

This document contains:

- The Event Covid-19 risk assessment and risk mitigation plan in accordance with the [FEI Policy for Enhanced Competition Safety during the Covid-19 Pandemic](#)
- The Event Approved Schedule

Given the current covid-19 situation, please note that the FEI's approval of a Schedule should not be taken as an absolute guarantee that the Event will definitely go ahead. The decision whether the Event can take place must be made by the OC and NF in close consultation with the applicable domestic government and public health authorities. It is the responsibility of each Participant to check the status of the Event prior to planning his/her travel to the Event.



EHV-1 BIOSECURITY PLAN

The EHV-1 Biosecurity plan has been elaborated according to the FEI Post EHV-1 Return to Competition Regulation of 9th April 2021 in order to allow the return to competitions and protect horses and equestrian sports from the consequences of infectious diseases transmitted before during and after FEI events. Assessment of the biological risk related to the sudden emergency linked to the spread of EHV-1.

Italy is declared by the FEI one of the Countries that need measures to allow return to competitions in total safety after the spread of the EHV-1 HERPES virus. This Biosecurity plan wants to offer preventive and protective measures aimed at minimizing the risk of contagion.

This important document must be brought to the attention and acknowledged by anyone authorized to enter the Longines FEI Endurance World Championship 2021 in Pisa (ITA).

INTRODUCTION

General Description

The EHV virus occurs in 4 different types that affect 4 different systems of the horse, in this case the most lethal and contagious is that of type 1, said also EHV-1.

The most common form is type 1 which affects the respiratory system of the horse. In the most common form, it presents respiratory diseases with variable symptoms that include fever, nasal discharge, swollen lymph nodes, cough, loss of appetite and significant physiological drops, which are quite common symptoms and can be misleading and alarming those who observe the horse.

In more serious cases, the Herpes Virus can also have repercussions from a neurological point of view, leading to paralysis and death.

Method of transmission

The EHV-1 virus, also known as Rhinopneumonia, has a very high viral load and is very easily transmitted by air, by direct contact between horses and also through surfaces that have come into contact with the viral components. For this reason, both sporting events and daily life in individual stables can be dangerous if the necessary precautions are not taken. It is possible, however, that horses spread the Equine Herpes Virus even without showing clinical signs (the so-called asymptomatic carriers), transmitting it only in certain environmental conditions such as stress, transport and competitions.

Diagnosis

Observing symptoms, especially at the respiratory level, cannot always lead to a correct diagnosis of rhinopneumonia, so in these cases it is categorically recommended to contact a veterinarian who can evaluate all the hypotheses. Using a classic swab or serological tests, it is possible to establish whether a respiratory infection is associated with EHV-1, by taking two blood samples 10 days apart on which the antibody titration is carried out.

Treatment and convalescence

Unfortunately, being a virus, there is no specific and targeted cure. Treatment of equine herpes virus respiratory infections usually consists of supportive therapy, as human anti-herpes drugs are not effective in horses. Antipyretics and antitussives are administered, but also antibiotics to prevent or fight secondary bacterial infections, and to shorten the recovery period. However, with the help of a veterinary expert, a cure can be identified to treat the symptoms resulting from EHV-1 such as general weakness, loss of appetite and apathy. It is possible to preserve his respiratory health in a preventive manner through alternative methods recommended by us such as purified hay. However, in summary, the only remedies are prevention and the vaccine.

Prevention

In order to reduce the incidence of EHV-1 infection and to minimize its spread, it is necessary to sanitize the living environments of horses combined with particularly thorough hygiene through disinfectants.

The isolation of the horse and tools is mandatory in case of contact with the virus.

The prevention of contagion depends on the probability that horses have of coming into contact with the virus emitted by a sick person or a healthy carrier (a healthy carrier is defined as the person who, even if contaminated, does not show symptoms or because it is too early to manifest them or because will never manifest being able to eliminate the virus autonomously).

Reference legislation

- EHV-1 By Laws FEI - 9 April 2021
- FISE Guidelines for the organization of Endurance events - 24 March 2021
- Ministry of Health -General Directorate for Animal Health – Circular n. 0007041 8 March 2021

CHAMPIONSHIP DETAILS:

Date: 18 – 23 May 2021

Venue: San Rossore Racecourse

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In compliance with the provisions of the FEI, the Ministry of Health, the General Directorate of Animal Health and the FISE, the Event Director identifies a method of control and management of the risk for the event and informs the participants about the procedures for managing the risk inherent in the contagion and transmission of the EHV-1 virus.

The participants in the competition, their crew members, the Staff, the Officials correctly informed by the President have the responsibility of respecting the behaviours defined by the regulations in force and by the rules laid down by the OC with this document.

Risk EHV-1

Risk control is divided into three phases

PHASE 1: RISK ASSESSMENT - The first risk assessment must be carried out individually by each horse owner / athlete who will have access to the Championship by estimating the risk index associated with their own horse based on the venue structure, maps and obligatory routes to follow.

PHASE 2: RISK MANAGEMENT - All the procedures aimed at permanently removing or constantly containing the criticalities identified in the risk assessment phase.

PHASE 3 RISK COMMUNICATION - All actions aimed at informing, training and raise awareness about horse health advice before and during the event.

RISK ANALYSIS

ORIGIN	RISK	DANGER	ACTION REQUEST		MONITORING
VENUE	Biological	Risk of entry of a positive or potential positive EHV-1 infection horse	1. Examination of the horse upon arrival and outside the stables 2. Scan the microchip to confirm FEI ID Check for equine flu vaccination 3. Delivery of the completed FEI Equine Health Self-Certification Form 4. The VSM will not authorize entry to non-compliant horses whose owners may be subjected to a fine of CHF 400		Entry register by the VSM assisted by a Steward

STABLES	Biological	Contact with Horses	1. Corridors with one-way systems (entrance-exit) 2. Prohibition to saddle in the corridor 3. N. max 16 boxes per row Visible stables map 4. Boxes disinfected and sealed 5. Obligation to measure the temperature of the horses twice a day and to mark it in the cards prepared by the O.C. outside of each box 6. Obligation to measure the temperature of the horses twice a day and to mark it in the cards prepared by the O.C. outside of each box 7. Use personal water buckets and do not immerse water hose in buckets. Absolute prohibition to drink from common troughs		Visual monitoring by the Stable Manager and the security service and a Steward
		Permanence of the virus on the surfaces of equipment used by horses	1. Sanitizing of surfaces with spray 2. Obligation to wash hands with gel in and out of the stables		Visual monitoring by Steward and Security Service
ISOLATION AREA	Biological	Contact with Horses	1. Authorized access to the Veterinarian and the Rider 2. It is compulsory to wear disposable shoe covers and overalls		Visual monitoring by Security Service
		Permanence of the virus on the surfaces of equipment used by horses	Disinfectant spray		
VET GATE	Biological	Contact with Horses	1. Restricted accesses. max 1 person + the rider per horse 2. Determination of the maximum number of visiting horses		Visual monitoring by Steward

COOLING AREA AND REST AREA	Biological	Contact with Horses	1. Identification of individual areas for each team 2. Access allowed max 2 people + the rider per horse 3. Prohibition of common watering. Horses must drink from their own containers and must be bathed using their own containers		Visual monitoring by Steward and Security Service
START	Biological	Contact with Horses	Large area that ensures adequate distance between horses		Visual monitoring by Ground Jury
FINISH	Biological	Contact with Horses	Large area that ensures adequate distance between horses		Visual monitoring by Ground Jury
CREW POINTS	Biological	Gathering of people	1. Identification of individual areas for each team 2. Access allowed max 2 crew members	2 crew members will be identified differently by the crew members who are at the vet gate	Visual monitoring by Stewards

PROCEDURES FOR CONTRASTING EHV-1 INFECTION

1. Correct behaviour of the riders within the place of the event.
2. Visitors must strictly comply with the instructions given by the O.C. which are considered accepted from the moment of registration
3. Correct information and awareness of correct behaviour is considered the first and most important means of managing risk.
4. The OC will have to provide suitable signs, encouraging the dissemination of messages and raising awareness of behaviours.
5. In order to inform and train the athletes and their crew, Officials and all the staff, correct information on the correct behaviours to prevent the spread of the EHV---1 virus must be visible in the Office:
 - a. obligation to wash hands with gel at the entrance and exit of the stables
 - b. obligation for horses to drink water by individual containers
 - c. obligation to read well this document in order to be properly informed about the procedures for fighting the infection
 - d. obligation to record the horse's temperature at least in the 10 days prior to the event in the FEI form
 - e. obligation to measure and record the temperature twice a day in the appropriate cards prepared by the O.C. outside of the box
 - f. obligation to observe the entry and exit from the stables as indicated by the O.C.
 - g. obligation to carefully observe the distance from other horses of at least 5 m.
 - h. obligation to saddle the horse inside the assigned box and to use only personal harness

- i. Any information the Event Director deems useful for risk management.

Personal Hygiene

The correct application of preventive measures, such as hand hygiene, can reduce the risk of infection. The OC provides special dispensers of alcoholic gels with an alcohol concentration of 60---85%

Emergency procedure in case of entry into the center of a horse suspected of EHV-1

If a horse exhibits the symptoms of the EHV-1 virus, the VSM will immediately arrange the movement to the isolation area prepared in advance by the O.C. and will proceed with the provisions of the Veterinary Regulations. The C.O. will arrange for the immediate disinfection of the box used.

APPOINTED RESPONSIBLE PEOPLE

Veterinary Service Manager: Nicola Pilati

Stable Manager: Carolina Tavassoli Asli

Security Service Manager: Dino Sampaolo

The heads of the specific sectors refer directly to the head of the Anti-contagion Protocol and have full powers to remove those who do not comply with this protocol.

For additional information about veterinary matters and customs:

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Verification and review of the document

Verification and review of the document consist in the evaluation of all the activities provided for in this document and implemented for the prevention and control of the HEV-1 risk, in order to evaluate their effectiveness. Therefore, the OC will adapt this document to any regulatory changes that will occur from today's date to the date of carrying out the sporting event.



Equine Health Self-Certification Form



This form must be completed for each Horse attending any FEI Event from 12 April 2021 and until further notice. It can be completed by the Person Responsible (**PR**) or their representative (e.g. their groom) and must be shown to the FEI Veterinarian carrying out the Examination on Arrival. Failure to properly complete, sign or submit this form will result in the imposition of a fine of CHF400 per Horse.

Event name: _____ Event date: _____
Horse name: _____ FEI ID No. _____
PR: _____ FEI ID No. _____

I confirm that the abovementioned Horse does not show any of the following clinical signs:

- recent cough of unknown cause
- recent nasal discharge of unknown cause
- enlarged lymph nodes
- fever (rectal temperature of more than 38.5°C)
- recent onset of neurological signs of unknown cause
- diarrhea

I confirm that the abovementioned Horse:

- is not under current investigation for EHV infection.
- has not been in contact with and is not kept on the same premises as a horse known to have or be under investigation for EHV.
- had its rectal temperature taken before travel and the reading was less than 38.5°C.

I further confirm that the Horse's temperature has been monitored for the preceding 10 days and has been duly recorded in the temperature monitoring chart attached here as Annex 1.

Although it is permissible for the PR to delegate the completion and submission of this form to a representative (e.g. their groom), the PR remains responsible for any failure to comply with the requirements, including the completion, signature and submission of the form.

Any falsification of this form or the temperature monitoring chart may lead to the opening of disciplinary proceedings in accordance with the disciplinary process set out in the FEI General Regulations.

