

COMPETITION SCHEDULE

This schedule is the first draft and subject to change in particular after the results of the entries especial regarding the Team competition

I. DENOMINATION OF THE EVENT:

Event: European Maccabi Equestrian Games

Place: Olympic Park Berlin, Germany Indoor: □ Outdoor: x

Date of competitions: 03-04/08/2015

Nominative Entries: 31/10/2014

HIGHER LEVEL EVENT CATEGORIES:

Dressage – Medium and Advanced Level



II.GENERAL CONDITIONS

This event is organized in accordance with:

- 14th European Maccabi Games Equestrian Rules & Regulations
- 14th European Maccabi Games Basic Regulations and Disciplinary Procedures
- FEI Statutes
- The FEI General Regulations
- FEI Challenge Dressage Rules
- FEI Veterinary Regulations
- FEI Dressage rules
- FEI Equine Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Regulations (EADCMR)
- FEI Anti-Doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA)
- It is the head of delegation's responsibility to ensure their participants are of the correct riding level as requested. Proof of riding level will be requested and verified before the event.



III. THE FEI CODE OF CONDUCT FOR THE WELFARE OF THE HORSE

According to The Fédération Equestre Internationale (FEI) code of conduct the organizers of the EMG events expects all those involved in the 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.

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, farrier and tack, and transportation.

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.

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.

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. The Code is also available on the FEI's website: www.fei.org.



IV. GENERAL INFORMATION

1. ORGANISER

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Contact Details Show Ground:

Address: Olympic Park, Gretel-Bergmann-Weg 2, 14053 Berlin

2. CONTACT PERSON OF THE ORGANISING COMMITTEE, EVENT DIRECTOR AND STABLE MANAGEMENT

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3. OFFICIALS

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FEI ID: 10049285

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6. MEDICAL DOCTOR/MEDICAL SERVICES/Vet-Check:

All competing horses will be examined by a veterinarian accompanied by an official and a steward. The order of medical testing will be appointed through the drawing of the training order.

A Coggins Test for each horse has to be presented upfront the tournament. Horses without Coggins Test are not allowed to enter the EMG Dressage Venue.

To be appointed by the European Maccabi Games 2015 by the training days.

Please contact in any case of need +491712164598

7. FARRIER:

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V. SPECIFIC TECHNICAL CONDITIONS FOR THE STABLES, THE TRAINING AND THE COMPETITIONS

HORSES LEAVING THE OFFICIAL VENUES

FEI Veterinary Regulations 2014 Art 1023.IV.g states Horses still entered in the competition may not leave the designated Event venue during the Period of the Event, unless exceptionally authorised by the Veterinary Commission/Veterinary Delegate.

STABLES SAFETY AND SECURITY

The following security regulations of the Fire Department will need to be obeyed:

| Smoking will be strictly prohibited in the stable area. |
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| Open fires (e.g. camping stoves) will be strictly prohibited, |
| Only the needed amount of feed supplies may be stored in the stables, |
| Open space and entry ways between the stables may not be obstructed by equipment (except normal size trunks), |
| All electrical plugs will be powered by 220 Volts, participants will need to bring adaptors if needed. |

No one will be allowed to stay in the stables overnight due to the local fire ordinance.

Those who disregard the above security regulations may incur a fine and/or other appropriate sanctions.



VI. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1. ORGANISATION

- a. The Equestrian Committee of the 14th European Maccabi Games will be responsible for the Equestrian competitions of the 14th European Maccabi Games.
- b. The Equestrian competitions will be conducted according to the International Equestrian Rules and Regulations (FEI). The English text will be binding.
- c. Participation in the competition is open to any athlete who is in possession of a Participant Card, issued by the Organising Committee of the 14th European Maccabi Games and registered the Equestrian competitions.

2. VENUES & TIMES

a. The organiser of the 14th European Maccabi Games will determine the venues and times of the Equestrian competitions and the competitors will be notified accordingly.

COMPETITION ARENA:

Dimensions: 20 x 60 m

Type of Footing: sand

PRACTICE ARENA:

Dimensions: 20 x 50 m

Type of Footing: sand

<u>Please note:</u> After the place of event has been finally chosen, all necessary information will be communicated to the competitors as soon as possible.

