



***Event: Robberg Equestrian Club Summer show***

*Authorized by S A Show Jumping*

*Affiliated to SASJ, SAEF and FEI run under 2025 FEI Jumping Rules and SASJ 2025 Rules and Appendices*

**GENERAL CONDITIONS**

This event is organised in accordance with:

- FEI Jumping Rules and SASJ Annexures SAEF General Regulations
- SAEF General Regulations
- 2024 FEI Jumping Rules
- 2024 FEI Jumping World Challenge Rules
- 2024 FEI General Regulations
- 2024 FEI Veterinary Regulations
- Equine Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Rules (EADCMR), 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition, effective 1 January 2023
- FEI Anti-Doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA), adopted on 23 November 2020, updates effective 1 January 2023.
- The World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) 2022 List of Prohibited Substances and Methods, effective 1 January 2022



## 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 always acknowledge and accept that 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 competitive careers are over. This covers proper Veterinary care, competition injuries, euthanasia, and retirement.
5. The FEI urges all involved with sport to attain the highest levels of education in their areas of expertise.

### SHOW DETAILS:

<b>VENUE:</b>	<b>Robberg Equestrian Park</b>
<b>Venue Address:</b>	<b>Airport Road Plettenberg bay</b>
<b>EVENT DIRECTOR:</b>	<b>Wendy Pio</b>
<b>Contact Details</b>	<b>060 506 1811</b>
<b>SHOW SECRETARY:</b>	<b>Wendy Pio</b>
<b>Contact Details:</b>	<b>060 506 1811</b>
<b>STABLE MANAGER:</b>	<b>Wendy Pio</b>
<b>Contact Details:</b>	<b>060 506 1811</b>

### PPROVINCIAL OFFICIALS:

PANEL	FUNCTION	FEI/SASJ #	OFFICIAL
<b>Judge</b>	Judge	Michael Butcher	FEI
		Leandi Steyn	
<b>COURSE DESIGNER</b>	Course Designer	Ryan Sander	FEI
<b>Secretary Arena</b>	Secretary/Learner Judge		Tracy Gogle
<b>TAG Electronic Timing Arena A</b>	TAG Timekeeper		Kate Miszewski
<b>Stewart</b>	Marshall	Leandi Steyn	
<b>TREATING VETERINARIAN</b>	Vet on Call	<b>Dr Tom</b>	084 580 7603
<b>PARAMEDIC SERVICES</b>	Paramedics & Ambulance	Medlife Paramedic	
<b>ANNOUNCER</b>	Announcer	Kate Miszewski	
<b>FARRIER</b>	Farrier On Show Grounds	Brian Donnely	065 515 0175



**CLOSING DATE:** 25 Jan 2025

***Entries need to be done directly on the SASJ Online System and proof of payments to be mailed by closing date***

***LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED with an additional fee of R 200 n later than the 28<sup>th</sup> Jan 2025***

***Bought and Sold Entries will be allowed as long as the correct documentation is submitted within the correct time frames and the original rider has signed the form.***

***There will be no buying and selling of entries after 26 Jan 2025. Forms received thereafter will not be accepted.***

**REFUNDS:** No Refunds will be given after closing date of entries. Entries withdrawn before close of date will be refunded less bank fees. However, due to inclement weather conditions or other unforeseen circumstances, should it necessitate cancelling a class or the show, 80% of the entry fee will be refunded.

**Bank Details:** **All entries to be paid before closing date. Unpaid entries will be automatically deleted and will not be restored should arenas be full. Rider will still be liable for entries should they cancel after entries close.**

Payment to Robberg Equestrian Park  
Account number 1229042369  
Account type Cheque  
Bank name Nedbank

**ENTRY FEE:** R350 per class 1.20m – 1.40m  
Graded classes 90cm to 1.1m: R300 per class  
Recreational classes: R 250 per class

**TEMP. MEMBERSHIP:** There will be temporary membership of R350 per rider for all competitors that are not members of Robberg Equestrian Club.

**PRIZE MONEY:** A minimum of 40% less levies and VAT Provincial classes plus sponsorship per class. This excludes sponsorship money that will be independently allocated by the OC.

**SUBSTITUTIONS:** A substitution is a change of EITHER a horse or rider.  
**All substitutions must be given to the show holder on the correct forms, signed by all the correct parties, a minimum of 30 minutes before the start of the relevant class.**

**STABLING:** Stabling will be available at **R300 per day/night**. Stabling is limited and will be booked on a first come first serve basis, should you require to be stabled together with another rider please send the booking forms together as stabling is allocated immediately upon receipt. Initial bedding will be provided.

**NO PADDOCKS WILL BE ALLOWED TO BE ERRECTED ON THE VENUE**

ALL COMPETITORS needing stabling MUST be done online with entries.  
Initial Bedding will be provided, additional bedding will be available to purchase at R80 per bag.



