

FEI WBFSH World Breeding Eventing Championships for Young Horses
Le Lion d'Angers (FRA) 15-18 October 2020
CH-M-YH-CCI2*-L & CH-M-YH-CCI3*-L

I. Participation / Invitations:

Athletes are invited by the Organising Committee through their NF (Art. 116 will apply).

A **total of 110 horses** will be allowed to participate: 40 six-year old horses in the CH- 2* / 70 seven-year old horses in the CH- 3*.

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| Maximum number of horses per NF (including host NF): | 3 for the CH-2* & 12 for the CH-3* |
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Maximum number of horse per athlete:

2 horses per athlete for the entire event: whether 2 in the CH- 2* if not limited by excessive number of entries whether 2 in the CH- 3* if not limited by excessive number of entries whether 1 in the CH- 2*+ 1 in the CH- 3*

Case of excessive entries:

In case of excessive entries (more than 110 horses for both competitions), a ballot system based on FEI Eventing Horse Ranking (established for the purpose of this championship only) will apply, and taking into account the limit of authorized quota of horses per nation, to be determined on the date of the nominative entries: All the horses with the same number of points of the 40th ranked horse for the 6 year olds and 70th ranked horse for the 7 year olds on the list will be accepted.

The slots in the Rankings are attributed to the national Federations and are not nominative. Each Horse guaranties a slot for his Nation but the final selection of combinations belongs to the National Federation.

II. Minimum Eligibility Requirements as per Art. 521

All qualifying events must be achieved as a combination according to the following requirements:

| | Minimum qualifying events to achieve |
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| Young Horse Championship 6 years old | Obtain an MER according to 2020 Eventing Rules Article 517 criteria as a combination between 01 January 2019 to 21 September 2020 at 1 CCI2*-S with the following additional criteria: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ zero obstacle penalties on XC max 4 penalties on obstacles (max one rail down) in the Show Jumping test |
| Young Horse Championship 7 years old | Obtain an MER according to 2020 Eventing Rules Article 517 criteria as a combination between 01 January 2019 to 21 September 2020 at 1 CCI2*-L |

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| | and 1 CCI3*-S with the following addition criteria: <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ both with zero obstacle penalties on XC➤ both with max 4 penalties on obstacles (max one rail down) in the Show Jumping test |
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2020 FEI Eventing Rules. Article 517 – Minimum Eligibility Requirement

A Minimum Eligibility Requirement is achieved by completing a Competition within minimum parameters of all round performance as follows:

- a) Dressage Test: not more than 45 penalty points (or 55%).
- b) Cross Country Test:
 - A clear round at obstacles (activating a maximum of one frangible device will maintain the MER result on Cross Country)
 - Not more than 75 seconds exceeding the optimum time in the Cross Country Test for, two, three and four star level Competitions and 100 seconds in the case of five star level Competitions.
- c) Jumping Test: not more than 16 penalties at obstacles.

NOTE: All MERs obtained in previous years will be counted according to the rules in place at that time.

III. ENTRIES

Competitors are entered by the Organising Committee through their NF (Art. 116)

- Entries in Principle: 24 August 2020**
- Nominated Entries: 21 September 2020**
- Definite Entries: 6 October 2020**

IV. WBFSH STUDBOOK

FEI Prizes at FEI Young Horses Championships:

- FEI Plates (gold, silver and bronze) engraved to be offered to the horse owner. If the horse owner is not present in the venue, the athlete must accept it on behalf of the horse owner.
- Horse owners must accompany the placed (or winning) horses (or enter on the placed –or winning) carriages in driving. If the horse owner is not present at the venue it must be represented by the athlete.
- Horses must enter the arena wearing the blanket (if applicable), a sash around the horses’ neck and a big rosette on the sash at the level of the chest (gold, silver bronze).
- Small FEI Plates (gold, silver, bronze) engraved to be offered to the athlete (text to be: athlete of the winner/second/third of the “FEI WBFSH [discipline] World Championships for Young Horses [year]).

- The national flags (no studbook flags) to be used at the prize giving ceremony are the ones of the countries of the studbooks of the first 3 placed horses.
- The national anthem to be played is the one of the country of the studbook of the winning horse.
- Longines shall have the right to offer watches to the athletes.
- The World Breeding Federation for Sport Horses (WBFSH) and/or the organiser shall have the possibility to offer a recognition (to be agreed in conjunction with the FEI) to the breeder and/or studbook.