STABLES:

Size of boxes 3 x 3 m



4. SYSTEM OF COMPETITION

- 1. Dressage: Individual competition will be held in, FEI Challenge Medium and Advanced level. One rider of the individual competition can only compete in one riding level. The Team competition will be held in FEI Challenge Medium level. All riders are allowed to compete in the Team competition. All disciplines and level may be changed due to the entries.
- 2. In General competitors are obliged to ride on their own horses. The organiser will be able to offer a limited number of horses to borrow for the event. The amount of borrowed horses is limited to max. 3 per nation.
- 3. On the day before the first competition a fair draw of the borrowed horses for each team or individual Athletes will take place after dividing the horses and riders into different groups by their levels and measurements of both riders and horses. After dividing the groups by expertise, the horses will be divided into groups by the Organizing Committee. The horse groups will then be assigned to the delegation.

The draw takes place in presence of the Chefs d'Equipe and representatives of each team, the athletes, the President or a Member of the Ground Jury. The Horses must be presented and properly identified and must wear the bridle normally used. This same bridle must be used throughout the whole event unless the permission to change is given by the owner.

- 4. The conditions under which the horses are borrowed are clearly stated and will be send to the athletes at least two months before the beginning of competition
- 5. The competitions will be conducted according to FEI regulations.

Requests to change the level to compete in must be submitted to the Sports Director of the Organising Committee of the 14th European Maccabi Games at least 48 hours before the official opening of the European Maccabi Games 2015.

5. OFFICIATING

The Equestrian Committee will select the referees of the competition.

6. GENERAL

These regulations are one part of the complete 14th European Maccabi Games Rules&Regulations, and must be read along with the instructions found in "Basic Regulations and Disciplinary Procedures". In the case of a discrepancy between the regulations written here and those appearing in the "Basic Regulations", the regulations written here will apply and be binding.



VII. TRAINING OF HORSES

1. TRAINING OF OWN HORSES

- 1.1 From arrival until vet check every rider can train his own horse during the usual training hours of the stable considering the rules of the riding club.
- 1.2 It is possible that the showground will not be open before vet check. In that case riders will be able to train the horses in a stable nearby.

2. TRAINING OF BORROWED HORSES

- 2.1 Every Delegation that borrows horses will be assigned to a 45 minute time period. In this time the riders/horses can practice freely.. Ten of the 30 minutes must be ridden in walk. The Steward or a member of the Ground Jury has the supervision for the complete training session.
- 2.2 Borrowed Horses must be ridden with the equipment they are usually worked with and which got presented at the time of the draw. The bit may get changed only with the agreement of the owner. The Ground Jury must be informed about any such changes.

3. IN GENERAL

- 3.1 The training session after the vet check will be divided by countries. Each country will have a certain time slot depending of the quantity of riders/horses.
- 3.2 The exact timetable and conditions for this training will be announced during the drawing.



VIII. PRELIMINARY TIMETABLE FOR THE COMPETITIONS

| | Date | Time |
|---|----------|--------------------------|
| Opening of stables for own horses | 27/07/15 | 8.00 |
| Contact before arriving: Event Manager, Dr. Simone Flemisch +49 171 216 45 98, Email: simoneflemisch@me.com | | |
| Vet-Check for all horses | 02/08/15 | 8.00 |
| Drawing of the borrowed horses and of the starting order | 02/08/15 | 10:30 |
| Technical Meeting (with Equipe-Chefs) | 02/08/15 | Subsequentl y to draw |
| Training session | 02/08/15 | 14.00-19:00 |
| 1. Team Competition (FEI WORLD DRESSAGE CHALLENGE-MEDIUM-TEST) to be ridden from memory | 03/08/15 | 11.00-15:30 |
| Show Volti | 03/08/15 | 15:45-16:15 |
| Flower Ceremony: first to third place will be rewarded with horse-bow | 03/08/15 | 16:30 |
| Clinic with Mr. Hess Show | 03/08/15 | 17:00 |
| 2. Single level I (FEI WORLD DRESSAGE CHALLENGE-MEDIUM-TEST) to be ridden from memory | 04/08/15 | 10:00 |
| 3. Single level II (FEI WORLD DRESSAGE CHALLENGE-ADVANCED-TEST) to be ridden from memory | 04/08/15 | 13:00 |
| Medal Ceremony in Olympic Park, Jahnplatz | 04/08/15 | 16:00 |



IX. TEAMS AND INDIVIDUALS

a. Each participating country may enter up to two teams of min. 3 and max. 4 competitors for the Team competition. Plus max. 4 additional individuals after the team places are fully used. (Max. of 12 riders) The results of the individuals are not counting for the team medals, but are counting for the regular placement. In the case of a country being able to send and to nominate a team, the riders are obliged to ride the Team competition before they are allowed to ride one of the Individual tests.

b. Each participating country may enter up to ten competitors for each of the individual events, in total 20. A competitor has to decide in the entry form in which of the Individual competitions he wants to start (Medium or Advanced). Every rider is only allowed to start in one of the Individual Competitions.

