



PROSPECTUS



**EFI NATIONAL QUALIFIER 2024 FOR DRESSAGE,
SHOW JUMPING AND TENT PEGGING FROM
04 SEP TO 07 SEP 2024**

AT

**RVC CENTRE AND COLLEGE
MEERUT CANTT**



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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

1.	Organizing Committee (OC)	RVC Centre and College Meerut Cantt (UP) PIN-900468 Phone -0121-2652887	
2.	Date of the meet	04 September to 07 September 2024	
3.	Location of the venue	RVC Centre and College Meerut Cantt (UP)	
4.	Date of reporting/ Camp Opening	Camp Open – 01 Sep 2024	Note :- Exemptions can be made by the OC on case to case basis in direct consultation
	Date of Camp Closing	08 September 2024	
5.	Veterinary arrangements	There will be veterinary arrangements at the camp sites as per dates mentioned in para 4 above.	
6.	Stabling arrangements:	(a) Open space for self creation of stables @ ₹500/- per horse. (b) Temp Stables @ ₹1500/- per horse wef 01 Sep 2024 to 08 Sept 2024. (c) All participating teams must therefore, be self-contained in term of tentage and other equipment needed for camping and stabling. (d) Payment to be made to Regimental Fund Account of RVC Centre and College as mentioned in para 9 of prospectus below.	
7.	Accommodation:	ARMY TEAMS. JCOs & OR allowed to stay in camp area alongwith support staff. Officers participants should make their own arrangement for stay. CIVILIANS CLUBS/TEAMS. Civilian participants or their associates are requested to make their own arrangements for accommodation. Camping site near the stabling area of civilian horses will be earmarked only for accommodating civilian grooms and support staff. The rider/unit/team/club should be self-contained with respect to logistics and administrative requirements for camping of their personnel. For any query regarding stabling, the team Captain/ Incharge of Contingents may contact Lt Col Rohit Patil, OIC Camp, Mob No – 9342095955 or JCO I/C Ris Ankush Kumar Singh Mob No – 9719332180 or through mail in – rvc.equestrian@gmail.com.	
8.	Closing date for receipt of entries	As per Para 6 of prospectus.	
9.	Dress	As per NQ Technical Guidelines 2024.	
10.	Weather	In the month of September, the weather is mild and pleasant, with a gentle breeze and moderate humidity levels.	

11.	Organizing Committee and address	Col Vinay Kumar Mishra SEI, RVC Centre and College Mob No-9410411532, 7630946272
		Show Secy Lt Col Sridhar S 9342095955
		Camping I/C Lt Col Rohit Patil, OIC Camp, Mob No – 9342095955
		Ground I/C Ris Ankush Kumar Singh Mob No– 9719332180
12.	Address for correspondence	RVC Centre and College Meerut Cantt (UP) PIN-900468 Phone -0121-2652887
13.	E-Mail	rvc.equestrian@gmail.com
14.	Entry Instructions	As per the prospectus.

LIST OF EVENTS

S No	Event
1.	Children I Dressage
2.	Children II Jumping
3.	Children II Dressage
4.	Children I Jumping
5.	Junior Dressage
6.	Junior Jumping
7.	Young Rider Dressage
8.	Young Rider Jumping
9.	Tent Pegging Lance
10.	Tent Pegging Sword
11.	Tent Pegging Ring & Peg
12.	Tent Pegging Lemon & Peg

