

**I. DENOMINATION OF THE EVENT**

**Venue:** Rastede

**Dates:** 23/07/2026-26/07/2026      **NF:** Germany

**Indoor:**

**Outdoor:**

Event Categories:

<b>Seniors</b>
Horses
CAIO4*-H4 WcupQ

**II. GENERAL CONDITIONS**

- FEI Statutes, 25th edition, effective 7 November 2025.
- FEI General Regulations, 24th edition, 1 January 2020, updates effective 1 January 2026.
- FEI Veterinary Regulations, 15th edition, effective 1 January 2023, updates effective 1 January 2026.
- FEI Driving and Para Driving Rules, 13th edition, effective 1 January 2026.
- Equine Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Regulations (EADCMR), 4th Edition, effective 1 January 2025.
- FEI Anti-Doping Rules for Human Athletes, adopted on 23 November 2020. Takes effect on 1 January 2021, updates effective 1 January 2024.
- All subsequent published revisions, the provisions of which will take precedence.

Approved by the FEI, Lausanne, on 27.04.2026, updated on 04.05.2026, updated on 06.05.2026



Signature:  
Molly Day  
FEI Director Eventing & Driving

**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/>.

## **IV. GENERAL INFORMATION**

### **1. ORGANISER**

Name: Renn- und Reitverein Rastede  
Torsten Schmidt  
Address: Oldenburger Str. 200, 26180 Rastede  
Telephone: 0049 (0) 4402 59 80 80  
Email: sport@reitverein-rastede.de  
Website: www.oldenburger-landesturnier.de

#### Contact Details Show Ground:

Address: Mühlenstr. (Schlosspark), 26180 Rastede  
Telephone: 0049 (0) 4402 59 80 80  
GPS Coordinates: Latitude: 53.23963 / Longitude: 8.2056

#### Accessibility Details:

Arrival by car: Motorway A 1 and A29  
Arrival by train: Train station: Rastede  
Arrival by plane: Airport Bremen

### **2. ORGANISING COMMITTEE**

Honorary President: ./.  
President of the Event: Alexander von Essen  
Show Secretary: Helmut Brinkmann  
Press Officer: Martina Brüske  
Email: info@brueske-medien.de

### **3. EVENT DIRECTOR**

Name: Torsten Schmidt  
Address: Oldenburger Str. 200, 26180 Rastede  
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Mobile: 0049 (0) 170 5544 588  
E-Mail: t.schmidt@reitverein-rastede.de

## 2026 FEI APPROVED SCHEDULE



Rastede (GER) 23/07/2026-26/07/2026

### V. OFFICIALS

Ref.	Panel	Function	FEI ID	Name	NF	Level
1	Ground Jury	Ground Jury President	10051989	Bert Jambon	BEL	4
		Ground Jury Member	10071344	Elimar Thunert	GER	4
		Ground Jury Member	10166578	Elisabeth Adlhoch	GER	3
		Ground Jury Member	10106541	Ekkehard Freiberg	GER	3
2	Foreign Judge	Foreign Judge	10094118	Hermann van den Bosch	NED	3
3	Technical Delegate	Technical Delegate	10013141	Rene Schuiling	NED	3
4	Assistant Technical Delegate	Assistant Technical Delegate		./.		
5	Course Designer	Course Designer	10069126	Alexander Flocke	GER	4
6	Assistant Course Designer	Assistant Course Designer	10414117	Jens Kappelhoff	GER	Nat
7	Chief Steward	Chief Steward	10049967	Jan Posluszny	POL	4
8	Assistant Stewards	Steward	10053088	Ursula Veith	GER	1
		Steward	10268983	Richard van der Steeg	NED	3
		Steward	10053615	Uwe Damm	GER	Nat
9	FEI Veterinary Commission	Veterinary Commission President	10053043	Dr. Malte Harland	GER	3
		Foreign Veterinary Delegate	10049612	Julius Peters	NED	4
		Assistant FEI Delegate	10049370	Karl-Wilhelm Bargheer	GER	3
10	Veterinary Service Manager/ Treating Veterinarian	Veterinary Service Manager	10111027	Hayo Tongers	GER	1
		Permitted Treating Veterinarian (one for every 200 Horses)	10111027	Hayo Tongers	GER	1
11	Doctor / Medical Service	Doctor / Medical Service		Dr. Gert von Heugel / DRK Rastede	GER	
12	Farrier	Farrier		Hartmut Logemann	GER	
13	NF Delegate	NF Delegate	10071344	Elimar Thunert	GER	