Signed _____

Print name: _____

Date: _____

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PR's Representative

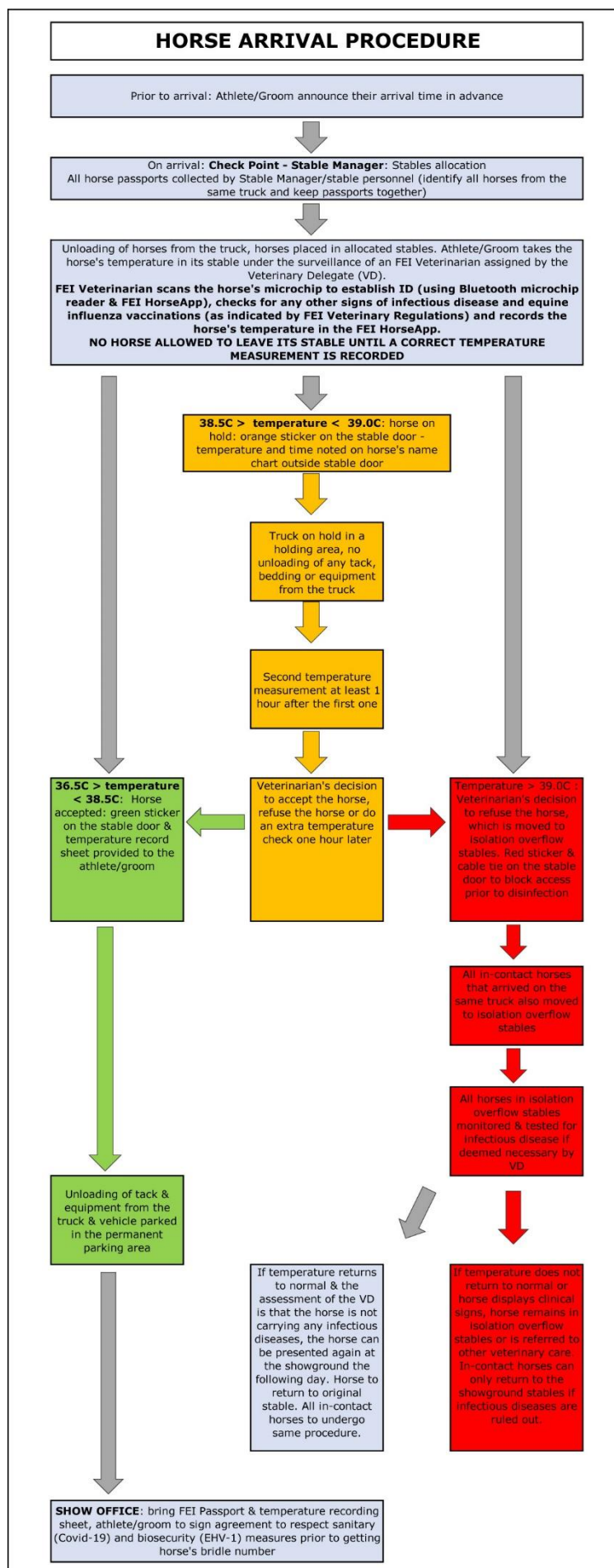


Name of the Horse			
Person Responsible		Contact Number	
Groom		Contact Number	
Veterinarian		Contact Number	

Is my horse healthy?		Remember to also look out for:	
Normal health parameters:	Rectal temperature: 36.5-38.5°C (98-101°F)	Discharge from the eyes or nose	How much feed and water the horse has consumed
	Respiratory rate: 8-15 breaths/min	How the horse is standing	Changes in the consistency and number of droppings
	Heart rate: 25-45 beats/min	The horse's general appearance	

If your horse has a fever or shows any signs of illness, it must be examined by a veterinarian

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**REGULATORY PROTOCOL
FOR THE CONTAINMENT OF THE SPREAD
OF COVID-19**

13 May 2021

PREMISE

The objective of this Regulatory Protocol is to provide organizational and operational indications aimed at increasing the effectiveness of the precautionary containment measures adopted to combat the COVID-19 epidemic. The measures indicated follow the logic of protection and implement the provisions of the Italian Legislator and the indications of the Health Authority.

Compliance with national and local legislation on hygiene and health indications aimed at preventing the spread of the Covid-19 virus is an essential premise of this document.

The Recommendations of the World Health Organization, the Italian Ministry of Health and the individual Italian Regions and Autonomous Provinces are and will be considered a reference point in the application of these Measures and of this Operational Protocol Events-Events in the period of Covid-19. Document reviews may be progressively adopted and disseminated in relation to the progress of the Covid-19 pandemic. This document is aimed at allowing the event called "LONGINES FEI WORD CHAMPIONSHIP 2021" CH-M-E, in compliance with priority health protection needs related to the risk of spread from Covid-19.

The indications provided in this protocol concern the organizing committee and the operators involved in the organization. They are also temporary in nature, and closely linked to the emergency as well as to the possible issue of other more specific guidelines by competent authorities.

INTRODUCTION

General Description

Coronaviruses are a large family of viruses known to cause illnesses ranging from the common cold to more serious illnesses such as Middle East Respiratory Syndrome (MERS) and Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS).

The World Health Organization (WHO) announced on 11 February 2020 the new name for the new coronavirus disease: Covid-19. The name is the acronym of Co (crown); Vi (virus); D ('disease') and 19 (the year the virus was identified).

The virus causing the current coronavirus outbreak has been called "SEVERE ACUTE RESPIRATORY SYNDROME CORONAVIRUS 2" (SARS-CoV-2). This is a new coronavirus strain that was never previously identified in humans before being reported in Wuhan (China) in December 2019.

The disease has an "incubation period" or the period of time that elapses between the infection and the development of clinical symptoms. It is currently estimated that it varies between 2 and 11 days, up to a maximum of 14 days.

The most common symptoms of a person with COVID-19 are fever, fatigue, and a dry cough. Some patients may experience muscle aches and pains, nasal congestion, runny nose, sore throat, or diarrhea. These symptoms are usually mild and begin gradually. In severe cases, the infection can cause pneumonia, severe acute respiratory syndrome, kidney failure, and even death.

In this regard, some people become infected but do not develop any symptoms. Symptoms are generally mild, especially in children and young adults, and slow onset. About 1 in 5 people with COVID-19 become seriously ill and have breathing difficulties, requiring hospitalization.

Method of transmission

Coronaviruses can be transmitted from person to person, usually after close contact with an infected patient, such as between family members or in a healthcare setting.

The new Coronavirus responsible for COVID-19 respiratory disease can also be passed from person to person through close contact with a probable or confirmed case.

The new Coronavirus is a respiratory virus that is spread mainly through close contact with a sick person. The primary route is the droplets of the breath of infected people for example through:

- saliva, coughing and sneezing
- direct personal contacts
- hands, for example by touching contaminated (not yet washed) hands with your mouth, nose or eyes
- In rare cases, the infection can occur through faecal contamination.

Respiratory diseases are not normally transmitted with food, which in any case must be handled respecting good hygiene practices and avoiding contact between raw and cooked foods.

No virus is capable of living and reproducing outside of a living being (man or animal), but for a limited time it can survive outside (it is believed that the Coronavirus cannot survive more than a few hours outside the host, but the data are still uncertain given that COVID-19 is a new virus and still not sufficiently known and studied).

True prevention of contagion depends on the likelihood that people have of coming into contact with viruses emitted by sick people or healthy carriers (healthy carriers are defined as those who have been contaminated by the virus without showing symptoms or because it is still early to manifest them or because they will never manifest them being able to eliminate the virus).

ITALIAN NORMATIVE REFERENCES:

- Guidelines for conduct to be followed in clubs affiliated / aggregated to the Italian equestrian sport federation. Covid-19 rev. 03-05-2020 FISE
- Decree of the President of the Council of Ministers 26 April 2020 "Further implementing provisions of the decree-law February 23, 2020, n. 6, containing urgent measures regarding the containment and management of the epidemiological emergency from COVID-19, applicable on the whole national territory. (20A02352) (OJ General Series n.108 of 27-04-20)
- Ministry Circular n.5443 of 22 February 2020
- Decree of the President of the Council of Ministers 11 June 2020
- Decree of the President of the Council of Ministers 17 May 2020
- Decree of the President of the Council of Ministers 11 June 2020
- Decree of the President of the Council of Ministers 14 January 2021
- Decree of the President of the Council of Ministers 2 March 2021
- Law Decree 13 March 2021
- Decree of the President of the Council of Ministers 26 April 2021
- Guidelines 28 April 2021
- Italian Ministry Circular 29 April 2021
- Italian Equestrian Federation Protocol of August 2020 and Endurance Special Rules point C
- FEI - Covid-19 guidelines for Endurance Events

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EVENT ORGANIZATION

The Protocol is applied to the entire event to be held on the days: 18 - 19 - 20 - 21 - 22 - 23 May 2021

The event will be held in the SAN ROSSORE RACECOURSE - Via delle Cascine San Rossore 56122 Pisa - Italy and will take place behind closed doors.

Technician in charge of drafting this protocol: Eng. Claire Barone

Person in charge of complying with all the protection and prevention measures from Covid - 19 contagion provided for in the protocol and regulations in force throughout the course of the event, as well as the only covid-19 contact person present on site: Mr Gianluca Laliscia

The event does not foresee the presence of the public and will be accessible only to professionals.

With the clarification that:

- The venue is a large open space that allows for abundant air changes.
- The organization of the event, considering the large spaces provided, does not produce a compressing crowding effect.
- There is and should not be any reason for physical contact between the staff involved in the organization and during the performance of the horse parade
- If the event also hosted other people, who are not part of the organization of the event, the dedicated spaces must be identified and separated to avoid any opportunity for contact with the operators of the event, as well as other people unrelated to the event.
- Preliminary information activities for the event will be carried out for all operators, athletes, members of the teams who will deal with the event for various reasons. During the information activity, these subjects will be adequately made responsible for the behaviours to be followed to reduce the risk of contagion
- This document aims to analyse the critical issues associated with the COVID-19 risk during the event and to identify the control and management methods to be applied in order to reduce and / or eliminate the contagion risk.
- For the management of the specific emergency, reference is made to the emergency and evacuation plan.

EVENT MAP



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LEGENDA | LEGEND

■ Aree di Interesse | Useful Areas

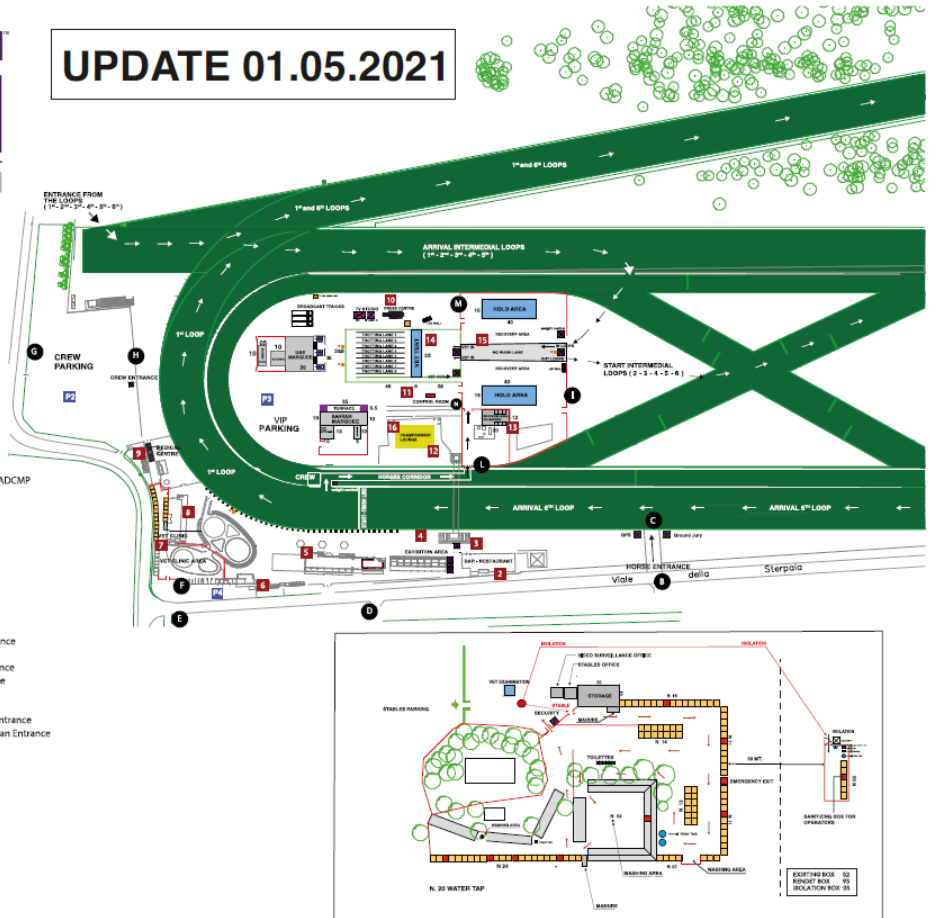
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| 1 | Scuderie Stables | |
| 2 | Bar- Ristorante Bar- Restaurant | |
| 3 | Area Espositiva Exhibition Area | |
| 4 | Main Stage Gradinata Main Stage Terraces | |
| 5 | Ufficio Accreditati Accreditation Desk | |
| 6 | Ingresso Pedonale Principale Main Entrance | |
| 7 | Clinica Veterinaria Vet Clinic | |
| 8 | Segreteria di Gara Ride Desk | |
| 9 | Posto medico avanzato CRI CRI Medical Center | |
| 10 | Salà Stampa Press Centre | |
| 11 | Centralina Operativa CRI CRI Control Room | |
| 12 | Championship Lounge | |
| 13 | Area Primo Soccorso Cavalli e FEI EADCMP | Shekking Area - FEI EADCMP |
| 14 | Cancello Veterinario Vet Gate | |
| 15 | Area Assistenza e Riposo Cavalli | Recovery and Hold Area |
| 16 | Salà Official Official Lounge | |

