



2020 SENIOR WORLDS VAULTING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Selection Criteria

Overview

The Vault Canada Sport Committee, in collaboration with Equestrian Canada, has established this selection process in order to determine representatives for Canada at the 2020 World Senior Vaulting Championships at Flyinge Sweden July 28 to August 2 2020

The selection process set out below will ensure a fair method of selecting the Canadian Vaulting Team using objective criteria.

The Vault Canada Sport Committee will select Individuals, Pas de Deux sets and a Squad for approval and entry by Equestrian Canada.

Up to four Individual male and four Individual female vaulters may be selected, including the alternate Individual vaulters.

Two Pas de Deux sets may be selected.

A single Squad may be selected consisting of 6 vaulters and up to 2 alternates.

Any Individual vaulter or Pas de Deux set that wishes to be considered for selection must meet the minimum performance criteria as specified by the FEI¹. Achieving the minimum FEI performance criteria is not, on its own, sufficient to be named to the Team to represent Canada at the 2020 World Senior Vaulting Championships as there are potentially more Individuals and Pas de Deux sets that meet the FEI minimum performance criteria than can be sent to the World Senior Vaulting Championships.

The selection of the Squad chosen to represent Canada will be based on criteria specified by the Vault Canada Sport Committee, in collaboration with Equestrian Canada.

The selection of Individuals, Pas de Deux sets and the Squad from those candidates that meet the minimum FEI performance criteria or the Vault Canada Sport Committee qualification requirements will be accomplished by an objective system that includes scores achieved by the candidates during the qualification period.

¹ Please refer to the FEI website for the required scores and complete details on the minimum FEI performance criteria for both Individuals and Pas de Deux sets.



Guiding Principles

The selection process was developed according to the following guiding principles:

- Enables the selection of the Individuals, Pas de Deux sets and Squad that have the greatest likelihood of performing well at the 2020 World Senior Vaulting Championships;
- Allows the longest possible opportunity for competitors to qualify;
- Encourages (and does not discourage) competitors from attending as many CVI events as possible;
- Is straightforward, and resists manipulation or poor sportsmanship; Is sensitive to, but not constrained by, the costs involved.

Applicability

The selection process described in this document will be in effect for the 2020 World Senior Vaulting Championships. This selection process has been reviewed and approved by Equestrian Canada for use at these Championships as is required by the regulations of Equestrian Canada.

Qualification Period

Individuals, Pas de Deux sets and Squads must achieve the score(s) necessary to satisfy the minimum FEI performance criteria or the Vault Canada Sport Committee requirements, as approved by Equestrian Canada, within the qualification period, which has a specific start date and an end date.

The Vault Canada Sport Committee, in collaboration with Equestrian Canada, has determined that the **qualification period for the 2020 World Senior Vaulting Championships Canadian Team shall run from January 1, 2019 to June 29th 2020.**

In developing this document, the Vault Canada Sport Committee recognizes that the FEI imposes minimum age restrictions for competitors, and to fairly accommodate individuals who may not meet the age requirements until the year of the World Senior Vaulting Championships the qualification period has been held open late enough to accommodate as many CVI competitions as possible in the year of the World Senior Vaulting Championship.

Candidate Selection

- A candidate Individual must submit, 2 final scores one of which must be from a CVI 3 competition that satisfies the FEI qualifying criteria. The second qualifying score may be obtained from any combination of the following: any CVI 3*, or any EC Senior Selection Class AA division, or USEF Selection Trial Senior Division. All Selection Classes must be approved by Vault Canada Sport Committee and meet the criteria as set out by Vault Canada Sport Committee for Selection Events. At least one score must be from a competition held within 12 months of the Scores Cut-Off Date