## VI. INVITATIONS

### 1. GENERAL

Invited NFs	AUS, BEL, CZE, FRA, GER, HUN, NED, SUI, USA
Number of home drivers and foreign drivers	40
Number of horses per driver	5
Number of starts per driver	1

If no NF applies for the FEI wildcard within the 7 days after the publication of the FEI Approved Schedule as per the criteria of the FEI CRITERIA FOR THE ALLOCATION OF THE FEI DRIVING WILD CARD TEAM INVITATION, the OC reserves the right to invite another additional NF. In addition, the OC reserves the right to invite other NFs if some of the above-mentioned NFs do not bring a team of 3 drivers. While respecting the maximum total of 40 athletes.

### 2. CAIO/CHAMPIONSHIPS

Number of home drivers (Team)	Team of 3 drivers
Number of foreign drivers (Team)	Team of 3 drivers from the NFs above
Number of horses per driver + one reserve horse per Team	5

In addition, while respecting the maximum total of 40 athletes, the OC has the right to invite up to 8 individuals from 4 different nations. These individuals may include athletes from nations (also home nation) already entered with a team of 3 drivers. Nations with only 2 drivers in a team cannot receive an additional individual invitation, as the third athlete would join the team instead.

#### **Athletes are invited by the Organizing Committee through their NF**

<p><u>German Athletes:</u>                  Acc. to a special handicap agreed upon with NF GER; however "Minimum Eligibility Requirements" (see Driving Rules Art. 913) have to be adhered to.</p> <p><u>Foreign Athletes:</u>                  Foreign Athletes, must be qualified acc. to "Minimum Eligibility Requirements" (see Driving Rules Art. 913).</p>
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## 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/fei-entry-system-driving>
- 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.

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• German Athletes have to enter through the German Entry System NeOn!<br/>                     Entries of German Athletes will then be uploaded into the FEI Online Entry System!</li> </ul> |
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**1. ENTRY DATES AND ENTRY FEES**

**Deadlines for Entries**

*Entries have to be in accordance with article 916 of the Driving rules and 116 of the General regulations*

<b>Definite entries:</b>	08/07/2026
<b>Last date for substitutions</b> (one hour prior the Horse Inspection) :	Date: 23/07/2026 Time: 07.00 a. m.

**LIST OF COMPULSORY FEES:**

<b>• Entry Fee per Turnout</b>	
CAIO4*-H4 Team	250,00 €
<b>• Stabling fee per horse/pony</b>	220,00 €

<b>VAT:</b>	n/a
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<b>Total fee per Turnout:</b>	
CAIO4*-H4 Team	4 Horses: 1.130,00 € 5 Horses: 1.350,00 €

<b>• EADCMP Fee:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Included in entry fee <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not included in entry fee
<i>Lower Level Events (CIMs)</i>	€ 18 for Driving per turnout per event <i>(For definition of CIMs see Appendix E of the FEI General Regulations)</i>
<i>Higher Level Events</i>	€ 28 for Driving per turnout per event <i>(All other events not defined as CIMs)</i>
Details entry procedure fee / Payment:	see below

Entry fees of German and foreign athletes are administered by EventClearing. The entry fee plus fee for electricity, EADCMP fee, manure disposal, fee for additional boxes or tack boxes etc. have to be paid by transfer ahead of the event to the following account: EventClearing S.à r.l., Massewee 2, L - 6186 Gonderange

IBAN-EUR: LU38 0025 4101 2925 8200  
 BIC / SWIFT: BILL LULL XXX  
 Ref.: Rastede, FEI-number of the athlete

Please contact EventClearing for further details: [info@eventclearing.lu](mailto:info@eventclearing.lu);  
[www.eventclearing.lu](http://www.eventclearing.lu)

Contact details:  
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 Email: t.schmidt@reitverein-rastede.de

**2. 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.

**Refund procedure:**

The amount to be charged: € 250,00 entry fee per turn-out plus € 220,00 fee for boxes per horse.

**3. ADDITIONAL FEES/CHARGES BY ORGANISING COMMITTEE:**

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 Organizer.

- Electricity for boxes (upon request): ./.
- Manure disposal: ./.
- Health/customs-related documents for Horses: to be settled with the state Veterinarian
- Hay: 10,00 € per bale
- Straw: 10,00 € per bale
- Shavings: 15,00 € per bale
- Additional Box: 220,00 € per box

Lorry/ Caravan area

- Water supply: provided by the OC ; price: 50,00
- Water supply: provided by the OC ; price: ./.