GENERAL INSTRUCTION

1. **General**. National Qualifier (Show Jumping and Dressage) for JNEC 2024 and Tent Pegging for seniors will be organized by RVC Centre & College, Meerut Cantt from **04 Sep 2024 to 07 Sep 2024** under the aegis, tech guidelines and rules/regulations of the Equestrian Federation of India. All participants are advised to go through the latest EFI NQ Guidelines, technical guidelines, rules, regulations and specifications, before the event, irrespective of the extract reproduced in this prospectus.
2. **Tentative Schedule**. Attached as **Appx 'A'**.
3. **Eligibility for Participation in Events** Horse and Rider to be a member of club/institution affiliated with EFI and or the Rider can be an Individual or Life member of EFI, wherein the horse shall be ridden by the owner or their dependent NOK upto to age of 21 years. Rider from any club registered with EFI can ride any horse of any other club provided that both the clubs are registered with EFI.
4. **Entry(s)**.
 - (a) Entry(s) must be sent to the EFI only by the registered club/institution member of which the respective rider is a member on prescribed entry form attachment as Appx D, along with fee deposition slip. The horse can be of same or different registered club/ institution member of EFI. **The entry(s) will be forwarded to EFI by the club/institution member of the participating rider.**
 - (b) A life/individual member of EFI can send their own entry(s) or of their dependent children up to the age of 21 years directly to EFI on the prescribed entry form attachment as Appx D along with fee deposition slip.
 - (c) All entry(s) must have EFI horse passport number, EFI registration number and name of the horse as well as rider's EFI I.D. which should all be valid.
 - (d) No Entry will be accepted without the prescribed fee.
 - (e) An eligible rider can take part on a maximum of two horses in each class.
5. **Entry Fee :** The entry fee will as under :
 - (a) Normal Entry fees : ₹1,000/-
 - (b) Post Entry fees : ₹2,000/-

6. **Submission of Entry.** Date of last submission of entry for individual will be as under:-

S.No	Event	Cut of Date & Time Normal Entry	Cut of Date & Time of Late Entry
(a)	Children II Dressage	31 Aug 2024 at 1400 hrs	02 Sep 2024 at 1600 hrs
(b)	Children II Jumping		
(c)	Children I Dressage		
(d)	Children I Jumping		
(e)	Junior Dressage		
(f)	Junior Jumping		
(g)	Young Rider Dressage		
(h)	Young Rider Jumping		
(i)	Tent Pegging Lance		
(j)	Tent Pegging Ring & Peg		
(k)	Tent Pegging Sword		
(l)	Tent Pegging Lemon & Peg		

Note :- Change of Horse Rider Combination. There will be no substitution of either the horse or rider post expiry of cut of date & time of late entry as stipulated in para 6 for both indl/team. However, a horse may be changed with prior approval of EFI on Veterinary Grounds in case the vet officials at the NQ venue diagnose and issue a certificate (to be forwarded to EFI along with an application by the Club/Institution/Individual/Life member who had submitted the entry for the requested substitution through Show Secy, of the OC for approval). Other than this no other reason will be entertained.

7. **Withdrawal, Change, Transfer and substitutions of Entry.**

(a) **Withdrawal.** The entry fee of a horse entered for any event will not be refunded if the horse does not participate in the entered category.

(b) **Transfers and substitutions.** A horse cannot be transferred from one rider to another without paying an additional entry fee for the event. A rider/horse once entered in any event cannot be substituted by another horse for any reason whatsoever.

Accommodation

(c) **Change of Riders.** A horse cannot be ridden by two riders in the same category.

8. **Instructions for Entries.** No HC entry is permitted in National Qualifier 2024.

9. **Payment.** The entry fee may be paid in cash/NEFT/Cheque or by Demand Draft in favour of **Commandant, RVC Centre and College, Meerut Cantt.** Account details for electronic payment are as under:-

Name of Account	Regimental Fund Account
Name of Bank	STATE BANK OF INDIA
Branch	MEERUT CANTT MAIN BRANCH
Account No.	30609126645
IFSC Code	SBIN0000680
Note	Kindly acknowledge about electronic payment to rvc.equestrian@gmail.com with details

10. **Participation List of Individual**

- (a) The Federation will forward to the OC a list of Horse Rider combinations based on entries in individual category received prior to horse inspection fixed on the date mentioned in the competition schedule pertaining to eligible combinations to participate in various categories as per their grading.
- (c) The OC will thereafter arrange their horse inspection as per the schedule of Events attached as **Appx 'A'**.
- (d) Post horse inspection the OC will carry out draw of lots of horse found fit and prepare a start order of various competitions and publish the same through all available means of communication for info of all participating riders/stakeholders.

