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CH-M-YR-J-E/C.E.I. ****

FEI Juniors Young Riders World Championship 2003

120 km.

**Centro Equestre Federale
PRATONI DEL VIVARO
ROCCA DI PAPA (RM)**

SCHEDULE -
Approved by the FEI on 29/07/2003

1. GENERAL INFORMATION

a. DENOMINATION OF THE EVENT

Status:CH-M-YR-J-E/CEI **** - (FEI - Juniors and Young Riders
World Championship 2003)- 120 km

Place: Centro Equestre Federale

Pratoni del Vivaro

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fax: +39-06 94436492

Country : Italy

Dates : 26-27 September 2003

b. ORGANISING COMMITTEE

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Roberto CARDONA

Federico DI MATTEO

Federico FORCELLONI

Marco TOMASSETTI

Secretary: **Settore Grandi Eventi - F.I.S.E.**

Event director: **Mr. Corrado Tiziano**

Press contact: F.I.S.E. - Luca PAPARELLI

Logistics: Alessandro AMMI RAGLIA

2. OFFICIALS

a. GROUND JURY

President: Maurizio STECCO (I TA)
Members: Jean-Charles DEMEYERE (BEL)
Albert DOLLINGER (SUI)
Gabriella BOSCO (I TA)

FOREIGN TECHNICAL DELEGATE

James BRYANT (CAN)

b. APPEAL COMMITTEE

President: Eef SCHREURS (NED)
Members: 1. Pietro MONETA (I TA)
2. Ewa SZARSKA (POL)

c. CHIEF STEWARD

Amilcare MONTEGGIA (SUI)
STEWARDS : Pierluigi BIFFI
Patrizia CI ANFERONI
Flavio PICCOLI
Alessandra FRIDEL
Gulshan ANTI VALLE
Raffaele CICCARELLI

d. VETERINARY COMMISSION /DELEGATE

President: Vito RICCI (I TA)
FEI Foreign Veterinary Delegate : Hallvard SOMMERSETH (NOR)

Associate members: (proposed)
Antonia MOTA (POR)
Philippe SEGUIN (FRA)
Jean-Marc LAMOLLE (BEL)
Daniele GAGLIARDI (I TA)
Stefano DANERI (I TA)
Roberto BONA (I TA)
Pietro ZIANTONI (I TA)

Number of phases: 4

800.2

Sections of the competition:

Phase 1- km 30 into a hold of 40 minutes

Phase 2- km 30 into a hold of 40 minutes

Phase 3- km 30 into a hold of 40 minutes

Phase 4- km 30 FINAL

831.3.1

4.3 HEART RATES :

At each Vet. Check the pulse rate must not exceed **60** after 20 minutes recovery time. **(CEI ****)**

4.4 WEIGHT: No minimum weight.

4.5 Place And Time Of Start : Centro Equestre Federale at 6.00 a.m.

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4.6 Logos: allowed

4.7 Dress code and protective headgear: see Art.817

4.8 Saddlery and equipment: see Art. 818

5. INVITATIONS

120

5.1

Number of countries invited in total : all eligible N.F's , providing entries in principle have reached the Organizing Committee before 18th august 2003

Number of competitors per country: 6

Number of horses per country: 6+2 reserve horses

Host country: 12+2 reserve horses

6. CLOSING DATES OF ENTRIES

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6.1 NOTE:

Only horses and competitors entered through their National Federation on due time, holding the proof that they comply with the Qualification

Procedure specified below, and having paid their entry fee, will be allowed to participate in this World Championship. Organising Committee may not accept any entry that does not comply with the above conditions.

QUALIFICATION PROCEDURE FOR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP YOUNG RIDERS AND JUNIORS For Juniors and Young Riders Championships, and all other Four Star rides the horse and rider, not necessarily as a combination, must have completed a ride of a similar distance as the Championship or Four star ride as of 1st January during the two years prior to the closing date for the nominated entries of the event. However, in exceptional cases, the Endurance Committee may accept different qualification standards.

Riders: Competitors may take part in competitions or Championships for Juniors and Young Riders from the beginning of the year they reach the age of 14 until the end of the year they reach the age of 21 .

Horses: To participate in Championships, horses must be at least 7 years old.

