



ENDURANCE  
NEW ZEALAND

# The Distance

The Newsletter of Endurance NZ & Competitive Trail Riding

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## Chairman's View

This will be the last time I will present a Chairman's view as I have decided to retire from the Board at the next AGM in June. My business commitments over the next 12 months will mean I do not have the time available to properly fulfill the role of a Board member. My retirement along with those of Rowena Tyler and Sharon Nisbett will mean real changes to the Board but change is inevitable and essential for any organisation. An organisation like ours needs new people and new ideas coming in all the time if it is to survive and thrive.

I have enjoyed my 5 years on the Board and have seen many changes in that time. One of those changes I am proud to have achieved in my time as Chair is the introduction of individual member voting. It is now very important that you all exercise that right in the upcoming elections. We all need to make sure that there are good competent candidates standing for the Board and then we need to act and vote for the candidates we believe will best serve the interests of the organisation as a whole. The role of Board member has changed a lot since I first joined 5 years ago and the role of Board chair has changed even more. It is not enough for a Board member just to be the popular choice, they have to have the right attitude and competencies and they have to learn to serve the whole organisation, not just certain factions.

Sharon Nisbett and Rowena Tyler's contribution to the Board will be missed. Both these ladies have worked tirelessly for you, the members. Sharon has indicated she is willing to continue doing the accounts for the Board. A continuance of the financial processing will help maintain the momentum we have gained in this area. When I took over as Chair in 2004 Endurance was heading for insolvency if we had continued with the losses we were incurring at the time. We have turned that around and established healthy reserves in a short time period but we can not afford complacency. The Board can not deliver the expectations of the members if it does not have the resources to do so and those expectations are increasing all the time.

One of the Board's achievements over the last 3 years has been to establish a designated High Performance Programme. In 2004 I attended a meeting at the NZ Academy of Sport especially for equestrian sport during which I got a glimpse of what could be achieved with such a program. It has taken time to build the right Team, put in place some financial backing and to design the program. It is exciting to see all that now in place and this month the first squad camps will be held in Taupo and Christchurch. The response from the riders interested to join the squads indicates that there is a very real demand for this program and I am sure we will see real improvements in performances at all levels as a result of the work Kevin, John and Del are doing.

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Looking forward, the future for EnNZ is very bright., our membership and horse registrations are growing, we are on a sound financial footing and we have a World Championship in Malaysia to look forward to.

However we will face some challenges. SPARC have adopted a policy of only directly supporting Olympic sports. While we can get some leverage from our connections to Eventing and Show Jumping, in 2008 our direct funding from SPARC will run out. The general view amongst the sporting and business fraternities is that SPARC have got their policy wrong and it is expected to change, but we must plan ahead. By 2008 if we want to continue with our High Performance Programme and other developments in our sport we will need to find a way of achieving independent funding for those developments. This will be the real challenge for the next Board.

*Warren James*  
*Chairman*

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## **Dispensation for Juniors Under 14yrs to ride in FEI Events**

This statement is being issued to correct some confusion that arose at the recent National Championships held at Ruahine, as to the eligibility of juniors to ride in FEI Events.

Mr Paul Jeffery, representing the Board was advised by the member of the Ground Jury present that the National Federation could grant a dispensation for juniors under the age of 14 to ride in an FEI Event.

I have corresponded with Mr Ian Williams (head of the Endurance department at the FEI) regarding the FEI rules for juniors and he states that in no circumstances under the present FEI Endurance rules will the FEI allow any rider under the age of 14 years to compete in an FEI Endurance Event.

The advice given to Paul Jeffery was incorrect and the dispensation was invalid. Fortunately no riders took up the offer to compete so no harm was done.

*Warren James*  
*Chairman*

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## **Jenny Champion Heads to Italy**

Thanks to a very kind and generous invitation from the OC of the Umbria Endurance Equestrian Team, Jenny Champion will be heading to Italy to compete in the Assisi Endurance Lifestyle CEI3\* 120km in June.

The OC was offering an expenses paid trip and made it clear that they expected the invited riders from around the world to be "messengers and ambassadors of peace in their own country."

With this in mind the HP leadership team put forward their recommendations to the Board, and Jenny was considered to be a very worth representative.

Jenny has previously represented New Zealand at Trans Tasman level in Australia during 2005, and held the National 160km title in the 2006. She travelled as a strapper to Aachen with the WEG team last year.

# FEI Junior/Youth World Endurance Championships, Argentina 2007

## Report from Del Bissell, Team Manager

The following is a report directed to the board of Endurance NZ from the Team Manager.

Full compliments and appreciation to the team coach, John Stevenson, High Performance Director, Kevin James, and vet Tony Parsons for their wholehearted dedication to this event, which included quite a significant personal cost in dollars and time given, for a totally voluntary commitment. Endurance NZ are very fortunate in having these people involved, who have a huge number of years of experience between them and passionate enthusiasm to drive our sport onwards and upwards, taking every opportunity available to do so. Recognition must be given to the clubs and club officials who provided appropriate situations for riders to gain the necessary qualifications to be included in the WJC team.

A significant point was learnt from the qualification situation which arose for Emma in which very careful and accurate assessment of qualification requirements and reviewing of results is undertaken. When expressions of interest are requested for events, the qualification criteria must go out to all members with that request / information. This is going to be extremely important in light of the new qualification requirements for Malaysia 2008.

I would like to ensure for all future High Performance competitions and team events that requests for expressions of interest are provided to the web site, individually emailed, printed in the Board "Distance" publication and the "Bulletin", and this should provide the information to all the membership. This should always include a closing date. This is to encourage a culture of self help and self responsibility. High Performance management should not have to continually "spoon feed" members or teams.

Leasing of horses is going to become more and more common, and Endurance NZ are receiving more international invitations, where, if we are to accept these invitations and expose our members to the experience of international competition, and team events, riders/strappers who wish to look to making themselves available for selection, have to work on their "user pays" plans, and set themselves goals and plan well ahead.

