



Dolcoed

Event: Dolcoed Midlands Riding Club Christmas Show **Date:** 14-16th December

Affiliated to SAEF and run under South African Eventing Rules June 2010

Venue: Dolcoed Equestrian Centre, Caversham, KZN Midlands

Officials: Event Director: Rhian Capostagno
Cross Country Course Designer: Mrs P Young

Standards: Eventing 60 Eventing 70 Eventing 80 Eventing 90

Entry Fees:

Eventing 60	R300	Eventing 70	R400	Eventing 80	R500
Eventing 90	R550				

Entry Fees include the Eventing Levy appropriate to the standard as per ESA, EDTS R4.50 and KZN R5 Eventing levy & Medics R50.

Admin Levy: R80

Ground Levy: R50 (DMRC members), R100 (Non-Members)

Stabling: R250 (tunnels) R180 (show stables) for weekend.

Closing Date: 2nd December 2013 17h00.

Entries: **LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED DEPENDING ON CLASS SIZES. THERE WILL BE A LATE ENTRY FEE OF R120. PLEASE CALL FIRST.**

Entries out of order at closing date will be forfeited. Entry forms not accompanied by entry fees will not be accepted.

Declaration of Cross Entries by 17h00 on day before commencement of Dressage.

Bank Details:

Entries payable to:	Dolcoed Midlands Riding Club (DMRC)
Bank:	RMB Private bank / FNB
Branch Code:	250655
Account Number:	62420338883
Reference:	Riders Name & Initial

Prize Money: One for every four entries & to 5 places compulsory for all FEI Classes

Eventing 60 NO PRIZE MONEY – ROSETTES ONLY and sponsored prizes where available

Eventing 70 and all affiliated classes – 40% of net entries

Enquiries: Rhian Capostagno Cell: 082 805 1240 (between 18h00 & 20h00 only)
Email: Dolcoedridingclub@gmail.com





Entries to:

Email: Dolcoedridingclub@gmail.com
Fax: 0865126075

Catering/Bar:

Will be available. KKH Pony Club will be running the catering as a fundraiser for their trip to Ireland in 2014. Please support them. Grooms dinners available Friday and Saturday night.

Entertainment:

There will be a riders and family braai on Saturday evening.

Stabling:

Will be strictly on a first entered and paid basis. Special requests to be filled in on the stabling form.

Special Notice:

This event will include the first of the KKH Branch of the pony club's 2014 inter branches Eventing series:
The scores will be taken from the scores obtained at the event. Teams of 3 or 4 from a range of levels with 3 scores to count however the scores will be weighted so that even an individual can gain a team score.
This series is open to all pony club members from any pony club in South Africa.
There will be great prizes at the conclusion of the 2014 series

