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YOUTH DIVISION LOI 2024

The youth division in 2022 & 2023 were a great success and we are looking forward to this year's edition of LOI. Thank you very much once again for accepting our invitation for Live Oak International – you are the future of horse driving!! Hereby some information.

Upon arrival please check in to receive your carriage & bridle numbers as well as more information about the event.

Programme (times to be confirmed)

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| • Thursday March 14, 2024 | 5:30 pm | Horse inspection, followed by welcome OC |
| • Friday March 15, 2024 | 8:00 am | Dressage |
| • Saturday March 16, 2024 | 8:00 am | Marathon (time tbc) |
| • Sunday March 17, 2024 | 7:45 am | Cones |

Rules & regulations

LOI 2024 is run under the rules and regulations of the FEI and USEF. Some additional rules which apply for LOI 2024 – youth division:

- Groom / navigator: whilst on carriage has to be over 18 years old with knowledge of driving. As the youth division is considered a exhibition class, there is no restriction regarding sharing navigators in the marathon (incl. FEI 3* competitors)
- Protector / headgear: at all times, whilst on a carriage, drivers must wear a body/back protector and a securely fastened protective headgear
- Carriages: marathon type carriages are allowed in all phases (min. width 125 cm), including pneumatic tires
- Marathon: warm up: 18 - 20 minutes, 4 obstacles (A-D)
- Cones: number 1 – 15, 25 cm clearance, speed 200 cm/minute
- Dressage test: 40 x 80 meters
< 12: USEF Training Level, Test 1
13 – 16: USEF Preliminary Level, **Test 1**
- Dressage & cones: Grooms have to be seated during dressage test & cones course – talking is allowed, reins are only to be handled by the driver (see rules for penalties)
- Marathon & cones: Canter is allowed

In case you have more questions, please do not hesitate to contact us (driving@liveoakinternational.com – Marie de Ronde-Oudemans).

Good luck!!!!

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