The forthcoming High Performance May camps will make huge steps forward to providing information and processes to achieve members goals, be it rider or strapper. As it is planned that strappers will be selected to do a "strappers" job, this is a vital component to the "team" competition", and riders need a strapper with a professional attitude who has the skills to podium finish strap a horse and also to cope with the rider.

The Aachen "trial" vet system was fine tuned for Argentina and proved to be very efficient, even with reduced strapping power. Another proven learning curve was the numbers actually required to make a "team". Aachen was far too big, Argentina seemed to be just right.

Once again, leasing horses has proven to aid the leasee, as the owner provides personalised strapping which the horse is comfortable with, and they also learnt a lot of fine tuning skills from the NZ methods.

As manager, I convey the combined approval from the other High Performance personnel that one rider / one strapper / vet / coach / HP Director / chef d'equipe (team manager) / working to a fine tuned plan proved to be the preference.

All team members worked together, riders complied with vet / horse owner / coach and managers directives, but were also mature enough to voice any concerns or doubts, and daily meetings encouraging open discussion with the whole team proved well worth while.

The time frame of travel to competition was just right. The riders were jaded for the first 2 days, but had ideal conditions to recover whilst trialling the lease horses. We were very fortunate with Miguel, our Argentinian horse owner. He and his wife's hospitality provided a very large sum of financial savings for the team.

The OC had some unfortunate economic and accommodation changes forced upon them by the base hosts, the Military. Teams were unaware of this until Chefs went for accreditation, and this caused me to have to use all the cash I had taken, plus the prepared team cash. After some lengthy negotiations, I did get some refunds, but we did have to pay a lot more for the stabling and accommodation than was previously communicated. But, that's why I went prepared, with all of Ivors spare US dollars from his flights!!!!

A huge thanks must go from the team to Sharon Nisbett, whose ability to stretch a dollar every which way and come up with a balance to the cent is amazing. She works out the ghastly international transaction debits, NZ GST / non GST costs, and manages to understand my accounting / receipt system, that I have trouble understanding.

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## FEI Junior/Youth World Endurance Championships, Argentina 2007

The team thanks Endurance NZ for the \$2,500 granted to the riders, plus Zilco, individual clubs and members, individual personnel friends and family, and Beryl Sagar who gave the riders a Merino saddle blanket each. Nicole managed to obtain \$2000 from the Caversham Trust as a grant, and the riders thank Paul Jeffrey for his personal donation to each of them, and to Warren James for his gift to the riders at the airport on their departure.

The team funds have paid for Tony Parsons uniform, and some of his rental car fuel as we are eternally grateful to Tony for accompanying us on the trip at his own cost. He also did a fine job of the Haka at a dinner party after the event, with Miguel and all his family. In front of a large group of other diners, some from a local boys school, who were already very loud and appreciative of the 5 blonde Kiwi girls, but were more impressed with Tonys display as the "All Blacks" feature very highly in Buenos Aires!!!!

Nicole and Jane Hunt have a report for the May Bulletin which details the daily activities, and a report from Emma Armstrong is on the website. This was originally destined to be presented at Nationals prizegiving, but there was an unfortunate miscommunication on timetable and Emma missed out on the team introduction which was very disappointing. Emma had promoted the team event prior to departure via the local radio station, and she had prepared a very good conclusion to the event.

Emma concluded her report with the comment that she had assured the Endurance NZ membership at the North Island champs prizegiving that the Junior team would make them proud and she was very correct, your Junior Team did make us very proud indeed. The letter from FEI /Endurance President Ian Williams gives testimony to that.

From the team managers view point, this team worked as a team throughout, and the reference to the team includes strappers / riders / management. Each performed their own respective roles and moved to help all other team members with any task, big or small.

I have to state, these Juniors have made their adult counterparts lose a lot of points. I imagine that comes from "youth" and adaptability, but also from a real drive and passion, and the acknowledgement and respect for what is being done for them to achieve their goals by their families and Endurance NZ management and Board. - *Del Bissell*

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### Report from John Stevenson, National Coach

I felt the planning that went into the travel and uniforms was excellent, although the aircraft left a lot to be desired but it got us there and back. The riders were great and were a pleasure to be with at any time of the trip. Emma showed her maturity when she was named as the individual and did not let it get her down when she was vetted out early in the ride, she just got right on with the job of strapping the other team members horses.

Tessa, Sian, Julia and Trina all rode to instructions until Trina's horse went out lame and by then the fitter horse of Tessa's was starting to show, so this changed the game plan. The rest is history. Ride base accommodation and meals were not great, but it was the same for all riders, strappers and management and it made us appreciate our hotel after the ride.

It was good to have Ebi Deuss and Ian Anderson as they are very capable of all tasks asked of them, whether it be acquiring better hay or re-stitching new gear that needed adjusting after Kerry and Sue had sourced it. Wendy played a valuable part in the team and was in charge of the paper work on race day. Tony Parsons was a great asset to have and I feel we all worked well with him.

Del and Kevin put the whole show on the road - securing lease horses, uniforms, organising the travel itinerary, accommodation and vehicles. I think we had a good balance of male and female adults and all got on well, there were plenty of laughs and the team will be better for the experience as I am sure these riders will be on the podium in the future. So with respect for the horses we leased with no log books, I feel we achieved good results considering the host nation with 12 horses could not get a team through. - *John Stevenson*

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### Message Received From the FEI

The Junior/Youth World Endurance team finished in 6th place at the Junior World Champs held in Argentina on the 15th March 2007. The team were also given the vet commission award for the best presented team and horses. Mr Ian Williams (head of the Endurance department at the FEI) sent the following message to National Office.

**"Firstly let me say that Team NZ were a credit to the sport and themselves in Argentina. Throughout they were great ambassadors for Endurance and for NZ. Their uniforms and turn out were the envy of many. My congratulations to everyone involved."**

**Congratulations to the Junior/Youth World Endurance Team on their success in Argentina**

# FEI Junior/Youth World Endurance Championships, Argentina 2007

## Report from Emma Armstrong

"Del has asked me to say a few words about the Junior/Youth World Endurance Champs.

