Icelandic Horse Society of Great Britain Minutes of Sport Group



Date 10th June 2015 by conference call

Present: Mike Adams (MA), Kirsty Carson (KC), Andrew Nickalls (AN), Gundula Sharman (GS) Apologies: Anne Savage (AS),

Agenda

- 1. BC updates and matters arising
- 2. WM

1 BC matters

Kirsty brought up a number of technical matters, including (a) the question of tack check: as a non-WR event, we might restrict it to 10% (MA to consult with judges and confirm); a pace test needs 4 judges, and as there are only 3 judges at the competition Frank Carson will be asked to judge as judge 2 or 3;

MA

Fri evening, communal BBQ, the BBQ fire will be run by West Tarf, ppl to bring their own food to be cooked. Fri evening: judges' meeting at set time. Prior to that there should be a short meeting to prepare the riders meeting, and the team selection group (Gundula will be absent). Mike will draw up list of eligible riders from GB and abroad.

Elisabeth Adams will be responsible for sorting and handing out rosettes to the prize givers.

Potential people to give out prizes: Ruth Aitken, Tim Hutchison (Sunday), GS, other members of sport group, trustees: James Faulkner (youth), Freyja Glansdorp.

Prize-giving on Sat evening: dressage, track and trail, pace classes, combination winners;

Question raised by participant about bio security. Riders are responsible for the welfare and security of the horses, and there is plenty of space of separate paddocks. There will be no vet checks at arrival, but two vets will be in attendance at all time. So will two farriers be.

There is an appointed first aider.

Passport checks: rota of ppl from amongst sport group plus Harriet Frame; sign with a mobile number for ppl to register as they arrive.

Sat evening entertainment – AN and KC to organise entertainment by the oval track for after the meal (which will be in the indoor school).

AN/KC

Timetable: KC has circulated a provisional timetable. We need to finish earlier on Sunday, as the judges need to get to the airport no later than 4pm. The Sun programme will need to start a bit earlier, and be run a bit tighter.

The first class on Sun is "best of four" riders must declare their interest to ride by 7pm Sat to Lou Crawford in the secretariat.

The judges and selection meeting for the WM will be on Sat evening after the last class.

All lorries and trailers will be in the field by the track.

There is some confusion about who pays and who does not pay the base fee. We need to make it clear to Torben that only riders and campers pay the base fee. Entrance for pure spectators is free, but they will of course have to pay for the evening meal, if they wish to participate. So far 65 ppl have registered for the meal.

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Programme: to include: revised time table, Kirsty's info and maps, Mike will collate the programme.

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GS to bring a small FEIF flag and assortment of other flags	GS
We need to think of an appropriate present for J&R Aitken.	All
2. WM next deadline first form for FEIF by 6 th July. This will be arranged after the BC.	
Actions from last meeting (8 th April). TOR review	
The sport group unanimously agreed on the latest version of TOR. It was also agreed that the sport group should be the focal point for all sporting activities, not just FIPO classes	
 Action list identify a contact person to collate info of sporting success in any discipline get copy of questionnaire aim for a double page in Newsletter with all sports news in the regions. Sponsor Tölt in Harmony / and G'keppni more actively Mike to take to Trustees question of how to make better use of area reps. area reps, Kirsty to ask Jemima to help find accurate and current list 	
2 Virtual (filmed) competition – along the lines of what is done by Thorgeir in the Netherlands. Töltonline already exists in the UK. Decided to invite Shona Stewart to explain the concept of Töltonline with a view that IHSGB will support and promote the initiative. For info see http://toltonline.weebly.com/	AN
Update: Andrew to contact Shona (Shona Stewart: Tel: 01464851496, mob 07703 056805 email: shonastewart@btinternet.com)	
World Championships Selection Committee: Suggested members Gundula (Sport Group), Kristina (Trustee), Head judge? Team Leader?	
Date of next meeting: ???? 8.30pm	

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