**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.*



Rules and Regulations

1. All classes will be run under SAEF and ESA Eventing Rules 1st June 2010 and FEI Eventing Rules 1 January 2013 (revised 19 March 2013).
2. All tack will be checked before the commencement of each test. As per Eventing Rules 45.4.2 and 45.7.3, protective headgear, medical cards and body protectors are obligatory for the Cross Country test. Surcingles are strongly recommended.
3. Competitors shall wear the correct dress at all times whilst warming up and in the arena.
4. Protests lodged must adhere to Appendix GR/B of the SAEA General Regulations and Section 43 of the Eventing Rules.
5. Registration of Horse/Pony and Rider with SAEF and ESA, and Club membership must be up to date as at 1 August 2013 for all Classes. The Organising Committee reserves the right to restrict class entries strictly on a first come basis.
6. Faxed entries will only be accepted if accompanied by a stamped deposit slip, which should clearly state **Rider's Name** as reference. Proof of payment must be supplied if entry fees are paid via electronic funds transfer - use **Rider's Name & initial** as reference.
7. Any requests for a specific riding order **MUST** be clearly indicated on the entry form. It is the responsibility of the competitor to make sure their entries have been received. The dressage tests used are from the 2010/2011 Eventing Dressage Tests available on the ESA website www.eventingsa.com and FEI Tests 2009 which can be found on the FEI website www.fei.org
8. The Show Holding Body reserves the right to alter or vary the programme in light of prevailing conditions at their discretion, with the approval of the Technical Delegate.
9. The Organising Committee, the Show Holding Body(DMRC), ESA, SAEF, FEI and Dolcoed Equestrian Centre cannot be held liable for any loss, damage, death or injury to people, horses or property whatsoever. All competitors and spectators enter the premises entirely at their own risk.
10. Ponies/horses may compete from the 1 August of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 4 years for Eventing 80 and below and 5 years for Eventing 90m and Eventing 100m classes.
11. The Cross Country courses will be open for inspection on foot from 14h00 **Friday 13th 2013**. This is regarded as the official starting time of the event so all eventing rules (including restrictions with regard to dress and saddlery) will be enforced. At the event venue and after the official opening of the courses for inspection, and for the duration of the event, it is forbidden under penalty of disqualification for anyone other than the competitor who will ride the horse in the competition to school a horse.
12. **As from 2nd December, no competitor/competing horse may ride in the vicinity of the cross country obstacles, until called upon to do so under penalty of elimination.**
13. **Any horse that has not been officially entered for the event will not be allowed access to the grounds without prior permission from the Event Director.**
14. **Numbers are to be collected before the Dressage Test and are to be worn for all 3 Tests.** Bridle numbers are permitted.
15. Competitors please note that Medical cards are compulsory and must be clearly visible on the rider, preferably on the arm.
16. **Sponsors, owners, riders, horses and ponies must be registered with SAEF, ESA and the Primary Club of choice in the Riders/Owners Geo-Political area, for the 2013/2014 subscription year as at the closing date of entry. Entries out of order at closing date will be forfeited.**
17. **Parking in designated areas only. NO Dogs are allowed under any circumstance. Anyone bringing a dog onto the property will be asked to leave immediately.**
18. A complete list of SAEF General Regulations, Veterinary Regulations, Eventing Rules and Eventing Dressage Tests can be found on the SAEF website www.horsesport.org.za and www.eventingsa.com No dressage test will be supplied so competitors must ensure that they have the correct copies.
19. All stallions must have a yellow disc on both sides of the bridle or have a yellow ribbon in the tail.
20. **EQUINE FLU VACS MUST BE ADMINISTERED WITHIN 6 MONTHS OF THE DATE OF THE EVENT. AHS VACCINATIONS MUST BE IN ORDER.**



PROPOSED PROGRAMME

Friday	14h00	Course open for inspection on foot for all classes
	17h00	Declaration of Starters
Saturday	08h30	Dressage
	11h00	Show Jumping
	16h30	Athletes Briefing followed by Rider and family braai
Sunday	09h30	Cross Country in Class order
	14h00	Prize Giving

Please note that this is part of a multi-discipline show weekend and riders are encouraged to enter the show jumping and showing classes through the weekend keeping in mind the effort for the horse or bring a second ride. The overall show will run from Saturday to Monday (Public Holiday) 14th – 16th December. The schedules are available on the respective discipline websites or by email request to: Dolcoedridingclub@gmail.com

Specifications:

<u>Eventing 60</u>	Dressage:	Adult & Junior- Training 70 Test 1 (2010) Pony Rider – PR Training 70 Test 1 (2010)
	Cross Country:	Dist: 1000 – 1500m; Speed: 400mpm; Height: .60m
	Show Jumping:	Max Height: .65m; Speed: 300mpm.
<u>Eventing 70</u>	Dressage:	Adult & Junior – Training 70 Test 1 (2010) Pony Rider – PR Training 70 Test 1 (2010)
	Cross Country:	Dist: 1600 – 2400m; Speed: 420mpm; Height: .70m
	Show Jumping:	Max Height: .75m; Speed: 325mpm.
<u>Eventing 80</u>	Dressage:	Adult & Junior – Eventing 80 Test 1 (2010) Pony Rider – PR Eventing 80 Test 1 (2010)
	Cross Country:	Dist: 1800 – 2600m; Speed: 440mpm; Height: .80m
	Show Jumping:	Max Height: .85m; Speed: 325mpm.
<u>Eventing 90</u>	Dressage:	Adult & Junior – Eventing 90 Test 1 (2010) Pony Rider – PR Eventing 90 Test 1 (2010)
	Cross Country:	Dist: 2000 – 2800m; Speed: 460mpm; Height: .90m
	Show Jumping:	Max Height: .95m; Speed: 325mpm.