On the 9<sup>th</sup> of March New Zealand sent it's first Junior team to a World Championship. After an 11 and a half hour flight, we travelled from Buenos Aires to Miguel's farm and stayed there for three days getting to know three of the horses, which were to be ridden by Tessa, Sian and myself.

We were shown the most amazing hospitality and had the opportunity to experience real rural South American life. The most memorable things from there would have to be riding through enormous paddocks, one with just about 10 stallions and colts and another with over a hundred mares and foals all running around us. The size of the frogs!! The caramel, which was used on everything and the fact that the only covers they had were made of old wool bales and tied on with string.

The rickety old floats and vehicles that took these incredibly valuable horses to Buenos Aires, broke down en route and finally delivered them some 10 hrs later at the Military base where the event was being held. The accommodation for the girls turned out to be basic at best with dodgy toilets and cold showers. The men had good showers but nick-named their room The Prison because they had no windows and had to get dressed one at a time, as there was only enough floor space for one person to stand.

We had a fridge however and were off to the supermarket on the second day as the novelty of pastries and caramel for breakfast quickly wore off. The biggest headache of the city was the mosquito plague that actually made the news. These huge insects could bite through your jeans and caused the local stores to run out of insect repellent.

The Chilean horses were already there when we arrived and Trina and Julia then had three days to get to know them. We helped strap for Miguel and other members of his family in the 100km race the day before the Champs event which gave us a useful insight to how they do things in South America.

Our race started at dawn with most of the riders heading out at a gallop across the racetrack and out onto the course which was completely flat with no gates and mostly good underfoot. I was riding as the individual and unfortunately my horse went lame on the first loop. The team was running towards the back of the field but as the day progressed the black and white shirts moved up steadily. Trina's horse was next to go out and then there were only three left.

The first rider across the line was from Uruguay and arrived excitedly waving the National flag, which was very moving. The tradition over there is to throw the qualifiers into the mud so lots of very dirty riders were later wandering around the base. Uruguay won it, UAE second, Brazil 3<sup>rd</sup>, South Africa 4<sup>th</sup> Guatemala 5<sup>th</sup>, the Kiwi team 6<sup>th</sup>, Namibia 7<sup>th</sup>, and the Aussies 8<sup>th</sup>. Argentina and Chile who provided most of the lease horses for all the other countries didn't even post scores.

On behalf of the team we would like to thank everyone who made it possible. Equestrian Sport NZ and Endurance New Zealand for arranging funding and for doing all the administration and the organisation of uniforms etc. Del and Kevin for organising the horses and, along with Tony and John, bringing their combined international experience to support the campaign. The stress and struggle to get everything together was forgotten when we stepped out onto the arena behind our New Zealand flag wearing our silver ferns.

The biggest thankyou goes to the sponsors and in particular the New Zealand Endurance community who supported our fundraising efforts and helped us achieve our goal. National Sponsor Zilco who gave the riders halters, leads, breastplates and reins and especially Beryl Sagar who gave all of us a black saddle blanket. Last but not least the management team who funded the trip themselves in order to be there for the Junior World Champs Team. At the North Island Champs we said we would do you all proud and we hope you all feel that we have."

*- Emma Armstrong*



## Infringement Notice

One of the primary duties of the Board is to uphold, administer and enforce the rules of the sport. For practical purposes the day to day administration of this is delegated to the Technical Committee. A Board member always sits on that committee and all actions by the committee are cc'd to the Board chair. A regular report of the Technical committees work is made to each Board meeting.

Every year the Technical committee are called on to deal with a number of cases where horses and or riders have been entered into events they are not eligible to take part in. Unfortunately ride secretaries do not have the information and resources available, including the time, to check every entry. It is the responsibility of the person entering the event to make sure the details are correct and both rider and horse are eligible for that event. This is clearly stated in the ESNZ General Regulations article 142 clause 3.

The Board do take errors concerning eligibility seriously because of the need to protect the integrity of the novice system and also because it is their duty to protect the interests of the members who have acted correctly and have kept their registrations and qualifications up to date.

Previously the practice in all such cases has been to disqualify the combination. Riders affected by this have asked the Board to look at other penalties as often the offences are made in error without deliberate intent. After careful consideration the board has approved a range of penalties that give the Technical committee more discretion. All these penalties are contained in the ESNZ General Regulations under article 174 'Guide to Penalties', and are not new rules.

These penalties were first discussed and approved at the meeting of the Board on the 20<sup>th</sup> January 2007. The Technical committee considered the implementation of the system and a memo was sent to all club secretaries on the 7<sup>th</sup> of March as well as being posted on the website.

At the meeting of the Board on the 21<sup>st</sup> April 2007 after a club submission and other reports the system has been further refined and full details of this follow.

**It must be noted that in all cases of a Technical committee ruling the person affected does have a right of appeal directly to the Board.**

Since the inception of the fine system five riders or owners have been fined. In one case the fine was rescinded after further submissions from the owner. In three cases the fine has been paid and the riders have expressed some gratitude that they did not have to face disqualification and loss of kilometres etc. The Board feels the system of penalties now in place is fairer and more effective.

It can be unfortunate for those who make an error and get caught out but the Board must also protect the interests of those who do comply with the rules and regulations or there would be no point in having rules.

**The following motion was recorded at the Endurance Board Meeting on the 21st April 2007:-**

*In matters arising from infringements relating to eligibility of horses and/or riders entering events, the person responsible will be given an oral or written warning.*

*A fine should be imposed particularly in cases where the offender has objectively gained an unfair advantage or has disadvantaged another person or had infringed the Constitution, By-Laws, Regulations or Rules by negligence.*

*Disqualification should be imposed when it is specified in the Constitution, By-Laws, Regulations or Rules, if the circumstances demand immediate action, or for repeat offenders. Disqualification from a competition means that the competitor and horses concerned - even should they change ownership - is removed from the list of entries and the classification and includes the forfeiture of prize money and Kms won in that particular competition. Disqualification from an Event means that the competitor and horses concerned - even should they change ownership - may take no further part in that Event and it may include the forfeiture of any prize money won in previous competitions at that Event where this is provided for in the Constitution, By Laws, Regulations or Rules.*





## Office Assistant / Endurance Sport Administrator

Equestrian Sports New Zealand is the national sports organisation providing leadership and administration management to the Equestrian disciplines of Endurance, Eventing, Dressage and Showjumping. Based in Wellington we provide a youthful team passionate about providing exceptional service and value to our members and supporters.