- A candidate Pas de Deux set must submit 2 round scores one of which must be from a CVI 3* competition that satisfies the FEI qualifying criteria. The second qualifying score may be obtained from any combination of the following: any CVI 3* PDD, or any EC Senior Selection Class AA PDD division, or any USEF Selection Trial Senior PDD Division. Canadian Selection Classes must be approved by Vault Canada Sport Committee and meet the criteria as set out by Vault Canada Sport Committee for Selection Events. At least one score must be from a competition held within 12 months of the Scores Cut-Off Date
- A candidate Squad must complete two events, at a minimum of one CVI 3* and submit their final scores for both events, in accordance with this selection criteria for the 2020 World Senior Championships which states that one score of 6.5 or above or two scores of 6.25 or above are considered as qualifying scores. The qualifying scores may be obtained from any combination of the following: (i) any CVI 3*, (ii) any Senior Selection Class in the AA/Senior Team, subject to the limitation that follows. Canadian or USEF Selection Classes must be approved by Vault Canada Sport Committee and meet the criteria as set out by Vault Canada Sport Committee for Selection Events. At least one score must be from a competition held within 12 months of the Scores Cutoff Date

Individuals Selection

- The Individual candidates of each gender that have submitted the highest scores that satisfy the FEI qualifying criteria will be ranked in order based on the highest combined score submitted by each candidate. They will be selected to the Team in rank order based on the submitted scores, up to a maximum of four candidates to be selected.
- Of the four selected candidates of each gender, the Individual candidate from this group with the lowest score submitted shall be the alternate competitor.
- CVI scores will be weighted with an additional 10%.
- *Pas de Deux Selection*
- The Pas de Deux candidate sets that have submitted the highest scores that satisfy the FEI qualifying criteria will be selected to the Team in rank order based on the submitted scores, up to a maximum of two candidate sets to be selected.
- CVI scores will be weighted with an additional 10%.
- The Squad that has submitted the highest required Vault Canada Sport Committee qualifying scores will be selected to the Team to be approved by Equestrian Canada.
- CVI scores will be weighted with an additional 10%.



In the application of the above, if candidates have identical scores, the tie(s) are resolved by applying the following, in sequence, until the tie is broken.

- A candidate with a higher first-round score ranks higher. **If still tied then,**
- A candidate with a higher compulsory round ranks higher. **If still tied then,**
- By a random drawing of names to be conducted by the Vault Canada Sport Committee.

Note: It is the responsibility of the athlete(s) to deliver their scores to the Selection Committee no later than **June 29, 2020** using the forms provided in Appendix A, B or C. The forms can be copied if more space is needed to submit qualifying scores you wish considered. The scores must be accompanied by a copy of the associated official signed score sheet or an official FEI sanctioned event results sheet bearing the event name and date. Failure to provide this information to the Selection Committee by the aforementioned date and time will result in the candidate not being included in the selection process and thus being eliminated from selection consideration.

Athletes Declaring for Selection and their Support Personnel must:

- Create a profile in the EC Games & Championships Portal by March 30 2020
- Existing users (edit your profile) - <https://licence.equestrian.ca/gamesdb/login.aspx>
- New users (create a new account in the EC Games portal) - <https://licence.equestrian.ca/gamesdb/register?user=new>
- Athletes must Declare their intention to compete for Selection to Vault Canada at info@vaultcanada.org by January 15, 2020 using Declaration Form on VC website.

Selection Committee

The Selection Committee for the 2020 World Senior Vaulting Championships shall be the Vault Canada Sport Committee approved by Equestrian Canada.

It is the responsibility of the Selection Committee to apply the selection criteria described within this document, to determine the Individual males, Individual females, Pas de Deux sets and the Squad that will comprise the Team to represent Canada at the 2020 World Senior Vaulting Championships.

The Selection Committee shall only consider candidates that have (a) submitted scores achieved within the qualification period, (b) submitted complete and accurate information to the Selection Committee using the forms shown in Appendix A or B of this document, and (c) provided their scores to the Selection Committee prior to the end of the qualification period.