Passports: All horses must have a valid FEI Passport

6.2 SCHEDULE OF SUBMISSION:

- 121 6.2.1 Entries in Principle: 18 August 2003
- 121 6.2.2 Nominated Entries: 5 September 2003
- 121 6.2.3 Definite Entries: 19 September 2003
- 6.2.4 Declaration of starters and teams: 1 hour after closing of first vet inspection
- 6.2.5 Substitutions: as per Art. 828.3, and in particular 828.3.3

7. EXPENSES & PRIVILEGES

7.1 COMPETITORS / CHEFS D'EQUIPE

The O.C. will provide free camping area (tents available if required) and food for the period 25-28/Sept-03 for Competitors, Chefs d'Equipe, Team Vets and one Groom per competing horse.

The O.C. will provide a list of hotels for those who wish to have this kind of accommodation.

7.2 GROOMS: see above

7.3 HORSES

The O.C. will provide cost free stabling for the period 25-28/Sept-03 in the official stabling area.

However, stabling facilities will be available since 5-September -2003 at the rates of 10 € per day per horse.

8. ENTRY FEE

An entry-inscription fee of 400 Euro per horse/competitor to be paid upon arrival.

9. GENERAL CLASSIFICATION

9.1 Individuals: The winning individual is the first horse and competitor to cross the finish line, after passing all veterinary inspections.

Teams: The winning team has the best time after adding the final times of the three highest placed competitors, after passing all veterinary inspections. In the event of a tie, the winning team will be that whose third competitor has the lowest time. If only two members of one or more teams are classified, these teams shall be placed in order after all teams with three classified members

Best condition: prizes will be awarded to the 3 horses judged in Best Condition after the ride.

9.2 Awards

There will be an award for all competitors who complete the ride

However, the following prizes in kind are scheduled :

Individual Competition:

First classified: Golden Shaped Medal

Second classified: Silver Shaped Medal

Third classified: Bronze Shaped Medal

Team Competition:

First classified team: Golden Shaped Medal for each Team Member

Second classified team: Silver Shaped Medal for each Team Member

Third classified team: Bronze Shaped Medal for each Team Member

1011 **10. VETERINARY MATTERS**

831.1 **10.1. VETERINARY EXAMINATION**

Date: upon arrival from 23/09/03

831.2 **10.2. FIRST INSPECTION**

831.3 Date: 26/09/03

831.4 Time :10:00 am

831.5

831.6 831.5 **10.3 FINAL INSPECTION**

Date: 27/09/03

time: within 20 minutes after finish

10.4 BEST CONDITION INSPECTION :

Date: 28/09/03

Time: 10:00 a.m.

10.5 Pre-departure control:

Date : 28/09/03

From 9 a.m.

1004.2 **10.6. VETERINARY ASPECTS**

VETERINARY ASPECTS "A"

VETERINARY REGULATIONS, 9th Edition, 1st January 2002

VETERINARY EXAMINATIONS, INSPECTIONS AND PASSPORT CONTROLS

These will be carried out in accordance with Vet. Regs. Art. 1011; Rules for Endurance Riding Events Art. 831.

General Regulations 20 Edition, effective 1st January 2000, revised April 2001, will apply :

Art. 139.1

Every horse entered for any competition at CNs or CIMs (see Appendix D) in a foreign country, and all horses entered for other CIs, CIOs, Championships, Regional and Olympic Games, whether at home or in foreign countries, must have an official,

valid FEI Passport, or a National Passport approved by the FEI accompanied by an FEI Recognition Card, as a means of identification and to establish ownership.

Art. 139.2

Horses taking part in CNs and CIMs (see Appendix D) in their own country are not required to have such a passport as is mentioned in paragraph 1. All such horses must be properly registered and identifiable by diagram. Unless there is no national requirement for equine influenza vaccination in the host country and in the country of origin all horses must have a valid vaccination certificate.

EQUINE INFLUENZA VACCINATION, VET. REGS. APPENDIX VI (except events taking place in NZL & AUS)

All horses and ponies for which an FEI Passport, or a National Passport approved by the FEI has been issued, must have the vaccination section endorsed by a veterinarian, stating that it has received two injections for primary vaccination against equine influenza, given no less than 21 days and no more than 92 days apart. In addition, a booster injection must be recorded as having been given within each succeeding 12 months, subsequent to the second injection of the primary vaccination. None of these injections must have been given within the preceding 7 days including the day of the competition or of entry into the competition stables.

