



# EVENTING SOUTH AFRICA SCHEDULE – 2023



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**Event:** Northern Farm / Sunlands Graded and SANESA Event **Date:** 29<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> July 23

*Affiliated to ESA & SAEF and run under South African Eventing Rules  
As at 1 January 2021 & FEI Eventing Rules 25<sup>th</sup> Edition effective 1 January 2023*

**Venue:** Show jumping and dressage: Sunlands Farm  
Cross Country: Northern Farm Equestrian Park

**Officials:** Event Director: Charles du Sautoy  
Technical Delegate: Linda Philo  
Cross Country Course Designer: Bongani Zrere  
Course Builders: Northern Farm Team  
Show Jumping Course Designer: Ryan Sander  
Event Judge: Rhian Capastagno

**Standards:** Eventing 65      Eventing 75      Eventing 85      Eventing 95  
CCN1 \*              CCN2\* - S

**Entry Fees:** Eventing 65/75      R750              Eventing 85      R950              Eventing 95      R1050  
CCN1\*              R1250              CCN2\* - S      1450

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

Affiliated Classes: Ev65 & 75 (R110 Levy) Ev85 (R160 Levy); Ev95 (R185 Levy); CCN1\* (R270 Levy); CCN2\* (R270 Levy)

EDTS R4.50, Development Levy R25 per entry, National Levy R25 per entry, & Medics Levy at the discretion of the SHB but not less than R75. The ESA Levy includes a Provincial levy of R25 per entry. VAT to be added by Registered Show Holding Bodies.

**Additional Fees:** Admin Levy: R100  
Ground Levy: R150

**Closing Date:** 21<sup>st</sup> July 2023

**Entries:** **LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED (Subject to a R250 late entry fee)**  
Unpaid entries may be deleted 24 hours after closing date. Enter online at [www.eventingsa.co.za](http://www.eventingsa.co.za)  
Declaration of Cross Entries by 17h00 on day before commencement of Dressage.  
**Cross entries: Both entries to be paid for, including all levies as per Rule number: 02.3.4. Levies of the class not ridden will be refunded by ESA.**

**Bank Details:** Entries payable to: Northern Farm Equestrian Park  
Bank: Nedbank  
Branch Code: All branches  
Account Number: 1005-4869-13  
Reference: **Name of Rider & show entry invoice number**

**DO NOT DEPOSIT INTO ESA's ACCOUNT**



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- Prize Money:** All affiliated classes – 40% of entries less all levies and VAT
- Enquiries:** **Charles du Sautoy** Cell:083-680-8389  
**Claudia Vrettas** Cell:083-675-2168 (Office Hours 09h30-16h00)
- Entries to:** Online for ALL National Classes: [www.eventingsa.co.za](http://www.eventingsa.co.za)
- Stabling:** **Contact Sunlands Stables directly (083-675-2168)**

*DRESSAGE TIMES will be published on the Wednesday before the Event on the ESA Web Site.*

## 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 horse's 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.*
- 6. Athletes, Members and all Affiliates to Eventing SA must ensure that they have read and understand the Social Media Policy, which can be found on the ESA website [www.eventingsa.co.za](http://www.eventingsa.co.za) under Documents/Eventing Rules.*

### Rules and Regulations

- All classes will be run under SAEF and ESA Eventing Rules as at 1 January 2021, FEI Eventing Rules 25<sup>th</sup> edition effective 1 January 2023 and in compliance of the SAEF Equestrian Sport Ready Resumption document. Any rider, or their entourage, who breaches these conditions will be disqualified and asked to leave the venue, without recourse.
- All tack will be checked before the commencement of each test. As per Eventing Rules 05.4.2 and 05.7.2, protective headgear, medical cards and body protectors are obligatory for the Cross Country. Surcingles are strongly recommended.
- Competitors shall wear the correct dress at all times whilst warming up and in the arena.

