HSI Eventing Mare Championship 2016 Information Note

Aim of the HSI Eventing Mare Championship

The aim of this Championship is to identify, evaluate and reward owners of mares that are capable of performing at the highest level in International eventing and are suitable for producing progeny that would be competitive at the highest level in International eventing.

Venue

HSI is currently seeking applications from suitable venues/shows to host the 2016 HSI Eventing Mare Championship which will be held in August or September. The closing date for receipt of applications is Monday, 13th June 2016.

Qualification Criteria

- Mares must be 5 or 6 years of age and registered in a studbook that is a member of the WBFSH or registered with Weatherbys
- In order to qualify 5 year old mares must have completed at least one round without jumping faults cross country at a EI 100 and 6 year old mares must have completed at least one round without jumping faults cross country at a CNC 1*. All riders and horses must have gained qualifications as a combination.
- The Matron Scheme will apply allowing for 6 year old mares with a foal registered on the IHR to compete in the 5 year old section and 7 year old mares with a foal registered on the IHR to compete in the 6 year old section

Format of the Championship

The championship will consist of a separate class for 5 and 6 year old mares and will comprise the dressage, showjuming and cross country elements to EI100 and CNC1* levels as per Eventing Ireland rules.

Age	Dressage	SJ	хс
5yo	Championship Test BE 105	1m max	1m max
6yo	Championship Test BE 113	1.15m max	1.10m max

Prize Money

The total prize fund available for the Championship will be €15,000.

Entries:

Entries will be made via the Eventing Ireland website (<u>www.eventingireland.com</u>).

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