The Team members have to be nominated by the Chefs d'Equipe at the latest 90 minutes after the end of the training session.

In a team composed of four Athletes the three best scores only count for the team result.

INDIVIDUAL ATHLETES INSTEAD OF A TEAM

A Country,

which cannot send a team (at least 3 athletes/horses), may send a maximum of two (2) individual Athletes with one (1) Horse each. Those riders are allowed to start also in the Team Competition as an Individual Athlete. The results of the Individuals are not counting for the team medals but are counting for the regular placement.

One Horse per Athlete. Athletes are admitted according to Art. 420.6.3.1

- Horses are admitted according to Art. 422.1.4.
- c. In each category, there must be a minimum of three competitors.



REQUIREMENTS

Team Competition (FEI WORLD DRESSAGE CHALLENGE-MEDIUM-TEST) to be ridden from memory.

SCORING METHOD

According to Art. 432-434 and 452.

The winning team is the one having the highest total points for their three best Athletes; he second placed team is the one with the next highest total and so on.

In case of equality of points of the three counting riders the winning team is the team with the higher result of the best team member.

STARTING ORDER

By ordinary draw according to Art 425. The order of starting for the teams and individual Athletes is according to draw.

The Chef d'Equipe of each team determines the starting order of team members within his team.



INDIVIDUAL COMPETITION (FEI WORLD DRESSAGE CHALLENGE-MEDIUM-TEST) AND (FEI WORLD DRESSAGE CHALLENGE-ADVANCED-TEST) to be ridden from memory

There will be two Competitions for Individuals:

FEI WORLD DRESSAGE CHALLENGE-MEDIUM-TEST
FEI WORLD DRESSAGE CHALLENGE-ADVANCED-TEST

SCORING METHOD

According to Art. 432-434 and 452.

The winning individual is the one having the highest total points.

The second placed individual is the one with the next highest total and so on.

In case of equality of points the rider with the higher points in the collective marks is winning.

STARTING ORDER

By ordinary draw according to Art 425.

The order of starting for the teams and individual Athletes is according to draw.

PRIZE MONEY

There will be no prize money to win.

TEAM PLACINGS

Up to 30% of the total of started riders will be placed. Horse Bows given only for the Teams placed 1st to 3rd



INDIVIDUAL PLACINGS

FEI WORLD DRESSAGE CHALLENGE-MEDIUM-TEST

Up to 30% of the total of started riders will be placed. Medals for the Athletes placed 1st to 3rd.

FEI WORLD DRESSAGE CHALLENGE-ADVANCED-TEST)

Up to 30% of the riders will be placed.

Medals for the Athletes placed 1st to 3r

- Flowerceremony?

All placed competitors and medalists are obliged to take part in the official price giving ceremonies. The owners of the winning horses are invited to attend the prize Flowerceremony.



X. ADVERTISING AND PUBLICITY ON ATHLETES AND HORSES AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

By handing in the entries, each owner, each person responsible for the event submits to the General and Special Regulations valid for the event and to the orders of the show direction.

1. ADVERTISING AND PUBLICITY ON ATHLETES AND HORSES

The athletes are authorised to carry the logo of their personal sponsor in accordance with Art. 135.1-2. The Chief Steward will check that the advertising and publicity on athletes and horses complies with Article 135 of the General Regulations.

2. INSURANCES

All owners and athletes are personally responsible for damages to third parties caused by themselves, their employees, their agents or their horses. They are therefore strongly advised to take out third-party insurance providing full coverage for participation in equestrian events at home and abroad, and to keep the policy up to date.

3. ENTRY RIGHT TO SHOWGROUNDS

STABLE ACCESS

Stable access acc. to VR Art. 1023.VI.