We are looking for an outgoing team member to fill the role of Office Assistant. This role forms a critical part of the Equestrian Sports NZ National Office team providing administrative and general support.

This role would suit an individual who is highly motivated, enjoys using their initiative and takes pride in making a contribution to the overall team effort. No two days will be the same so a high degree of adaptability, creative problem solving and ability to manage priorities and deadlines is a necessity.

The role will involve responsibility for taking minutes and completing correspondence for the discipline of Endurance, entering competition results, communication with clubs and members via regular newsletter and general membership and registration enquiries.

For further information and a position description please contact:

Karen Trotter - Acting Chief Executive Officer on 04 499 8994 or visit our website [www.nzequestrian.org.nz](http://www.nzequestrian.org.nz)

Applications including a resume and contact details for two referees close **6th June 2007** and should be sent to the attention of:

Karen Trotter  
Equestrian Sports New Zealand  
P O Box 6146  
Wellington

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### Reminder to all Riders—Horse Age

As per Pink Book Rule **Section One Endurance Riding Rules, 3) Age of Horses:**

- A) For all Championship rides, horses must be six (6) calendar years of age or over.
- B) For all other Endurance, Marathon and Training rides 41km and over, horses must be five (5) calendar years, by date of birth, or over on the day of the ride. If the birth date of the horse is unknown, the criterion of age will be that the horse shows a full mouth of permanent teeth, erupted and in wear, or suitable documentation from a Veterinarian or Equine Dentist.
- C) Four (4) year old horses may participate in the Novice section at rides up to a distance of 50km inclusive.

**Section Two, Competitive Trail Riding Rules, 4) Riding Rules:**

- A) for all Championship rides, horses must be five (5) calendar years of age or over.
- B) For all other rides, horses must be five (5) calendar years or over on the day of the ride. The criterion of age will be that the horse shows a full mouth of permanent teeth, erupted and in wear, or suitable documentation.
- C) Four (4) year old horses may participate in rides up to a maximum distance of 40km inclusive per day. On rides of two or more days the maximum distance for four (4) year old horses is limited to 20km per day.

## 2007 Squad List (As at 23rd April 2007)

### Junior / Young Rider Squad

#### North

Emma Armstrong  
Tyla Armstrong  
Ebony Carmichael  
Kirsty Corrin  
Tessa Deuss  
Trina Hill  
Jordyn Piripi  
Sian Reid

#### South

Julia Anderson  
Brooke Candy  
Kirsty Higgins  
Bridgett James  
Holly Johnson  
Helen Graham  
Kimberley Ryan

### Talent ID Squad

#### North

Selwyn Boler  
Braden Cameron  
Jenny Chandler  
Stu Cottle  
Angela Doel  
Shane Dougan  
John Harrison  
Tanya Harrison  
Alix Rogers  
Sean Trafford  
Aaron Tylee  
Brent Stringer

#### South

Alex Lothian  
Megan Stark

### Strapping Squad

#### North

Deirdre Bartlett  
Karen Blyth  
Michelle Boler  
Keryn Brown  
Struan Duncan  
Jane Ferguson  
Dennis Gloyn  
Tracy Holden  
Jo Hull  
Gary Hurley  
Sarah Linton  
Chris Shaw  
Nicola Starkey  
Hilary Webb  
Ebi Deuss

#### South

Ian Anderson  
Barbara Avery  
Nicki Barton  
Helen Bray  
Phillip Higgins  
Cheryl Pinn  
Bryan Priddle  
Nicky Pruden  
Lisa Ryan  
Maree Tresidder  
Judi Hull  
Lyn Russell  
Ainsley King  
Chris King

### Development Squad

#### North

Kirstin Deuss  
Rupert Kurghan  
Gayle Harvey  
Anita Lamb  
Andrea Smith  
Murray Smith  
Rowena Tyler  
Ross Hill

#### South

Chris Boniface  
Trevor Copland  
Ursula Keenan  
Linda Harmon  
Alison Higgins  
Sandie MacLean  
Lisa Simpson  
Bryan Priddle  
Ola Schreurs  
Vanessa Tiffen  
Debbie Worsfold

### Elite Squad

#### North

Jenny Champion  
Denise Hill  
Paul Jeffrey  
Sue Reid  
Mark Tylee

#### South

Kylie Avery  
Phillip Graham  
Sarah Hamer  
Kevin James  
Jessica King

## Trans-Tasman Team Named

The team to represent New Zealand at the upcoming Trans-Tasman in Nanango, Queensland has been named.

#### **CEI3\* - 160km**

Sarah Hamer  
Ursula Keenan  
Bryan Priddle  
Kimberley Ryan (Junior)

#### **CEI2\* - 107km**

Selwyn Boler  
Gemma Haywood  
Alison Higgins  
Jordyn Piripi (Junior)  
**Reserve:** Stuart Cottle

#### **Strappers**

Nicki Barton  
Michelle Boler  
Tracey Holden  
Lisa Ryan  
Judi Hull

The Management Team is, Del Bissell, Kevin James, Chris King (2IC to Del) and John Stevenson.