11. **REGISTRATION OF HORSES WITH EFI**

- (a) All horses participating in the EFI approved events must be in possession of the EFI passport. No entry will be accepted without EFI Registration number. For further information pertaining to registration, contact EFI. Please register the horses participating in the event with the EFI prior to the event through respective club/individual/life/ institution members as applicable.
- (b) Team captains are requested to ensure that their horses are all registered before entries for the Event. The registration number must be filled in the entry form as per EFI ruling.
- (c) Entries will not be accepted without EFI registration number.

12. **EFI Rider Registration.**

- (a) As per EFI rules all Riders, participating in the EFI Events must be registered with the EFI.
- (b) Entries will not be accepted without **Valid** EFI registration number.
- (c) Participating rider can be a life/ individual member of EFI and or he/her can be a member of registered club/institution of EFI. The same shall be checked by EFI and such cases will not be permitted to participate.

13. Foreign Nationals & OCI card holders cannot participate in the EFI National Qualifier 2024. It is the responsibility of OC to ensure this aspect by obtaining a photocopy of Indian Passport from all athletes any time before the draw of lot.

14. **Eligibility of Horses.** Riders are responsible for correct entry of his/her horse in relevant rules of EFI. **Riders are liable to be disqualified or penalized for incorrect entry of the horses, as per EFI regulations.**

15. The OC in consultation with jury members shall ensure that none of the participants are students/relatives of the jury. In such a case the club of the participating rider shall recuse the rider from participating and notify the Federation accordingly. The OC shall publicise the list of jury of the event atleast 4 weeks before the event so that the clubs/institution/ life/individual members can submit their entries accordingly.

16. **Technical Specifications.** The events will follow the latest National qualifier 2024 technical guidelines of EFI as per the relevant discipline. EFI reserves the right to amend technical specifications for various events upon consideration of merits/ demerits based on the request of event officials or the OC.

17. **Withdrawal, Change, Transfer or Substitutions of Entry.**

(a) **Change of Riders.** Riders cannot be changed unless the Jury in consultation with EFI accepts that there are sufficient reasons for change of rider. All changes will be treated as Fresh Entries. Once an event has started, no change in rider / horse will be accepted.

18. **Reporting for Each Class.** All horses will report to the collecting ring Steward half an hour before the time of judging of the class. Any entry not reporting in time will be eliminated unless the exhibitor shows good cause for the delay. The Ring Steward has full authority to take disciplinary action.

19. **Show Number.** All horses will display the EFI Registration Number on the bridle during veterinary inspection and whenever taken out of the stable under the saddle. No rosettes will be worn by horse during competition

20. **Abuse/ Cruelty to horses.** As per relevant rules of EFI.

21. **Rosettes.** A horse will wear no rosettes during judging.

22. **EFI's Code of Conduct.** Any untoward altercation with Jury/Official/OC by the PR will result in Elimination/Disqualification of the rider and horse. EFI's Code of Conduct as per Technical Guidelines-2024 will be strictly followed by all.

23. **Elimination / Disqualification.** The judges are empowered to disqualify the competitors at any stage of the competition for rough handling, or any type of cruelty to animals. Rapping will be severely penalized.

24. **Whips/spurs/Tack.** As per EFI rules of the discipline.

25. **Dress code.** When presenting a horse for vet inspection, rider should be attired in proper riding dress with boots on. Service personnel will be in uniform. It is compulsory for anyone riding a horse to wear a properly fastened hard hat with three-point retention harness. Dress Code for competition will be as per FEI Guidelines.

26. **Camping & Accommodation**

(a) Venue & stabling will be open on 01 Sept 2024 and close on 08 Sept 2024.

(b) All teams should come fully equipped with their own tent age for stabling and enough grain and fodder for the duration of the show.