**All aforementioned amounts are including VAT**

VAT number of the Organizer	N/A
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**VIII. TIMETABLE**

**International Competitions must not start before 8:00 h and should not finish after 23:00 h unless otherwise approved by the FEI.**

•	Day	Date	Time
• Opening of stables	Tuesday	21/07/2026	8.00 a. m.
• 1 <sup>st</sup> 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>	Thursday	23/07/2026	08.00 a. m.
• Chefs d'Equipes Meeting at CAIOs & Championships	Thursday	23/07/2026	11.30 a. m.
• Declaration of Starters	Thursday	23/07/2026	1 hours after horse inspection
• Dressage competition Part 1	Thursday	23/07/2026	6.00 p. m.
• Dressage competition Part 2	Friday	24/07/2026	07.30 a. m.
• Marathon	Saturday	25/07/2026	10.00 a. m.
• Cones competition	Sunday	26/07/2026	08.00 a. m.

**IX. COMPETITION DETAIL**

**1. FORMAT OF COMPETITIONS**

<b>CAIO4*</b>	<b>Format 1</b>
Please check the box	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Day 1	Dressage
Day 2	Marathon
Day 3	Cones

**2. PRIZE MONEY**

<b>TOTAL PRIZE MONEY</b>	<b>EUR</b>
<b>CAIO4*-H4</b>	<b>10.500</b>

**Breakdown of prize money – Dressage**

<b>PRIZE MONEY</b>		<b>EUR</b>				
<b>CAIO4*-H4</b>		<b>2.000</b>				
<b>Class</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> place</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> place</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> place</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> place</b>	<b>5<sup>th</sup> place</b>	<b>Others</b>
CAIO4*-H4	560	460	400	240	160	6th: 100 7th: 80

**Breakdown of prize money – Marathon**

<b>PRIZE MONEY</b>		<b>EUR</b>				
<b>CAIO4*-H4</b>		<b>2.000</b>				
<b>Class</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> place</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> place</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> place</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> place</b>	<b>5<sup>th</sup> place</b>	<b>Others</b>
CAIO4*-H4	560	460	400	240	160	6th: 100 7th: 80

**Breakdown of prize money – Cones**

<b>PRIZE MONEY</b>		<b>EUR</b>				
<b>CAIO4*-H4</b>		<b>2.000</b>				
<b>Class</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> place</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> place</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> place</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> place</b>	<b>5<sup>th</sup> place</b>	<b>Others</b>
CAIO4*-H4	560	460	400	240	160	6th: 100 7th: 80

**Breakdown of prize money – Combined**

<b>PRIZE MONEY</b>		<b>EUR</b>				
<b>CAIO4*-H4</b>		<b>4.500</b>				
<b>Class</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> place</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> place</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> place</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> place</b>	<b>5<sup>th</sup> place</b>	<b>Others</b>
CAIO4*-H4 Individual	pasture shelter value: 700	580	500	300	200	6th: 120 7th: 100
CAIO4*-H4 Teams	660	540	400	240	160	-----

**PRIZE - CLASSIFICATION**

The value of the 1<sup>st</sup> 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.

**Applicable government tax to be deducted from Prize Money: see below**

**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.**

**Distribution of Prizes and Indemnities**

After having deducted possible outstandings from the prize-money and/or reimbursements (e. g. transport charges, travelling expenses), the remaining amount will be transferred after the event to the account registered with app.eventclearing.lu.

Athletes, who have not used Event Clearing so far are kindly requested to register themselves after closing date of entries, after having received an email from Event Clearing!

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.

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

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

**IMPORTANT**

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

**3. "DRESSAGE" - PHASE Competition No. 1**

Please find the applicable Dressage tests [here](#).

**Dressage Test:**

Event	Dressage Test
CAIO4*-H4	Test 3*B H4 - 100x40 m Arena

**Position of the Judges: C, R, S, V, P**

**4. "MARATHON" – PHASE Competition No. 2**

This competition will be in accordance with FEI Driving Rules

Class	Number of obstacles	Distance	Average Speed
CAIO4*-H4	7	7000-8000	14

Indicate the number of obstacles in Section B (per category): 7

**5. "CONES" – PHASE Competition No. 3**

This competition will be in accordance with FEI Driving Rules

**Type of Competition**

*Fault Competition acc. to Art. 976	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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\*The score from this round will always be used solely to decide the Final Classification in all Events.

Please describe special obstacles: ./.