## North Island Squad Training Timetable

North Island Unmounted Squad Training  
National Equestrian Centre, Taupo, 12 May – 13 May 2007

### Strappers Day One

9.30am – 10am	Kevin James – everyone together
10am – 12pm	Tony Parsons
12pm – 12.45pm	Lunch break
12.45pm – 2.15pm	Nikki Lourie - physiotherapy & saddle fitting
2.15pm – 3.15pm	Keryn Brown
3.15pm – 4.15pm	Kevin James
4.15pm – 4.30pm	Break
4.30pm – 5pm	HP leadership team

### Strappers Day Two

9am – 12pm	Ainslee Souness – team building challenges
12pm – 12.45pm	Lunch break
12.45pm – 2.15pm	Ainslee Souness – DISC personality models
2.15pm	Finish

### Riders Day One

9.30am – 10am	Kevin James – everyone together
10am – 12pm	Nikki Lourie – physiotherapy & saddle fitting
12pm – 12.45pm	Lunch break
12.45pm – 2.45pm	Tony Parsons
2.45pm – 3.45pm	Erik Duvander & Sarah Harris IPP's
3.45pm – 4.30pm	John Stevenson
4.30pm – 5pm	All HP team together

### Riders Day Two

9am – 12pm	Ainslee Souness – team building challenges
12pm – 12.45pm	Lunch break
12.45pm – 2.45pm	Kevin James & John Stevenson – rider fitness & IPP's
2.45pm	Finish

(IPP = individual performance plan)

*South Island Squad Training Timetable on next page*

## FUTURE ENDURANCE/SHOW STAR

AD Elite Edition (Registered Anglo Gelding by Aloha Desert Minstral+AU/Exp AU from the Pure Crabbet Mare Starglen Bouquet+AU. Foaled October 2003, fully registered with the NZAHBS, Elite has been raised on hill country, professionally broken in and hacked lightly. Great nature. Trucks/floats, good to farrier/worm etc. Should mature around 15.2hh. (Sire 16.3hh – Dam 15.1hh). Only for sale as the eventing daughter grew too tall for him. This fellow will have a big future ahead. Has the bloodlines to go to the top. Aloha bred horses have performed with distinction in Australia and offshore. \$4000.

Phone: 07 549 2475 or 021 267 7261

## South Island Squad Training Timetable

### South Island Unmounted Squad Training

National Equestrian Centre, McLeans Island, 26 – 27 May 2007

#### Strappers Day One

8.45am – 9am	Kevin James – everyone together
9 am – 10am	Kevin James
10am – 12pm	Keryn Brown
12pm – 12.45pm	Lunch break
12.45pm – 2.45pm	Nikki Lourie – physiotherapy and saddle fitting
2.45pm – 4.45pm	Tony Parsons
4.45pm – 5pm	All HP team – everyone together

#### Strappers Day Two

9am – 12pm	Justine Kidd - Team building: everyone together
12pm – 12.45pm	Lunch break
12.45pm – 2.45pm	Justine Kidd – DISC personality model
1.45pm	Finish

#### Riders Day One

8.45am – 9am	Kevin James – everyone together
9am – 10am	Sarah Harris & Erik Duvander IPP's
10am – 12pm	Nikki Lourie – physiotherapy and saddle fitting
12pm – 12.45pm	Lunch break
12.45pm – 2.45pm	Tony Parsons
2.45pm – 3.45pm	John Stevenson
3.45pm – 4.45pm	Kevin James
4.45pm – 5pm	HP leadership team

#### Riders Day Two

9am – 12pm	Justine Kidd: Team building: everyone together
12pm – 12.45pm	Lunch break
12.45pm – 2.45pm	John and Kevin work with riders on IPP's and rider fitness

(IPP = individual performance plan)

## Sport Bay of Plenty Workshops Available

Sport Bay of Plenty is running a series of workshops aimed at Sports Clubs. The workshops are designed to provide useful, practical information to assist clubs in improving their efficiency and reducing the workloads of administrators. The following courses are available in May / June / July:-

Workshop	Date	Time	Cost
Recruit, Retain, Reward and Train your Volunteers	14th May	6.30–8.00pm	\$10
Establishing and Maintaining an Effective Committee	20th June	6.30–8.00pm	\$10
Marketing and Sponsorship for your Club	11th July	6.30–8.00pm	\$10

The above courses will be held at the Terrace Rooms, Baycourt Community & Arts Centre, Cnr Durham & Wharf Street, Tauranga.

Confirmation is imperative, please RSVP to Awhina Dickson, 07 578 0016 or [awhinad@sportbop.co.nz](mailto:awhinad@sportbop.co.nz)

# FEI Endurance World Ranking (As at 26 April 2007)

## FEI Endurance Combination World Ranking

### Junior/Young riders

Rank	Rider	Horse	Points
1	Julia Anderson	SS Nassada	237
2	Tessa Deuss	AA Sierra	228
3	Kimberley Ryan	Dell Gamal	210
4	Natalie Bickerton	JA Katarina	200
42	Jordyn Piripi	Aspen Hills Starlight Express	114
42	Emma Armstrong	Blue Thunder Shimar	114
46	Sian Reid	AA Oscar	111
54	Helen Graham	Cyden Kay	105
64	Kate Ferry	AA Jafyre	99

### Open (NZ Combinations in Top 50)

Rank	Name	Horse	Points
2	Kylie Avery	Silands Jasark	271
3	Mark Tylee	Class Act	240
6	Denise Hill	Delahaye Micah	234
14	Byran Priddle	JA Gai Kascade	204
14	Jessica King	Zannarah Pashina	204
18	Sarah Hamer	I.L.A. Jadir	192
19	Nigel Kerr	Dahma Saparrah	189
19	Jenny Champion	Freckles	189
21	Paul Jeffrey	Chinook	185
22	Karen Schafer	Flambeau	183
22	Linda Harmon	Landon V'erah	183
25	Andrea Smith	Sierra Nevada	180
30	Sandie MacLean	Dahman Vanzant NZL	159
33	Chris Boniface	Radi	152

### Open (NZ Riders in top 100)

Rank	Name	Points
14	Sarah Hamer	317
18	Denise Hill	310
21	Paul Jeffrey	272
22	Kylie Avery	271
25	Mark Tylee	240
27	Pip Mutch	235
27	Sandie MacLean	235
39	Sue Reid	216
42	Bryan Priddle	204
42	Jessica King	204
54	Jenny Champion	189
54	Nigel Kerr	189
58	Karen Schafer	183
58	Linda Harmon	183
62	Andrea Smith	180
70	Andrea Mason	159
78	Chris Boniface	152
85	Rowena Tyler	141
89	Jaki Bickerton	136
89	Linda Pullar	136
97	Debby Worsfold	131
100	Angela Doel	128

### Junior/Young Riders

Rank	Name	Points
1	Tessa Deuss	293
2	Julia Anderson	292
7	Helen Graham	225
8	Kimberley Ryan	210
10	Natalie Bickerton	200
16	Sian Reid	171
51	Emma Armstrong	114
51	Jordyn Piripi	114
57	Rachel Walker	108
69	Kate Ferry	99



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## Important notes regarding entries, registrations and claiming kilometres

### Logbook Stickers

When you re-register a horse, you receive an updated sticker to go on the inside page of your logbook, under the one you had last season. Please make sure you place this sticker in your logbook so when a ride secretary checks it, they can see it has been renewed. A ride secretary has the right to refuse your entry if you do not appear to have been renewed.

