

Note: if paying by credit card, original form must be signed and scanned.

HORSE DETAILS See pages 3 – 4 for information

NB All horses must be microchipped.

HAS THIS HORSE BEEN IMPORTED INTO AUSTRALIA?

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YES

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NO

If yes, please attached copies of FEI Passport and overseas performance record as issued by the relevant National Federation..

COLOUR:		SEX:	<input type="checkbox"/> Gelding	<input type="checkbox"/> Mare	<input type="checkbox"/> Stallion
BREED:		FOAL DATE:		HEIGHT in Hands:	

MICROCHIP Number:	<div>affix microchip barcode sticker here (if available)</div>	If no microchip barcode sticker available, a certificate of registration with one of the four animal registries which shows the microchip number <i>may</i> be accepted. (Pet Safe, National Pet Register, Australasian Animal Registry, Central Animal Records) OTHERWISE COMPLETE VETERINARIAN / ENT OFFICIAL DECLARATION BELOW
VETERINARIAN / ENT OFFICIAL DECLARATION (only to be completed if original barcode sticker not available) I hereby certify that the horse as described in this application has the above microchip number and that I have scanned the horse to validate that the chip is functioning. I have also checked the markings drawn for this horse on this form and certify them to be true and correct. Vet/Official Name _____ Signature _____ Date _____ Vet Stamp or Practice Name and Address: _____ SIRE: _____ DAM: _____ SIRE OF DAM: _____		

DECLARATION BY OWNER/S:

I/We hereby make application to register a horse and certify that the particulars supplied on the front and back of this form are true and correct in every respect. I/We certify that this horse has not been registered with EA before. I/We certify that I am/we are the recognised owners of the said horse. I/We understand the EA Horse Registration is not legal proof of Ownership but is for the purpose of Registration/Identification to compete. I/We understand that if any incorrect information is furnished on this application, the Branch may cancel the registration, may take disciplinary action against the applicant/s and may also disqualify the horse.

I/We (Parent/guardian if owner under 18 years) undertake to accept all the responsibilities of ownership of the horse identified above.

Name _____ Signature/Date _____

Name _____ Signature /Date _____

Name _____ Signature /Date _____

Other Owner and / or Parent/Guardian where member is under 18

INFORMATION ON REGISTERING A HORSE WITH EQUESTRIAN AUSTRALIA

General Regulations Article 137 - Horse Registration and Identification

1. Except as provided in this paragraph (1), horses and ponies must be registered with EA to enter Official Competitive Activities, Events and Competitions. Registration is a means of identification, to establish ownership for competition purposes and if need be, proof of identification and a measure of bio -security. Horses and ponies are encouraged to hold at a minimum EA Base Horse Registration to take part in Official Participation Activities, Events or Competitions and/or Closed Club/Restricted Activities and may be enforced at a State or OC's discretion.
2. EA Identification Certificate must include the registered number with EA, the full name and address of the owner, or owners. The description of the horse must be accurately completed. If the name of the horse is ever changed or any pertinent changes are made the owner, or owners must request the Identification Certificate is updated to reflect the changes.
3. EA Horse Documentation by way of an EA Identification Certificate (and/or FEI/EA Passport) and Competition Licence/s should be available at Competitive Events in case proof is requested by an EA Official or Organising Committee member
4. A horse must be microchipped according to the standard AS 5018/5019, before it can be registered.
5. The Person Responsible for a horse at an Event is responsible for the accuracy of their EA Identification Certificate and keeping accurate results records for each Sport. The EA Identification Certificate (and/or FEI/EA Passport) must be available for inspection when required by an official of EA or the Organising Committee.
6. A horse may only have one FEI/EA Passport Identification document. If EA is satisfied that an Identification document has been lost, it may issue a new one clearly marked 'duplicate' and bearing the same number as the original Identification Document.
7. The President of the Ground Jury may arrange for random inspections of the horses' EA Identification Certificates (and/or FEI/EA Passport), particularly those horses that win prize money so the horses concerned can be positively identified. Every case of misleading or inaccurate information on an EA Identification Certificate (or EA/FEI Passport), or if the horse cannot be positively identified, must be reported to EA or the relevant State Branch, giving the number of the identification paper and the name of the horse and the Person Responsible.
8. When a horse dies the EA Identification Certificate may be retained by the owner. However, the owner or owners must change the horse status to deceased.
9. Details of registration for the grading and/or classification of horses in each Sport are provided for in the Rules of each Sport.
10. EA shall maintain and be responsible for a register of horses for all Sports in Australia.
11. Prize money, vouchers and rewards of any kind may be withheld by the Organising Committee until the Person Responsible produces a Horse EA Identification Certificate and proof of payment of the Organising Committees entry fee and any Sport Competition levies.
12. Foreign Owned Horses or imported horses will be classified at the discretion of the Sport concerned.
13. EA reserves the right to refuse to register any horse or to refuse to renew the registration of any horse.
14. Horse registration fees shall be payable to the EA State Branch according to each Branch's schedule of fees.
15. Horses competing within Australia in certain FEI Events must obtain an EA National Identification Document, an FEI Recognition Card or an FEI Horse Passport, depending on the level of the event. Refer FEI Regulations.
16. Horses competing outside Australia in FEI Events must have been issued with an FEI Horse Passport or, if they have an EA National Identification Document, with an FEI Recognition Card. Refer FEI Regulations.