The allocation of stabling accommodation is carried out by the Show Director and under no circumstances may any competitor change his/her stabling accommodation or alter the stabling list without prior consultation with, and approval of, the Show director. Failure to comply could involve disqualification of the horse concerned. Stables will be allocated to out of Province rider first, on a first come first paid basis. Competitors wishing to be stabled with others should indicate this on email. ( [wendypio76@gmail.com](mailto:wendypio76@gmail.com) ) however, please bear in mind that if the person you are wanting to be stabled with has booked early and you have booked late or vice versa this allocation may not be possible as stables are allocated strictly on a first booked and paid for basis. The grooms are encouraged to hand walk horses.

**ACCESS:** All horseboxes and floats must be parked in the allocated area provided.: All horseboxes and floats must be parked in the allocated area provided. Visitors to park please by day parking as allocated.

**PASSPORTS:** All horses must be in possession of their FEI Passports or Group IX Passports at all shows. Inspections, sampling, and random passport checks may take place at any event.

**Provincial timetable /this may change according of number of entries, 3 day might change to a 2 day also according to entries.**

**Friday 31st Jan 2025**

**JNR /ADULTS / PONY**

J/A 1 m A2 Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.1

PR 1 m A2 Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.1

J/A 1.1 m A2 Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.1

PR 1.1 m A2 Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.1

J/A 1.2 /1.25 A2 Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.1

J/A 1.3m A2 Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.1

ADULTS 1.35/1.4 A2 Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.1

J/A 90 cm A2 Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.1

PR 90 cm A2 Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.1

Rec:80 cm A2 Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.1

Rec:70 cm A2 Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.1

Rec:60 cm A2 Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.1

Rec:50 cm A2 Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.1

J/A 1.2 Accumulator (joker 8 jump)

J/A 1.1 Accumulator (joker 8 jump)

PR 1.1 Accumulator (joker 8 jump)

J/A 1 m Accumulator (joker 8 jump)

PR: 1m Accumulator (joker 8 jump)



## **Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> Feb 2025**

### **JNR/ADULT/PONY**

REC: 50cm Accumulator (joker 8 jump)  
REC: 60cm Accumulator (joker 8 jump)  
REC: 70cm Accumulator (joker 8 jump)  
REC: 80cm Accumulator (joker 8 jump)  
J/A 90cm Accumulator (joker 8 jump)  
PR: 90cm Accumulator (joker 8 jump)  
PR 1.1 Accumulator (joker 8 jump)  
J/A 1 m Accumulator (joker 8 jump)

## **Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> FEB 2025**

### **JNR/ADULT/PONY**

ADULT 1.35/1.4 m 2 phase Rule: FEI Art: 274.2  
J/A 1.3m 2 phase Rule: FEI Art: 274.2  
J/A 1.2m 2 phase Rule: FEI Art: 274.2  
J/A 1.1m 2 phase Rule: FEI Art: 274.2  
PR 1.1m 2 phase Rule: FEI Art: 274.2  
J/A 1.m 2 phase Rule: FEI Art: 274.2  
PR 1.m 2 phase Rule: FEI Art: 274.2  
J/A 90cm 2 phase Rule: FEI Art: 274.2  
PR 90cm 2 phase Rule: FEI Art: 274.2  
REC: 80cm 2 phase Rule: FEI Art: 274.2  
REC: 70cm 2 phase Rule: FEI Art: 274.2  
REC: 60cm 2 phase Rule: FEI Art: 274.2  
REC: 50cm 2 phase Rule: FEI Art: 274.2

## **Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> FEB 2025**

### **JNR/ADULT/PONY**

J/A 1.2 m Championship *Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.2*  
J/A 1.3 m Championship *Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.2*  
Adult 1.35/1.4m Championship *Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.2*  
J/A 1.1 m Championship *Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.2*  
PR 1.1 m Championship *Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.2*  
J/A 1 m Championship *Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.2*  
PR 1 m Championship *Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.2*  
J/A 90 cm Championship *Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.2*  
PR 90 cm Championship *Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.2*  
REC 80cm Championship *Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.2*  
REC 70cm Championship *Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.2*  
REC 60cm Championship *Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.2*  
REC 50cm Championship *Rule: FEI Art: 238.2.2*



## **'EQUINE TESTING**

All horses or ponies competing at SASJ and/or 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 or ponies may be selected for sampling in accordance with the obligatory testing, targeted or random sampling procedures. MCP testing as per SAEF Regulations will be done by the appointed Testing Vet. Laboratory: National Horse Racing Authority, Turffontein Racecourse, Turf Club Street. FEI testing will be as per FEI regulations by an appointed FEI Testing vet and sent to the FEI Appointed Laboratory.