If you need a replacement sticker for this, or you have TWO logbooks and you only received one sticker, please notify either Nicole or a member of the registrations team.

### Your horse's name

Please enter your horse at rides under the same name it is registered with ESNZ as, NOT its paddock name. This means your results end up in the correct place. We have provided horse entry stickers, so you do not have to constantly write out your horse's name and registration numbers on entry forms.

### Claiming Kilometres

Upon registering, you can claim kilometres from up to three rides retrospectively. There are now only two ways of doing this:

1. If the day vet cards are sent in with the registration form, the ride details will be entered into the new logbook and Jo Lankow (Endurance Results Co-ordinator) will be notified.
2. If the kms are being claimed after registration then a copy of the day vet card needs to be emailed, faxed or posted to either Jo Lankow or Nicole Munro-Johnson at ESNZ. The owner/rider will then receive written confirmation that the kms have been recorded. The rider/owner can then show this confirmation and the day vet card to a secretary and ask them to copy the day vet card into the logbook and sign it.

This process could take a few days, so please allow yourself plenty of time. All claims for kilometres will be checked against the results sheets to ensure they are valid and correct.

Please contact Nicole Munro-Johnson if you have any queries:-

Phone: 04 499 8994

Email: [nicole@nzequestrian.org.nz](mailto:nicole@nzequestrian.org.nz)

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## Reminder

Don't forget that the only numbers we now need at our domestic rides are the ESNZ registration numbers for horses and riders. Your ESNZ number is on your black membership card, and your horse's ESNZ number is printed (not handwritten) on the sticker on its logbook, and the entry stickers.

After 1 January all FEI registered horses and riders will need to provide their FEI numbers to Secretaries at FEI EVENTS ONLY. If your horse has an FEI Passport this will be the horse's FEI number.

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**For all the latest Endurance News go to [www.nzequestrian.org.nz](http://www.nzequestrian.org.nz)**

## Official Promotions

The following Officials have been promoted:-

### **Promoted to National Judge**

Richard Armstrong  
Barbara Avery  
Nicki Barton  
Maree Britten  
Beth Guest  
Linda Harmon  
Lois Hosking  
Paul Illston  
Susan Iorns  
Dale James  
Linda Kenney  
Susan Latta  
Marie Smith  
Garry Walker

### **Promoted to Trainee Judge**

Lisa Butson  
Megan Cannon  
David Cartnell  
Trevor Copland  
Gabrielle Deuss  
Nita Edwards  
Mark Gordon  
Alison Higgins  
Philip Higgins  
Jo Lankow  
Ian Parkes  
Murray Smith  
Kim Swan  
Eunice Tyler  
Melanie Williams

### **Promoted to National Technical Delegate**

Richard Armstrong	Endurance
Marie Britten	Endurance & CTR
Shane Dougan	CTR
Tony Haywood	Endurance & CTR
Garry Walker	Endurance

### **Promoted to Trainee Technical Delegate**

Trevor Copland	Endurance
Shane Dougan	Endurance
Mark Gordon	Endurance
Paul Illston	Endurance
Murray Smith	Endurance

Please note that all current FEI approved Judges and Stewards will also be on the National Judges List. A full Officials list can be downloaded from the ESNZ Website [www.nzequestrian.org.nz](http://www.nzequestrian.org.nz) under the heading officiating.

## 2007 Bomac Lecture Series

Chris is Professor of Equine Medicine at the School of Veterinary Science, University of Queensland where he has developed a worldwide reputation in the field of disease of the horses foot. He is accompanied by leading Australian farrier Richard Hansen and between them they will discuss and bring you up to date on conditions of the horses foot and their practical management.

Hamilton  
Te Rapa Racecourse  
Sunday 20th May

Palmerston North  
Awapuni Racecourse  
Wednesday 23rd May

Christchurch  
Riccarton Racecourse  
Sunday 27th May

Registration Fee \$40, check out the home page of our website [www.nzequestrian.org.nz](http://www.nzequestrian.org.nz) for more information on the Bomac Lecture Series and an application form.

## CTR Lifetime Kilometres Required

All CTR riders are asked to send through their total lifetime kilometres for themselves and their horses, as at 1 May 2007. These totals will act as the starting point for the new database. The Endurance totals have already been provided. Please send the figures to Emma Cooper, [emma@nzequestrian.org.nz](mailto:emma@nzequestrian.org.nz) or phone 04 499 8994.

## Farewell From Nicole Munro-Johnson

This is my last word as a Sport Manager for Equestrian Sports NZ, and it is with sadness that I wave goodbye to the team here in the office and to the Board and HP personnel of Endurance. I am heading off to the public relations department at Joint Force Headquarters of Defence, to start a career in public relations and communication. This was always part of my eventual life plan, and it was put on hold while I tried my hand at sport administration.

It has been an interesting three years, and I have met and worked with some interesting people. Being on the 'other side of the fence' so to speak has really highlighted for me the pressure that Equestrian sport as a whole places on its volunteers, and I cannot say enough about the riders needing to fully appreciate the unpaid time that these people invest in the sport. Without these people taking on the tasks and the roles and spending their own hard-earned money to work for you, the sport would be in trouble. Everyone is trying to do the best they can with what they have. Accepting differences then working together is the only way the sport can continue to move forward and best use the limited resources that come from being in a small country.

