



Event: **Cape Point Vineyards Horse Trials** **Date:** 20th & 21st February 2016



Affiliated to ESA & SAEF and run under South African Eventing Rules
Updated as at 1 March 2015 & FEI Eventing Rules 24th edition as at 1 January 2016

Venue: Saturday 20/02/2016 - NRC Equestrian Centre - Dressage
 Saturday 20/02/2016 - Noordhoek Common - Show Jumping Classes 6 - 11
 Sunday 21/02/2016 - Noordhoek Common - X Country All Classes 1 - 11
 Sunday 21/02/2016 - Noordhoek Common - Show Jumping Classes 1 - 5
 (Referred to as the VENUE in the rules)

Officials: Event Director: Brigette Spaltman
 Technical Delegate: Richard Beck
 Cross Country Course Designer: Andile Balula
 Show Jumping Course Designer: Wayne Thurgood

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Closing Date: Monday, 8th February 2016

Entries: Entries **WILL NOT** be processed without payment confirmation (to be sent to noordhoekeventing@gmail.com) **Late entries, if allowed, will carry a penalty of R250.00 (NOT NEGOTIABLE) and will not be processed unless full payment is received. NB: THERE WILL BE A LIMITED NUMBER OF ENTRIES SO ENTER EARLY!**
 Enter on-line at www.eventingsa.co.za. Declaration of Cross Entries by 17h00 on day before commencement of Dressage

Bank Details: Entries payable to: Noordhoek Riding Club
 Bank: Standard Bank
 Branch code: 036009
 Account Number: 072114495
 Reference: ESA Invoice number + Surname

Prize money: Rosettes plus prize money in Classes 1 to 11

Catering/Bar: Catering will be available

Entertainment: TBC

Accommodation: info@noordhoektourism.co.za, www.noordhoektourism.co.za or 021 782 0679.

Stabling: n/a

Entry Fees:	Eventing 70	R	675.00	Eventing 80	R	775.00	Eventing 90	R	825.00
	Eventing 100	R	895.00						

Entry Fees include the Eventing Levy appropriate to the standard as per ESA.

Unaffiliated classes Ev 60 & Ev 70 (R50 Levy)

Affiliated Classes EV 80 (R100 Levy) Ev 90 (R125 Levy) Ev 1m (R150 Levy)

The ESA Levy includes a Provincial levy of R25 per entry. EDTS R4.50

Show Officials: R 60.00

Common Preparation: R 50.00

Common Fee: R 30.00

Medical:	R	65.00
NRC Dev. Levy:	R	50.00

PROPOSED PROGRAMME

All info will be posted on the Eventing SA, WC Eventing and NRC websites from Wednesday 17th February 2016.

Vaccinations: **ALL HORSES MUST HAVE UP TO DATE AFRICAN HORSE SICKNESS AND FLU VACCINATION AND TRAVEL WITH PASSPORTS.**

Passports will be checked when numbers are collected, **no passport no show**.

Specifications:

<u>Eventing 100</u>		Dressage:	Adult/Junior Eventing 100 Test 1 (2011)
Class 1	Adult	Cross Country	Dist: 2200 - 2800m; Speed: 490mpm; Height: 1.00m
Class 2	Junior	Show Jumping	Max Height: 1.05m; Speed: 350mpm

<u>Eventing 90</u>		Dressage:	Adult/Junior Eventing 90 Test 1 (2010)
Class 3	Adult		Pony Rider PR Eventing 90 Test 1 (2010)
Class 4	Junior	Cross Country	Dist: 2000 - 2600m; speed: 450mpm; Height: 0.90m
Class 5	Pony Riders	Show Jumping	Max Height: 0.95m; Speed: 325mpm

<u>Eventing 80</u>		Dressage:	Adult/Junior Eventing 80 Test 1 (2010)
Class 6	Adult		Pony Rider PR Eventing 80 Test 1 (2010)
Class 7	Junior	Cross Country	Dist: 1800 - 2400m; Speed: 435mpm; Height: 0.80m
Class 8	Pony Riders	Show Jumping	Max Height: 0.85m; Speed: 325mpm

<u>Eventing 70</u>		Dressage:	Adult/Junior Training 70 Test 1 (2010)
Class 9	Adult		Pony Rider PR Training 70 Test 1 (2010)
Class 10	Junior	Cross Country	Dist: 1500 - 2200m; speed: 420mpm; Height: 0.60-0.70m
Class 11	Pony Riders	Show Jumping	Max Height: 0.75m; Speed: 325mpm

Please note that the height of the X-Country jumps for classes 9, 10 & 11 will be between 60 & 70cm
THE CROSS-COUNTRY COURSE WILL BE OPEN FOR INSPECTION FROM 12 NOON ON FRIDAY 19th February 2016.

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR THE WELFARE OF THE HORSE

The Federation 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 as 1st June 2010 updated 1 March 2015 and FEI Eventing rules 24th Edition as at 1 January 2016.
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 SAEF 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 January 2016 for all Classes. The Organising Committee reserves the right to restrict class entries on a first come basis.
6. Entries should be done online on the ESA Website: www.eventingsa.co.za. Please use your invoice number + Surname 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 Test available on the ESA website: www.eventingsa.co.za and FEI Test 2015 which can be found on the FEI website www.fei.org, or can also be found on the Eventing SA Website: www.eventingsa.co.za
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 (NRC), NRPA, ESA, SAEF, FEI, The City of Cape Town and the VENUE 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 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 90cm and Eventing 1m classes.
11. The Cross Country courses will be open for inspection on foot from 12 noon on Friday, 19th Feb 2016
This is regarded as the official starting time of the event so all Eventing rules (including restrictions with regards 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 the closing date (as listed on page 1) in the Schedule, no competitors/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 Chairman of the Organising Committee.**
- 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. Medical cards can be purchased at R10 and collected when you collect your numbers. Please indicate and pay with your entry.
- 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 2016 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.
DOGS MUST BE KEPT (AND HELD) ON LEADS - there will be a FINE of R50 for unleashed dogs.
18. A complete list of SAEF General Regulations, Veterinary regulations, Eventing Rules and Eventing Dressage Test can be found on the ESA website www.eventingsa.co.za. No Dressage test will be supplied so competitors must ensure 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 + 21 days OF THE DATE OF THE EVENT.**
No horse may compete within the 7 days after the vaccination. AHS VACCINATIONS MUST BE IN ORDER.