

## Criteria for the Selection of Interschool Team Captain & Vice Captain

Notification for the nomination for the position of Team Captains will occur after the State Championships and after the eventing team has been selected. The criteria will be made available on the ESA website and the official social media of ESA Interschool.

Applicants must be full time secondary students in years 11 and 12.

In selecting the Captains, consideration will be given to:

- Previous attendance at National Championships
- Current year level at school
- Leadership potential
- Knowledge of EA and Interschool rules
- Level and breadth of competition experience

A sound knowledge of EA and Interschool rules across the 5 disciplines is essential. It is a requirement that candidates know and understand the rules of all Interschool disciplines.

Duties and responsibilities of the Captains of the state team:

- To support and work harmoniously with other Captains and coaches.
- To provide a positive role model to all members of the Interschool team
- To represent all members of the team across all disciplines
- To attend functions at the discretion of ESA and/or coach/es and to be able to speak confidently and articulately in public to promote Interschool.
- Be prepared to represent the team at the National Championships in whatever capacity is required.
- To devise and implement team building activities in liaison with the Interschool coach/es.
- To be accessible approachable and amenable to all members of team and to treat all team members with respect and consideration.

## **Co-Captaincy**

It will be at the discretion of the selection panel, whether to appoint a Captain and Vice-Captain, or two Co-Captains.

There will be no appeal on the decision of the selection panel.