time: approx. 08.35 h

Jumping Competition in Two Phases - international

ESCON Spring Club - Medium Tour - Kat. A

Table: A acc. to Article 274.5.3 (both phases against the clock)

Speed: 350 m/min.

Height of obstacles: 1,35 m

Number of horses per athlete: 2 - horses being started in competition 21, are not admitted to this competition

Number of starters: if more than 100 take part then please refer to Section XIV point 9

Total prize money: € 600,00

Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)

Prize money amount for each athlete placed 13th and beyond: € 10.

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COMPETITION NO 14

Time: approx. 09.15 h

Jumping Competition in Two Phases - international
ESCON Spring Club - Small Tour - Kat. B

Table: A acc. to Article 274.5.3 (both phases against the clock)
Speed: 350 m/min.
Height of obstacles: 1,20 m
Number of horses per athlete: 2 - - horses being started in competition 21, are not admitted to this competition
Number of starters: if more than 100 take part then please refer to Section XIV point 9
Total prize money: € 300,00
Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)
Prize money amount for each athlete placed 13th and beyond: € 5.

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COMPETITION NO 21

Time: approx. 10.00 h

Jumping Competition with Jump-Off - international
Finale ESCON Spring Club - Large Tour - Kat. A
Trophy for the "Silberne Peitsche"

Admitted athletes: the 12 best athletes from competition 18 und 19 (plus those ex aequo on the 12th place) acc. to the following point system:
* Winner: Number of athletes in comp. 18 + 1 point
* Runner-up: Number of athletes in comp. 18 - 1 point
* Third: Number of athletes in comp. 18 - 2 points etc.
(competition 18 and 19 are rated equal).
If an athlete withdraws, the next best moves up.

Admitted horses: Athletes may start a horse of their own choice that has been started at least once in a Medium or Large Tour Competition, however that has not been started in competition 14,17,20.

Table: A acc. to Article 238.2.2 (acc. to penalties and time, with one jump-off in case of equality of penalties for the 1st place)

Speed: 350 m/min.
Height of obstacles: 1,40 m
Number of horses per athlete: 1
Maximum number of starters: 12 (plus those ex aequo on the 12th place)
Total prize money: € 2.000,00
Chart to be used: Chart 1 (25%)
Chart 2 (33%)

Challenge Trophy: "Die Silberne Peitsche" (the Silver Whip) to the Athlete who wins it twice in a row or three times in any order.

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X. FACILITIES OFFERED

1. ATHLETES

Accommodation

Hotel: InterCity, Bahnhofallee 1a in 37081 Göttingen, Telefon: +49.551/521 10
Hotel reservation has to be done with the definite entries in writing by fax or email. The organizer cannot guarantee any reservations that are made on a later date or by phone or which are made different from the way described beforehand. All athletes are self-payers.

Meals

Meals for CSI3*/CSIYH1* athletes will be made available on the show ground from 25/05/2018 – 27/05/2018 at the athletes' own expense. Athletes will have the possibility to buy an athletes' VIP band at a price of € 120 (incl. VAT) in the show office. This band is valid from Friday, 25/05/2018 (evening) to Sunday, 27/05/2018. For partners the usual golden tickets may be bought.

For Athletes taking part in competition 12 – 21 (CSIAm A+B) meals will be made available acc. to the respective booking form.

2. GROOMS

Accommodation

Athletes have to arrange for their grooms' accommodation themselves.
Accommodation will be on the Athletes' account.

Meals.

Meals will on the Athletes' account. Meal vouchers can be bought in the show office at a price of € 50,00 for the whole weekend.

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:

Starting order by draw acc. to Art. 252 provided it is not stated otherwise in the competitions.

Time, date and location:

The draw will take place in the show office approx. 15 minutes after closing time of declaration of the respective competition.

2. COMPETITION ARENA(S)

Dimensions: approx. 80 x 30 m

Type of Footing: sand

3. PRACTICE ARENA(S)

Dimensions: 70 x 30 m
Type of Footing: sand

Athletes must have the possibility to exercise their horses in an exercise area under a Steward's supervision at least 30 minutes per day outside of the competition warm-up period. Details of opening times of exercise areas must be included in the timetable.