● Accessi Presidiati | Manned Entrances

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| A | Varco Ingresso Scuderie | Stables Entrance |
| B | Varco Uscita Cavalli | Horses Exit |
| C | Varco Ingresso Cavalli | Horses Entrance |
| D | Varco Ingresso Parcheggio Scuderie | Stables Parking Entrance |
| E | Varco Attraversamento Clinica Veterinaria | Vet Clinic Crossing Entrance |
| F | Varco Ingresso Clinica Veterinaria | Vet Clinic Entrance |
| G | Varco Ingresso Parcheggio Crew Interno | Crew Internal Parking Entrance |
| H | Varco Ingresso VIP - Pedonale Crew | VIP - Pedestrian Crew Entrance |
| I | Varco Ingresso Cavalli Area FEI | FEI Area Horses Entrance |
| L | Varco Ingresso Cavalli Area FEI | FEI Area Horses Entrance |
| M | Varco Ingresso Pedonale Area FEI OVEST | FEI Area EAST Pedestrian Entrance |
| N | Varco Ingresso Pedonale Area FEI OVEST | FEI Area WEST Pedestrian Entrance |

■ Aree Parcheggio | | Parking Areas

- P1 Parcheggio Scuderie | Stables Parking
P2 Parcheggio Assistenza | Crew Parking
P3 Parcheggio VIP | VIP Parking
P4 Parcheggio Ospiti | Guest Parking



TIMETABLE

Tuesday 18 May

H 10:00

Opening Stables

Incavezzature track, San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

Wednesday 19 May

H 09:30 – 13:00

Ride Desk and Accreditation Desk Opening

San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 14:30 – 18:00

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Key Officials Briefing

San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 15:00

Chef d'équipe and Vet Meeting

San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

Thursday 20 May

H 09:30 – 13:00

Ride Desk and Accreditation Desk Opening

San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 14:30 – 18:00

H 11:30

Press Conference

Baleari Hall - Gambacorti Palace - Pisa

H 21:30

Opening Ceremony

Piazza dei Cavalieri - Pisa

Friday 21 May

H 09:30 – 13:00

Ride Desk and Accreditation Desk Opening

San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 14:30 – 18:00

H 10:00

Chef d'équipe and Vet Meeting

San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 11:30

Officials Meeting

San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 15:00

Pre Ride Inspections – Metabolic & Trot

Vet Gate, San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 17:00

Rider's Weight-in

Stables, Incavezzature track, San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

Saturday 22 May

H 06:00 – 13:00

Ride Desk and Accreditation Desk Opening

San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 14:30 – 18:00

H 07:00

Start of the LONGINES FEI Endurance World Championship CH-M-E

Track, San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

Sunday 23 May

H 09:30 – 13:00

Ride Desk Opening

San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 14:30 – 18:00

H 11:00

Closing Ceremony and Prize Giving Ceremony

San Rossore Racecourse – Pisa

GENERAL PREVENTION AND PROTECTION MEASURES

The prevention and protection measures are aimed at managing the risk of contagion for the entire duration of the event. They must be adopted bearing in mind that the prevention and protection measures are not to be understood as alternatives to each other, but as minimum equipment in order to prevent contagion in relation to the current epidemiological situation in progress.

1 - MAIN CONTAGION PREVENTION MEASURES TO BE ADOPTED IN CONTINUITY FOR THE WHOLE DURATION OF THE EVENT:

a) SOCIAL DISTANCE: Throughout the event, compliance with the rule that people are at least ONE METER away from each other will be guaranteed. When such distancing will not be possible. In order to ensure interpersonal safety distancing throughout the course, the Organizers must:

- Identify the paths of the operators, as well as any accompanying persons and / or suppliers;
- favour staggered entry / exit times in order to limit crowds in common areas as much as possible. Differentiate - where possible - the entry points to the structure from the exit points.

The Tenuta di San Rossore in Pisa is a very large and closed area included in the Migliarino San Rossore Massaciuccoli Regional Park. The area has never been evaluated by the competent authorities as a "red zone".

Both the playing field and the track are safe and locked areas, completely closed to the public and / or to any other external interference.

The amount of people will be managed within the relevant areas:

- Access to the Vet Gate will be allowed only to the Athlete and to 1 of the 4 crew members available (yellow bib)
- Access to the cooling area will be allowed only to 2 of the 4 crew members available (yellow bib)
- Access to the crew points will be allowed only to 2 of the 4 crew members available (red bib)
- In the stable area, access will be allowed to a maximum of 2 people per horse at any time. The number of the crew is limited to 2 plus the Athlete for the duration of the event.
- Only 1 crew member per horse to participate in the start.
- At the finish line, Athlete and Horse will follow a fenced and protected path that from the finish will lead them to the cooling area.

b) CONTINUOUS USE OF PPE (Personal Protective Equipment): mandatory surgical masks for everyone and availability of easily accessible disinfectant gel for hand disinfection.

c) HEALTH CONTROL AT ENTRANCES: health control methods will be applied such as body temperature control and territorial supervision with personnel responsible for checking the correct use of masks and any other PPE.

The request for event accreditation for all participants is mandatory by 10 May 2021.

At the entrance of the venue there is a manned access equipped with a barrier.

This will be managed by qualified and informed staff on all access regulations with a dual task:

- verification of accreditations
- temperature detection and acquisition of self-certifications

Given the importance of thermoregulation, at the gate of the stables the same check will be repeated by the personnel of the Italian Red Cross specifically authorized to do so.

Within the area there is a **Medical Center chaired by the Italian Red Cross** to carry out first aid functions and to facilitate the return of delegations from foreign nations to their countries of origin.

Within this Medical Center, a service of two types of swab test will be made available:

- the first of the rapid antigenic type with results in about 20 minutes
- the second of the molecular type. In this case, the swab will be sent to a certified laboratory which will respond within 24 hours.

d) CLEANING AND SANITIZATION: this activity will be carried out before and during the event. Specifically, the following will be sanitized: seats, equipment, work tools, bathrooms. Will be made available in the bathrooms: sanitizing gel, disposable wipes, alcohol-based disinfectant and disposable wipes for cleaning the toilet seat. The operators who carry out the cleaning and sanitizing work must imperatively be equipped with all clothing and personal protective equipment. The cleaning and sanitation actions must include activities performed using products having the characteristics indicated in the circular no. 5443 of 22 February 2020 of the Italian Ministry of Health.

e) MANDATORY EMERGENCY PLAN: procedure aimed at the safe management of the case in which a person experiences fever above 37.5 ° C and Covid-19 symptoms. The procedure will provide for the identification of a suitable place for isolation and assistance by specially trained personnel equipped with PPE to be used for contact with the potentially infected person. The Italian Red Cross will take care of this management for the entire duration of the event. After the end of the emergency phase, the person in charge must remain isolated and dispose of personal protection in a special airtight bag. If possible, in addition to washing his hands, he will have to leave the venue, wash his own person and change his clothes.

f) INFORMATION OBLIGATIONS: Information is provided to all operators and anyone who accesses the event for various reasons, in relation to the Covid 19 emergency. Appropriate horizontal and vertical signs and / or brochures will be posted at the entrances and in the most visible places.

The key information provided is:

- the obligation not to be able to enter and / or remain in the area of the event in the case of dangerous conditions (symptoms of flu, temperature, coming from areas at risk or contact with people positive to the virus in the previous 14 days, etc)
- the obligation to maintain an interpersonal safety distance of at least 1 meter
- the obligation to use the mask systematically and continuously
- the obligation to respect the rules of hygiene by frequently washing hands or sanitizing them with hydroalcoholic solutions
- clinical features of COVID-19 and preventive measures, in particular respiratory labelling and hand hygiene practices
- criteria for asking people with symptoms to leave the venue or retire to a designated area
- information on the obligation of physical removal
- The need to communicate in advance the time of arrival at the place of the event (message to n. +39 333 8101296 at least 1 hour before arrival)
- The obligation to communicate the names of those authorized to enter by 10 May by sending the accreditation and privacy form signed by each person
- The obligation to provide a self-certification at the entrance stating that the following symptoms of COVID-19 have not occurred in the last 14 days and no awareness of contact with people who have tested positive for COVID-19
- The obligation to measure body temperature with a ban on entry if the temperature exceeds 37.5 °
- Any information that the Covid Event Manager deems useful for risk management, in relation to the individual specificities that may arise during the event and that the Covid Event Manager, as identified above, will evaluate from time to time

2 - MAIN CONTAGION PREVENTION MEASURES TO BE ADOPTED IN CONTINUITY FOR THE WHOLE DURATION OF THE EVENT IN THE SPECIFIC WORKPLACES / ENVIRONMENTS

PLACES / WORK ENVIRONMENTS	RISK	DANGER	PREVENTION AND PROTECTION MEASURES TO BE TAKEN	SPECIFIC IMPLEMENTATION MEASURES
ACCESS CONTROL	Biological	Risk of entry of a person potentially positive to covid or who has had close contact with a positive for Covid 19 or coming from areas at risk in the days prior to entry (Circular of the Italian Ministry of Health of 29 April 2021 valid until 15/05 /2021)	<p>1.Measurement of the temperature at each input with a thermo-scanner</p> <p>2. Sending by 10/05/2021 of the accreditation form certifying the origin from areas potentially at risk and the awareness of not being able to access the event in the presence of presence of fever (over 37.5 °) or other flu symptoms</p> <p>3. Check the use of the mask</p> <p>4. Allow access only to authorized persons</p>	<p>1.All entrances will be manned by a security service</p> <p>2.Arrange information signs at the entrances</p> <p>3.Arrange information activities for the employees who will be stationed at the entrances</p> <p>4.Obligation and verification of continuous use of the mask by employees and persons authorized to access</p> <p>5.Equip the entrances with supply points with masks for those without one</p> <p>6. Provide workers and entrances with sanitizing gel</p> <p>7. Equip the employees with a thermoscanner</p> <p>8. Provide the employees with an access register to be kept in the following 14 days.</p> <p>9. The employees must ensure that no gatherings are formed during the accesses</p>
STABLES	Biological	<p>Risk of People Gathering</p> <p>Risk of permanence of the virus on surfaces</p>	<p>1. Access control</p> <p>2. Cleaning and sanitizing of environments</p> <p>3. Ensure continuous ventilation of closed environments</p>	<p>1.All entrances will be manned by a security service</p> <p>2.Arrange information signs at the entrances</p> <p>3.Arrange information activities for the employees</p>