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**6. "FINAL CLASSIFICATION"**

This competition will be in accordance with FEI Driving Rules

Competition No	Event	The Final Classification is determined by adding together the penalties received in each Competition
4 Individuals	CAIO4*-H4	1,2,3
5 Teams	CAIO4*-H4	1,2,3

## **X. FACILITIES OFFERED**

### **1. ATHLETES**

#### **Accommodation**

Following Hotels are offered:

Hotel "Zum Zollhaus", Kleibroker Str. 139, 26180 Rastede, 04402-93810

Hotel "Friesenhof", Neumarktplatz 4-6, 26631 Varel, 04451-9250

Hotel "Etzhorner Krug", Butjadinger Str. 341, 26125 Oldenburg, 0441-3616700

Hotel "Patentkrug", Wilhelmshavener Heerstr. 359, 26125 Oldenburg, 0441-4806000

Accommodation will be at the expense of the Athletes.

#### **Meals**

Meals will be at the expense of the Athletes.

### **2. GROOMS**

#### **Accommodation**

Requests for accommodation must be sent with entries.

Accommodation will be at the expense of the Athletes.

#### **Meals**

Meals will be at the expense of the Athletes.

**NB.** Organizer 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., as much as possible in accordance with the Organizer Guide, Point 4.7.2 - Facilities, Services & Conditions for Grooms; <https://knowledgebase.fei.org/index.php?action=artikel&cat=11&id=132&artlang=en>.

## **XI. LOGISTICAL/ADMINISTRATIVE/TECHNICAL CONDITIONS**

### **1. DRAW**

Time, date and location:

Unless stated otherwise in the definite time-table, the draw will take place approx. 15 minutes after closing time of declarations in the show office. The draw will be acc. to Article 948.1: Starting order for the first Competition:

The starting order will be a physical draw, held in the presence of the President of the Ground Jury and open to Athletes.

### **2. COMPETITION ARENA(S)**

#### **Dressage Arena**

Length: 100 m

Width: 40 m

Type of Footing : grass

#### **CONES ARENA**

Length: 110 m

Width: 75 m

Type of Footing : grass



**7. OTHER TECHNOLOGY/SERVICE PROVIDER(S)**

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

Name of the company: EventClearing  
Matthias Lienhop  
FEI ID number 10044444  
E-Mail info@eventclearing.lu

**8. PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY**

The number of athletes required to present themselves for the prize-giving ceremony of each competition is all placed athletes. The ceremony will be done  on the Carriages /  on foot

**9. ADVERTISING ON ATHLETES AND HORSES**

Advertising on Athletes/Grooms/Carriages must comply with Art 941 of the FEI Driving Rules and Art 135 of the FEI General Regulations.

The Chief Steward will check that the turnouts comply with these Articles.

**10. TICKETING**

Are you selling ticket for spectator to attend your event: Yes  No

Ticket sales: Platform for leisure, culture, and tourism "Nordsee Tickets."  
BEVENT GmbH, Alter Markt 10, 26441 Jever

Ticket sales website: <https://nordsee.tickets/>

**11. BETTING**

Betting will be authorised by the Organizer: 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 Organizer in order to facilitate their arrival.

**14. LOCAL TRANSPORTATION - ARRANGEMENTS FROM HOTEL TO SHOW GROUNDS**

Walking distance

**15. ENTRY RIGHT TO SHOWGROUNDS/ACCREDITED PERSONS**

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

NUMBER OF ACCREDITED PERSONS:

Athlete: 1  
Partner: 1  
Groom: 4  
Horse Owner: 2 per horse acc. to FEI-Passport

One groom per driver for Singles
One groom per driver for Pairs
Two grooms per driver for Four-in-Hands

**16. LORRY / CARAVAN FACILITIES**

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

**17. 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**

Name:	Veterinary office Landkreis Ammerland Herr Scherbaum
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### **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: ./.

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 an EU member country a health certificate "EQUI-INTRA-IND" according to implementing regulation (EU) 2021/403. The use of TRACES-NT is mandatory.
- b) in case of arrival from a country not belonging to the EU a health certificate "EQUI-X" according to implementing regulation (EU) 2021/403.

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**

Ponies must be in compliance with the Veterinary Regulations to be eligible to compete in pony events.

#### **5. INJURY SURVEILLANCE**

FEI Veterinary Regulations: 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. Any government requirements for infectious 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.

#### **7. VENUE ARRIVAL INFORMATION & FITNESS TO COMPETE**

##### **7.1 PASSPORTS. FEI General Regulations**

**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 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 (FEI General Regulations).