4. STABLES

Size of boxes 3 m x 3 m +20% 3m x 4m

Horses will be stabled (incl. 1st bedding - straw) from 24/05/2018 to 27/05/2018. 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 one box per horse entered. Only the assigned stables may be used. Shavings, hay and straw may be bought with the stable manager. Forage and mangers have to be brought along. Power supply has to be ordered and paid for with the entries.

>> It is strictly prohibited to smoke in the stables! <<

5. SAFETY CUPS

Name of Manufacturer: CARO Cardinali & Rothenberger GmbH, Liebermannstr. 18, 32257 Bünde.

6. TIMING DEVICE

Name of Manufacturer: Timer: ALGE / Photocells: ALGE / Wireless transmitters: ALGE
Model: Timer: IMY PXE / Photocells: RLS 1n /
Wireless transmitters: TED-TX10/RX10
FEI Report number: Timer: 22020008A / Photocells: 22020010B /
Wireless transmitters: 22020013C

7. SCORING/TIMING PROVIDER

Name of the company: SCG visual results
Name contact person: Arien Tolner
Contact email: arie@scgvisual.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.

8. PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY

The owner of the winning horse/pony must be invited to the prize giving ceremony for the Grand Prix, if present at the event.

The number of athletes required to present themselves for the prize-giving ceremony of each competition is 8.

9. ADVERTISING ON ATHLETES AND HORSES

At CSI events, and all competitions except for the Nations Cup, athletes are authorised to carry the logo of their personal sponsor in accordance with the articles 256.3 and 257.3 of the FEI Jumping Rules.

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

10. TICKETING

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

Name of your ticketing provider: Gräflicher Landsitz Hardenberg

Telefon: +49 5503 802 635

Internetseite der Verkaufsstelle: www.escon-marketin.de

11. BETTING

Betting will be authorised by the Organiser: Yes No

12. TRANSPORT REIMBURSEMENT HORSES / PONIES

Transport expenses to be paid by the Athlete.

13. 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.

14. LOCAL TRANSPORTATION - ARRANGEMENTS FROM HOTEL TO SHOWGROUNDS

Local transportation arrangements will be available for the Athletes.

15. ENTRY RIGHT TO SHOWGROUNDS/ACCREDITED PERSONS

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

NUMBER OF ACCREDITED PERSONS:

CSI3*/CSIYH1*

Athlete: 1

Groom: 1

Horse Owner: two (2) accreditations per horse acc. to FEI-Passport

CSIAm A+B

Per participating horse

Athlete: 1

Groom: 1

Horse Owner: two (2) accreditations per horse acc. to FEI-Passport

16. 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:

Johannsmann Transport-Service GmbH

Address: Hagenort 6
33803 Steinhagen

Telephone: +49.52 04-890111

Fax: +49.52 04 – 89 02 22

Email: info@johannsmann-pferdetransporte.de

Opening hours: 08.00 h to 16.00 h

Customs and veterinary fees will not be taken over.

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: ./.

For questions or problems, please contact your Government Veterinary Services.

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/Pf erde.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
- German Law concerning Manufacture and Distribution of Medicines (Arzneimittelgesetz):
www.gesetze-im-internet.de/bundesrecht/amg_1976/gesamt.pdf
- German Animal Health Act (Tiergesundheitsgesetz):
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
- German Regulation regarding Livestock Transport (Viehverkehrsverordnung)
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.

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, 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). FEI VETERINARY REGULATIONS, CHAPTER V

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 1058

Elective Testing may be carried out prior to an Event to check for the presence of prohibited substances. Please refer to <http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/veterinarians> 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 FEI's Anti-doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA).

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

XIV. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1. 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.

1.1. ATHLETES, OWNERS AND SUPPORT PERSONNEL

1.1.1. 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/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.

1.1.2. 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.

1.1.3. 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.

1.2. ATHLETES AND OWNERS

1.2.1. 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.

1.2.2. 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.

1.2.3. 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.