				<p>who will be stationed at the entrances</p> <p>4.Obligation and verification of continuous use of the mask by employees and persons authorized to access</p> <p>5.Provide workers and entrances with sanitizing gel</p> <p>6.The staff must ensure that no crowds form during the entrances</p>
VET GATE	Biological	<p>Risk of People Gathering</p> <p>Risk of permanence of the virus on surfaces</p>	<p>1. Access control</p> <p>2. Cleaning and sanitizing of environment</p> <p>3. Ensure continuous ventilation of closed environments</p>	<p>1. Arrange information signs at the entrances</p> <p>2. Equip the inlets with sanitizing gel</p> <p>3. Avoid gatherings during entrances</p> <p>4. Correctly spaced trot lanes</p> <p>5. Prohibition of access to the area for unauthorized persons</p>
COOLING AREA REST AREA	Biological	Risk of People Gathering	<p>1. Identification of individual areas for each team</p> <p>2. Access allowed max 2 crew members + rider</p>	<p>1.All the gates of the cooling area will be manned by the Security Service which will monitor the accesses</p> <p>2.Avoid gatherings</p>
START	Biological	Risk of People Gathering	Distance control	<p>1.The Security Service will monitor, as far as possible, the maintenance of distance control</p>
FINISH	Biological	Risk of People Gathering	Dedicated and fenced path for the passage of horses and riders cooling zone	<p>2.Avoid gatherings</p> <p>3.The Security Service will monitor, as far as possible, the maintenance of distance control</p>
MEETING ROOMS	Biological	<p>Risk of People Gathering</p> <p>Risk of permanence of the virus on surfaces</p>	<p>1.Access control</p> <p>2. Cleaning and sanitizing of environments</p> <p>3. Ensure continuous</p>	<p>1.Prepare informative signs</p> <p>2.Equip the inlets with sanitizing gel</p> <p>3.Avoid gatherings during entrances</p> <p>4.Prohibition of access to the area</p>

			ventilation of closed environments	for unauthorized persons 5.Prepare a cleaning log 6.Maintaining a distance of one meter between the sessions 7.Continuous ventilation of the premises
OFFICES	Biological	Risk of People Gathering Risk of permanence of the virus on surfaces	1.Access control 2. Cleaning and sanitizing of environments 3. Ensure continuous ventilation of closed environments	1. Prepare informative signs 2.Equip the inlets with sanitizing gel 3. Avoid gatherings during entrances 4.Prohibition of access to the area for unauthorized persons 5. Prepare a cleaning log 6.Maintain a distance of one meter between the sessions 7. Continuous ventilation of the premises
TOILETS	Biological	Risk of permanence of the virus on surfaces	1. Cleaning and sanitizing of environments 2. Ensure continuous ventilation of closed environments	1.Prepare informative signs 2. Equip with sanitizing gel 3. Provide disinfectant and disposable paper for cleaning the toilet seat 4. Equip with disposable paper to dry hands 5. Prepare a cleaning log 6. Continuous ventilation of the premises
RESTAURANT ACTIVITIES FOR AUTHORIZED PERSONS / CANTEEN FOR STAFF	Biological	Risk of People Gathering Risk of permanence of the virus on surfaces	1.Cleaning and sanitizing of environments 2. Ensure continuous ventilation of closed environments 3.Avoid gathering 4. Ensure that	1.Prepare informative signs 2.Equip with sanitizing gel 3.Prepare a cleaning log 4.Continuous ventilation of the premises 5.Allow access only to authorized persons

			distances are maintained	<p>6. Continuous use of the mask for catering service staff</p> <p>7. Permitted to remove the mask only when eating meals</p> <p>8. Keep a distance of 1 meter whenever possible</p> <p>9. Each use their own plates, cutlery and glasses</p> <p>10. In the presence of tables, ensure limited access</p> <p>11. Sanitize the tables every time they are released</p> <p>12. Allow entry, possibly by reservation, to a number of people such as to ensure the correct individual spacing within the administration point</p> <p>13. Where necessary, set up separation barriers</p> <p>14. If there are buffet dishes, prepare a person in charge of the portioning</p> <p>15. Do not use shared modes</p> <p>16. Wear the mask until you reach the table and every time you move from your seat (eg to reach the toilets).</p> <p>17. Only move inside when strictly necessary</p> <p>18. Avoid mixed use of glasses and bottles</p> <p>19. Place a no-entry sign at the entrance in the presence of symptoms of acute respiratory infection (cough, cold and fever with a temperature above 37.5 ° C) compatible with COVID-19.</p>
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				<p>20.Ensure, as far as possible, that any queues that may form outside while waiting for access take place in compliance with the correct individual spacing.</p> <p>21.Possibly allow access on several shifts</p> <p>22. Evaluate, where the structure allows, the establishment of predefined routes that allow reaching the service point without intersecting with customers already served and who are preparing to leave.</p>
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3.PRESCRIZIONI E MISURE DI PREVENZIONE E DI PROTEZIONE SPECIFICHE IN RELAZIONE AI GRUPPI OMOGENEI DI ATTIVITA'

OFFICES ACTIVITIES

During the office activity it is necessary:

- Preventive sanitation of environments
- Accessibility to frequent hand hygiene (dispenser with hydroalcoholic solution)
- Avoid hugs and handshakes
- Maintaining an interpersonal distance of at least 1 meter and wearing masks
- Avoid mixed use of bottles and glasses
- Do not touch your eyes, nose and mouth with your hands
- Cover your mouth and nose if you sneeze or cough
- Clean the surfaces with disinfectants
- Avoid gatherings in common areas
- Avoid meetings unless strictly necessary
- Foreclose access to anyone who has or develops fever or symptoms compatible with COVID-19
- Collaborate with the health authorities for the definition of any "close contacts"
- The access of external persons must be limited to cases of absolute necessity and with certification by them that they have not presented symptoms compatible with COVID-19 in the last 14 days and that they have not had close contact with a person with COVID-19
- Access with body temperature measurement.
- Staff training

EVENT ORGANIZATION ACTIVITIES: STAFF AT THE SERVICE OF THE EVENT

During these activities it is necessary:

- Preventive sanitation of structures, equipment, seats, environments
- Accessibility to frequent hand hygiene (dispenser with hydroalcoholic solution).
- Avoid hugs and handshakes.
- Maintaining an interpersonal distance of at least 1 meter and wearing masks
- Avoid mixed use of bottles and glasses.
- Do not touch your eyes, nose and mouth with your hands.
- Cover your mouth and nose if you sneeze or cough.
- Clean the surfaces with disinfectants.
- Avoid gatherings in common areas.
- Avoid meetings unless strictly necessary.
- Foreclose access to anyone who has or develops fever or symptoms compatible with COVID-19
- Collaborate with the health authorities for the definition of any "close contacts"
- The access of external people (such as suppliers) must be limited and controlled with specific identification of entry and exit routes.
- Access with body temperature measurement.
- Staff training
- It is recommended to use your own vehicles to reach the event
- Microphones for those involved in the presentation of the event: it is necessary that the instruments are for the exclusive use of the individual components or sanitized after each use

CLEANING AND SANITIZATION ACTIVITIES

During these activities it is necessary:

- Preventive sanitation of structures, equipment
- Continuous use of suitable PPE, with an adequate number of spare parts
- Accessibility to frequent hand hygiene (dispenser with hydroalcoholic solution).
- Avoid hugs and handshakes.
- Maintaining an interpersonal distance of at least 1 meter and wearing masks
- Avoid mixed use of bottles and glasses.
- Do not touch your eyes, nose and mouth with your hands.
- Cover your mouth and nose if you sneeze or cough.
- Compliance with the provisions of the Circular of the Ministry of Health of 22/02/2020
- Avoid gatherings in common areas.
- Foreclose access to anyone who has or develops fever or symptoms compatible with COVID-19
- Collaborate with the health authorities for the definition of any "close contacts"
- Access by external people is prohibited
- Access with body temperature measurement.
- Staff training
- It is recommended to use your own vehicles to reach the event
- Prepare a cleaning log

RESTAURANT AREAS MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

During these activities it is necessary:

- Preventive sanitation of structures, equipment, seats, environments
- Accessibility to frequent hand hygiene (dispenser with hydroalcoholic solution).
- Avoid hugs and handshakes.
- Maintaining an interpersonal distance of at least 1 meter and wearing masks
- Do not touch your eyes, nose and mouth with your hands.
- Cover your mouth and nose if you sneeze or cough.
- Clean the surfaces with disinfectants.
- Avoid gatherings in common areas.
- Avoid meetings unless strictly necessary.
- Foreclose access to anyone who has or develops fever or symptoms compatible with COVID-19
- Collaborate with the health authorities for the definition of any "close contacts"
- The access of external people (such as suppliers) must be limited and controlled with specific identification of entry and exit routes
- Access with body temperature measurement.
- Staff training
- It is recommended to use your own vehicles to reach the event
- Prepare informative signs
- Prepare a cleaning log
- Continuous ventilation of the premises
- Allow access only to authorized persons
- Continuous use of the mask for catering service staff
- In the presence of tables, ensure limited access
- Sanitize the tables every time they are released
- Allow entry, possibly by reservation, to a number of people such as to ensure the correct individual spacing within the administration point
- Where necessary, set up separation barriers
- If there are buffet dishes, prepare a person in charge of the portioning

- Only move inside when strictly necessary
- To ensure, as far as possible, that any queues that may form outside waiting for access take place in compliance with the correct individual spacing. Possibly allow access on several shifts
- Evaluate, where the structure allows, the establishment of predefined routes that allow reaching the service point without intersecting with customers already served and who are preparing to exit

ADVENTORS / GUESTS ADMITTED TO THE EVENT

During these activities it is necessary:

- Accessibility to frequent hand hygiene (dispenser with hydroalcoholic solution).
- Avoid hugs and handshakes.
- Maintaining an interpersonal distance of at least 1 meter and wearing masks
- Avoid mixed use of bottles and glasses.
- Do not touch your eyes, nose and mouth with your hands.
- Cover your mouth and nose if you sneeze or cough.
- Avoid gatherings
- Foreclose access to anyone who has or develops fever or symptoms compatible with COVID-19
- Collaborate with the health authorities for the definition of any "close contacts"
- Access with body temperature measurement.
- Information activities with posters and brochures
- It is recommended to use your own vehicles to reach the event Durante tali attività è necessario:

ATTENDING TEAMS AND RIDERS

During these activities it is necessary:

- Preventive sanitation of structures, equipment, seats, environments
- Accessibility to frequent hand hygiene (dispenser with hydroalcoholic solution)
- Avoid hugs and handshakes
- Maintaining an interpersonal distance of at least 1 meter and wearing masks
- Do not touch your eyes, nose and mouth with your hands
- Cover your mouth and nose if you sneeze or cough
- Avoid gatherings in common area
- Avoid meetings unless strictly necessary
- Foreclose access to anyone who has or develops fever or symptoms compatible with COVID-19
- Collaborate with the health authorities for the definition of any "close contacts"
- Access with body temperature measurement
- Staff training
- It is recommended to use your own vehicles to reach the event
- Access to the Vet Gate will be allowed only to the Athlete and to 1 of the 4 crew members available (yellow bib)
- Access to the cooling area will be allowed only to 2 of the 4 crew members available (yellow bib)
- Access to the crew points will be allowed only to 2 of the 4 crew members available (red bib)
- In the stable area, access will be allowed to a maximum of 2 people per horse at any time. The number of the crew is limited to 2 plus the Athlete for the duration of the event.
- Only 1 crew member per horse to participate in the start.
- At the finish line, Athlete and Horse will follow a fenced and protected path that from the finish will lead them to the cooling area.

Guidance for the use of the WHO Risk Assessment tools in the context of COVID-19 - FEI version

Guidance for FEI Event organisers ("OCs") during the current outbreak of COVID-19

In view of the current outbreak of COVID-19, this disease-specific and event-specific risk assessment and mitigation checklist has been developed by WHO for use by host countries and event organizers, to assess the specific risk of COVID-19.

The FEI has slightly adapted the wording in the document, mainly by replacing the initial term "mass gathering sporting event" by "FEI Event". Under the FEI Policy for Enhanced Competition Safety during the Covid-19 Pandemic, which applies to all FEI Events taking place after 1 July 2020, all OCs of FEI Events must carry out a risk assessment of their Event in terms of Covid-19 transmission, using the present document.

The following risk assessment and mitigation checklist should be used in conjunction with the "WHO Mass Gathering Sports Addendum Guidelines" - OCs should consider the term "mass gathering" in it as synonym of "FEI Event" in this context.

In order to accurately provide answers the following risk assessment and mitigation checklist, OCs must be knowledgeable on the current COVID-19 outbreak. OCs should reference the daily global COVID-19 situation reports provided by WHO as well as the national COVID-19 situation reports, if available.

The tool must be completed in this Excel spreadsheet (see following tabs), as the scores are automatically calculated there. Once the tool is completed, the scores received in the Excel spreadsheet for both sections will appear in the decision matrix found on the final tab ("Overall risk scores") for the Event's overall risk score to be determined.

It must be ensured that this risk assessment is conducted with input from local public health authorities and that the necessary personnel with expertise in mass gatherings, risk assessment, epidemiology, and infectious disease control measures are included from the initial stages of planning.

For the final determination, factors under consideration include:

- the current stage of the COVID-19 outbreak and known transmission dynamics
- the geographical distribution and number of participants, and their individual risk profile
- the risk assessment tool
- the mitigation measures that are currently in place or feasible and any discipline-specific guidance issued by the FEI.

It is important to remember that while mitigation measures can reduce the risk of COVID-19 infections, they cannot completely eliminate the threat. It is WHO's view that all countries with community transmission should seriously consider postponing or reducing sport events that bring people together and have the potential to amplify disease, and support the recommended best practice of physical distancing. Any decision will be supported through the use of WHO tools, in particular this risk assessment tool.

If movement restrictions and further national measures have been established in the country, the risk assessment does not apply.

However, when the process of re-opening/conducting mass gatherings is being considered post movement restrictions, it will be key to ensure any decisions are based on a risk assessment, such as the WHO Mass gatherings COVID-19 risk assessment.

Risk assessment for COVID-19

The questions below will enable OCs to review the additional considerations specific to sports, and thus inform their risk assessment of COVID-19 associated with their Event. This will help OCs understand and manage any additional risk from COVID-19.

