

**FEI Courses for Coaches
According to the FEI Coaching System
Level 1 Course for Coaches**

**Izmir Equestrian Center, Izmir Turkey (TUR)
21 – 24 November 2016**

FEI Tutor: SERRA SENDEL

The Turkish Equestrian Federation hosted the Level 1 Coaches Course on 21 – 24 November 2016 at the experienced Izmir Equestrian Center located in the beautiful Aegean Sea coast city Izmir.

The course tutor was Mrs.Serra Sendel (Önkal), Level 2 trainer, highly experienced in show jumping discipline, and currently competing in national and international show jumping competitions. The national federation worked very closely with the Mrs.Sendel as we did in all the previous coaches courses for all levels, on the preparation of the course, which proved to be a very successful collaboration with a total of 14 participants along with 4 observers attending the course.

The general feedback for this course from participants was highly positive and also from the observers. The guinea pigs were also very enthusiastic in helping the coaches for them to perform their highest and practice what they have learned during the course.

The host equestrian club Izmir Equestrian Center was very well organized. The manager and all staff of the club were very helpful to all: Federation, participants, tutor, observers, and guinea pigs.

Coaches were extremely enthusiastic and pleased with the course and thanked Mrs.Sendel many times for her efforts.

The NF TUR is hoping to be able to host more FEI Coaches Courses in the 2017 season to develop the sport and professionalism in Turkey.