- (c) Camp fee will be charged by the OC as per following: -
 - (i) If the OC provides an area, wherein the participants will build their own temporary shed and charges levied will be ₹500/- per horse to take care of electricity, water and cleaning charges thereof.
 - (d) The OC will ensure at all times the safety and security of the camp to avoid any mishap.
 - (e) All teams must inform the organizers of their total strength arriving at camp (personnel and animals) by the **30 Aug 2024**, so that camp site of appropriate size can be allocated for all teams (both civilian and government).
 - (f) All teams must inform the organizers of the estimated time of arrival well in advance.
 - (g) All bio-degradable waste including horse dung is to be put in to the pits provided.
 - (h) No open fires are permitted at RVC Centre and College premises.
 - (i) Riding charges for practice Riding in all other grounds is free.
27. **Venue.** The event will be held at RVC Centre and College Meerut Cantt.
(Note: The camp will be open wef 01 Sept 2024 and close on 08 Sep 2024)
28. **Self-containment.** In addition to the above all teams must be self-contained in terms of tentage, equipment for camping and transport in order to be prepared for any unforeseen emergency.
29. **Accommodation.** All Participants are required to make arrangement for their accommodation. In Case any assistance is required you may contact show secretary RVC Centre and College Meerut Cantt.
30. **Ration /Fodder:-** All teams should bring their own feed, hay, bedding, grass, etc. for their horses and should make their own provision for staff food. RVC C&C will not provide any assistance for the above unless special facilities are being provided for all teams.
31. **Coggin's Test for Equine Infectious Anemia & CFT for Glanders.** All rules and instructions issued by the EFI and Remount Veterinary Directorate on the subject will be strictly adhered to by all concerned. All animals are required to be Coggin's tested before their arrival as per policy in vogue and carry a certificate to that effect in original. In addition, the animals should have CFT negative cert and certificate stating the horse is free from any infectious or contagious disease, duly signed by the Veterinary Doctor from the station the horses are coming from, which will be produced before entering the camp. Both Coggin's and CFT negative certificate, **with minimum validity of 30 days on the day of arrival and exit** and the Vet Certificate will be produced to the Camp OIC, failing which the horse will not be allowed inside the camp.

32. **Veterinary commission.** The Veterinary Commission detailed by OC of RVC Centre and College Meerut Cantt.
33. **Farrier.** All teams and riders are responsible to arrange their own farrier.
34. **Medical cover.** The organizing committee will provide First Aid for riders at the venue. OC shall not accept any liability for medical treatment given to a competitor on the venue or the consequences thereof. Each rider participating in the EFI National Qualifier 2024 will fill the Indemnity Bond attached and submit the same along with entry form.
35. **Insurance.** The organizing committee recommends riders/club/ associations to take insurance policies for competitors, personnel, grooms and horses for their transportation to RVC Centre and College Meerut Cantt and during the conduct of the events. The organizing committee will assume no responsibility for any accident or illness due to fall of any horse, competitors, groom/ any other member of the team.
36. **Responsibility.** The organizing committee accepts no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury to any animal or any other property or the exhibitors themselves.
37. **Judging.** Decision of the ground jury will be final unless, altered on appeal under rules.
38. **Appeal.** Appeal can be lodged by competitors as per FEI GR 161. A fee equivalent to 150 CHF in Indian currency should be deposited with the Show Secretary, Organizing Committee, RVC Centre and College Meerut Cantt along with the objection. Money will be refunded if the objection is upheld.
39. **Compliance of NADA Rules and FEI Equine Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Regulation (EADCM).** As per the rules in vogue, each participant (both human and equine) is liable for screening for doping at EFI approved events. In view of the above, athlete if approached by NADA to give sample for dope testing are mandatorily required to comply with the same. Any refusal may result in debarment of the athlete.
40. **Clearance Certificate.** Horse owners are required to obtain clearance certificate from the OC during working hours. All concerned accounts need to be cleared before they can obtain the same. No horses/ Person will be allowed to leave by the Camp In-charge without the clearance certificate.

Show Secy : Lt Col Sridhar S

41. **Medals.** No Medals will be given in any category in the National Qualifier 2024.
42. **Clarification/direction from EFI.** Issues not covered in prospectus/EFI- National Qualifier Technical Guidelines-2024 should be referred to EFI through OC for deliberation based on which an informed decision will be promulgated which will be binding on all parties.