The risk assessment should be reviewed and reassessed regularly during the planning phase and updated immediately prior to the transition to the operational phase, especially in light of the rapidly evolving nature of the outbreak. Reference should be made to the latest technical guidance and situation reports on the WHO website.

The risk assessment for COVID-19 associated with the Event must be coordinated and integrated with the host country's national risk assessment for COVID-19. The person completing the questionnaire should include input from the local public health authorities, consult WHO's latest technical guidance and ensure that there is an up-to-date evaluation of the epidemiological situation.

Please answer Yes (1) or No (0) to the following questions to determine a risk assessment score that incorporates factors specific to sporting events

Additional risk of COVID-19 to the sporting event	Yes (1)/No (0)	Score
Will the event be held in a country that has documented active local transmission of COVID-19 (community spread)?	1	1
Will the event be held in a single venue or multiple venues/cities/countries? (single venue = 0; multiple venues = 1)	0	0
Will the event include international participants (athletes and spectators) from countries that have documented active local transmission of COVID-19 (community spread)? (NB: if the Events does not involve spectators, please clarify this in the comments to the questions in relation to spectators in the "Mitigation Checklist" sheet)	1	1

Will the event include a significant number of participants (athletes or spectators) at higher risk of severe COVID-19 disease (e.g., people over 65 years of age or people with underlying health conditions)?	0	0
Will the event include sports that are considered at higher risk of spread for COVID-19 (eg, contact sports)?	0	0
Will the event be held indoors? (Yes = 1; No = 0)	0	0
Total COVID-19 risk score		2

Mitigation checklist for COVID-19

Mitigation measures assess the current effort and planning to reduce the risk of spread of COVID-19 disease for the event. As mitigation measures can reduce the overall risk of the sporting event contributing to the spread of COVID-19, they should be taken into account after the risk assessment has occurred to gain a clearer understanding of the overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19, should the event be held. Together with the risk assessment score, the mitigation measure will contribute to the decision matrix and influence the assessment of the overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the event.

Topic	Key consideration	Score Yes/Completed (2), Maybe/In progress (1), No/Not considered (0)	Weighting	Total score	Comments
Understanding of the overview of the current COVID-19 situation by the OC	Have the relevant OC and responsible staff been informed about the latest available guidance on the COVID-19 outbreak (official web resources available from WHO, CDC, ECDC, UN, local public health authorities)? And are the OC and staff concerned committed to following the available guidance?	2	1	2	
	Is the OC aware of global and local daily situation reports as provided by WHO or local public health authorities?	2	1	2	
	Do the OC and responsible staff understand the risks and transmission routes of COVID-19, the steps that Event attendees can take to limit spread, the recognized best practices (including respiratory etiquette, hand hygiene, physical distancing, etc.), and the travel restrictions adopted by different countries that may affect the Event?	2	1	2	
	Has a contingency medical response plan for COVID-19 been developed for the Event?	2	3	6	

Event emergency preparedness and response plans	Does the contingency medical response plan include information about how attendees should interact with the host country healthcare system (e.g. hotline/helpline telephone number, medical teams and first-aid points for the Event, local health care system)?	2	3	6	
	Is there an Emergency COVID-19 Outbreak Response Coordinator/Team in the OC or other structure for the Event with defined roles and responsibilities, coordinating the health preparedness and response planning for the outbreak?	2	2	4	
	Has the host country or OC requested support from WHO and/or local public health authorities ?	2	3	6	
	Has the OC acquired the following supplies to help reduce the risk of transmission of COVID-19?				
	Personal protective equipment (e.g. masks, gloves, gowns) for onsite medical personnel	2	3	6	
	Hand sanitizer and alcohol rubs/gels, tissues, frequently replaced soap canisters and closed bins for safe disposal of hygienic materials (e.g. tissues, towels, sanitary products) in washrooms and changing rooms	2	3	6	
	Hand sanitizers and alcohol rubs for all entrances and throughout the venue	2	3	6	
	If a person feels unwell/ shows symptoms of an acute respiratory infection during the Event:				
	Is there a procedure for athletes or spectators to clearly identify whom to contact and how to do so if they or other Event participants feel unwell?	2	3	6	
	Is there a protocol on whom the OC should contact in the host country to report suspected cases and request testing and epidemiological investigations?	2	3	6	
	Are first-aid services or other medical services in-place and equipped to support patients with respiratory symptoms?	2	2	4	
	Are there isolation rooms or mobile isolation units available onsite?	2	2	4	

	Are there any designated medical facilities that manage patients with COVID-19 infection in the host country?	2	2	4	
	Are there transportation services with trained medical professionals available to transport critically ill patients with severe acute respiratory infections to a hospital or to evacuate them from the host country, if necessary?	2	2	4	
	Has a cleaning schedule been developed to ensure the venue is clean and hygienic – wiping surfaces and any equipment regularly with disinfectant is strongly recommended (before, during and after the event and between each round of competition)?	2	3	6	
	Are there established screening measures , including temperature checks in place for participants at the point of entry, venues, routes and on-site medical facilities (first-aid points)? (Please specify in Comments what these screening measures include)	2	3	6	Temperature checks for participants will be taken at the entrance of the venue and all the stable gates. At the venue there will be on-site medical facilities: a Medical Centre managed by the Italian Red Cross as first-aid point and to make swab tests.
	Is the host country conducting COVID-19 laboratory diagnostic tests ? (If Yes, please specify in comments the type of COVID-19 diagnostic test used)	2	3	6	At the Venue there will be an equipped Medical centre that will offer the opportunity to make two types of swabs test: - the first of the rapid antigenic type with results in about 20 minutes - the second of the molecular type. In this case, the swab will be sent to a certified laboratory that will reply within 24 hours.
	Does the host country have a national public health emergency preparedness and response plan that can address severe respiratory diseases, including COVID-19?	2	2	4	
	Is there a preliminary agreement by the host country to provide care for any COVID-19 cases connected with the Event?	2	3	6	

	If the Event is for a duration of 14 days or longer, does the medical response plan for the event include resources and protocols for managing all public health interventions that would be necessary and supporting the national public health authorities if participants are infected and become unwell at the Event? (If the event is for less than 14 days, please score 0)	0	3	0	
	If the Event is for less than 14 days, does the medical response plan include protocols for OCs to notify all participants of possible exposure to COVID-19 if the OCs are made aware of any suspected or confirmed cases that attended the Event? (If the event is for 14 days or longer, please score 0)	2	3	6	
Stakeholder and partner coordination	Is there an established mechanism for collaboration and coordination between the health and security sectors , which is considered as crucial?	2	2	4	
	Are there agreed, clear and easily understood processes in place for reporting to external multi-sectoral stakeholders (including surveillance authorities, WHO, CDC, ECDC, etc.) and disseminating risk communication messages (Media)?	2	2	4	
Command and control	Is there a decision-making authority/body and an agreed procedure to modify, restrict, postpone or cancel the Event related to the evolving COVID-19 outbreak?	2	3	6	
	Are there arrangements to activate a strategic health operations centre if there are suspected COVID-19 cases in connection with the Event?	2	2	4	
	Have the OC and staff undergone training and exercises on personal safety procedures and emergency mitigation measures (including those specifically listed in this checklist)?	2	3	6	
Risk communication	Is there a risk communication strategy for the Event in regard to COVID-19?	2	3	6	

	Is there a designated person(s) to lead media activities and tasked with managing all external communications with national and international government officials, the general public, and the media? (If yes, please identify the spokesperson in comments)	2	2	4	Our Press Office Mrs. Caterina Vagnozzi
	Has there been monitoring of national and international media and social media established for rumours to be able to counter them early? (Please explain in the comments what protocols are in place for counter messaging)	2	2	4	Yes, there is a monitoring of national and international press and media. Our Social Media Team is very active and attentive to all the messages and information published. Any action will be shared with the Press Office.
	Has coordination been set up with major official media channels and social media sites such as Twitter, Facebook and Instagram so that messaging can be coordinated with, and assisted by, the platforms to provide targeted messaging from OCs (including messaging to counter fake news and rumours, and proactive messaging about the status of the sporting event, including changes)?	2	2	4	
Public health awareness of COVID-19 before and during the event	Has public health advice on clinical features of COVID-19, preventive measures, especially respiratory etiquette, hand hygiene practices, and physical distancing, been shared with all staff involved in the Event, athletes, the public, and personnel of all relevant stakeholders?	2	3	6	
	Has information on the at-risk populations been provided to all athletes, the public and others so they may make an informed decision on their attendance based on their personal risks?	2	3	6	
	Has public advice included information on the meaning of the following measures: quarantine, self-isolation and self-monitoring ?	2	2	4	
Surge capacity	Are there any surge arrangements in place in the event of a public health emergency during the Event - (i.e. suspected and confirmed cases of COVID-19?				
	Do these surge arrangements include funding for	2	3	6	

	mitigation measures?				
	Do these surge arrangements include stockpiles of equipment (e.g. personal protective equipment, etc.)	2	3	6	
	Do these surge arrangements include training of extra staff?	2	2	4	
	Do these surge arrangements include volunteers?	2	2	4	
Specific mitigation measures	Will there be daily health checks of athletes/competitors?	2	2	4	
	Will the athletes be separated from other groups , such as officials, support staff and spectators, to limit transmission?	2	2	4	Obligation of not gathering. Physical distances always respected. Athletes and National Teams need to be careful not to mix with each other as much as possible.
	Are there measures in place to limit the sharing of equipment, water bottles, towels , etc.?	2	3	6	
	Will athletes be given closed containers to allow for the safe disposal or storing of all hygienic materials (e.g. tissues, towels, etc.)?	2	3	6	
	Will the Event have designated seating for all spectators?	2	3	6	
	Does the designated seating provided allow for physical distancing between spectators (minimum of 1 metre)?	2	2	4	
	Have pre-travel health checks been performed on all athletes to ensure underlying co-morbidities, medications, allergies, etc. are documented?	2	2	4	The OC informed widely all the attending NFS and teams about procedures and health requirement to enter Italy.

Sum of mitigation measures	220
Total mitigation score (%)	100

220

Event overall risk score

The decision matrix takes the risk score and the mitigation score to provide a colour determination. This colour determination identifies the total risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the Event. The "Colour Determination" key below the decision matrix describes the total risk for each colour.

Total COVID-19 risk score (from "Risk Assessment" Tab)	2
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Total mitigation score (from "Mitigation Checklist" Tab)	100
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Risk Vs. Mitigation Matrix

Total Risk Assessment Score	Very Prepared to Mitigate COVID-19 Impacts (76-100)	Somewhat Prepared to Mitigate COVID-19 Impacts (51-75)	Somewhat Unprepared to Mitigate COVID-19 Impacts (26-50)	Very Unprepared to Mitigate COVID-19 Impacts (0-25)
0 - Negligible	Very low	Very low	Very low	Very low
1 - Very Low Risk	Very low	Very low	Low	Low
2 - Low Risk	Low	Low	Low	Moderate
3 - Moderate Risk (low-moderate)	Low	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
4 - Moderate Risk (high-moderate)	Moderate	Moderate	High	Very High

5 - High Risk	High	High	Very High	Very High
6 - Very High Risk	Very High	Very High	Very High	Very High

KEY FOR COLOUR DETERMINATION OF OVERALL RISK	
VERY LOW	Overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the Event is considered <u>very low</u> .
LOW	Overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the Event is considered <u>low</u> . Recommend checking whether mitigation measures can be strengthened.
MODERATE	Overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the Event is considered <u>moderate</u> . Recommend <u>significant</u> efforts to improve mitigation measures or reduce risk of transmission (decrease risk assessment score).
HIGH	Overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the Event is considered <u>high</u> . Recommend <u>significant</u> efforts to improve <u>both</u> mitigation measures and reduce risk of transmission (decrease risk assessment score).
VERY HIGH	Overall risk of transmission and further spread of COVID-19 in relation to the Event is considered <u>very high</u> .

I. DENOMINATION OF THE EVENT

Venue: Pisa, San Rossore – ITALY
Longines FEI Endurance World Championship 2021
Date: 21 -22 May - 2021
NF: ITA

Championships: CH-M-E 160 km

II. GENERAL CONDITIONS

This event is organised in accordance with:

- FEI Statutes, 24th edition, effective 19 November 2019
- FEI General Regulations, 24th edition, 1st January 2020, updates effective 1st January 2021
- FEI Veterinary Regulations, 14th edition, effective 1st January 2018, updates effective 1st January 2021
- **FEI Endurance Rules (11th edition, effective 1st July 2020, including updates 1st January 2021)**
- Equine Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Regulations (EADCMR), 3rd Edition, effective 1st January 2021
- FEI Anti-Doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA), based upon the 2021 WADA Code, effective 1st January 2021
- The FEI Policy for Enhanced Competition Safety during the Covid-19 Pandemic, effective as of 1 July 2020 and until further notice
- Given the current covid-19 situation, please note that the FEI's approval of a Schedule should not be taken as an absolute guarantee that the Event will definitely go ahead. The decision whether the Event can take place must be made by the OC and NF in close consultation with the applicable domestic government and public health authorities. It is the responsibility of each Participant to check the status of the Event prior to planning his/her travel to the Event.
- All subsequent published revisions, the provisions of which will take precedence.