*Full information in the FEI and/or SAEF Veterinary Regulations*

## **HUMAN ANTI DOPING**

All Athletes can be tested at any FEI/and or SASJ event, by the FEI or by other Anti-Doping Organizations with Testing Jurisdiction.

Full information can be found The ADRHA(Anti-Doping Rules for Human Athletes) rules are published on the FEI's website at <http://inside.fei.org/content/anti-doping-rules>, and South African Drug Free Sport and WADA.

## **VACCINATIONS:**

### **SOUTH AFRICAN EQUESTRIAN FEDERATION REGULATIONS ON PASSPORTS, EQUINE INFLUENZA & AFRICAN HORSE SICKNESS.**

#### **HORSES' ELIGIBILITY TO COMPETE – SAEF VETERINARY REGULATIONS Article 1001 – Equine Identification**

Horses or Ponies that do not have FEI Passports must have a SAEF Group IX Passport to compete in South Africa.

1. Person Responsible (PRs) must comply with the requirements for national and SAEF Passports, Recognition Cards and registration for Events as described in the General Regulations.

#### **Summary of SAEF VETERINARY REGULATIONS - AHS and EQUINE FLU REGULATIONS**

##### **EQUINE INFLUENZA**

All horses & Ponies competing at SAEF Events must have an Equine Influenza Vaccine within 6 months and 21 days of competition.

All horses must have had a PRIMARY Course of Equine Influenza (Only Exception are horses that have been vaccinated every year without a primary course since 2005)

VACCINE 1 (V1) First Vaccine of the Primary Course. Horse is Not eligible to compete.

VACCINE 2 (V2) First Booster. Administered between 21 – 92 days after V1.

(From 2023 it will be 21 days – 60 days)

Horse will be eligible to compete after 7 days.

VACCINE 3 (V3) Second Booster of the PRIMARY Course administered 6 months after V2.

Thereafter, if the horse is not competing booster vaccines may be given every 12 months, BUT if the year is exceeded, a Primary course must be repeated.

For competition purposes the horse must have an Equine Influenza vaccine with 6 months and 21 days of competition. EG your horse has had V1 – V3. You do not compete, but 10 months later you decide to enter a competition. Ensure that an Equine Influenza vaccine is administered, and your horse will be eligible to compete after 7 days. It is not necessary to repeat the Primary Course if you have not exceeded a year.

**NB: NO HORSE MAY COMPETE FOR 7 DAYS FOLLOWING ANY VACCINATION**

##### **AFRICAN HORSE SICKNESS (AHS)**

African Horse Sickness is a controlled disease in South Africa, and as such the State Veterinary Department must be notified of any positive cases. According to the Government "Animal Diseases Act 35 of 1984" all Equidae must be vaccinated against AHS annually, (except in the controlled AHS Zones of the Western Cape)





The only vaccine currently registered in terms of Fertilizers, Farm Feeds, Agricultural Remedies and Stock Remedies Act 1947 (Act no 36 of 47) for AHS and therefore the only efficient/effective remedy "as described above is the live virus vaccine produced by Onderstepoort Biological Products (OBP).

For Competition purposes the following apply:

- i) Horses Must be vaccinated against AHS 1 & AHS2 once in a calendar year. (Exception is the Free & Surveillance zones of the AHS controlled area, who require written permission for vaccination from State Vet Boland
- ii) The only accepted registered vaccine for competition purposes is the OBP vaccine, in terms of the "Farm Feeds, Agricultural Remedies & Stock Remedies Act 1947 (Act 36 of 47).
- iii) AHS vaccines must be administered by a veterinarian, who is required to sign and stamp the passport.
- iv) Vaccines must be administered with a minimum of 3 weeks (21 days) apart. Vaccines given less than 3 weeks will invalidate both vaccines. (It has come to the notice of SAEF the growing number of horses that are receiving the second AHS vaccine within 15 to 20 days of the first. Not only is the horse ineligible to compete, but the welfare of the horse becomes compromised.)
- v) For competition purposes horses residing in the Free & Surveillance Zones of the Western Cape do not require AHS vaccine. However, should they leave the Free U Surveillance zones they will be required to have AHS vaccine, both for competition purposes and for movement back into the controlled area.
- vi) Vaccination is only allowed in the Controlled Zones, between 1<sup>st</sup> June and 31<sup>st</sup> October each year. Whilst it is strongly recommended that horses are not vaccinated during high midge prevalence, vaccination times are not legislated in the Infected zone.
- vii) Due to the shortage of AHS vaccine during 2022, the SAEF issued a dispensation for all competition horses. "For competition purposes horses must receive one AHS1 and one AHS 2 vaccine between 1<sup>st</sup> June 2021 and 31<sup>st</sup> December 2023. **Check SAEF for any updates as they are closely monitoring the situation.**

#### **FEI REGULATIONS ON PASSPORTS (FEI GENERAL REGULATIONS ART. 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 for the current year.