Submissions must be sent to the Vault Canada Foreign Entry Secretary Charlene Kostecki, info@vaultcanada.org as per the Contact page on the Vault Canada website - <http://vaultcanada.org/Contact>



Dispute Resolution Policy – Elite Athletes

Athletes participating in the selection process for the 2020 World Senior Vaulting Championships hereby adopt the ‘Dispute Resolution Policy for Elite Athletes’ as the mechanism to resolve disputes between all declared riders and EC. Declared athletes and owners are ‘Athletes’ pursuant to the Dispute Resolution Policy for Elite Athletes. Therefore, any dispute relating to the Vault Canada Sport Committee Selection/Nomination procedure approved by Equestrian Canada for the 2020 World Senior Vaulting Championship competition must be made according to said policy. Formal internal appeals to the Selection Process **must** be received by the Equestrian Canada office within 72 hours after the athlete has been notified in writing of their selection status.

Questions

Any questions about this document may be directed to any member of the Vault Canada Sport Committee - <http://vaultcanada.org/Contact> -

APPENDIX A. INFORMATION TO BE PROVIDED BY INDIVIDUAL

Name: _____ Date: _____

Mailing Address: _____

E-mail Address: _____

EC Sport License # and Level: _____

I declare that all information provided is true, accurate and without material omission.

Signature: _____

Score One

Event Name: _____ (e.g. CVI 3*, Sydney)

Event Dates: _____ (e.g. Jun 30-Jul 2, 2013)

Final Score: _____ (e.g. 7.194)

Score Two

Event Name: _____

Event Dates: _____



Final Score: _____

Score Three

Event Name: _____

Event Dates: _____

Final Score: _____

Score Four

Event Name: _____

Event Dates: _____

Final Score: _____

Documentation Enclosed (select all that apply)

- Score sheets documenting Qualifying Scores: ()
- Event result sheet documenting Qualifying Scores: ()

APPENDIX B. INFORMATION TO BE PROVIDED BY PAS DE DEUX CANDIDATES

Name: (1) _____

EC Sport License # and Level: _____

I declare that all information provided is true, accurate and without material omission.

Signature: _____

Name: (2) _____

EC Sport License # and Level: _____

I declare that all information provided is true, accurate and without material omission.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Mailing Address: _____

E-mail Address: _____



Score One

Event Name: _____ (e.g. CVI 3*, Sydney)

Event Dates: _____ (e.g. Jun 30 -Jul 2, 2013)

Round - One [] Two []

Score (for round): _____ (e.g. 7.194)

Score Two

Event Name: _____

Event Dates: _____

Round - One [] Two []

Score (for round): _____

Documentation Enclosed (select all that apply)

- Score sheets documenting Qualifying Scores: ()
- Event result sheets documenting Qualifying Scores: ()

APPENDIX C. INFORMATION TO BE PROVIDED BY SQUAD CANDIDATES MEMBERS

Name: (1) _____

EC Sport License # and Level: _____

I declare that all information provided is true, accurate and without material omission.

Signature: _____

Name: (2) _____

EC Sport License #'s and Level: _____

I declare that all information provided is true, accurate and without material omission.

Signature: _____

Name: (3) _____

EC Sport License # and Level: _____



I declare that all information provided is true, accurate and without material omission.

Signature: _____

Name: (4) _____

EC Sport License # and Level: _____

I declare that all information provided is true, accurate and without material omission.

Signature: _____

Name: (5) _____

EC Sport License # and Level: _____

I declare that all information provided is true, accurate and without material omission.

Signature: _____

Name: (6) _____

EC Sport License # and Level: _____

I declare that all information provided is true, accurate and without material omission.

Signature: _____

Name: (7) _____

EC Sport License # and Level: (7) _____

I declare that all information provided is true, accurate and without material omission.