Approved by the FEI, Lausanne, on 08.02.2021

updated 08.03.2021, 26.03.2021, 04.05.2021 and 12.05.2021

Signature :  _____

Christina Abu-Dayyeh
FEI Director Endurance

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IV. THE FEI CODE OF CONDUCT FOR THE WELFARE OF THE HORSE

The Fédération Equestre Internationale (FEI) expects all those involved in international equestrian sport to adhere to the FEI's Code of Conduct and to acknowledge and accept that at all times the welfare of the horse must be paramount and must never be subordinated to competitive or commercial influences.

1. At all stages during the preparation and training of competition horses, welfare must take precedence over all other demands. This includes good horse management, training methods, farriery and tack, and transportation.
2. Horses and competitors must be fit, competent and in good health before they are allowed to compete. This encompasses medication use, surgical procedures that threaten welfare or safety, pregnancy in mares and the misuse of aids.
3. Events must not prejudice horse welfare. This involves paying careful attention to the competition areas, ground surfaces, weather conditions, stabling, site safety and fitness of the horse for onward travel after the event.
4. Every effort must be made to ensure that horses receive proper attention after they have competed and that they are treated humanely when their competition careers are over. This covers proper veterinary care, competition injuries, euthanasia and retirement.
5. The FEI urges all involved with the sport to attain the highest levels of education in their areas of expertise.

A full copy of this Code can be obtained from the:

Fédération Equestre Internationale
HM King Hussein I Building
Chemin de la Joliette 8
1006 Lausanne, Switzerland.
Telephone: +41 21 310 47 47.

The Code is available in English & French.

The Code is also available on the FEI's website: inside.fei.org.

V. GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Organiser

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 Telephone: +39 075 5011858
 Email: m.valorosi@sistemaeventi.it | info@italiaendurance.it
 Website: www.ewc2021.com/en

Accessibility Details of the Show Ground:

Address: San Rossore Racecourse – Via delle Cascine San Rossore 56122 Pisa - Italy
 Telephone: +39 3346073231
 GPS Coordinates 43°43'32.714" N – 10°20'14.348" E

Accessibility details (directions by road, nearest airport / train station):
 By car: From south of Italy, San Rossore Racecourse is reachable from the highway A12 exit Pisa – Centro, go ahead along the Aurelia street, continue straight until the third traffic light after the bridge and turn left on the Viale delle Cascine. From north of Italy, San Rossore Racecourse is reachable from the highway A12 exit Pisa-nord, continue on the Aurelia street and at the traffic light turn right on the Viale delle Cascine. By plane: The nearest airport is the international airport of Pisa "Galileo Galilei". By train: The most important train station is in Pisa

2. Organising Committee

Honorary President: Mr. PICCIONI Emiliano
 President of the Event: Mrs. ZUCCHETTA Simona
 Show Secretary: Mrs. VALOROSI Mariangela | Mr. ZUCCOLO Fabio
 Press Officer: **Mrs. VAGNOZZI Caterina**

3. Event Director

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VI. OFFICIALS

Event : CH-M- E 22/05/2021							
Ref.	Panel	Function	FEI ID	Name	NF	Level	Contact Email
							<i>*compulsory</i>
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		Assistant Steward	10092525	NICOLIS Valeria	ITA	2	
		Assistant Steward	10053393	KOSTOVA Theodora	BUL	3	
		Assistant Steward	10051330	BOSCO Gabriella	ITA	3	
		Assistant Steward	10117801	MOSCATELLI Rita	ITA	3	
		Assistant Steward	10117802	REVEL Veronica	ITA	3	
		Assistant Steward	10018710	STAROVECKA Lucia	SVK	3	
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10	IGA's	Independent Governance Advisor	°°°	°°°	°°°	°°°	°°°

The NF confirms that all officials listed above are in compliance with the FEI Officials' Code of Conduct

Please note that the schedule has been approved under the provision that all appointed Officials have successfully passed the on-line FEI Competency Evaluation Test

VII. INVITATIONS

1. General

a) Championships & CEIOs

Please refer to Art. 843.2 of the FEI Endurance Rules

2. Eligibility of Athletes/Horse age in FEI Endurance Events:

Event's Category	Age of Athletes	Age of Horses	Age of Trainer
	Art. 826 End. Rules	Art. 827 End. Rules	Art. 826 End. Rules
3* Championships and CEIO 3* (160 km)	As of 14 th year with permission of their NF	Min 9 years old	Min. 18 years old
2* Senior Championships and CEIO 2* (120-139 km)	As of 14 th year with permission of their NF	Min 8 years old	
2* Junior/Young Rider Championships (120-139 km)	As of 14 th year with permission of their NF up to their 22 nd year	Min 8 years old	
1* Senior Championships and CEIO 1* (100-119 km)	As of 14 th year with permission of their NF	Min 7 years old	
Young Horses Championships	As of 14 th year with permission of their NF	Min. 8 years old	
CEI 3* and CEIYJ 3*	As of 14 th year with permission of their NF	Min 8 years old	Min. 18 years old
CEI 2* and CEIYJ 2*	As of 14 th year with permission of their NF	Min 7 years old	
CEI 1* and CEIYJ1*	As of 14 th year with permission of their NF	Min 6 years old	

Article 124 (GRs) - Young Riders, Juniors, Pony Riders, Children and Veterans

- Athletes of the appropriate age may take part in FEI Competitions and FEI Championships of more than one (1) Category for Young Riders, Juniors and Pony Riders, but in each Discipline only in one (1) of these FEI Championships in any one (1) calendar year.
- Athletes may take part in FEI Senior Competitions and Championships from the beginning of the year they reach the age of 18 (eighteen) but they may only take part either in a Junior or a Young Rider or a FEI Championship for Seniors in the same Discipline in any calendar year. Further exceptions regarding age limits are set forth in the Sport Rules of the relevant Disciplines.

VIII. TIMETABLE

• Opening of stables:	Date : Tuesday, 18 th May Time: 10 AM
• Veterinary Examination:	Upon arrival
• First Veterinary Inspection:	Date : Friday, 21 st May Time: 3 PM
• Final Veterinary Inspection:	Within 20min after arrival

(please also consult page 23)

IX. ENTRIES

IMPORTANT

- Entries must be made by NFs through the FEI Entry System for all categories of this Event (<https://entry.fei.org>);
- Additional documentation can be found at this link: [Click Here](#)
- All Athletes and Horses participating in any International Competition must be registered with the FEI;
- Athletes and/or Horses present at the Event without having been entered through the FEI's Online Entry System will be automatically disqualified unless compelling circumstances warrant otherwise.

1. Entry dates and Entry fee:

Nominated Entries:

08 21 April 2021

(Please note that the deadline for achieving qualification is 05 April 2021 – see the qualification criteria below for further details)

Definite Entries:

7 May 2021

Team declaration:

1 hour after the first vet inspection

Entry Fee per horse: 1.200 EU (ENTRY, BOX & 1ST BEDDING) + 25 CHF EADCMP

Fee - NFs must pay the entry fees for all their participating athletes and horses with Bank Transfer by 7/05/2021 on the following account:

ITALIA ENDURANCE ASD Bank: INTESA SAN PAOLO – Branch 65058 Perugia

IBAN code: IT 50 G 030 6903 1061 0000 0004 094 Swift code: BCITITMM

For qualification criteria please consult:

<https://inside.fei.org/fei/disc/endurance/main-events/world-seniors-2021>

Entries have to be in accordance with Art. 844 of Endurance Rules and Art. 116 of the General Regulations

2. Substitutions of Horses and/or Athletes and/or Trainer:

846.1 After the deadline for Definite Entries:

846.1.1 substitution of Horses and/or Athletes may only be made with the permission of the National Federation and the OC, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld.

All substituted Horses and/or Athletes must be correctly qualified for the Competition;

846.1.2 the registered Trainer of a Horse taking part in the Competition may not be substituted.

3. No-Shows/Late Withdrawals:

"NB: In the case of withdrawals after the date of definite entries or no-shows the athletes of the respective NF will be held liable to reimburse the organiser for the actual financial loss incurred by the organizer (i.e. stabling and hotel expenses) as a result of the late withdrawal or no-show."

Amount charged: 1.200 euro / horse

4. Additional fees/Charges by the Organiser:

All additional fees must be listed hereunder with the details of the amounts to be charged and approved by the FEI. Only fees approved by the FEI and listed in the approved schedule can be charged by the organiser.

EADCMP Fee: Not included in entry fee ☒

Lower Level Events (CIMs) CHF 18 per horse per event
(For definition of CIMs see Appendix E of the FEI General Regulations)

Higher Level Events CHF 25 per horse per event
(All other events not defined as CIMs)

Electricity:	FREE
Manure disposal	FREE
Forage	15 euro /package
Straw	15 euro /package
Shavings	15 euro /package
Ice	on reservation
Tack Box	300 euro to book with Nominated Entries

All aforementioned amounts are including VAT

VAT Number of the OC 02286520545

X. COMPETITION DETAIL

1. Competition

Classification ☒ Team ☒ Individual
 Time limit **11 H 27' 21" + hold times (4H 05') Max time h: 10 pm 32' 21"**
 Starting method ☒ Mass start ☐ Staggered start
 (only for CEI 1* or 2nd day of a 2-day events)
 Type of ground Natural parkland

2. Place and Time of Start

Event	Date of competition	Time of Start	Place of start	Altitude differentials
CH-M-E	22 May 2021	07:00 AM	Pisa – San Rossore Racecourse	No Differentials

3. Heart Rates

Presentation Time	Requirements
On Loops	64 bpm within 15mn of crossing the end line of each loop
From Halfway point	If at first presentation HR more than 68 bpm, must do a re-inspection before starting the next loop
Final Loop	64 bpm within 20mn of crossing the end line of final loop

4. Minimum Weight

Event	Minimum weight
Young Rider/Junior	
Young Rider/Junior Competitions and Championships	60 kg
Senior	
CEI 1* and CEI 2*	70 kg
CEI 3*	75 kg
CEIOs and Championships	75 kg

805.3.3 Weight control must be carried out before the start of the Competition and (if so requested by an FEI Official) after the finish. Weight control inspections may also take place at random at any time during the Competition on request by an FEI Official.

5. Minimum Distance Per Day

Event:	CH – M -E		
Number of phases	KM	Minimum time for 18km/h ¹	Into a hold (minutes) of
1 ORANGE	33,7	112 mins	45'
2 WHITE	23,7	79 mins	45'
3 ORANGE	33,2	110 mins	45'
4 BLUE	25,7	86 mins	55'
5 WHITE	23,7	79 mins	55'
6 YELLOW	20	67 mins	Into finish
Total KM	160		
		Number	
Crewing Points max 1 per 5 km		13	
Drinking water Points min 1 per 10 km		27	

Note:

- For CEI 1* and 2* at least one timed hold not shorter than 40 minutes
- For CEI 3* and Championships at least one hold not shorter than 50 minutes
- No phase may exceed 40 km and be less than 20km
- Hold times must meet a minimum ratio of 1 min per 1 km completed (each phase)
- Maximum hold time is 60 minutes

XI. FACILITIES OFFERED

Please specify travel, style of accommodation, length of time they are at the expense of the Organiser and any compensation scheduled for the following:

1. Athletes

Accommodation.

Please go to <https://ewc2021.com/en/> and click on the Section related to Hospitality. The OC will assist Athletes in the best accommodation. Please visit <https://ewc2021.com/en/hospitality-endurance-world-championship/>

Cost of accommodation will be at the cost of Athletes.

Meals will be at the expense of Athletes at the venue.

2. Crew members

Please go to <https://ewc2021.com/en/> and click on the Section related to Hospitality. The OC will assist Athletes in the best accommodation. Please visit <https://ewc2021.com/en/hospitality-endurance-world-championship/>

Cost of accommodation will be at the cost of Athletes.

Meals will be at the expense of Athletes at the venue.

N.B: If applicable, Organiser's must provide proper sanitary conditions. The showering facilities should be sufficient for both male and female crew members with hot and cold water. Shower facilities as well as restrooms should at all times be in a state of cleanliness.

