



EA National Stewards Course

Saturday 17th November 2018
Hawkesbury Riding Club, club house, Clarendon
Registration 9.15am
Start 9.30am

INFORMATION:

Suitable for anyone interested in becoming an Accredited Dressage Steward, Gear Checkers, Club Committees, Judges & Riders. All Welcome

The Equestrian Australia (EA) Steward training program is part of the National Official Accreditation Scheme, a national program to further enhance the reputation and quality of EA events domestically and internationally. This course is proudly supported by Dressage NSW.

The purpose of Stewarding is:

- To protect the welfare of the horse and ensure fair play.
- To support the Organising Committee in the successful running events in line with the Current EA/FEI rules and regulations.
- To help and assist competitors in their endeavour to compete at their best in a safe and fair environment
- To ensure our good public image is upheld
- To supervise competition, training and warm-up areas, stables and other areas where horses are held.
- To assist competitors in meeting approved regulations for saddlery, bridles, bits, spurs, logos etc.

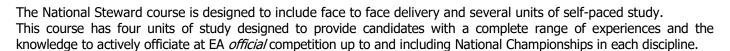
Stewards must:

- Be able to work as part of a team
- Have excellent communication skills
- Have the ability to manage safety, risks & crisis
- Have the ability to manage and resolve conflicts
- Have a demonstrated interest in Stewarding at events
- Have an understanding of horses

o Be at least 18 years of age

TO BE ACCREDITED AS AN EA NATIONAL STEWARD YOU ARE REQUIRED TO

- o Be a current Member of Equestrian Australia of the correct category
- o Have a personal fitness level that will enable you to physically complete the practical requirements of the course and the duties required of an EA National Steward.



- Attend an approved EA Steward Seminar of one day's duration
- Competently complete an Open Rule Book Test related to the rules of your chosen discipline with a pass of at least 90%
- Competently complete 3 Shadow/Assistant Stewarding experiences under the Guidance of approved EA Steward Mentors



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