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 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.**

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

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

**7.3 EXAMINATION ON ARRIVAL.**

On arrival at an Event venue, all Horses must undergo an examination by an FEI veterinarian to confirm their identification from their passport and microchip (where present), their vaccination status and meet the FEI's health requirements to access the FEI Stables Area. To protect all horses attending events, any Horse with a questionable health status concerning vaccination, infectious disease or other concerns, must be stabled within the isolation facilities provided by the Organising Committee pending a decision on entering the venue. PRs must fulfil the Horse Health Requirements via the FEI HorseApp in advance of the event which will be checked at the Examination on Arrival.

**7.4 HORSE INSPECTIONS.**

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.**

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

**8. EQUINE ANTI-DOPING AND CONTROLLED MEDICATION PROGRAMME (EADCMP).****8.1 SAMPLING.**

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 (EADCMPs). 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.**

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

**XIII. HUMAN ANTI-DOPING**

Athletes can be tested at any FEI Event, by the FEI or by other Anti-Doping Organisations with Testing jurisdiction. Organisers will have the responsibility to provide facilities and staff/volunteers to facilitate such Testing if requested by the FEI as outlined in article 22.3 of the 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. 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 Organizing 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 Organizer 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 the OC 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, as mentioned in the FEI General Regulations: <https://inside.fei.org/content/general-regs-statutes>.

**3. DISPUTES**

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

**4. MODIFICATION TO SCHEDULE**

In exceptional circumstances, together with the approval of Chefs d'Equipe, host NF delegate, if any, and Ground Jury, the Organizer 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 Foreign Judge.

**5. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM THE ORGANISER****5.1 GERMAN SHOW RULES**

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

**5.2 TIMETABLE**

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

**5.3 FEI-PASSPORTS**

Horses entered in CIMs (CAI1\*/CAI2\*/CAIJ/CAIY/CAICh) 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).

**5.4 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.

**5.5 DATA PROTECTION BASIC REGULATION**

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

**5.6 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).

**5.7 HYGIENE MEASURES IN CONNECTION WITH THE EHV-1**

For all measures in place at the time of the Event, please refer to:

<https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/veterinarians/biosecurity-movements/biosecurity/ehv-1>.

**Minimum Age Limitation for Athletes and Grooms – Article 912:**

<b>Senior Classes</b>		<b>Athlete Minimum Age</b>
Horses Four-in-Hand		18 years
Horse Pairs		16 years
Horse Single		14 years
All Pony Classes		14 years
<b>Under 25 Classes</b>		<b>Athlete Minimum Age</b>
Horses Four-in-Hand		18-25 years
Horse Pairs		16-25 years
Horse Single		16-25 years
All Pony Classes		16-25 years
<b>Juniors Classes</b>		<b>Athlete Minimum Age</b>
Horse Pairs		16-18 years
Horse Single		14-18 years
All Pony Classes		14-18 years
<b>Children Class</b>		<b>Athlete Minimum Age</b>
Single Pony		12-14 years
<b>Grooms</b>	<b>Minimum Age</b>	
All Classes	Athletes under the age of 18 years must be accompanied by a groom(s) of 18 years or older. Athletes of 18 years and above must be accompanied by a groom(s) of 14 years or older.	
Para Driving	The groom must be over 18 years old. The NF must ensure that the groom must be knowledgeable and experienced in Driving.	
Children	The groom must be over 18 years old. The NF must ensure that the groom must be knowledgeable and experienced in Driving.	

**Minimum Age Limitation for Horses – Article 929:**

<b>Horses</b>	<b>Minimum Age</b>
CAI1*	5 years old or over
CAI2* and above	6 years old or over

## **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.

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**Events<sup>4</sup>:** CAIO4\*-H4

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**Events<sup>4</sup>:** CAIO4\*-H4

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<sup>1</sup> If already have an FEI user account.

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

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

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

**\* Mandatory Fields**

### **2. RESULTS**

An online results interface is available to manage Driving results <http://forms.fei.org>

All results must be submitted to the FEI via this online platform or by uploading XML results file(s) directly on FEI Database. For additional information please browse to: <https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/results/driving-results-forms>.

In order to proceed with the results publication and for qualification purposes the FEI requires results to be uploaded within five days after the conclusion of the event.

Please note that as per Art. 109.6 (GR): 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 FEI may request a copy of the official PDF result signed by the relevant Officials at the Event**

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

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