

NEWSLETTER 10/14

UPCOMING JUDGES SEMINAR with Mrs Diane Baxter

This year the NAMEF Sport committee has invited Mrs Diane Baxter from SAEF to refresh and guide young and old Show Jumping judges, applicant judges and anybody else interested. Everybody welcome!!! **Please feel free to join as we are in need of Show Officials.**

Mrs Baxter resides in Kwa-Zulu Natal and is a qualified FEI 3* Show jumping judge as well as a FEI 3* Show jumping steward.

The SJ Judges and SJ Stewards seminars will be hosted at the **Gymkhana Club Windhoek** in the evenings of the 13th and 14th August 2014.

Time: 16h30 to 21h00

All National SJ judges need to be available at the FEI World Jumping Challenge to judge alongside Mrs Baxter for evaluation purposes.

Mrs. Baxter will include information on Stewards training as well, as NAMEF is planning on hosting a FEI Level 1stewards course in 2015. All interested parties please email Gigi Mathias or Sabine Reimers.

Refreshments will be available

Kindly **RVSP before the 10th August 2014 to equest@iway.na** if you are interested in attending the seminars.

All applicant judges be it Dressage, Equitation or Show Jumping, please indicate via return mail if you wish to remain on the NAMEF list of applicants, as we need to update the Web-site.

Notice to our SHOW ORGANIZERS:

The NAMEF exco would like to request the following implementation for all our NAMEF graded shows:-

- **PASSPORT CONTROLS:** Every horse competing must have a valid passport available for inspection purposes, ref to rule 1.3.11.1
- NAMEF Grading Secretary will make available a master list of graded horses which will include necessary passport information on previous checks to the show organizers before each show.
- All passports must be handed in, prior to the first jumping event of a show, at the Melde Stelle.
- Every program must have a alphabetical list of horses competing at the show, to ensure a more efficient method for passport checks.

- **JUDGES REPORTS:** Show organizers must ensure that all chief SJ and DR judges receive the judges reports after each show for completion. This is an confidential document that will be forwarded to NAMEF secretariat. Attached please find the SJ and DR reports for use. This is an effort on behalf of NAMEF to develop communication between Show Officials, Show organizers and NAMEF itself.

UPCOMING AGM:

A friendly reminder to all show organizers to submit the following to the NAMEF secretariat before the AGM:-

- Calendar Applications **04th August 2014**
- Nominations for Executive committee members **23rd August 2014**
- Motions **04th August 2014**



YOUR NAMEF TEAM