Signature: _____

Score One

Event Name: _____ (e.g. CVI 2*, Sydney)

Event Dates: _____ (e.g. Jun 30 -Jul 2, 2015)

Final Score: _____ (e.g. 7.194)

Score Two

Event Name: _____

Event Dates: _____

Final Score: _____



Documentation Enclosed (select all that apply)

- Score sheets documenting Qualifying Scores: ()
- Event result sheets documenting Qualifying Scores: ()

APPENDIX D. DECLARATION AND ACCEPTANCE FORM

2020 World Senior Vaulting Championships

I, _____, a current Equestrian Canada platinum sport license holder hereby acknowledge that:

I have read, understood and accept the qualification and selection criteria established by Vault Canada and by Equestrian Canada to be applied to the selection of athletes and teams to the Canadian Vaulting Team; and,

1. I understand that an athlete's right of appeal with respect to the Vault Canada internal qualification and selection procedures must be made in accordance with Equestrian Canada Dispute Resolution Policy for Elite Athletes.
2. I understand that Equestrian Canada grants Vault Canada exclusive jurisdiction over the naming of athletes who will represent Canada at the 2019 World Junior Vaulting Championships.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 2019.

Athlete's Name (Please Print)

Witness Name (Please Print)

Signature

Signature



This form must be completed and returned by **Date TBD after FEI date announced, in any case ten (10) days prior** to Anna Johnson Sport Services at Equestrian Canada, 308 Legget Drive, Suite 100, Ottawa ON, K2K 1Y6.

E-mail: ajohnson@equestrian.ca Late submissions will not be accepted.

Illegible forms will be returned for re-submission. Please type or print clearly on all attachments. Any intentional misrepresentation of information will eliminate the athlete/horse combination from being considered.

APPENDIX E. RIDER NOMINATION FORM

2020 World Senior Vaulting Championships

RIDER INFORMATION:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Postal Code: _____

Tel (h) _____ (w) _____ (c) _____ Fax: _____

_____ E-mail: _____

Citizenship: _____

EC Sport License # and Level: _____

Canadian Passport Number and expiry date: _____



This form must be completed and returned **by Date TBD after FEI date announced, in any case ten (10) days prior** to Anna Johnson Sport Services at Equestrian Canada, 308 Legget Drive, Suite 100, Ottawa ON, K2K 1Y6.

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APPENDIX F. PROPOSED SUPPORT TEAM MEMBERS

2020 World Senior Vaulting Championships

PROPOSED LUNGER #1

Name: _____

Address: _____

Postal Code: _____

Tel (h) _____ (w) _____ (c) _____

Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

Citizenship: _____

EC Sport License # and Level: _____

Canadian Passport Number and expiry date: _____

PROPOSED LUNGER #2

Name: _____ Address: _____

Postal Code: _____

Tel (h) _____ (w) _____ (c) _____ Fax: _____



_____ E-mail: _____

Citizenship: _____

EC Sport License # and Level: _____

Canadian Passport Number and expiry date: _____

PROPOSED LUNGER #3

Name: _____ Address: _____

_____ Postal Code: _____

Tel (h) _____ (w) _____ (c) _____

Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

Citizenship: _____

EC Sport License # and Level: _____

Canadian Passport Number and expiry date: _____

PROPOSED LUNGER #4

Name: _____

Address: _____

Postal Code: _____

Tel (h) _____ (w) _____ (c) _____

Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

Citizenship: _____

EC Sport License # and Level: _____

Canadian Passport Number and expiry date: _____

PROPOSED LUNGER #5

Name: _____

Address: _____



_____ Postal Code:

Tel (h) _____ (w) _____ (c) _____

Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

Citizenship: _____

EC Sport License # and Level: _____

Canadian Passport Number and expiry date: _____ **PROPOSED GROOM**

Name: _____ Address:

Postal Code: _____

Tel (h) _____ (w) _____ (c) _____

Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

Citizenship: _____

EC Sport License # and Level: _____

Canadian Passport Number and expiry date: _____

NOTE: Grooms must be 18 years of age or older.

