

General Conditions Western Experience

According to Dutch law, SMOKING is PROHIBITED in all public areas. This includes the stables, entry- and show arena.

General

The show secretariat is open the evening before the show day from 6:00 to 8:30 pm. On show days, the show secretariat is open 1 hour before the start of the show. At the show secretariat you can only pay cash (no pin/credit card). Please bring exact amount please. Riding in the arena is possible on the evening before the show day from 18:00 to 22:00. On show days it is possible before the start of the show and will be determined per show. Riding in the show-arena is only allowed at the direction of the doorman and if it fits within the show program.

To participate in the Western Experience show a rider must ride L1 or L2 class. This will be checked.

The show secretariat has the right if there are too few starts to cancel an event at least 48 hours before the 1st day of the show.

Valid passport with vaccination records for influenza

The passport must contain the transponder number. It may be printed or stickered. A stamp from the issuing authority must be placed over this sticker. The vaccination records must show that the horse/pony has had a basic vaccination and timely annual repeat vaccinations. A basic vaccination consists of two vaccinations given a minimum of 21 and a maximum of 92 days apart. No starting is allowed between basic vaccinations. A vaccination must be given at least 6 days before the show. A repeat vaccination must not have been given more than exactly 1 year after the last vaccination. If the vaccination data were previously recorded in a separate booklet, the veterinarian must write in the passport for use in the Netherlands: "the enthistory of this horse/this pony is correct. Last vaccination on: (insert date)". This sentence must be signed off and stamped by the veterinarian. The booklet is not valid and you will no longer need it. (Only in FEI passports for starts abroad, the veterinarian's line must be written in English). Vaccination entries must have date, vet's signature and (practice) stamp. Entries as of April 1, 2007 must have a sticker with the batch number of the vaccination.

Safety and responsibilities

A farrier will be present during the show and a veterinarian will be on call. BHV will be present on the show grounds during the show. If a competitor, owner or his/her representative, acting on behalf of the competitor is guilty of unsportsmanlike conduct and/or inhumane treatment of a horse while on the show grounds, the Show Manager, according to his/her own discretion, may exclude that competitor from the show. Entry fees will not be refunded. If there are matters that are not predetermined Show Management will decide. Neither the organization nor the owner of the accommodation accepts any liability for loss, damage or theft of horses or property of participants, exhibitors and/or visitors, or for any injury or death to any participant, horse or rider during the entire duration of the show, including arrival at and departure from the show site and immediate surroundings. Security will be present but please also watch over your own property.

Registration cancellations

In case of cancellation of the entire registration at least 72 hours before the start of the show, or as much earlier in case boxes have to be ordered, only the administration fee will be charged. If the participant did not cancel in time, the full costs will be charged. In case of a cancellation due to medical grounds of horse or rider, i.e. at least 24 hours before the start of the show, with a valid reason and doctor's or veterinarian's statement, only the box rental and administration costs will be charged. If the participant cannot provide the statement or has not cancelled in time, the full costs will be charged.

The Contest

The participant is responsible for arriving at the show arena on time. Keep in mind that not all events have to be run, for example because there are no entries. The order of the events at registration and/or in the program does not have to be the order in which the events will be run. Minor changes are possible, these will be communicated. Wearing the start number and a cap/western hat in the entry and show arena is mandatory at all times. The show organization reserves the right to carry out doping checks at all times. Showing with unauthorized equipment/tack is not permitted and will result in exclusion from the show, without refund of any entry or stall fees paid. The condition of the show arena including the floor is not subject to discussion. This also applies to the drive-in arena.

Boxes

Boxes will be provided with bedding once. If additional bedding and/or hay can be purchased on site it will be indicated at registration. Manure may only be deposited in the designated manure container. If a deposit for box rental is requested at registration, the box must be handed over clean and/or empty before departure. After inspection by the Stable Master, you will receive a voucher with which you can get your deposit back at the show secretariat (bring your own manure fork etc. to avoid waiting). Tack boxes only possible if there are enough boxes. Please indicate at registration if you want to stand next to a stablemate.

Camping (if applicable)

The campsite may only be entered by camping card holders. The camping card must be visibly attached to the tent or caravan. One car per tent/caravan may be placed on the campsite. Power may only be connected to the generator. It is strictly forbidden to connect extension cords together, to prevent fire and damage. Damage incurred by connecting extension cords together will be recovered. It is also forbidden to use your own aggregate. If showers and toilets are available at the campsite, please leave them clean. You must leave before 20:00hr on the last show day.

By registering you declare that you agree with these conditions.