The above are the minimum requirements for influenza vaccination. Both primary and first and subsequent booster injections should be given according to the manufacturer's instructions which will fall within the stipulation of the FEI ruling. In many cases booster injections are recommended by the manufacturers and by National Veterinary Authorities/Regulatory Authorities at intervals more frequent than 12 months. The FEI Veterinary Committee strongly recommends booster vaccinations every 6 months.

SAMPLING FOR PROHIBITED SUBSTANCES (Vet. Regs. Chapter V & VI and Annex III)

Regular sampling is carried out in CCI^{***}/^{****}, CSI s (Category A), CIOs, World Cup Qualifiers and Finals, Championships and Games, whereas at other CIs sampling is recommended. In CICs^{***}/^{****}, the number of horses tested is at the discretion of the Testing Veterinarian/Veterinary Delegate; however, a minimum of three is recommended (Vet. Regs. Art.. 1016)

Special guidelines are applicable for events covered by the FEI Medication Control Programme (Groups I & II only).

MEDICATION CONTROL PROGRAMME (GROUP I & II ONLY)

The Organising Committees of FEI events within Groups I & II are advised to charge competitors the equivalent of CHF 12.50 per horse per event as a contribution towards the costs of the MCP programme.

VETERINARY ASPECTS "B"

WHEN RETURNING THE DRAFT SCHEDULE TO THE FEI, PLEASE SUPPLY THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

1. HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ENTRY OF HORSES

Details on compulsory health tests and, where applicable, quarantine, etc. PLEASE APPEND SPECIMEN IMPORT LICENCES WHICH WILL BE APPLIED TO HORSES ATTENDING THIS EVENT.

2. CUSTOMS FACILITIES

Details of required customs documents, border crossing points, times of opening and customs agencies.

NFs holding an international event in their country should inform their National Veterinary Authority and their Customs Authority at least four weeks beforehand. They should request every facility to assist the movement of horses accompanied by FEI Passports, and the necessary veterinary certification at frontier crossing points into and out of their countries. (Vet. Regs. Art. 1004.2)

Name of the horse transport company representing the OC:

Full address: Tast Cavalli

Via Ippodromo, 9

20151 MILANO

Tel. : ++39-023082405

Telefax : ++39-02-33400900

e-mail : staff@tast.it

3. APPROVED LABORATORY

Details of FEI Approved Laboratory appointed to carry out analyses on samples collected at this event. (Vet. Regs. Art. 1022 and Annex X).

See below

APPROVED LABORATORY - APPLICABLE ONLY TO GROUPS I & II (WESTERN EUROPE)

Under the Medication Control Program (MCP) in Groups I and II (Western Europe), all samples collected in accordance with VR Art. 1017.1 will be analysed by the L.A.B. Fédération Nationale des Courses Francaises, Chatenay Malabry, FRA. For events other than those listed in VR Art. 1017.1 or for events other than in Groups I and II, samples may be analysed at an alternative approved laboratory (VR Art. 1022 and Annex X).

11. MISCELLANEOUS

11.1 COMPLAINTS (Art. 168 - 171)

All complaints to be valid must be made in writing and accompanied by a deposit of CHF 150.-- or equivalent.

11.2 GENERAL CLASSIFICATION AT THE END OF THE COMPETITONS

Apart from the prizes established in article 9 above, there will be an special trophy for the three "Best Conditioned Horses" classified after the Championship.

11.3 TREATING VETERINARIAN, DOCTOR, FARRIER

Treating Veterinarian: TBA

Medical services: TBA

Farrier: TBA

11.4 INSURANCES

All owners and competitors 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.

11.5 EVENT'S ORGANISATION - (Art. 114 + 115)

In exceptional circumstances, together with the approval of Chefs d'Equipe and Ground Jury the OC reserves the right to modify the schedule in order to clarify any matters or matters arising from an omission or due to unforeseen circumstances. Any such changes must be notified to all competitors and officials as soon as possible and they must be reported to the Secretary General by the Foreign Judge.