PROPOSED SUPPORT PERSONNEL

Name: _____

Address: _____

_____ Postal Code:

Tel (h) _____ (w) _____ (c) _____

Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

Citizenship: _____

EC Sport License # and Level: _____

Canadian Passport Number and expiry date: _____



PROPOSED PERSONAL COACH:

Name: _____ Address: _____

Postal Code: _____

Tel (h) _____ (w) _____ (c) _____

Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

Citizenship: _____

EC Sport License # and Level: _____

Canadian Passport Number and expiry date: _____

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APPENDIX G. HORSE NOMINATION FORM

2020 World Senior Vaulting Championships

I, _____ (Print- Rider)

I, _____ (Print- Owner)

Name of Horse _____

I have read, understood and accept the qualification and selection criteria established by Vault Canada, in collaboration with Equestrian Canada for the 2019 World Junior Vaulting Championships to be applied to the selection of athletes and Teams.

Riders and Owners Contractual Obligations

By signing the Equestrian Canada Horse Nomination form confirming the intent of the horse /athlete combination to seek selection to participate at the 2019 World Junior Vaulting Championships, the nominated athlete and the owner(s) of the nominated horse are, by their signature, expressly agreeing with Equestrian Canada that if the horse and rider are selected to participate at the 2019 World Junior Vaulting Championship, the selected rider and the owner(s) of the selected horse will accept and will comply in all respects with the terms and conditions contained within the selection criteria and the FEI regulations.

Signature of Rider: _____

Signature of Owner: _____ Dated

this _____ day of _____ 2017.

This form must be completed and returned by **Date TBD after FEI date announced, in any case ten (10) days prior** to Anna Johnson, Sport Services at Equestrian Canada, 308 Legget Drive, Suite 100, Ottawa ON, K2K 1Y6.

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APPENDIX H. HORSE INFORMATION FORM

2020 World Senior Vaulting Championships

HORSE INFORMATION

Name: _____

FEI Passport/Registration Number: _____

Sire: _____

Dam: _____

Breed: _____

Sex: _____ Height: _____ Colour: _____

Country of Origin: _____

Year of Birth: _____

Breeder (if known): _____

OWNER INFORMATION

Owner 1

Name (as listed in FEI Passport): _____

Address: _____

Postal Code: _____

Tel (h) _____ (w) _____ (c) _____

Fax: _____ Email: _____ Citizenship: _____

Owner 2

Name (as listed in FEI Passport): _____

Address: _____

Postal Code: _____

Tel (h) _____ (w) _____ (c) _____



Fax: _____ Email: _____ Citizenship: _____

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APPENDIX I. EQUESTRIAN CANADA ATHLETES'S RELEASE OF LIABILITY, WAIVER OF CLAIMS, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

2020 World Senior Vaulting Championships

To: EQUESTRIAN CANADA

Definition: In this agreement, the term "Equine Activities" shall include all activities, actions or conduct in any way directly or indirectly related to my travel to and my participation at the 2019 World Junior Vaulting Championships, which event I am attending as a member of the Canadian Vaulting Team.

ASSUMPTION OF RISK

I am aware that the Equine Activities involve many risks, dangers and hazards to me and to my horse including, but not limited to: contracting human or equine diseases or illnesses in transit; accidents in or near the show ring or competition grounds; accidents at the stables; transportation to and from the show ring, the competition grounds and stables; the negligence of other parties participating at the 2019 World Junior Vaulting Championships; negligence on the part of Equestrian Canada, including the failure by Equestrian Canada to safeguard and protect me from the risks, dangers and hazards of Equine Activities. I freely accept and fully assume all risks, dangers and hazards associated with the Equine Activities (for both myself and for my horse) and the possibility of personal injury, injury to the horse, death to me or my horse, property damage or loss resulting therefrom. I understand that if I know or suspect that my physical condition may be incompatible with the Equine Activities that I should seek medical advice before undertaking the Equine Activities.