My passion for distance riding has not waned during my time here, and I do intend to pick up where I left off to obtain that Red Card. I hope to see you all out and about on the tracks, and look forward to further international success for New Zealand. — **Nicole Munro-Johnson**



## Sponsor Register

Most of you are aware that as a sport we have had little management of our sponsors over the years. The old NZECTRA Council and the new EnNZ Board has often not know about local sponsors and no one has been in charge of coordinating Championship ride sponsors from year to year.

In order to try and improve our management of sponsors we are setting up a Sponsor Register so we can keep track of who is helping our sport and which companies we should first approach when we have new opportunities.

To do this we need the help of all clubs, and of course it is in your interest to be involved in this so that your local sponsors can be recognised.

We are especially interested in sponsors that have a national profile. For example, the NZ Horseshoe Co, gives many clubs a box of shoes each season but when evaluated at national level this could amount to substantial unrecognised sponsorship. Companies like RD1 and the PGG Wrightson groups are other such examples.

We want to get a list of your sponsors for last year, and the previous year if you have the information, as to the amount of product or cash they contributed. Products should be valued at retail as though you were purchasing it at a store. Values don't need to be exact at this stage and if someone gave you a trolley full of good then make an estimate of what you think the value was. If you have a local sponsor that You think is part of a national entity then please also make a note.

The information should be relayed to Paul Jeffrey at [mail2paul@ihug.co.nz](mailto:mail2paul@ihug.co.nz)

Please participate as this could help us all in the future.

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## Open Letter to Endurance Board and Members

Dear ENZ Board

*Our family joined this sport approx 8 years ago and we were struck by how friendly and open people were with their knowledge. During those years the sport has certainly had its ups, downs and growing pains.*

*Officialdom of any sport receives more than its fair share of criticism and very little praise or acknowledgement of their work. So I would like to congratulate the current, previous board, all sub-committee members and volunteers for the time and effort you give of your own accord for the betterment of this sport we all enjoy.*

*In particular I think you have done a great job in juggling the wants and needs of our "Elite" performers whilst not forgetting about the majority of your grass roots or general members during the difficult transition to a full discipline of NZEF.*

*The Elite of the sport need to remember it is the average rider who provides a majority of ENZ funds and the average rider needs to remember it is the Elite rider who opens up other funding options and improves the profile etc of the sport.*

*The past few years have probably not been easy. Not everyone will be happy with the transition. For some, joining NZEF has not happened quickly enough, and for others, it has happened too quickly. From my perspective, you have managed to find a happy medium. Change is never easy, and this transition has been a major step for Endurance. Not just in the administration area, but in resources for improving the sport.*

*You must also to be congratulated on the High Performance and Youth Squad plans. It is great to see such things coming to fruition. All those involved, past and present, need a huge clap on the back.*

*It would be a timely reminder to everyone involved in this sport to remember that our officials, who are by and large volunteers from club level to National board, are elected by us the members to these positions. Elected for the betterment of the sport as a whole, and not for any personal agendas.*

*Only when these committees or boards work as cohesive units, putting politics or personality clashes aside, that the sport as a whole can concentrate on moving forward without tearing itself apart. It can be disappointing to hear gripes and groans aimed solely at officialdom or "the hierarchy" with no praise, as these are the same people who are giving up their time to run and organise the sport be it at club or national level.*

*So a big thank you from me and my family for all of your time, effort and financial commitment over the years.*

*It really is appreciated.*

Sincerely  
Simone L French  
AWEC Family Member



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## Endurance AGM

The Endurance NZ AGM will be held on 30 June 2007 at the Russley Hotel in Christchurch, starting at 2.00pm. This is the same venue as used in 2005.

All remits, business for the meeting and Board nominations must be with the Endurance Sport Manager by **5pm 18 May 2007** to be accepted. Please note that as per the Endurance NZ By-laws, all remits and business must be submitted by individual members, and membership to both ESNZ and an affiliated Club must be up-to-date for the remits to be eligible. Remits for ride rule changes will be forwarded to the Technical Committee for review and comment.

A Board nomination form and document outlining what it takes to be a Board member can be found on the ESNZ website [www.nzequestrian.org.nz](http://www.nzequestrian.org.nz) under the heading of Endurance.

### Timetable – Saturday 30th June

- |                  |                               |                     |
|------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|
| • 8.30am–12noon  | Endurance Forum               | The Lower Deck      |
| • 2.00pm–4.00pm  | Annual General Meeting        | The Canterbury Room |
| • 7.00pm onwards | Awards Dinner & Entertainment | The Canterbury Room |

### General Information

- Awards Dinner Tickets \$36 per person for Buffet Style Dinner
- Scenic Circle Russley Hotel room rates, \$105 including G.S.T

The prizegiving dinner will this year be booked through the hotel directly, and you will be asked to supply a credit card number at that time to secure the booking. For all dinner and accommodation bookings, please contact Kate Copland (Functions Co-ordinator) at the Scenic Circle Russley Hotel before **Friday 22nd June**.

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## Board Elections

For The Board Elections at the AGM on the 30th June, there will be five (5) vacancies.

The following people will be stepping down and not seek re-election:-

- Warren James
- Rowena Tyler
- Sharon Nisbett

In order to honour statements made a last years AGM, the following people will be stepping down and seeking re-election:-

- Kevin James
- David Marshall

Anyone interested in standing for the Endurance NZ Board can find a Board nomination form and document outlining what it takes to be a Board member on the ESNZ website [www.nzequestrian.org.nz](http://www.nzequestrian.org.nz) under the heading of Endurance.

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## \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$ OVERDUE ACCOUNTS \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$

Just a brief note to advise everyone that the end of the Financial Year falls on the 31st May.

Endurance NZ has Debtor accounts outstanding for over \$14,000.00, these accounts need to be paid before the 31st May 2007.

