



SHOW HORSE
AUSTRALIA

Administrator Appointed

Equestrian Australia Show Horse Committee: UPDATE

Microsoft TEAMS Meeting held 15 December 2020

Below is a summary of proceedings at the recent EASHC for EA member information

MEETING DISCUSSION

Opening and Welcome:

SA Delegate was an apology with SA Alternate Representative standing in, all other State delegates in attendance.

Ex-Officio attendance by EA Acting CEO – Andrew Hamilton who will Chair the Australian Championship tender discussion and vote.

Conflict of Interest:

Received by Victorian and NSW delegates in relation to discussion on Hosting upcoming Australian Championships. These delegates will not be included in the review or vote

Australian Championships

- **2022-24 Events**

EOI tender policy for the 3-year period 2022-2024 was advertised with two tenders received by EA from VIC and NSW by the due date 20th November.

Both States put excellent proposals forward with some new initiatives that EASHC members felt bode well for Show Horse's future events.

Andrew Hamilton congratulated the voting Committee members on the robust and respectful conversation that was held prior to the vote. It was resolved that the 2022-24 Australasian Show Horse & Rider Championships will be hosted by NSW at Sydney International Equestrian Centre.

EASHC congratulate NSW and look forward to the events, offering the OC assistance if required.

- **2020-21 Events**

Following the cancellation of the 2020 event, it was decided that the cost to competitors, concerns with 2020 qualifying as well as time away from home and business, and burdens on officials negated the possibility of holding the 2020-21 Nationals back to back.

EASHC recommend that EVIC combine the 2020 and 2021 event. Consequences to the rules and other qualifying considerations will be discussed at the first meeting of EASHC for 2021.

Burdens on OC due to COVID-19

EASHC acknowledge many OC are holding considerable expense burdens not limited to airfare credits due to Officials not able to travel due to border closures. Motion carried that should a Judge be unable to complete State or HOTY appointment, and whenever flights have been paid for a Judge and not utilised, a State may, if the Judge is still eligible, invite the Judge back the following year.

FEI Veterinary Regulation 2021 – Horses sensory hairs

Capacity to discuss this topic at this meeting due to time was nil. To be added to next meetings agenda, with State Delegates asked to review prior for discussion.

Next meeting proposed: 23 February 2021.

Agenda items due: 7 February 2021 (contact di.saunders@equestrian.org.au)