ACCREDITED PERSONS:

Athletes: 1

Companion: 1

Groom: 1

Horse Owner: 2 (acc. to Horse-Passport)



4. EVENT'S ORGANISATION

In exceptional circumstances, together with the approval of the Delegate of the NF GER and Ground Jury the OC reserves the right to modify the schedule in order to clarify any matter or matters arising from an omission or due to unforeseen circumstances. Unforeseen circumstances do not include situations arising as a results of the OC altering the approved Schedule without FEI's authorisation. Any of 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. DISPUTES

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

6. EQUIPMENT REQUESTED

Horse equipment: Riders receive the borrowed horse with the horse's personal equipment. Grooming Equipment: Each borrowed horse receives his personal grooming equipment. The foreign riders have the responsibility to take care for the horse equipment and to give it all back the way he received it.

7. DRESS

1. Protective Headgear and top hat/bowler:

As a general rule Protective Headgear* has to be worn by all Athletes (as well as any other person) at all times when mounted and is recommended to be worn by the person presenting the Horse in a Horse Inspection.

Any Athlete (as well as any other person) violating this provision must immediately be prohibited from further riding until the Protective Headgear is properly in place.

Note*: Protective Headgear is defined in Appendix A in the GRs.

A black or dark blue riding jacket or tail coat or other dark colours may be worn. Contrast colouring and piping is allowed.

Protective Headgear or top hat/bowler**

Breeche, Stock or tie, Gloves, Riding boots, Spurs.



Carrying a whip during the test is allowed.

Earphones and/or other electronic communication devices are strictly prohibited at the Dressage competition whilst competing, and such usage is penalised by elimination. Earphones or similar devices are however permitted during training and warm-up.

XI. VETERINARY MATTERS

1. VETERINARY REGULATIONS (VRs), 13th edition, effective 1st January 2014 Customs and veterinary fees will not be taken over.

2. HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

GENERAL

In accordance with the FEI Code of Conduct it is imperative that all horses at FEI events are physically fit and free from infectious disease before being allowed to compete.

A Coggins Test has to be presented before the horses arrival at the EMG2015.

3. ENTRY OF HORSES IMPORTANT PLEASE SEE THE ANNEXED DOCUMENTS

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: in case of arrival from a EU-member-country, including Germany, a certificate for registered horses acc. to sample of Annex B to Reglements 90/426 (see annex Vet. I) of the actual valid form will be necessary.

b) in case of arrival from a country not belonging to the EU, a health certificate for registered horses acc. to sample of annex II (see Annex Vet. II) of the decision of the commission 92/260 of the actual valid form will be necessary.

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.

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.

c) A Coggins Test has to be presented before the horses arrival at the EMG2015.

4. NATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

• German Animal Welfare Act (Tierschutzgesetz):

 $www.gesetze\hbox{-}im\hbox{-}internet.de/bundesrecht/tierschg/gesamt.pdf$

• German Law concerning Manufacture and Distribution of Medicines (Arzneimittelgesetz)

www.gesetze-im-internet.de/bundesrecht/amg_1976/gesamt.pdf

• German Law Governing Epidemic Diseases (Tierseuchengesetz):

www.gesetze-im-internet.de/bundesrecht/viehseuchg/gesamt.pdf

• German Regulation for Animal-Welfare during Transport (Tierschutztransportverordnung)

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

5. TRANSPORT OF HORSES

Horses must be fit to travel and be transported in vehicles suitable for the transport of horses. Any government requirements for disease testing and control must be requested well in advance, and the Horse be in compliance by the time of arrival at the border of the country where the Event is taking place. Athletes, or their representatives, have a responsibility to be in compliance of national legislation in both the country of origin, return, 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. Within the European Union (EU), this includes EU Council Regulation (EC) No 1/2005 concerning the protection of animals during transport within the Member States of the EU.



6. PASSPORTS

All Athletes are required to carry all neccessary documents which allow travelling for the horse including passports, vaccination documents respecting the laws and rules in Germany.

7. VACCINATIONS - EQUINE INFLUENZA

2014 Veterinary Regulations Article 1028

Horses competing must comply with the requirements for Equine Influenza vaccination in accordance with the Veterinary Regulations and as summarised below

8. EXAMINATION ON ARRIVAL

2014 Veterinary Regulations Article 1032

On arrival at an Event venue all Horses must undergo an examination by a veterinarian to confirm their identification from their passport, their vaccination status and general health. To protect all horses attending events, any Horse with a questionable health status, with regards to vaccination, disease or other concerns, must be stabled within the isolation facilities provided by the Organising Committee pending a decision on entering the venue.