¹ - Minimum time for 18 km/h serves as informative time as per Art. 837, from 1st July 2020

XII. LOGISTICAL / ADMINISTRATIVE / TECHNICAL INFORMATION**1. Stables**

Size of boxes 3 m x 3 m
(minimum 3m x 3m + 20% 3m x 4m)

2. Scoring/Timing Provider

Please fill in Annex XVI - FEI Entry System for the Timing Provider (where applicable)

Will you use a FEI Certified Service Provider to manage the scoring and timing at your Event?
(The list of certified Service Providers is available here: <https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/it-providers/list>)

YES ☒

NO ☐

Name of the Company: ERTZ
FEI Certified Service Provider ID number: GU42W404AKSCEI

Contact person at event (compulsory)

Name: Mr. ZUCCOLO Fabio
FEI ID number: 10101225
Contact email: info@enduranceonline.it

The FEI may require to be provided with real time results data feed of your events according to FEI requirements; in this case you and your provider will be informed accordingly.

3. Other Technology/Service Provider(s)

Will you use other technology/service provider(s) at your Event?

YES ☒

Name of the Company: ERTZ

Contact person

Name: Mr. ZUCCOLO Fabio
FEI ID number (if applicable): 10101225
Contact email : info@enduranceonline.it
Activity/Function: Accreditation
Cardio-frequency meter service
(i.e.: Accreditations, Stable Management, Camera system, Sensors, etc...)

Name of the Company: SPORTTRAXX

Contact person

Name: Mr. SCHINDELE Wolfgang
FEI ID number (if applicable):
Contact email : info@sporttraxx.com
Activity/Function: GPS Technology
(i.e.: Accreditations, Stable Management, Camera system, Sensors, etc...)

4. Advertising And Publicity On Athletes And Horses (Art. Gr 135)

☒ allowed ☐ not allowed

The chief steward will check that the advertising on athletes and horses complies with these Articles.

5. Prize Giving Ceremony

The number of athletes required to present themselves for the prize-giving ceremony of each competition is Teams places 1 to 3 and Individual places 1 to 3 in accordance with current COVID-19 restrictions.

<https://inside.fei.org/sites/default/files/Covid-19%20guidelines%20for%20prize%20giving%20protocols%20and%20media%20activities-Effective%201%20September%202020.pdf>

6. Horses / Ponies

Transport expenses to be paid by:

The Organiser ☐ at ☐ per km.
The Athlete ☒

7. Welcome

The time and date of arrival of athletes, horses and their means of transport must be given to the Organiser in order to facilitate their arrival.

8. Entry Right To Showgrounds/Accredited Persons

Entry right to the stable area acc. to FEI Veterinary Regulations Articles 1008-1009.

NUMBER OF ACCREDITED PERSONS:

Athlete:	1
Partner:	0
Crew members (max 4 per horse):	4 (2 crew members in the cooling area of which 1 crew member is allowed also at the Vet Gate, 2 crew members at crew points)
Trainer:	1 per Team
Horse Owner:	2 (2 accreditations per horse acc. to FEI-Passport)
Chef d'Equipe:	1 per Team
Team Vet:	1 per Team
Team Farrier:	1 per Team

9. Sustainability

Please consider the environment when organising an FEI Event. Please find useful information on FEI Sustainability here:

<http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/organisers/handbook>

XIII. VETERINARY MATTERS

1. Customs Formalities

Name: Pianeta cavallo Service Srl
Address: Via Sicilia 60 21013 Gallarate (VA)

Telephone: +39 3495707099
Email: pianetacavalloservice@gmail.com

All costs are at the Team's / Athlete's charge

2. Health Requirements

GENERAL

In accordance with the FEI Code of Conduct for the Welfare of the Horse it is imperative that all Horses at FEI Events are physically fit and free from infectious disease before being allowed to compete.

ENTRY OF HORSES

All participating horses must be in possession of:

- 1) a declaration (with a detailed list) from their own NF stating that the same is temporarily imported into Italy to take part in CH-M-E PISA SAN ROSSORE (official name of the competition, date and address);
- 2) an ATA form, especially for extra European Countries or in the case the horse will pass through not EU Countries (crossing not communitarian nations) (for further information see: <http://www.atacarnet.com/>);
- 3) official veterinary health certificates on the International Form issued from the official veterinary health authorities of the Country of origin:
 - a) *for horses from European Countries* see Annex II or Annex III of Council Directive 2009/156, please remember that these Annexes still in force only 10 days AND the addition of the horses in the TRACES system (Commission Decision 2004/292/EC);
 - b) *for Re-entry of registered horses after temporary export to approved non-EU countries* from European Countries see commission implementing regulation (eu) 2018/659 and respective subsequent amendment (e.g. commission implementing regulation (eu) 2018/1301)
 - c) *for horses from NOT European Countries* see commission implementing regulation (eu) 2018/659 and respective subsequent amendment (e.g. commission implementing regulation (eu) 2018/1301)

For questions or problems, please contact your Government Veterinary Services.

3. National Requirements

If applicable please provide:

COGGINS Test compulsory for Horses resident in Italy (DM 02/02/2016)

4. Injury Surveillance

FEI Veterinary Regulations, **Chapter VIII**:

Horses participating in FEI Events are subject to injury surveillance protocols; and in the event of fatality, a post mortem examination.

5. Transport Of Horses

Horses must be fit to travel and be transported in suitable vehicles f. Any government requirements for disease testing and control must be requested well in advance, to ensure that the horse is in compliance by the time of arrival at the border of the country where the Event is taking place. Athletes, or their representatives, have the responsibility to comply with national legislation in both their country of origin and the host nation of the Event. Where necessary athletes must contact local government authorities or veterinary advisors for information regarding animal health requirements and transport legislation. Within the European Union (EU), this includes EU Council Regulation (EC) No 1/2005 concerning the protection of animals during transport within the Member States of the EU.

6. Venue Arrival Information & Fitness To Compete

6.1 Passports. FEI General Regulations

Article 137

For all Horses on FEI Passports/FEI Recognition Cards issues, please address to your National Federation

All Horses competing at FEI Events must be registered with the FEI.

FEI Passports or FEI Recognition Cards (for those Horses with a national passport approved by the FEI) are compulsory for FEI Events.

NB: Horses in CIMs, in their country of residence are not required to have an FEI Passport or FEI Recognition Card but must be properly registered with the FEI and identifiable (GRs. 137.2).

Event's Category	FEI Passport / FEI Recognition Card Required
National Events	No FEI Passport/FEI Recognition Card required
CEI1* - CEI 2*	1) FEI Passports/FEI Recognition Cards are not compulsory for horses competing in their country of residence 2) FEI Passports/FEI Recognition Cards are compulsory for horses competing in a country other than the country of the horse' residency
CEI 3*	FEI Passports/FEI Recognition Cards are compulsory for all Horses
All Championships/Games	FEI Passports/FEI Recognition Cards are compulsory for all Horses

Athletes who do not present a Horse's Passport and/or Recognition Card, or one that is not correctly validated or fail to meet other passport requirements will be **subject to Sanctions in accordance with Annex VI of the FEI Veterinary Regulations** and may not be allowed to compete.

NB: for Horses permanently resident in a Member State of the European Union: all Horses must have a national EU passport in compliance with EU Regulations to which a FEI Recognition card is applied. The exception to this being Horses in possession of an FEI passport which has been continually revalidated without interruption.

6.2 Vaccinations - Equine Influenza FEI Veterinary Regulations Article 1003

Horses competing at FEI Events must comply with the requirements for Equine Influenza vaccination in accordance with the Veterinary Regulations and as summarised below.

VACCINATION	PROTOCOL	ELIGIBILITY TO ENTER VENUE
Primary Course	1 st Vaccination: day 0 2 nd Vaccination: day 21-92	May compete 7 days after the 2 nd Vaccination
First Booster	Within 7 months of the 2 nd vaccination of the Primary Course	May compete for 6 months +21 days after the 2 nd vaccination of the Primary Course Must not compete in the 7 days after receiving a vaccination
Boosters	MINIMUM: within one year of previous booster vaccination IF COMPETING: must be in the 6 months +21 days of the booster previous vaccination	Must have been vaccinated within 6 months +21 days before arriving at the Event Must not compete in the 7 days after receiving a vaccination

All FEI registered Horses intending to compete at FEI Events (including CIMs) must be vaccinated against Equine Influenza in accordance with these VRs. The exception being if the applicable domestic legislation prevents the use of Equine Influenza vaccines within the relevant territory.

6.3 Examination On Arrival

FEI Veterinary Regulations Article 1031

On arrival at an Event venue all Horses must undergo an examination by a veterinarian to confirm their identification from their passport and micro-chip ID (where present), their vaccination status and general health. To protect all horses attending events, any Horse with a questionable health status, concerning vaccination, disease or other concerns, must be stabled within the isolation facilities provided by the Organising Committee pending a decision on entering the venue.

6.4 Horse Inspections

FEI Veterinary Regulations Articles 1034-1042

All Horses will be assessed for their fitness to compete during the Horse Inspection. Any Horse demonstrating questionable fitness may be referred to the Holding Box for further veterinary examination. Horses not deemed fit to compete by the Inspection Panel will not be permitted to compete.

6.5 Limb Sensitivity Examination

FEI Veterinary Regulations Articles 1048-1053

All Horses are subject to examination under the protocol for abnormal limb sensitivity throughout the period of an Event. For Jumping that includes, but is not limited to, between rounds and before the Jump Off. For Endurance that includes, but is not limited to, pre-ride, during the ride and after the ride. Horses may be examined once or on multiple occasions during the Period of an Event.

Horses may be selected for examination under the protocol randomly or they may be targeted. All Horses selected to be tested must submit promptly to the examination or are subject to immediate disqualification. There is no obligation to examine any specific number of Horses at an Event.

7 Equine Anti-Doping And Controlled Medication Programme (EADCMP).

FEI Veterinary Regulations, Chapter VII

7.1 Sampling.

FEI Veterinary Regulations, Chapter VII

All horses competing at FEI Events may be subject to sampling for the presence of FEI Equine Prohibited Substances in accordance with the FEI Equine Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Regulations (EADCMRs). Horses may be selected for sampling in accordance with obligatory testing, targeted or random sampling procedures. Refer to FEI Financial Charges for details of fees relating to Equine and Human Anti-Doping program (EADCMP), which OCs/NFs have the right to charge to the athlete (applicable for all FEI events worldwide).

7.2 Elective Testing.

FEI Veterinary Regulations Articles 1058

Elective Testing may be carried out prior to an Event to check for the presence of Prohibited Substances. Please refer to <http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/veterinarians> for information and details.

7.3 Hyposensitivity Control System Examination

FEI Veterinary Regulations, Annex VIII

All horses competing in FEI Endurance events are subject to Hyposensitivity Control System Examination. Horses may be examined once or on multiple occasions during the Period of the Event and may be selected randomly and/or target tested by the Ground Jury and/or Veterinary Commission.

All horses selected to be tested must submit promptly to the examination. A refusal by the PR or his/her representative to submit a horse for examination will lead to disqualification and a yellow warning card. Withdrawal of the horse is not allowed once the PR or support personnel has been notified that the examination is to take place.

XIV. HUMAN ANTI-DOPING

Athletes can be tested at any FEI Event, by the FEI or by other Anti-Doping Organisations with Testing jurisdiction. Organisers will have the responsibility to provide facilities and staff/volunteers to facilitate such Testing if requested by the FEI as outlined in article 22.3 of the FEI's Anti-doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA).

The ADRHA rules are published on the FEI's website at <http://inside.fei.org/content/anti-doping-rules>.

XV. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1. THE FEI POLICY FOR ENHANCED COMPETITION SAFETY DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

The FEI Policy for Enhanced Competition Safety during the Covid-19 Pandemic (“Policy”) <https://inside.fei.org/fei/covid-19/return-to-play/policy-tools> is mandatory and applies for any FEI Event taking place **as of 1 July 2020**. The Policy has been developed based on currently accepted best practices by the WHO and US Center for Disease Control (CDC) and will be continually reviewed and updated as more information becomes available. It is not intended to replace the applicable guidance and policies from domestic government and health authorities, but to supplement their recommendations with sport specific considerations.

The OC shall submit the risk assessment and mitigation plan (including name and contact details of the person in charge) to the FEI as an annex to the Event Schedule, **at the latest ten (10) working days before the event's deadline for Definite Entries.**

Events for which the FEI has not received the documented risk assessment and mitigation measures plan in accordance with article 2.1.g) of the Policy **will be removed from the FEI calendar** in accordance with Article 112.3 of the FEI General Regulations.