4. Protests lodged must adhere to Appendix GR/D of the SAEF General Regulations and Section 03 of the Eventing Rules.
5. Registration of Rider with SAEF and ESA, and Club membership must be up to date as at date of entry for all Classes. The Organising Committee reserves the right to restrict class entries strictly on a first entered and paid basis.
6. Entries should be done online on the ESA Website: [www.eventingsa.co.za](http://www.eventingsa.co.za). Please use the Rider's name & your invoice number as reference.
7. Any requests for a specific riding order **MUST** be emailed to the SHB. It is the responsibility of the competitor to make sure their entries have been received. The dressage tests are available on the ESA website [www.eventingsa.co.za](http://www.eventingsa.co.za) and FEI Tests can be found on the FEI website [www.fei.org](http://www.fei.org), or ESA Website.
8. The Show Holding Body reserves the right to alter or vary the programme considering prevailing Conditions, at their discretion, with the approval of the Technical Delegate.
9. The Organising Committee, the Show Holding Body, ESA, SAEF, FEI and the respective venues 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. The Cross-Country courses will be open for inspection on foot from **12:00 28<sup>th</sup> July 2023**. This is regarded as the official starting time of the event so all Eventing rules including restrictions regarding 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. Only the rider allowed on the field of play.
11. **As from the published closing date in the Schedule, no competitor/competing horse may ride in the vicinity of the cross-country obstacles, until called upon to do so, under penalty of elimination.**
12. **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.**
13. **Numbers are to be collected before the Dressage Test and are to be worn for all 3 Tests.** Bridle numbers are permitted for the Dressage and Show Jumping phases.
14. **Competitors please note that Medical Cards/other forms of medical tags are compulsory for the Cross – Country phase and medical details MUST also be updated on the Eventing SA Website. Please inform the organising committee &/or the medics when you arrive, if you have had any major accident recently involving concussion. It is the responsibility of the rider, or parent/guardian to give this information to the medics.**
15. 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 2023 subscription year as at the closing date of entry. Entries out of order at closing date will be forfeited.
16. Parking in designated areas only. **Dogs must be on Leads at all times.**
17. A complete list of SAEF General Regulations, SAEF Equestrian Sport Ready Document, Veterinary Regulations, Eventing Rules and Eventing Dressage Tests can be found on the [www.eventingsa.co.za](http://www.eventingsa.co.za). No dressage test will be supplied so competitors must ensure that they have the correct copies.
18. All stallions must have a yellow disc on both sides of the bridle or have a yellow ribbon in the tail.
19. **EQUINE FLU VACS MUST BE ADMINISTERED WITHIN 6 MONTHS + 21 days OF THE DATE OF THE EVENT. No horse may compete in the 7 days after the vaccination. AHS VACCINATIONS MUST BE IN ORDER.**

**PROPOSED PROGRAMME**

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| <b>Friday (28/7)</b>    | <b>12h00</b> | <b>Course open for inspection on foot for all classes</b>   |
|                         | <b>17h00</b> | <b>Declaration of Starters / Cross Entries</b>  |
| <b>Saturday (29/7)</b>  | <b>08h00</b> | <b>Dressage</b>   |
| <b>at Sunlands Farm</b> | <b>09h00</b> | <b>Show Jumping</b>   |
|                         | <b>13h00</b> | <b>Athletes briefing. Map and details will be on the ESA website. Any Queries should be addressed to the Riders' Rep or the TD.</b>                                 |
| <b>Sunday (30/7)</b>    | <b>09h00</b> | <b>Cross Country in Class order</b>   |
| <b>at NFEF</b>          | <b>14h00</b> | <b>Results will be published on the ESA Live Scoring website. All prize money will be done by EFT - therefore banking details needs to be handed in to the SHB.</b> |

**Specifications:**

<https://web.eventingsa.co.za/esa/dsa-tests/>

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| <u>Eventing 65</u>   | Dressage:      | ESA – Ev65 Ev75 – Test B (Amended) – 2023        |
| Class 1 Adults       | Pony Riders:   | ESA – PR Ev65 Ev75 – Test B – 2023               |
| Class 2 Juniors      | Cross Country: | Dist: 1000 – 1600m; Speed: 420mpm; Height: .65m  |
| Class 3 Pony Riders  | Show Jumping:  | Max Height: .70m; Speed: 300mpm.                 |
| <u>Eventing 75</u>   | Dressage:      | ESA – Ev65 Ev75 – Test B (Amended) – 2023        |
| Class 4 Adults       | Pony Riders    | ESA – PR Ev65 Ev75 – Test B – 2023               |
| Class 5 Juniors      | Cross Country: | Dist: 1500 – 2000m; Speed: 440 mpm; Height: .75m |
| Class 6 Pony Riders  | Show Jumping:  | Max Height: .80m; Speed: 325mpm.                 |
| <u>Eventing 85</u>   | Dressage:      | ESA – Ev85 – Test B – 2023                       |
| Class 7 Adults       | Pony Riders    | ESA – PR Ev85 – Test B – 2023                    |
| Class 8 Juniors      | Cross Country: | Dist: 1800 – 2400m; Speed: 455 mpm; Height: .85m |
| Class 9 Pony Riders  | Show Jumping:  | Max Height: .90m; Speed: 325mpm.                 |
| <u>Eventing 95</u>   | Dressage:      | ESA – Ev95 – Test B (Amended.2) – 2023           |
| Class 10 Adults      | Pony Riders    | ESA – PR Ev95 – Test B – 2023                    |
| Class 11 Juniors     | Cross Country: | Dist: 2000 – 2800m; Speed: 475mpm; Height: .95m  |
| Class 12 Pony Riders | Show Jumping:  | Max Height: .1m; Speed: 325mpm.                  |
| <u>CCN1*</u>         | Dressage:      | FEI Eventing 1 star_2022                         |
| Class 13 Adult       | Cross Country: | Dist: 2000 – 3000m; Speed: 500mpm; Height: 1.05m |
| Class 14 Junior      | Show Jumping:  | Max Height: 1.10m; Speed: 350mpm.                |
| <u>CCN2* - S</u>     | Dressage:      | FEI Eventing 2star-B_2022                        |
|                      | Cross Country: | Dist: 2600 – 3120m; Speed: 520mpm; Height: 1.10m |