9. HORSE INSPECTIONS

2014 Veterinary Regulations Article 1033

All Horses will be assessed for their orthopaedic 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 not to compete will be eliminated by the Ground Jury and not be permitted to continue in the competition.



| VACCINATION | PROTOCOL | ELIGIBILITY TO ENTER |
|-------------------|---|--|
| Primary Course | 1 st Vaccination: day 0 (e.g. 1 January) 2 nd Vaccination: day 21-92 (e.g. 1 February) | May compete 7 days after the Nd 2 Vaccination |
| First Booster | Within 7 months of the 2 vaccination of the Primary Course (e.g. 1 August) | May compete for 6 months +21 days after the 2 vaccination of the Primary Course Must not compete in the 7 days after receiving a vaccination (e.g. may enter venue after 7 August) |
| Boosters | MINIMUM: within one year of previous booster vaccination IF COMPETING: must be competing in the 6 months +21 days of the previous booster vaccination | Must have been vaccinated with the 6 months +21 days before arriving at the Event Must not compete in the 7 days after receiving a vaccination |



10. LIMB SENSITIVITY EXAMINATION

All Horses competing at the Event are subject throughout the Period of the Event to Examination under Article 1034 of the Veterinary Regulations, the Limb Sensitivity Protocol. The objectives of the Protocol are to: (i) safeguard the welfare of the horse, according to the principles outlined in the Code of Conduct for the Horse, and (ii) to ensure a level playing field for all Athletes. Horses are not eligible to compete when a limb, or part of a limb, is hyposensitive or hypersensitive. Hypersensitive limbs have an excessive or abnormal reaction to palpation. Hyposensitive limbs include any alteration in sensitivity induced by a neurectomy or chemical desensitisation for as long as the alteration in sensitivity persists.

Horses may be examined under the Protocol at any time during the Period of the Event, including, but not limited andthey may be examined once or on multiple occasi ons. All Horses selected to be

tested must submit promptly to the Examination or are subject to immediate There is no obligation to examine any specific number of Horses during the Event.

11. EQUINE ANTI-DOPING AND CONTROLLED MEDICATION

2013 Veterinary Regulations, Chapter VI

12. EQUINE ANTI-DOPING AND CONTROLLED MEDICATION PROGRAMME (EADCMP)

13. SAMPLING

All horses competing at EMG Events may be subject to sampling for the presence of FEI Equine Prohibited Substances in accordance with the FEI Equine Anti-Doping and Controlled

Medication Regulations (EADCMRs). Horses may be selected for sampling in accordance with obligatory testing, targeted or random sampling procedures (2013 Veterinary Regulations Article 1058).



14. CLEAN SPORT INFORMATION

The current FEI Equine Prohibited Substances List of Banned Substances and Controlled Medications is available on the FEI Clean Sport website: www.FEICleanSport.org as a PDF document, database or smart phone app. Detection times are also provided for a limited number of Controlled Medication substances where available.

Elective Testing may be carried out, by Competitors for their Horses, prior to an Event to check for the presence of prohibited substances (please refer to www.FEI.org/veterinary for information and details).

15. FEI LABORATORY FOR SAMPLE ANALYSIS

GROUPS I & II ONLY – FEI CENTRAL LABORATORY

Under Veterinary Regulations Chapter VI, Article 1057 all samples collected in Group I and II, must be analysed by the FEI Central Laboratory, currently Horseracing Forensic Laboratories (H.F.L) Sport Science, Quotient Bioresearch Limited Newmarket Road Fordham, Cambridgeshire CB7 5WW.



XII. ENTRIES

IMPORTANT

PROCESS OF REGISTRATION

Due date: 31.10.2014

1. Entry Form 2

The National Maccabi Federation announce the number of athletes for each of the EMG2015 sports competitions (including Dressage) by sending Entry Form 2 to the European Maccabi Confederation and to the EMG2015 Organising Committee. Interested riders have get in touch with their National Maccabi Federation.

Due Date: 24.6.2015

The Entry forms on the following pages must be filled out and send to the EMG2015 Organising Committee:

Makkabi Deutschland, Schöneberger Straße 18, 10963 Berlin alexander.sobotta@emg2015.org

- 2. Athlete's Details
- 3. Appendix A signed for riders that borrow horses.

Please note: Riders, who consider borrowing a horse, should please always keep the Organising Committee informed about their considerations. Formless via Email to alexander.sobotta@emg2015.org. Final decision has to be made by 30.6.2015. Pre information about the considerations of borrowing a horse will be very helpful for the Organising Committee.

Due Date: at arrival

4. Appendix B or Anhang B