



FEI EVENTING NATIONS CUP™ 2022 Series Concept, Calendar & Rules

The Board approval is kindly requested for the approval of the below FEI Eventing Nations **Cup Rules**.

The calendar list of signed Host Agreement (HA) are attached separately.

The bid application requirements stated that the 2022 series would consist of a maximum of 8 events; 11 applications were received and 10 have signed the HA. The FEI Eventing Committee proposes that the 10 events be accepted as should the number of events be reduced, selection criteria would need to be established. It is suggested to review this clause for 2023.

The Eventing Committee recommends a return to the initial number of FEI Eventing Nations Cup Series events (before FEI Covid resolutions) to count for the final 2022 Series Classification.

The EC also proposes to maintain the provision that Organizers do not have the obligation to include minimum Prizemoney for the 2022 Series, to support the OCs financially until end 2022.

Note: the below Rules have been updated further to the decision of the Eventing Committee and discussions at the November GA not to include the final 2022 Eventing Nations Cup Classification winning nation for the Paris2024 Olympic Games Qualification procedure.

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This Series Team Competition is open to all nations, at CCIO4* level. The FEI Eventing Rules relating to Team Competitions will apply in conjunction with the provisions set forth below.

The following Events will be included for 2022:

CALENDAR (10 Events)

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| 1. | Pratoni, ITA | - | 11-15 May |
| 2. | Houghton Hall, GBR | - | 26-29 May |
| 3. | Strzegom, POL | | 22-26 June |
| 4. | Avenches, SUI | | 7-10 July |
| 5. | Haras du Pin, FRA | | 11-14 August |
| 6. | Arville, BEL | | 18-21 August |
| 7. | Bromont, CAN | | 18-21 August |
| 8. | Moscow, RUS | | 8-11 September |
| 9. | Ballindenisk, IRL | | 21-25 September |
| 10. | Boekelo, NED | | 6-9 October |

2022 SERIES CLASSIFICATION

The final classification will be calculated as follows:

- If 10 events are held, a nation can count a maximum of 9 results.
- If 9 events are held, a nation can count a maximum of 8 results.
- If 8 events are held, a nation can count a maximum of 7 results.
- If 7 events are held, a nation can count a maximum of 6 results.
- If 6 events are held, a nation can count a maximum of 5 results.
- If 5 events are held, a nation can count a maximum of 4 results.
- If 4 events are held, a nation can count a maximum of 3 results.

If less than three (3) Events take place: the team results for the CCIOs organised will be included to count for the following year's FEI Eventing Nations Cup™ 2023 classification.

FEI NATIONS CUP EVENTING POINT SYSTEM/ RESULTS

Team & Individual results must be sent to the FEI immediately after the Event.

All results will count towards the final classification.

The final classification of the Series will be made by accumulation of the points obtained in each FEI Eventing Nations Cup™ Event according to the points scale below.

Placing	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Points	100	90	80	70	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	25	20	20	20

In case of a tie in the final classification, the tie will be decided in favor of the nation that has participated in a greater number of Events.

If the tie remains, for competitions that count according to the paragraph above, the individual final scores (total penalty points) of the best three (3) team members will be added.

1000 penalty points would be awarded to any Athlete not having completed the Competition.

The tie will be decided in favor of the Team with the lower of such totals.

PARTICIPATION

Minimum participation: A minimum of three (3) teams must be entered and compete at each Event of the Series in order to validate the Event as a FEI Eventing Nations Cup™.

Team: The Teams will be composed of three (3) or four (4) Athletes from the same nation. The three (3) best results of each Team will be taken into account for the Team classification.

Individuals: There is no limit to the number of FEI Eventing Nations Cup™ Events that Athletes / Horses can compete in.

Individual Ranking Points: Athletes will be allocated Individual points for the FEI World Eventing Athlete Rankings for each Event (CCIO4*) of the Series as per the current Eventing Ranking Rules.

ENTRIES/DRAW OF NATIONS STARTING ORDER

In accordance to FEI regulations, procedure and time shall be published in the FEI Schedule of the Event.

PRIZE-MONEY / EXPENSES / ENTRY FEES

The FEI Eventing Nations Cup™ Organising Committees will not be required to offer a minimum prizemoney amount to teams for the 2022 Eventing Nations Cup™ season.

OCs are welcome to offer accommodation and meal vouchers. There are no minimum requirements.

Normal entry fees will apply. It is recommended that no additional entry fee be charged for the FEI Eventing Nations Cup™ Competition. If charged, the prize money must reflect the additional Team entry fee.

Additional Requirements:

Starting order: The Team competition has to be run as a block, either before or after the Individuals.

Dedicated Webpage: The OC must provide an official webpage dedicated to the FEI Eventing Nations Cup™ Eventing Competition with live scoring during the duration of the Event.

Approved by the FEI Board on 14 December 2021