ASSUMPTION OF RISK / WAIVER OF LIABILITY

In consideration of being allowed to participate in the Event and related activities, all Participants (as defined in the Policy) acknowledge, appreciate, and agree that:

1. Participation includes possible exposure to and illness from infectious diseases including but not limited to COVID-19. While particular rules and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious illness and death does exist; and,
2. The Participants knowingly and freely assume all such risks, both known and unknown, even if arising from the negligence of the OC or others, and assume full responsibility for their participation; and,
3. The Participants willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation as regards protection against infectious diseases. If, however, a Participant observes any unusual or significant hazard during his/her presence or participation, the Participant will remove himself/herself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately; and,
4. The Participants, for themselves and on behalf of their heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS THE OC AND THE FEI, their officers, officials, agents, and/or employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners and lessors of premises used to conduct the event (“RELEASEES”), WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL ILLNESS, DISABILITY, DEATH, or loss or damage to person or property, WHETHER ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

The Participants confirm to have read this release of liability and assumption of risk agreement, fully understand its terms, understand that they have given up substantial rights.

2. Insurances And National Requirements

In exceptional circumstances, together with the approval of Chefs d'Equipe, host NF delegate, if any, and the Ground Jury, the Organiser may change the schedule in order to clarify any matter arising from an omission or due to unforeseen circumstances. Any such changes must be notified to all athletes and officials as soon as possible and they must be reported to the FEI Secretary General by the Technical Delegate.

2.1 ATHLETES, OWNERS AND SUPPORT PERSONNEL

2.1.1 Personal Accident and Health Insurance

It is your responsibility as an Athlete/Owner/ Support Personnel to ensure that you have adequate personal accident insurance in place to cover your participation at FEI Events and in particular to insure against any personal injury or medical expenses arising from an accident, injury or illness which may occur at a FEI Event.

You should check with your National Federation to confirm if your National Federation's insurance policy (if any) covers personal accidents and/or illnesses which may occur when you are attending at/participating in FEI Events.

If your National Federation does not have a personal accident/health insurance policy or if the National Federation's insurance policy does not cover personal accident or health claims, then you should obtain your own personal accident and health insurance policy to cover your attendance/participation at FEI Events.

2.1.2 Personal Property Insurance

You should also ensure that you are insured against property loss, theft or damage which may occur at an FEI Event.

Again, the advice is to check with your National Federation to confirm if they have an insurance policy in place which would cover you in case of such property loss, theft or damage. If not, then you should obtain your own personal property insurance to cover such situations.

2.1.3 Press Equipment

Press equipment and other items left in the Press workroom, Press lockers, the Press Tribune or anywhere on the showgrounds are left entirely at the owner's risk. The Organising Committee does not accept any responsibility for any loss or damage to such equipment or items. Members of the Press are advised not to leave any equipment or personal items unattended.

2.2 ATHLETES AND OWNERS

2.2.1 Third Party Liability Insurance

As an Athlete/Owner you are personally responsible for damages to third parties caused by you, your employees, Support Personnel, your agents or your Horses. You are, therefore, strongly advised to take out third-party liability insurance providing full coverage in relation to FEI Events at home and abroad, and to keep the policy up to date.

The FEI and the Organiser will NOT be responsible for any damage caused to third parties by you, your employees, Support Personnel, your agents or your Horses.

2.2.2 Additional Liability Information

Space for organiser to include reference to National Laws when necessary

2.2.3 Horse Insurance

As an Owner you should ensure that your Horses are adequately insured against any injuries or illnesses they may sustain while participating at a FEI Event.

FEI Permitted Treating Veterinarians (PTVs) (Art 1005) are to have adequate professional indemnity insurance.

3. Protests / Appeals

To be valid, all Protests and Appeals must be made in writing and accompanied by a deposit of CHF150. – or equivalent.

Protest and appeal forms are available on FEI website.

<https://inside.fei.org/fei/regulations/general-rules>

4. Disputes

In the event of any discussion concerning the interpretation of the schedule (in translated languages), the English version will be decisive.

5. Modifications Of Schedule

In exceptional circumstances, together with the approval of Chefs d'Equipe and Ground Jury the OC reserves the right to modify the schedule in order to clarify any matter or matters arising from an omission or due to unforeseen circumstances.

Unforeseen circumstances do not include situations arising as a results of the OC altering the approved Schedule without FEI's authorisation. Any such changes must be notified to all competitors and officials as soon as possible and they must be reported to the FEI Secretary General by the Foreign Judge.

6. Additional Information from the OC



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Timetable

Tuesday 18 May

H 10:00 **Opening Stables**
Incavezzature track, San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

Wednesday 19 May

H 09:30 – 13:00 **Ride Desk and Accreditation Desk Opening**
San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 14:30 – 18:00

H 14:30 **Key Officials Briefing**
San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 15:00 **Chef d'équipe and Vet Meeting**
San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

Thursday 20 May

H 09:30 – 13:00 **Ride Desk and Accreditation Desk Opening**
San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 14:30 – 18:00

H 11:30 **Press Conference**
San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 21:30 **Opening Ceremony**
Piazza dei Miracoli – Piazza dei Cavalieri - Pisa

~~Following **Endurance White Night in Pisa**~~
~~*Historical Centre - Pisa*~~

Friday 21 May

H 09:30 – 13:00
H 14:30 – 18:00

Ride Desk and Accreditation Desk Opening
San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 10:00

Chef d'équipe and Vet Meeting
San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 11:30

Officials Meeting
San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 15:00

Pre Ride Inspections – Metabolic & Trot
Vet Gate, San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 17:00

Rider's Weight-in
Stables, Incavezzature track, San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

Saturday 22 May

H 06:00 – 13:00
H 14:30 – 18:00

Ride Desk and Accreditation Desk Opening
San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 07:00

**Start of the LONGINES FEI Endurance World Championship
CH-M-E**
Track, San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

Sunday 23 May

H 09:30 – 13:00
H 14:30 – 18:00

Ride Desk Opening
San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

H 11:00

Closing Ceremony and Prize Giving Ceremony
San Rossore Racecourse - Pisa

7. Prize Money Distribution:

DEDUCTIONS FROM PRIZE MONEY AT COMPETITIONS

Full details of any deductions from prize money should be outlined in the schedule. This includes government taxes. If it is necessary for organisers to deduct such taxes, they should provide participants with an official form indicating the amount of tax deducted upon application.

The tax form should be provided to the athletes upon arrival and returned to the organiser prior to departing.

7.1 Total Prize Money ○○○

Additional Prizes:

Prizes in kind will be provided for every competitor participating and the approximate value of prizes in kind will be 20.000 Euros.

7.2 Breakdown of prize:

Individual Classification

- 1st FEI GOLD MEDAL
- 2nd FEI SILVER MEDAL
- 3rd FEI BRONZE MEDAL

Team Classification

- 1st FEI GOLD MEDALS
- 2nd FEI SILVER MEDALS
- 3rd FEI BRONZE MEDALS

IMPORTANT

The value of the 1st prize must not exceed 1/3 of the total prize money distributed for the competition. The minimum number of prizes offered for each competition must be allocated on the basis of one prize for every commenced four Athletes, with a minimum of five prizes. The total amount of prize money shown for each Competition in the schedule must be distributed. (Art 127, 128)

7.3 Awards

An award must be given to all competitors who complete the ride. Please describe awards to be distributed.

An accomplishment rosette for all the competitors who complete the ride.

Welcome pack for every registered riders.

XVI. ANNEXES

1. FEI Entry System

Please fill the form below in order to provide you and the other members of your committee or your IT Providers access to the FEI Entry System.

FEI ID¹:	10101225
Name*:	ZUCCOLO
First Name*:	FABIO
E-Mail*:	INFO@ENDURANCEONLINE.IT
Access Rights*:	Admin ² <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consult ³
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¹ If already have an FEI user account.

² Provides you the required access to manage entries and substitutions and download entries/lists.

³ You are just able to consult and download the entries/lists.

⁴ Leave the field blank if the user deals with the entries of all events in the show.

*** Mandatory Fields**

2. Results

In order to proceed with the results publication and for qualification purposes the FEI requires results **to be uploaded directly on the FEI Database** within two days after the conclusion of the event.

All relevant information, file format and tutorial can be found on this page:

<http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/organisers/xml-format>

If you or your provider are unable to produce the required files, results will be accepted by e-mail to results@fei.org, in the proper Excel or "XML" format immediately after the event. Please refer to compulsory format for CEIs/CEIOs/Championships and Games; the file can be downloaded using the following link:

<https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/results/endurance-results-forms>

All results must include FEI Passport Registration number of horses and FEI ID numbers of Athletes.

Please note that as per Art. 109.6 (GR): ORGANISERs of International Events must inform the FEI and NFs whose teams or individuals have taken part, of the results and prize money paid to each placed Athlete and team, within five (5) days following the Event, unless otherwise specified for qualification and ranking reasons as communicated by the FEI.

Failure from ORGANISERs of International Events to provide the FEI with the appropriate result(s) and/or prize money information by the aforesaid deadline and/or in the aforesaid format shall entail a warning for the first violation and thereafter a fine of CHF 1'000.- per violation.

The FEI may request a copy of the official PDF result signed by the relevant Officials at the Event.

FEI Endurance Organisers' Protocol

With an aim to further ensure the welfare of equine and human athletes at International Endurance Events, the safety of all participants and the implementation and respect of common principles of behaviour, fairness, and sportsmanship, the FEI has created this FEI Endurance Organiser's Protocol (hereinafter the "Endurance Protocol") to guarantee the correct and full application of the applicable FEI Rules and Regulations in your Events, in particular but not limited to, the FEI General Regulations, the FEI Endurance Rules, the FEI Veterinary Regulations, the FEI Anti-Doping Rules for Human Athletes and the FEI Equine Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Regulations.

In order for the FEI to approve the competition schedules the Endurance Protocol **must** be signed by the Organiser and the National Federation, listing the Event(s). By signing the Endurance Protocol both aforementioned parties agree to comply with all applicable FEI Rules and Regulations, and in particular (but not limited to), with the following requirements:

1. Full cooperation must be given to the FEI Officials to ensure that they can perform their tasks according to the FEI Endurance Rules, in particular:
 - Ground Jury Art. – Art. 853
 - Technical Delegate – Art. 852
 - Veterinary Commission – Art. 854
 - Chief Steward Art. – Art. 855
2. Full cooperation must be given to the FEI Independent Governance Advisors (IGAs) to ensure that they can perform their tasks according to the FEI Endurance Rules Art. 856
3. The welfare of the horse must be a first priority and you must allow the FEI Officials to take all necessary measures to safeguard it, as per the FEI Endurance Rules, including but not limited to:
 - Loops of the course must not be specially designed and/or constructed to encourage high speeds - Art. 818
 - Allowing for the reduction of the pulse criteria - Art. 816.9.2. The pulse criteria may be reduced during the ride if, in the opinion of the President of the Veterinary Commission in consultation with the Foreign Veterinary Delegate, the President of the Ground Jury and the Technical Delegate they believe there is a danger to the safety of the Horses.
 - The Veterinary Commission has absolute control on all matters concerning horse welfare – Annex 5, Art.1.
 - The Technical Delegate or the Ground Jury together with the Veterinary Commission can decide to modify the length of timed holds according to extreme weather conditions or other exceptional circumstances.... - Art. 816.9.3.

4. The safety of the athletes, FEI Officials and public must be safeguarded at all times and FEI Officials must be allowed to take all necessary measures to ensure safety, as per the FEI Endurance Rules/FEI GRs:
- The field of play - Art. 813
 - Number of crew members allowed - Art. 813.2.2
 - Horses must remain capable of being clearly observed at all times - Art. 813.5
 - Permitted Assistance during Event or on Course - Art. 822.4
 - Prohibited Assistance - Art. 822.5
 - Postponement and/or cancellation of an Event - FEI GRs 109.12
5. The FEI Officials' Code of Conduct must be adhered to including the obligations and restrictions pertaining to the "Endurance Official's Per Diems".

Any breach of the FEI Rules and Regulations will be prosecuted according to the FEI Legal System (Chapter VIII of the FEI General Regulations).

List of Events organised by the Organiser:

EVENT	DATE
Longines FEI Endurance World Championship 2021 CH-M-E	21-22 May 2021

Signed on behalf of the **Organizing Committee**

Name: Gianluca Laliscia

Function: CEO & Chairman of sistemaeventi.it srl

Signature:

Date: 15 January 2021

Signed on behalf of the **National Federation**

Name: Simone Perillo

Function: Secretary General

Signature:

Date: 19/01/2021

