



Equestrian Australia Endurance Committee - UPDATE

Meeting held: Tuesday 26th May 2020

Below is a summary of proceedings at the recent EAEC meeting

MEETING DISCUSSION

Opening and Welcome:

Chair welcomed all the attendees and thanked them for their valuable time. Apologies received from Robyn Parnell

COVID-19: Risk Management for OC

2020 FEI Ride Events proposed for scheduling are Sussex Inlet and Bullio Cup.

Noted that EA National Safety Officer to release document around June 11:

Guideline – Resuming Equestrian Training and Competition Activities in a COVID-19 Environment.

FEI 1*

The new rules will be implemented from 1st July 2020.

2020 Team Camp

Following the success of the inaugural 2019 camp held alongside the Bullio Cup, this event will be again be scheduled this year. Due to the workload, consideration will need to be given to engage a person to coordinate/organise.

Athlete Representative

Committee are very appreciative of the support from State Endurance Clubs and AERA in sharing the EOI on their social media channels. Four high calibre applications have been received, bringing a range of Endurance knowledge including Committee experience up to International competition experience. Naomi Shaughnessy has been voted the Endurance Athlete Representative for 2020-1..

Regional Championship

A proposal for an Oceania type ride will be investigated, with EA High Performance advice sought initially on concept. Vision is to hold this event in 2022 or 2023.

Trans-Tasman 2021

It is Australia's turn to host this bi-annual event. Planning will commence shortly to enable planning and consideration of "loan" horses.

Endurance Pathway – Grassroots to FEI

- Mapping to commence
- Squads to be incorporated
- Rides to support pathway important.