2. 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>

3. SCHOOLING DURING COMPETITIONS

Athletes wishing to school during speed competitions (Table A and Table C) must inform the OC before these competitions begin. These athletes will start first in these competitions.

4. 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, Grand Prix, 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 replace 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).

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 the host NF delegate 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, the President of the Ground Jury or the Foreign Judge, as applicable.

7. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM THE OC

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 (CSI1*/CSI2*/CSIJ A+B/CSIY A+B/CSIch A+B/CSIU25 A+B/CSIV A+B/CSIAm A+B) as well as 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).

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

Dogs have to be kept on the leash on the whole show grounds.

7.6 IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS

Horses may not leave the stables without identification numbers.

FEI APPROVED SCHEDULE

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Age of Athletes and Horses according to the Event's Category

Event's Category	Age of Athletes	Age of Horses
Olympic Games/WEG	As of 18 th year	Min 9 y.o.
Continental Championships Senior	As of 18 th year	Min 8 y.o.
Regional Championships/Games	As of 18 th year As of 16 th year if height of obstacles max.1.40m (JRs Annex IX, Art. 6.1)	Min. 8 y.o. Min. 7 y.o. if height of obstacles max. 1.40m (JRs Art. 254.1.1)
World Cup Final	As of 18 th year	Min. 9 y.o.
Nations Cup Final	As of 18 th year	Min. 8 y.o.
CSI-W1*-5*/CSIO-W1*-5* Grand Prix, World Cup, Nations Cup, Power and Skill, Derby or Competition with the highest prize money Other Competitions Other Competitions if height max. 1.40m Other Competitions if height max. 1.30m	As of 18 th year As of 16 th year with permission of their NF As of 14 th year " " As of 12 th year " "	Min. 7 y.o. Min. 7 y.o. Min. 7 y.o. Min. 7 y.o.
CSI3*-5*/CSIO1*-5* Grand Prix, Nations Cup, Power and Skill, Derby or Competition with the highest prize money Other Competitions Other Competitions if height max. 1.40m Other Competitions if height max. 1.30m	As of 18 th year As of 16 th year with permission of their NF As of 14 th year " " As of 12 th year " "	Min. 7 y.o.
CSI2* Power and Skill or Derby Other Competitions Other Competitions if height max. 1.40m Other Competitions if height max. 1.30m	As of 18 th year As of 16 th year with permission of their NF As of 14 th year " " As of 12 th year " "	Min. 6 y.o.
CSI1* Power and Skill or Derby Other Competitions Other Competitions if height max. 1.30m	As of 18 th year As of 14 th year with permission of their NF As of 12 th year " "	Min. 6 y.o.
CH-Y	As of 16 th year to end 21 st year	Min. 7 y.o.
CSI/CSIO-Y	As of 16 th year to end 21 st year	Min. 7 y.o.
CH-J	As of 14 th year to end 18 th year	Min. 7 y.o.
CSI/CSIO-J	As of 14 th year to end 18 th year	Min. 6 y.o.
CSI/CSIO-Ch/CH-Ch	As of 12 th year to end 14 th year	Min. 6 y.o.
CSI/CSIOP/CH-P	As of 12 th year to end 16 th year Ponies must be registered as ponies with the FEI	Min. 6 y.o.
CSIU-25	As of 16 th year to end 25 th year As of 14 th year if height max. 1.40m	Min. 7 y.o.
CSIV	As of 45 th year for women and 49 th for men	Min. 6 y.o.
CSIAm	As of 12 th year for CSIAm-B As of 14 th year for CSIAm-A	Min. 6 y.o. for Cat. B Min. 7 y.o. for Cat. A;
CSIYH	per Art. 255.2	Min. 6 y.o. – Max. 8 y.o.
CH-M-YH-S	As of 18 th year or 16 th year for athletes qualified with the same horse	5 y.o. / 6 y.o. / 7 y.o.