Appendix A (refer para 2 of gen instructions)

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR SHOW JUMPING AND DRESSAGE – NO FOR JNEC

Date	Time	Event	Venue	Remarks
04-09-2024	0630 Hrs	Horse inspection for JNEC and Tent Pegging	Near Show Jumping Arena No 01	
	To follow	Children I Dressage	Dressage Arena No 01	
	To follow	Children II Dressage	Dressage Arena No 01	
	1630 Hrs	Junior Dressage	Dressage Arena No 01	
05-09-2024	0700 Hrs	Children II Jumping	Show Jumping Arena No 01	
	To follow	Children I Jumping	Show Jumping Arena No 01	
	1630 Hrs	Young Rider Dressage	Dressage Arena No 01	
06-09-2024	0700 Hrs	Junior Jumping	Show Jumping Arena no 01	
	To follow	Young Rider Jumping	Show Jumping Arena no 01	
07-09-2024	Reserve Day			

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR TENT PEGGING – SENIORS FOR NEC

Date	Time	Event	Venue	Remarks		
05-09-2024	0900 Hrs	Tent Pegging Lance	Kothawala Polo Ground			
	1630 Hrs	Tent Pegging Sword				
06-09-2024	0900 Hrs	Tent Pegging Ring & Peg				
	1630 Hrs	Tent Pegging Lemon & Peg				
07-09-2024	Reserve Day					

NQ FOR JNEC 2024 AND TENT PEGGING FOR SENIORS

REQUISITION FORM FOR STABLES AND CAMP SITE

Name of Team : _____

Number of Offrs : _____

Number of JCO's : _____

Number of OR: _____

Number of Adm staff: _____

Number of Syces : _____

Number of Horses : _____

Expected date and time of arrival : _____

Team manager/coach's name : _____

Any addl info : _____

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

MOBILE _____ E-MAIL _____

This form duly filled in and signed must reach the Show Secretary on or before 30 Aug 2024.

CAMP OPENS 01 SEP 2024

CAMP CLOSSES 08 SEP 2024

FOR CLARIFICATIONS CALL

9894023686, Lt Col Rohit Patil

Appendix 'C'

DECLARATION (INDEMNITY BOND)

1. I, _____ resident of _____
_____ desirous to participate in the National
Qualifier 2024 at RVC Centre and College Meerut Cantt hereby undertake and agree:

(a) That horse riding and all equestrian sports are inherently unpredictable and potentially dangerous.

(b) That only some basic provisions for medical treatment are made at the event venue and I am responsible for my safety equipment.

(c) That the Equestrian Centre has various unsupervised areas that may be generally risky.

(d) That in the event of any loss or injury to property or person including injury resulting in death I may suffer while participating, I or any other legal representatives shall not hold RVC Centre & College, Meerut Cantt responsible for the same or for any consequence thereof.

2. If any rights exist by operation of law, I hereby waive them and undertake not to initiate any action against RVC Centre and College Meerut Cantt & other persons.

3. It is further declared that stamp duty payable on this undertaking shall be borne by me.

(Signature of Witness)

(Signature of the Participant)

DATE _____



ENTRY FORM : NATIONAL QUALIFIER



Venue _____

Name of the Exhibitor (Club/Institution/Life /Individual Member)..... Membership No:.....

Ser No	Class/ Category	Rider/Athlete				Horse				Entry Fee
		Name	EFI Registration Number	Club Registration Number	Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY)	Name	EFI Registration Number	Club Registration Number	Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY)	

Note:-

The correctness of data on the entry form is the responsibility of the club submitting same with EFI. It is mandated the horse is stabled at the club and similarly the rider should be riding in the club mentioned against each in the form.

Entries will not be accepted without **valid EFI Rider & Horse Registration Number**.

Mobile No.....

Entry Fee as stated in the prospectus to be paid before hand and receipt to be enclosed with entry form.

Entries will not be accepted without Entry Fee payment memo.

Email Address :.....

Entry Form to be filled in **CAPITAL LETTERS** only.

Entry form to be submitted by Club/Institution Members.

Life/Individual members can forward the same for themselves or for their dependents upto the age 21 years.

Entry Form to be submitted to EFI Secretariat via email "efiindianf@yahoo.co.in"

Date:...../2024

Signature :.....

