

PROPOSED SELECTION POLICY AND SELECTION CRITERIA FOR EVENTING SA SQUAD

STATE SQUAD including Juniors (published)

Must have achieved an MER at STAR level in the preceding calendar year (2019) as follows;

CCN/CCI**** (2018-3*) with a combined finishing score of 60 penalties or less,
CCN/CCI*** (2018-2*) with a combined finishing score of 55 penalties or less,
CCN/CCI** (2018-1*) with a combined finishing score of 50 penalties or less,

DEVELOPMENT SQUAD including Juniors (published)

Junior 1* results may be considered for inclusion

Successful completion of any star level event from 1* and above in 2018.

Successful completion of any star level event from 2* and above in 2019.

Athlete Selection Criteria

- Riders and Horses are to be selected as combinations to the squads.
- *As requested by Equestrian SA*, the winner of the Youth Development scholarship for 2019 will be promoted to the Development Squad for a period of twelve (12) months until the end of 2020 unless completing a star level event successfully and achieving the set criteria.
- Squads will be reviewed in January and June of each year.
- For selection onto the Senior Squad and to be eligible for HPP funding the combination must complete an MER at 3* level (old 2* 2018) and with a combined finishing score of 55 penalties or less.
- For State squad members to retain their position on the squad, two (2) MERs at CCN-S/CCI-S or one (1) at CCI-L level at the equivalent penalty level must be achieved in a rolling twelve (12) month period.
- Established Rider/ horse combinations, losing the horse they were selected on, may be retained on squad as a continuance with a younger horse showing promise to go up the grades for approximately 6 months at the discretion of the Selectors.

Minimum Eligibility Requirements (MERs) consist of:

- **Dressage-not more than 45 penalty points or less than 55%**
- **Cross-country-0 penalties at obstacles and no more than 75 seconds (30 time faults) exceeding the optimum time for 2*/3*/4* or 100 seconds (40 time faults) for 5*.**
- **Showjumping no more than 16 jumping penalties**
- A reverse qualification will mean removal from any squad and the minimum selection criteria would need to be achieved again before reinstatement to a squad.
- Riders must adhere to all social media policies of Equestrian Australia at all times.
- Riders **must forward results** of all listed horses from all competitions to the Selection Panel
- Riders on squads are to forward their eventing programs for all listed horses to the Selection Panel in January and June each year.
- All Squad Members must attend all "Off Horse" training sessions and a minimum of 50% of any "On Horse" clinics as proposed by Eventing SA.

THE SELECTORS CAN APPLY EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES AS SITUATIONS ARISE.

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