



## MEETING SUMMARY

### Equestrian Australia Ltd.

### VAULTING COMMITTEE

The following items were discussed at the meeting of the Equestrian Australia Vaulting Committee held on 16/03/2018.

#### **Agenda Items**

Welcomed new committee members Jenny Scott and Jane Beaverstock to the EAVC committee.

- Darryn Fedrick elected as Chairperson of the EA Vaulting Committee
- The EAVC decided that an EOI would be sent out again to fill the vacant position on the EAVC
- **Updating of the EA vaulting webpage:**
  - The committee discussed that the EA web page needs to be updated it was agreed that Jenny Denby would be asked to assist in supplying the details of past Champions to be placed on to the webpage as a record of our history of the sport. These details to be supplied to the EA to place on our webpage.
  - As lungers are no longer required to hold a EA Lungers accreditation to take part in competition, Lungers are deemed to be competitors and not officials, that Di Saunders (EA) would be notified to remove the Lunger status from the EA website
  - The EAVC have instructed EA to remove all outdated score sheets, systems and forms to be replaced by the new agreed upon version which EA have been supplied and requested to put up on the webpage. Please note that all OC's are now required to contact a member of the scorers group to organise score sheets and scoring systems for their competition. This will be reviewed after 12 months.
  - OC's to please note that all results are to be sent to Doug Denby as the "Score Archivist" and the EA branches and State Vaulting committees. EAVC are following up with the EA about placing results on the "Nominate"/EA Database for Vaulting
- **A Coaches accreditation:**
  - EAVC discussed the difficulty that some experienced coaches who have done FEI coach's course and the quick assessment of prior learning and skills. These people need to contact a Coach Educator to organise the possibility of fast tracking or maybe request State Vaulting committees to assist in organising assessment days.
- **Communication with State Vaulting committees:**
  - EAVC requested from all vaulting state committees an update on how vaulting was progressing in each state. EAVC would like to thank the Qld and SA vaulting committees for their updates, we received quick verbal updates from Jenny Scott (NSW) and Jane Beaverstock (WA). The EAVC discussed the reports. The EAVC feel that it is very important that we continue to develop a sharing of information between states and the EAVC
  - The Chair of the EAVC sent an invitation to VNSW to send a representative to attend lunch and a 1-hour meeting with the EVCA. Unfortunately, this time NSW did not send a representative to meet with the EAVC for various reasons. It was felt that this invitation would be offered again in

the future to the other state vaulting committees, depending on the location of the EAVC meeting.

- The chair of the EAVC is still looking at the budget to see if possible to organise a meeting with all of the State Vaulting Chairs in the future. More details to follow but require the state committee's assistance with airfares and accommodation requirements for their respective chairs.

- **HP Programmes:**

EAVC would encourage all vaulters to take part in any HP development programs that are offered by the state EA HP programs, even if not vaulting specific. EAVC will be putting out an EOI for the position of a Vaulting HP coordinator to assist the state-vaulting committees with sourcing grants and facilitate communication between states about HP programs. Details for this position will be made public soon.

- **Horse Development class:**

EAVC supported the trial of the new "Horse Development Class" proposed by the Judges group as a replacement for the "Green Horse Class". This class will be offered for inclusion in schedules as of the 16<sup>th</sup> March. Details about this class have already been made public.

- **Club Insurance Matrix:**

EAVC received many concerns about the club insurance. It was discussed and found that there were several differing ways that vaulting clubs had addressed the insurance issues. There seemed to be confusion about information coming from the Insurance company and EA. It was decided by the EAVC to assist Vaulting clubs with the club insurance issue that Tony Richardson (SA Vaulting Chair) be appointed as the EAVC communication person on behalf of the committee and the State vaulting committees. So if any club or State vaulting committee have any concerns please contact Tony Richardson with these concerns. EAVC will be organising a Teleconference between Tony and the Gow Gates representative and an EA representative to gain clear information about Vaulting Club Insurance in the near future.

- **WEG Update:**

Michelle Graham Australian Team Manager provided the EAVC an update on the WEG.

At this time, we have only 1 Male Individual Jamie Hocking, 3 Females Individuals Sarah Grayson, Ruth Skeptic, Steff Doore named on the Short list for WEG. Tristyn Lowe has been announced as the WEG Vaulting Chef. The EAVC would like to congratulate these people and wish them all success in achieving their goals.

- **Australian Championships 2018:**

We are pleased to support the OC Sydney vaulting group and the Southern Highlands Vaulting group in hosting the Australian National Champions 2018. The Nationals will be run in conjunction with the Southern Cross CVI at K Ranch Mount Hunter on 4<sup>th</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup> October. Schedule should be made public soon once final approval from the EAVC has been made.

Yours Faithfully,

Darryn Fedrick  
Chair, EA Vaulting Committee