



COROFINO II

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Young Horse Show Update

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For the National Young Horse S) Championship Committee

Entries close this Friday ... Friday ... Friday!

Is that loud and clear? ☺ Friday, 14th January is the deadline for entries to the show. Entries will be accepted by email before then PROVIDED you have direct credited the amount owing by 14th January as well. Entries postmarked or emailed after 14th will automatically be charged 25% extra.

The bank account for direct crediting entries is

Kiwibank
NZ Breeders Show
38-9008-0801137-01

NZIP Papers & points to date

Please ensure that the full 3 generation pedigree of your horse is filled out BEFORE the show. That is the inside front page of the papers – not just the sire, dam and grandsire on the Identification page!

Contact the breeder or have a look on the internet - there are many free sources of information on sire lines in particular. You can sign up and search for TB bloodlines on www.racing.co.nz. In short, there is no reason to have a blank pedigree on your page if you are competing in the age series.

If you genuinely can't track down the breeder or other information, you will have to apply to the ESNZ for a special dispensation. Email megan@nzequestrian.org.nz for an exemption letter.

Please check your **series points** to date on the ESNZ website before 20th Jan! We use these to set the class order (reverse order of points) so there are no changes once the catalogue goes to print! The show is not the place to suddenly discover you are missing points and then argue the point. Do it before the show.

New sponsors on board

We welcome a number of new sponsors to our show through the efforts of Kylie Unsworth and Sharleen Workman who took on the job of finding sponsors for the show. **Global Performance Horses** who have the German imported stallion Corofino II have the naming rights as major sponsor. They are also donating a service fee to Corofino II to the owner of the best mare in *Class 104 – Mare 3 to 8 Years competing at the show*. That should really draw in some interest from other sections of the show! Global Performance Horses is based in Nelson but the stallion is with rider Adrian Bruce in Wellington.

Also sponsoring for the first time this year is **East Coast Performance Horses**, a new small breeding operation based in the Wairarapa. This business is owned by Craig & Jenny Booth with their daughter Nicki who is competing at the show. A number of the foundation mares with top European bloodlines were purchased from Bruce Holden's sale last year and are being bred back to frozen semen from top jumping sires overseas again.

Farmlands are another of the major sponsors providing cash for the breeders of the Age Group Championships (4 titles) and naming rights to ring two

Other sponsors and product on offer

Fernhill Stud who have always sponsored at this show are putting up a service fee to Kiwi Gold II or Kiwi Legacy for the *Leading Rider* award for the rider with the most points at the show. **NRM** are putting up a special award for the *Leading Breeder of the Show*.

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Main-Events will sponsor framed certificates for the 4 winners of the style prize from the second round (or the final round for the 4 year olds). **Longspring Stud** will sponsor a free service to the best placed of the 4 style winners in the final round of competition from any one of 8 stallions they own going back to the top jumping sire Distelfink. **One Black Horse** is sponsoring a bridle for the *Best Turned Out Horse*.

Other sponsors on board include **Everton Lodge** for the 4 Year Old Championship, **Annandale** for product, **NZ Warmblood Breeders Association** for the 4 Year Old Showhunter Championship, **Barbara Thomson Photography** provides framed photos for the 4 Age Series Sponsors as she has done in the past. **Silver Fern Meats**, **KEW Wines** and **Leaderbrand** are providing product for the barbeque and breeders/sponsors luncheon.

Kiwispan, **Cushionride** and **STH Hay Supplies** who already sponsor series nationally are also putting additional funding into this show for their classes. **Barker Ventures** is involved in the 5 Year Old Championship, **Burnett-Grant Ventures** are sponsors of the Trans Tasman test and **Pip McCarroll** is sponsoring the Amateur Championships.

Other sponsors include **Beta Vet**, **Nutritech**, **Spot On Photography** and **Euro Sporthorses**.

New format for the 4 Year Old Class

The jump off for the 4 Year old class on the final day will be judged by a panel of three judges and judged on technique, movement and ridability. This is intended to highlight the potential of the horse long term as opposed to having the 4 year olds jump off against the clock on the final day.

At this stage, the judges for the class have not been finalized. More on this in another newsletter as information comes to hand. You can read more about this from the Conference papers on the ESNZ website.

Young Rider Team from Queensland

We welcome back a young rider team from Queensland which always adds an exciting dimension to the show. The Queensland team and two NZ teams compete each day of the show on borrowed horses. We will have more on this in a later newsletter.

Pro-Am class a new feature at the show

The show in its new format has also implemented a Pro-Am class which is part of the STH Hay Supplies circuit. As the show also hosts Junior and Amateur classes so with this third option will cater for most levels. We look forward to seeing the sponsor Tom Tarver-Priebe himself at the show riding as well as in his official role.

Show Hunters practice rounds Thursday afternoon

With other shows clashing with this date, the showhunter section will only be held on the Friday only. This means an earlier start at 8:00 am to get through all the classes. It also means that the practise rounds will be held on the **Thursday afternoon** and NOT in the morning before the show hunter ring starts as in previous years. \$5 a practise round – cash at the gate please.

We wish you all the best for the New Year and look forward to receiving your entries!

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