Horse Names – Life Registration

General Regulation Article 138 – Names of Horses

1. Horses registered with EA are registered for life. A horse can only be registered once with EA, but may upgrade from Base to Life registration where appropriate. Members attempting to do a new registration of a horse that is already registered may be subject to penalty. See EA Disciplinary By-Laws.
2. In principle, the first registered name of a horse registered with EA will remain on permanent record.
 - 2.1. When applying for the initial registration of a horse or pony with EA at least five names ranked in preference must be given.
 - 2.2. Horses cannot be registered as trade names i.e. Versace, Calvin Klein or Nescafe. This is an FEI rule.
 - 2.3. Horse names may not to exceed 28 characters including spaces.
 - 2.4. There are certain horse names which may never be reused even if the horse is retired or deceased. These names have been given exclusive rights if the horse has made significant achievements usually relating to the Olympic or World Equestrian Games e.g. Peppermint Grove, Kibah TicToc.
 - 2.5. Prefix initials (e.g. "CH") are not permitted. (Example: "November Rain" cannot be "CH November Rain".)
 - 2.6. Punctuation marks (e.g. full stops, commas, etc.) and special characters (e.g. [asterisk] *, [ampersand] &, etc.) must not be used in names. (Example: "Mr Burns" cannot be "Mr. [full stop] Burns".)
3. Horses that have been registered with another recognized breed society may be EA registered using that name. Where the name exists

already, a trailing number may be added. This rule also applies to horses being imported into Australia.

4. If the owner applies for a name change or a change to the commercial prefix/suffix, the horse's registration papers and Identification Document must retain the old name or prefix/suffix for the next 12 months as follows: new name and/or new prefix/suffix ex previous name/prefix/ suffix.
5. A horse/pony name including a prefix or suffix may be registered with EA provided it complies with one of the following conditions:
 - 5.1. A commercial prefix/suffix may be added to the name and must be entered in the passport and registration papers. However, at Regional and Olympic Games under the patronage of the IOC, such prefix/suffix cannot appear in a program and cannot be used in any other way.
 - 5.2. A Breeder/Stud prefix or suffix shall be given to a horse or pony bred by breeders and studs who are a member of EA or a recognised Breed Society. Breeders/Studs can register a prefix/suffix with EA for this purpose on application and the payment of a fee. At the time of registration, proof of the breed society registered prefix/suffix must be provided to EA.
 - 5.3. Where a breeder/stud has registered a horse with the breeder/stud prefix and that the breeder/stud has bred the horse subsequent owners of that horse cannot change the horse's EA registration to remove the breeder/stud prefix without the written consent of the breeder/stud that first registered the horse. The written consent may be given at the time of the sale of the horse or at some later date.
6. EA reserves the right to refuse to register any horse under any particular name.

General Regulations Article 139 – Owners and Lessees

1. All individual owners, including part-owners and syndicates, must be a current member to the respective EA State Branch. Commercial Group affiliates may register a horse under a business name but forfeit the rights of an individual member. EA Clubs and Sport Affiliates are not eligible to register or be part- owners of a horse. The Primary Owner is the owner who is to receive any information relating to the horse, i.e. its EA Identification Certificate, competition licence etc. Usually the rider/person responsible or the owner with the largest ownership share is the primary owner.
2. EA accepts registrations on the understanding that the Person or Body making the registration is the bona fide owner, part-owner or lessee of the horse. EA will accept no responsibility on cases of disputed ownership, which must be settled by the parties concerned.
3. EA will keep a register of the owners of horses including multiple ownerships. Changes of owners and records of leasing agreements must be entered in the EA Identification Certificate by EA.
4. Owners of horses sold or leased must update their EA Identification Certificate immediately and change the horse status to sold or leased. The new owners or lessee will pay any change of ownership or lease fee.
5. Leasing of horses is permitted under the following conditions.
 - a. The form and duration of the lease agreement is a matter for the parties concerned; it does not require the approval of EA.
 - b. The member to whom the horse is leased is regarded in all respects by EA as the bona fide owner and shall have the same rights and duties.
 - c. When a horse is leased this will not be regarded as a change of ownership for the purposes of competition.
 - d. If a leasing agreement is cancelled during the period of lease or is renewed, EA must receive written confirmation from the parties of the lease

Foal Date & Age (Years)

If you only provide the year foaled, the horse's birthday as used in the Southern Hemisphere (1 August) will be used.

Height

Height is an estimated height at the date of registration. If the horse is officially measured, this will be the horse's official height for competition purposes.

Horse Identification at Events

General Regulations Article 114 – Horse Identification at Events

1. All Horses registered with EA must have a microchip meeting Australian Standard AS 5018/5019 inserted.
2. All Horses entering in Official Competitive classified activities/events/competitions must hold EA Full Horse Registration and licensed to compete as determined by the respective state.
3. OCs at major Events such as EA Australian Championships must give an identification number (bridle number) to each of the participating horses.
4. The identification number must be worn during the whole Event at all times when the horse is out of the Event stables.