RELEASE OF LIABILITY, WAIVER OF CLAIMS AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

In consideration of Equestrian Canada agreeing to provide me with accreditation at the 2019 World Junior Vaulting Championships so as to allow me to fully participate in the Equine Activities, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged, I hereby agree as follows:

TO WAIVE ANY AND ALL CLAIMS that I have or may have in the future against Equestrian Canada, its Directors, officers, employees, agents, coaches, independent contractors, subcontractors and representatives (all of whom are hereinafter referred to as the "Releasees") and to RELEASE THE RELEASEES from any and all liability for any loss, damage, expense or injury including death that I



may suffer, my horse may suffer or that my next of kin may suffer as a result of my participation in the Equine

Activities, due to any cause whatsoever, including NEGLIGENCE, BREACH OF CONTRACT, BREACH OF ANY STATUTORY OR OTHER DUTY OF CARE INCLUDING ANY DUTY OF CARE UNDER THE OCCUPIERS LIABILITY ACT ON THE PART OF THE RELEASEES AND FURTHER, INCLUDING FAILURE ON THE PART OF THE RELEASEES TO SAFEGUARD AND PROTECT ME FROM THE RISKS, DANGERS AND HAZARDS OF THE EQUINE ACTIVITIES REFERRED TO ABOVE.

I agree to hold harmless and to indemnify the Releasees from any and all liability for any property damage of any description or personal injury to me or to any third party or injury to my horse resulting from my participation in the Equine Activities. I agree that this agreement shall be binding upon my heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators and assigns in the event of my death. I agree that this agreement shall be governed and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the Province of Ontario and any litigation involving the parties to this agreement shall be brought in Ontario. In entering into this agreement I am not relying on any oral or written representation or statements made by the Releasees with respect to the safety of the Equine Activities other than as set forth in this agreement.

Date: _____

Signature of Athlete

Print name (Athlete)

Signature of Parent or Guardian Signature of Witness *if Athlete is under 18 years old*

These forms must be completed and returned by **Date TBD after FEI date announced, in any case ten**



(10) days prior to Anna Johnson Sport Services at Equestrian Canada, 308 Legget Drive, Suite 100, Ottawa ON, K2K 1Y6.

E-mail ajohnson@equestrian.ca. Late submissions will not be accepted.

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APPENDIX J. EQUESTRIAN CANADA OWNER'S RELEASE OF LIABILITY, WAIVER OF CLAIMS, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

2020 World Senior Vaulting Championships

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suffer, my horse may suffer or that my next of kin may suffer as a result of my participation in the Equine Activities, due to any cause whatsoever, including NEGLIGENCE, BREACH OF CONTRACT, BREACH OF ANY STATUTORY OR OTHER DUTY OF CARE INCLUDING ANY DUTY OF CARE UNDER THE OCCUPIERS LIABILITY ACT ON THE PART OF THE RELEASEES AND FURTHER, INCLUDING FAILURE ON THE PART OF THE RELEASEES TO SAFEGUARD AND PROTECT ME FROM THE RISKS, DANGERS AND HAZARDS OF THE EQUINE ACTIVITIES REFERRED TO ABOVE.

I agree to hold harmless and to indemnify the Releases from any and all liability for any property damage of any description or personal injury to me or to any third party or injury to my horse resulting from my participation in the Equine Activities. I agree that this agreement shall be binding upon my heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators and assigns in the event of my death. I agree that this agreement shall be governed and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the Province of Ontario and any litigation involving the parties to this agreement shall be brought in Ontario. In entering into this agreement I am not relying on any oral or written representation or statements made by the Releases with respect to the safety of the Equine Activities other than as set forth in this agreement.

Date: _____

Signature of Owner

Print Name (Owner)

Name of Horse / Passport No.

Signature of Witness



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