



2009 EUROPEAN JUMPING CHAMPIONSHIPS

JUNIORS / YOUNG RIDERS

QUALIFICATION PROCEDURE

National Federations are reminded that Certificates of Capability will be required for the **2009** European Jumping Championships for Juniors and Young Riders. Competitors can qualify starting in 2008 and in 2009 up until the deadline date for the Nominated Entries for the Championships. The qualification procedures are as follows (cf Jumping Rules Annex IX – Rules for Young Riders and Juniors, Chapter III, Art. 6.7):

- **competitors and horses must have completed the first round of a Grand Prix competition at a selected CSI-1* or CSI-2* outdoor event with a score of not more than eight penalties.**

NB: Only Juniors having reached their sixteenth birthday are authorised to participate in the Grand Prix at CSI-1* and CSI-2* events;

- **competitors and horses must have completed the first round of a Grand Prix competition at a selected CSI-3* or CSI-4* outdoor event with a score of not more than eight penalties;**

NB: Competitors must at least reach the age of 18 years in the year of these events to be authorised to participate in the Grand Prix at CSI-3* and CSI-4* events;

- **competitors and horses must have completed the first round of a Grand Prix competition in their own category at a CSIJ/J outdoor event with a score of not more than four penalties.**
- **competitors and horses must have completed the first or second round of a Nations Cup competition in their own category at a selected CSIOY/J outdoor event with a score of not more than four penalties, or must have completed the first round of the Grand Prix competition of their own category with a score of not more than four penalties.**

For the 2009 Championships, the Grand Prix competition of all **outdoor** European CSI-1* to CSI-4* events in 2008 will be a qualifying competition as well as the Grand Prix competition respectively the Nations Cup Competition of all **outdoor** CSI-J-Y / CSIO-J-Y events in Europe.