Please check to see whether you have paid for the following:-

- **Advertising Accounts**
- **Affiliation Fees**
- **Outstanding Levies**
- **Trans-Tasman Uniform Accounts**
- **Argentina Uniform Accounts**

I would appreciate your payments ASAP to enable all financial transactions to be completed before the end of the month, as time is short to complete the Balance Sheets before the AGM.

If there is a problem with your account, I would appreciate you getting in touch with me on 03 541 8164.

Thank you

**Sharon Nisbett**  
**Treasurer**

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### **Apology to Mr Ray Tylee**

On 16 February 2006, Mr Ray Tylee was appointed as chair of the Endurance New Zealand selection committee for a two-year term. Prior to this appointment, Mr Tylee had served on the selection committee for a period of three years as Chairman.

On 19 September 2006, Mr Tylee's resignation from this position was requested by the Endurance NZ Board on the basis that the relationship between Mr Tylee and the High Performance Leadership Team was no longer compatible with the High Performance programme. It was the opinion of the Endurance New Zealand Board that these relationships could not be repaired.

On 28 October 2006, the Endurance NZ Board resolved to revoke Mr Tylee's appointment as the chairman of selectors. Following the revocation of Mr Tylee's appointment as Chair of the Endurance NZ selection committee, the remaining two members of the committee tendered their resignations from their positions on the selection committee. In revoking Mr Tylee's appointment the Board acted in what it believed to be the best interests of the sport of endurance as a whole and in accordance with its constitutional powers.

The Endurance NZ Board wishes to make it clear that the revocation of Mr Tylee's appointment is not intended to be a reflection on Mr Tylee personally. Mr Tylee has a long-standing association with the sport of Endurance and has served the sport as a competitor, organiser, Board member and Chairman. Mr Tylee continues to be a loyal and dedicated member of the sport, and his service to Endurance New Zealand over the years has been invaluable.

The Endurance Board apologise for any embarrassment or humiliation Mr Tylee experienced as a result of the revocation of his appointment. It was never the intention or desire of the Board to subject Mr Tylee to feelings of embarrassment or humiliation and the Board regrets that this has happened.

The Endurance NZ Board will review the process followed in the revocation of Mr Tylee's appointment in regard to its suitability, and the effect that it has had on Mr Tylee. If thought necessary, the Board will make changes to the process to be followed in the future.

**Endurance NZ Board**



Do you want to learn some handy hints for running a successful show, or securing some funding for your event? Are you an area committee member and want to learn some techniques for better communication and network with other disciplines and area committee members? Are you a Technical Official and want to learn ways to deal with conflict and difficult situations?

Well the Lion Foundation Volunteer Programme has something for you. This year Equestrian Sports NZ with the support of the Lion Foundation will be delivering a Leadership and Technical Official Workshop and will introduce a third workshop to support Event Managers through the use of the Lion Foundation Event Management Manual. The Lion Foundation support of this programme ensures that the only cost to attendees personally will be breakfast and dinner. Flights, accommodation and all course costs will be covered by the ESNZ Volunteer Programme.

### Event Management Workshop

This workshop will focus on using the Event Management Manual in event planning and delivery. The objective is to establish the manual as a valuable tool that makes a difference to how events are planned, managed and delivered and will be focused on the Planning section of the manual. A new format will be used incorporating specialist break-out sessions and networking opportunities. If you would like a copy of the Lion Foundation Event Management Manual, please contact Equestrian Sports NZ.

### Leadership Workshop

This workshop will be supported by the Planning section of the Event Management Manual and will be a repeat of 2006 as these formats proved very successful. This workshop will cover Communication tools, Making Presentations, Leadership Competencies, Strategic Planning and Dealing with Difficult Behaviours.

### Technical Officials Workshop **(This workshop is fully booked)**

This workshop will include an introduction to the Risks and Rules section of the Event Management Manual and will also be a repeat of the 2006 format. This workshop will cover the ESNZ Judicial system, Yellow Carding, developing Conflict strategies, Communication tools, and understanding consensual power.

### Sponsorship and Publicity Workshops

The Promoting Sport workshops will be supported by the Communication and Funding section of the Event Management Manual and will be one-day workshops to include topics on dealing with the Media, Hospitality and Event Management tips. This workshop will be lead by Vicki Fowler and Diana Dobson, both of whom were involved in the 2006 Showjumping NZ Sponsorship and Publicity workshop.

**If you are interested in taking part in the Volunteer Programme we urge you to submit an application form. An application form can be found on the homepage of our website [www.nzequestrian.org.nz](http://www.nzequestrian.org.nz).**

**Get your application into us ASAP as some workshops are filling up quick.**

There will be 18 spaces available on the Event Management, Leadership and Technical Officials Workshops. The Sponsorship and Publicity Workshops will have 50 spaces available. Spaces will be allocated on the receipt of an application form.

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**Aspen Hills Nureyev** bay colt emh 15hh. Solid type, with good nature. 2 years. Dam Rosewood Marika, successful endurance mare. Nureyev has a nice head and neck and a very strong body and hind-quarters from his mother. He has good legs and moves very well as well as being quite calm in nature.

**Aspen Hills Sir Ullrich** 15.3hh to 16hh, 4 year old bay Anglo gelding. Very friendly, floats well, trained in, needs work. Dam by Tom's Shu \$3000 plus gst

**Aspen Hills Flamingo** (HFA Delatriz (bred by Holly Farm) x Malton Ming) Grey filly rising three. Friendly and very agile. Will not grow over 14.2hh. Will go far in the right hands.

**Aspen Hills Nita Juanita**, will be 4 years on 15<sup>th</sup> June. Very friendly bay filly, grow maybe 14.3hh. Aspen Hills Elegy x Anouk bint Repartee (Repartee x South Pacific Crystal Moon). Ideal for endurance or trail, she has a good strong shoulder and neck.

**Aspen Hills Brio** (Ranaarb x AA Bandette by Gai Cadet from a Bandero mare). Very pretty filly with a sensitive nature. Learns very quickly. Has had a saddle on but no rider. She moves beautifully and will be a lovely ride. Approx 14.2hh

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