11.6 RESULTS

Results including the amount of prize money awarded (if any) or the value of the prizes in kind must be sent to the FEI within one week following the event using the standard results sheet. The horses passport, name and nationality of the horses owner must also be included with the results.

11.7 ADDITIONAL STRUCTURES

It will be possible for foreign teams to organise rest areas (tents, gazebos, etc.) in locations assigned by the O.C. Price for occupying these areas will be € 125,00/sq.mt.

TIME-TABLE

A detailed time-table will be attached to the approved programme

STABLE SECURITY/STEWARDING AT INTERNATIONAL EVENTS

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS TO ENSURE IMPLEMENTATION OF VRs ART. 1005.2.5

1. ACCESS TO STABLE AREA

The stable area must be completely enclosed within a suitably restrictive perimeter (stable area) which will act both as a deterrent to the admission of unauthorised persons and to the exit of horses. The area must be sufficiently large to allow horses to be evacuated from the stables in an emergency but still remain within the confines of the perimeter.

Whenever possible the stable area must include only stables; lorries, caravans, etc., should not be permitted within the area unless specifically needed as accommodation for horses and/or grooms.

Access to stables must be limited to those persons indicated in VRs Art. 1005.2.5. It is essential that the official issuing authorised access be a responsible person of seniority within the Organising Committee.

2. CONTROL OF ACCESS

A control system must operate at all entrance gates so that there is an efficient and reliable method of identifying those who enter and leave the stable area at any time.

Extra vigilance must be used in establishing the identity of persons and reasons for entering the stables during the night.

3. STEWARDING OF STABLE AREA

At least one stable steward, directly responsible to the Chief Steward, must be present or readily available in the vicinity of the stable area 24 hours a day during the entire duration of the event. He may be assisted by deputies as required. The steward/deputies must regularly patrol the stable area, without establishing any predetermined pattern, to discourage any form of illegal

practices or abuses to horses. Any misdemeanours must be reported immediately to the stable steward who must, in turn, report to the Chief Steward.

The duty of the stewards is therefore to safeguard the welfare of the horses and to prevent any form of illegal practice

STABLE SECURITY/STEWARDING AT INTERNATIONAL EVENTS

4. GROOMS

It is appreciated that grooms wish to remain with their horses during the night. Only grooms duly registered with the OC are permitted to do so.

The Person Responsible must ensure that his/her grooms, or any other authorised persons with access to his/her horses, are familiar with the security and stewarding procedures operating at the event attended.

5. MOVEMENT THROUGHOUT EVENT GROUNDS

Movement of horses between the stables, practice, grazing and main arena must be strictly controlled.

6. STEWARDING OF PRACTICE ARENA

The Chief Steward must ensure that all practice arenas are adequately stewarded all the time that they are officially open. He must also ensure that these arenas are subject to random control when they are officially closed.

7. GRAZING AREA

It is recommended that a grazing area be provided at all outdoor events, and that this be subject to random control. If available, horses must only be grazed or walked in hand within this area.

The Foreign Judge/TD at events will be specifically asked to check that the relevant requirements are met as reasonably as can be expected, depending on the discipline, and to indicate clearly any shortfalls, following which consideration may be given to altering the category of the event in future.

**THE FEI 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 competitors 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.***

NOTICE FOR ALL INTERNATIONAL EVENTS

Any competitions other than those covered in the Rules for Endurance Riding must be approved by the FEI before they may be added to the schedule.

Schedules for CEIs-*//***/****, CEIOs and Championships are approved by the FEI.**

Schedules for these events must be sent to the FEI Secretariat for approval by the NF concerned, latest 16 weeks before the event is due to take place.

Definite schedules must be sent to the FEI Secretariat by the NFs concerned 4 weeks before the event takes place.

Final approval of this draft schedule by the FEI, in accordance with Art. 115.1, denotes only that the contents conform to the FEI Statutes, General Regulations and Rules. By no means does this entail implicit acceptance of any liability of the FEI for any damages to third parties caused by the Organising Committee and its officials, riders, drivers, owners, and their horses.

The following must be printed in the definite schedule:

Approved by the FEI under the conditions, corrections made above.

Date _____

Signature_____

Michael Stone
Assistant Secretary General