FEI Passports or FEI Recognition Cards (for those Horses with a national passport approved by the FEI) are compulsory for FEI Events.

#### **FEI REGULATIONS ON EQUINE INFLUENZA (FEI VETERINARY REGULATIONS ART. 1003)**

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.

### **FINES IN RESPECT OF PASSPORT VIOLATIONS**

Refer to SAEF General and Veterinary Regulations

#### **HORSE INSPECTION: N/A**

Competitors will be fined should there be any omissions or errors in the horse's passport.

#### **MEDICATION CONTROL:**

MCP testing as per SAEF Regulations will be done by the appointed Testing Vet.

Laboratory: National Horse Racing Authority, Turffontein Racecourse, Turf Club Street.

#### **PROTESTS & APPEALS:**

As per General Regulations. All protests and Objections must be done in writing within the required timelines and in receipt of a deposit of the relevant fee.





## Rules, Regulations, Terms and Conditions applicable to all FEI, SASJ National & Provincial Classes

<b>COMPETITION CLASSES</b>	<i>All classes will be run under the applicable FEI Rule unless otherwise stated in the SASJ Annexures.</i>
<b>HORSE VACCINATIONS</b>	<i>It is the Athlete/Owners responsibility to ensure that they comply with the control measures of AHS and EQUINE FLU as per SAEF Regulations and are in the horses' passports which must always accompany the horse/pony</i>
<b>MICROCHIP NO's</b>	<i>Microchip numbers must be in the horses passport and SASJ Online System</i>
<b>LIABILITY</b>	<i>The FEI, SASJ, SAEF, The OC/SHB, Venue, Officials and sponsors shall in no way be held responsible for any damage, loss, theft, or injury sustained by owners, riders, competitors, horses, members or the public or any other person or their property whatsoever. E&amp;OE</i>
<b>CHANGES TO CLASSES</b>	<p><i>The organising committee in consultation with the SASJ Representative reserve the right to combine, handicap, divide or cancel classes should this be necessary, always provided such amendments are not in conflict with the rules. Where necessary, classes may be restricted to qualifications. 80% of entry fees will be refunded should the class/s be cancelled due to inclement weather conditions or unforeseen circumstances.</i></p> <p><i>The organising committee reserves the right to cancel, combine, limit, or divide classes or change arenas. Lower grade/provincial entries may be restricted, or classes cancelled, depending on number of entries. Recommended rounds per day will be in consultation with the President of the Ground Jury and SASJ Rep. Any classes that are combined will be on a handicap basis. Changes made at/during the show will be at the SHB's discretion in consultation with the Ground Jury. This also applies to adverse weather conditions. Entry Fees will not be refunded to any competitor in the event of any competition being changed to a different time, day, or different arena.</i></p> <p><i>The onus is on the rider to ensure their contact details are correct on the SASJ Database to receive any emails, and to check the SASJ Website for any changes to the schedule/programme. Any changes made to the programme once the final programme is published will be published on the SASJ website <a href="http://www.sashowjumping.co.za">www.sashowjumping.co.za</a> or sent out via newflash.</i></p>





<b>ATHLETES</b>	<i>Athletes are to be registered with a Club, SAEF and SASJ as per Annexures on the SASJ Database.</i>
<b>HORSES/PONIES</b>	<i>Horses/Ponies need to be registered with SASJ as per SASJ Annexures on the SASJ Database</i>
<b>ELECTRONIC TIMING</b>	<i>SASJ National FDS/Vola Timing Equipment – is required for all National and FEI Events and is the responsibility of the OC in conjunction with the timekeeper to organize, collect and return the equipment.</i>
<b>STALLIONS</b>	<i>All stallions should have a yellow disc on both sides of the bridle or have a yellow ribbon in the tail.</i>
<b>ADVERTISING SPONSORS – ATHLETES &amp; HORSES</b>	<i>Athletes are to ensure that any sponsored Saddlecloths or Athlete Wear they compete in during the event – that the Sponsors are registered with SASJ for the current year and sizes. of logos are in accordance with articles 256.3 and 257.3 of the FEI Jumping Rules The Chief Steward will check that the advertising of athletes and horses complies with these articles.</i>
<b>GROOMS</b>	<i>Riders are requested to provide sleeping accommodation for their grooms as there. are no facilities for this purpose. Please note that the lighting of fires or smoking in the stable areas are strictly forbidden. Kindly inform your grooms. Ablutions are. available in the stable area for grooms. There are electricity outlets at the stable area. Water is precious – please be aware of water wastage and help us to conserve. water where possible</i>
<b>LUNGING</b>	<i>Lunging will only be permitted in the lunge arena</i>
<b>TEMP PADDOCKS</b>	<i>No Temporary Paddocks will be permitted</i>