8. PRIZE MONEY DISTRIBUTION

Standardised prize money distribution

Chart 1: Prize money distribution with 25% of prize money offered to the winner

N° of starters	up to 11	12-48		over 48		
N° of prizes	Same as the number of starters who finish the competition	12		more than 12		
Prize money	40'000.-	40'000.-		40'000.-		
		%		%		
winner		25	10'000.-	25	10'000.-	
2		20	8000.-	20	8000.-	
3	All athletes having completed the competition receive prize money, to be distributed according to the percentages at right from the 1 st placed to the last placed athlete. The remaining prizes, i.e. the prizes foreseen up to 12 th place, are then distributed in descending order starting again with the 1 st placed athlete until there are no more prizes to be distributed. See examples below*.	15	6000.-	15	6000.-	
4		10	4000.-	10	4000.-	
5		7	2800.-	7	2800.-	
6		5.5	2200.-	5.5	2200.-	
7		4	1600.-	4	1600.-	
8		3	1200.-	3	1200.-	
9		3	1200.-	3	1200.-	
10		2.5	1000.-	2.5	1000.-	
11		2.5	1000.-	2.5	1000.-	
12		n/a	2.5	1000.-	2.5	1000.-
total		40'000	100	40'000.-	100	40'000
*Examples:				OC must provide additional prizes for the remaining placed athletes to fulfil quota of one prize per four athletes. The amount to be given to each of these athletes is to be stated in the Schedule.		
<p>5 athletes: winner gets prize for 1st (25%) and the other athletes get the relevant percentages down to the last athlete, i.e. 5th place (7%). The prize for 6th (5.5%) is then given to the winner, the prize for 7th (4%) is given to the 2nd placed athlete, the prize for 8th (3%) is given to the 3rd placed athlete, the prize for 9th (3%) is given to the 4th placed athlete and the prize for 10th (2.5%) is given to the 5th placed athlete. The prize for 11th (2.5%) is then given to the 1st placed athlete and the prize for 12th (2.5%) is given to the 2nd placed athlete.</p> <p>10 athletes: winner gets prize for 1st (25%) and 11th (2.5%), second placed gets prize for 2nd (20%) and 12th (2.5%); the remaining athletes receive the prize money for their placing as per the percentages from 3rd to 10th place.</p>						

Chart 2: Prize money distribution with 33% of prize money offered to the winner

N° of starters	up to 11	12-48		over 48		
N° of prizes	Same as the number of starters who finish the competition	12		more than 12		
Prize money	40'000	40'000.-		40'000.-		
		%		%		
winner		33	13'200	33	13'200	
2		20	8000	20	8000	
3	All athletes having completed the competition receive prize money, to be distributed according to the percentages at right from the 1 st placed to the last placed athlete. The remaining prizes, i.e. the prizes foreseen up to 12 th place, are then distributed in descending order starting again with the 1 st placed athlete until there are no more prizes to be distributed. See examples below*.	15	6000	15	6000	
4		10	4000	10	4000	
5		6	2400	6	2400	
6		4.5	1800	4.5	1800	
7		3	1200	3	1200	
8		2.5	1000	2.5	1000	
9		2	800	2	800	
10		2	800	2	800	
11		1	400	1	400	
12		n/a	1	400	1	400
total		40'000	100	40'000	100	40'000
*Examples:				OC must provide additional prizes for the remaining placed athletes to fulfil quota of one prize per four athletes. The amount to be given to each of these athletes is to be stated in the Schedule.		
<p>5 athletes: winner gets the prize for 1st (33%) and the other athletes get the relevant percentages down to the last athlete, i.e. 5th place (6%). The prize for 6th (4.5%) is then given to the winner, the prize for 7th (3%) is given to the 2nd placed athlete, the prize for 8th (2.5%) is given to the 3rd placed athlete, the prize for 9th (2%) is given to the 4th placed athlete and the prize for 10th (2%) is given to the 5th placed athlete. The prize for 11th (1%) is then given to the 1st placed athlete and the prize for 12th (1%) is given to the 2nd placed athlete.</p> <p>10 athletes: winner gets prize for 1st (33%) and 11th (1%), second placed gets prize for 2nd (20%) and 12th (1%); the remaining athletes receive the prize money for their placing as per the percentages from 3rd to 10th place.</p>						

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In case of a tie for the 12th place in a competition with 12 to 48 starters, the prize money foreseen for the 12th place will be divided equally among the athletes concerned.

