# Young Horse Show Update

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#### For the National Young Horse SJ Championship Committee

#### Late entries accepted with 25% extra

Entries for the Global Performance Horses Young Horse Show are on track to be slightly more than last year (220 horses) with all the last minute entries arriving to meet the deadline of Jan 14th. And there are more entries being emailed still!

Late entries are still being accepted with a 25% penalty only but please get the entry details at least emailed to us by Saturday so they make the catalogue. You will have to direct credit the balance owing however at the same time. The bank account (Kiwibank) for direct crediting entries is: NZ Breeders Show - 38-9008-0801137-01

## Show is online at Main-Events and has a Facebook Page!

All horses in classes can be viewed online at the Main-Events website <u>http://www.main-events.com/event/897/national-young-horse-jumping-championships/classes</u> - draws will be done over the weekend based on series points to date and posted when available.



Don't forget to add the show to your list of FAVOURITES on Main-Events website to make it easier to find and to receive notices from the show automatically. Please make sure you "like" Main-Events from the home page – there are the thumbs up icons to do that on the website with the Facebook plug-in!

This show would be one of the first in the country to feature on its own Facebook page so check it out and add to the 27 people who have already said they LIKE the show!

## **3 Generation Pedigrees & NZIP papers**

All NZIP papers must be turned into the office for checking BEFORE you start in the Age Series class. Please ensure that the full 3 generation pedigree of your horse is filled out. That is the inside front page of the papers – not just the sire, dam and grandsire on the Identification page!

One of the conditions of entry to this show was that this 3 generation pedigree of your horse *was enclosed with your entries* to confirm eligibility to compete in the Age Series classes including the showhunter age specific championships. **Most of you have not done this!** 

Can you please email before Monday or if not possible, bring a photocopy with you to the secretary's office before 9:00 am on Friday to save time – the first day of the show. If you don't have access to a photocopier, then bring your NZIP papers to the office and we will photocopy it for you.

Also, please check your **series points** to date on the ESNZ website before 24<sup>th</sup> 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 series points and then argue the point. Do it before the show.

#### New sponsors on board

**Astek Stud** who sponsor the National 5 Year Old Age Series have kindly offered to help sponsor the *Sponsors, Breeders and Supporters Luncheon* on the Sunday of the show. Only \$20 a ticket and well worth attending. We hope to have a special guest speaker!

Speaking of luncheons, **Hereford Prime** is another of the new sponsors who are providing product to make the show a great event!





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Also - Nutritech Spot On Photography Everton Lodge Barker Ventures Burnett-Grant Ventures Pip McCarroll Hereford Prime KEW Wines Leaderbrand Xtreme Sport Horses Melda Gibson Acre PC We are pleased to also welcome **Melda Gibson** of Champion Sport Horse Stud as a sponsor. Melda stands the Distelfink stallion DERBY LS and has a number of youngsters now out competing successfully in the age series.

Another new sponsor is **Acre PC** - a company that does great website and graphic design with a special interest in horses - they did the Mount View site.

This show is only possible through the generosity of our 27 sponsors who are giving product and cash towards running expenses. And a special thank you to the many who sponsor in their own way – judging, stewarding, building courses or picking up rails etc..

#### Young Rider Teams annouced

The **NZ Young Rider team** is Rachael Bentall (Captain), Mathew Dickey, Stephanie Anderson and Chloe Akers. The **Composite team** from NZ is Hannah Burnett Grant (Captain), Jake Lambert, Devon van Til and Katie Meredith. Reserves are Tasha Brooks (NI Reserve) and Katie Cox (SI Reserve).

The Queensland team and two NZ teams compete each day of the show on borrowed horses. This will be a great series to watch for all attending.

#### No day registrations for show

There are no day registrations or casual memberships allowed at this show. If you want to compete you will need to be fully registered.

#### Show Hunters practice rounds Thursday afternoon ONLY

Practise rounds over the showhunter course 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.

#### In Hand Sport Horse Section

The section of the show is being featured in a new, prime location in front of the Charisma Hall on Sunday. These classes are aimed to showcase the young horses that are being bred and imported into NZ. We also want to give the breeder's an opportunity to promote their progeny. Development of the in-hand classes is a necessary step towards modelling this show on similar competitions held in Europe.

#### New business underway

Finally, a plug for the hardworking sponsor-finder! Kylie Unsworth is launching a new business videoing rounds of horses called Equivid. They will video your horse and then produce a nice presentation which will be great for those selling horses. Kylie has done a lot of this for Mount View stud in the past. Catch up with Kylie at the show.

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