For Competitions run in two rounds with more than 12 starters in 2nd round:

OCs that indicate in the schedule that a specific number (that is more than 12) of athletes will return for the second round will be permitted to distribute the prize money for that competition among all the athletes taking part in the second round, even if the second round is followed by a jump-off in case of a tie on penalties for first place after the second round.

DEDUCTIONS FROM PRIZE MONEY AT COMPETITIONS:

Distribution of Prizes and Indemnities

All prize money and all prizes in kind rewarded instead of prize money will be distributed acc. to FEI-RG Art. 127/128 following the last competition at the latest.

Other or especially higher premiums or prize money amounts than mentioned above have to be notified by the OC explicitly in writing, otherwise the above mentioned amounts apply. If no other information is given and without prior notice prizes in kind (cars or similar) will be distributed instead, the athlete may reject the prize-money replacement. In that case only the prize-money published in the schedule would be distributed, the prize in kind would remain with the OC.

Settlement will be done with the athlete (disregarding any agreements between athlete and proprietor), thus the OC will be disburdened. 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. As a rule the following income tax will be due, taking into account the prize money or prizes in kind rewarded instead of prize money per day: no taxes up to 250 EUR, 15 % exceeding 250 EUR; plus solidarity fee (at present 5.5 % on the amount of the tax deduction).

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 competitors 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 competitor himself is responsible for the correctness of the details he submits.

If Athletes have to be placed equally, the money value of possible prizes in kind (e. g. a car) is divided accordingly.

IMPORTANT

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

For details of the prize money breakdown for each competition please refer to the tables at the end of this document; the Organiser must specify which of the two (2) tables will be used. The total prize money for the Competition must be distributed among the first twelve (12) placed athletes.

The Organiser must provide additional created prizes for athletes placed beyond twelfth (12th) place. The minimum amount for each of these additional prizes, for athletes placed from thirteenth (13th) to last place, must be clearly specified in the approved schedule and not exceed the prize money of the athlete placed twelfth (12th)

IMPORTANT

*: Maximum Number of starters per competition: 100.

If more than 100 starters are declared, the OC must split the class and provide the equivalent amount of prize money for the additional Competition. OCs may apply either of the following methods for splitting the Competition:

The competition is split into two groups before it starts. There may be a different number of starters in each group. There may be athletes with multiple horses in each group but all horses of any one athlete must be in the same group.

OR

The competition is run as one single competition and split afterwards into two groups and the classification established as follows: the athlete with the best score is the winner of the first group, the athlete with the second best score is the winner of the second group and so on until prizes have been allocated to 25% of the total number of starters. *NB: In this case separate results must be sent to the FEI for each of the two groups, e.g. results for Competition 1a and for Competition 1b.*

In both cases above each group must offer the same amount of prize money as indicated for the original Competition. For the avoidance of doubt, it is the number of declared starters in the Competition, not the actual number of starters, that determines whether the Competition must be split.

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: 10093798
Name*: Struckmeier
First Name*: Andrea
E-Mail*: astruckmeier@escon-marketing.de
Access Rights*: Admin² Consult³
Events⁴: CSI3*/CSIYH1*/CSIAm A+B

FEI ID¹:
Name*:
First Name*:
E-Mail*:
Access Rights*: Admin² Consult³
Events⁴:

FEI ID¹:
Name*:
First Name*:
E-Mail*:
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 two days after the conclusion of the event.

All relevant information, file format and tutorial can be found on this page:

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

If you or your provider are unable to produce the required files, results will be accepted by e-mail to results@fei.org, in the proper Excel or "XML" format immediately after the event.

Please refer to compulsory format for CSIs/CSIOs/Championships and Games; the file can be downloaded using the following link:

<http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/organisers/jumping/results-forms>

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

Please note that as per Art. 109.6 (GR): OCs of International Jumping 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 two (2) 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.

THE APPENDIX (8 PAGES) IS PART OF THIS APPROVED AND SIGNED SCHEDULE AND MUST BE DISTRIBUTED TO ALL OFFICIALS AND NFs AND IS AVAILABLE TO OTHERS UPON REQUEST