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## **TSUMEB NERA ENDURANCE RIDE**

**VENUE: TSUMEB**

**TSUMEB ENDURANCE CLUB WISHES TO INVITE ALL RIDERS OUR  
2- DAY RIDE ON THE 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> April 2016**

### **DISTANCES**

**Friday 20,7, 30, 41.40, 60, 80.7 101.4 Km  
Saturday Same as Friday with a 122.1 Km if there are at least 3  
Participants.**

### **ENTRIES**

**Please register by the latest on **Monday, 11<sup>th</sup> April****

### **ENTRY FEES**

**20,7, N\$ 100, All Other Distances – N\$ 350.00**

**Stabling /Paddock/Kraal fees – Free of Charge**

### **BANKING DETAILS:**

**Tsumeb Endurance Club  
Bank Windhoek  
Tsumeb  
Account no 8004910481  
Bank code 483073**

**PLEASE MAKE USE OF THE NEW ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION AND ENTRY  
PROCEDURE ON [www.namibiaendurance.org](http://www.namibiaendurance.org)**

**Address queries to:  
Kallie Grunschloss – Tel: 0811299119, Fax No 067 222268**

**All communication regarding entries, payments, etc must be addressed to Illona Bolleurs, Tel No  
0812788033, EMail [deon.bolleurs@iway.na](mailto:deon.bolleurs@iway.na), Fax No 067 222268**

**All entries and proof of payment must be mailed or faxed to Illona.  
No entries will be accepted without a deposit slip.**

Please do electronic registration!

Please complete a calculation sheet for each day's ride, showing the day's entry fees as well as the meals for the whole weekend.

You have to complete the electronic calculation sheet as on the Nera Ride Entry system for each day if you ride on both days, but you only have to indicate your meals on one day's calculation sheet.

ENTRIES CLOSE ON 11 April 2016.

Please pay entries before the ride. 75% refund on written request, for horses withdrawn before first vet inspection.

**PLEASE REPORT TO Kallie Grunschloss IMMEDIATELY UPON ARRIVAL** for allocated paddocks.

## **PROGRAM**

### **Thursday 14 April 2016**

Registration: **15h00 – 17h00**

Veterinary check: **16h00 – 17h30** ("DRESS-CODE" CASUAL– NEAT see Rule)

Route briefing **18h00**

No Dinner will be served on Thursday evening. A cash bar with drinks and light snacks will be available.

### **Friday 15 April 2016**

**05h00** Coffee/tea and rusks (Free of Charge)

**06h00** Departure of first horses at first light

\*\*\* Final departure times will depend on the number of horses/weather. Final departure times for various categories and distances will be announced at the pre ride meeting.

**Refreshments as well as a cash bar will be available throughout the weekend**

**Best conditioned:** First five horses within one hour of first horse of 100 Km horses. 80 Km horses may also qualify, in the opinion of the OC and the Veterinarian, should there be no 100 km entry for a specific category

**Final inspection:** 30 minutes after finish of the last qualifying horse.

**Prize giving will be approximately 18:00 at the Ride Base.**

**Dinner consisting of a Chicken Braai with salads is available at a cost of N\$ 80.00 per adult and for children younger than 12 years of age at N\$ 40.00. Please bring along own cutlery & crockery & indicate number of meals ordered on calculation sheet.**

## Saturday 16 April 2016

**05h00** Coffee/tea and rusks (Free of Charge)

**06h00** Departure of first horses at first light

\*\*\* Final departure times will depend on the number of horses/weather. Final departure times for various categories and distances will be announced at the pre ride meeting.

**Refreshments as well as a cash bar will be available throughout the weekend**

**Best conditioned:** First five horses within one hour of first horse of 100 Km horses. 80 Km horses may also qualify, in the opinion of the OC and the Veterinarian, should there be no 100 km entry for a specific category

**Final inspection:** 30 minutes after finish of the last qualifying horse

## PRIZE GIVING

Dinner and prize giving will be approximately 18:00 at the Ride Base.

Dinner consisting of a "Spitbraai, with Salads and Pap is available at a cost of N\$ 80.00 per adult and for children younger than 12 years of age at N\$ 40.00).

**Please book meals on calculation sheet and bring along own cutlery & crockery.**

## ACCOMMODATION:

Camping is available at the Ride Base free of charge.

## OTHER ACCOMMODATION:

**Etosha Café,** Tel 067 221207

**Guest House Omeg Allee,** Tel 067 220631

**Kupfer Quelle Resort, Camping & Chalets** – Tel: 067 220139, 0811486895

**Makalani Hotel,** Tel 067 221051

**Minen Hotel,** Tel 067 221071

**Travel North Namibia Guest House,** Tel: 067 220728

## GENERAL INFORMATION:

1. The following documents must be brought to the ride:

Ride logbook (completed)

Horse logbook (completed)

(Logbooks and vaccinations must be completed correctly to FEI prescriptions)


30km Riders do not need to have a logbook, nor a Horse logbook.



The ride will be a Nera Club Ride as well qualifying FEI Novice ride and be ridden under such rules. For The 20 Km ride the fee is a reduced fee of N\$ 100.00 and no Vaccinations and /or Membership is Required.

2. Maximum time to vet is 20 min on all loops except the last loop which has a 30 minute time to vet.
3. Time stops for all the distances at the vet point except for the rider's last loop when the rider's time will be stopped when such rider crosses the finish line.
4. Maximum pulse at Vet Gates: 64bpm within 20 minutes. At final exams, the pulse shall be 64 within 30 minutes.
5. Weight divisions for Senior riders are as follows:
  - No weight, standard weight 70kg, heavy weight 95kg
6. Categories for riders:
  - Child riders: Under the year in which he / she turns 14 – children are allowed to ride on their own from 12 years of age.
  - Junior Young Rider: The year in which he/she turns 14 years – 21 years
7. All complaints to be valid, must be in writing and be submitted to the Chairman.
8. Nobody except the official vets may under any circumstances give injections to any horse participating in the ride. Failure to observe this rule will lead to immediate disqualification of the horse and rider. In cases where horses need special veterinary care, this has to be paid by the owner/rider.
9. Horses may be ridden without shoes, but we recommend that horses be shod who has not being prepared for barefoot riding. This is a barefoot friendly course.
10. Hard hats are compulsory – whenever you are on your horse, before, during and after the Ride. Caged/boxed stirrups or safe footwear with a heel of 12mm are compulsory. No whips will be allowed.
11. A third party encouraging a horse to trot in the vet gate is forbidden. Riders must please ensure that horses are trained to trot without encouragement.
12. Dress code: Nera has adopted a casual, but appropriate dress code for the Nera Club Rides. Riders should wear appropriate riding attire during competition, but shirt/polo shirt must have a collar.

Shorts are allowed, but no opens shoes or sandals in the "Field of Play", being the vet and grooming area as well as on the course.
13. The Official Competition starts 1 hour before pre-vetting and 1 hour after the final results are out.
14. Time stop will occur for all distances at the vet point, except on the rider's last loop when the rider's time will be stopped when they cross the finish line. Riders have to depart mounted on their first loop and have to be mounted on their last loop when crossing the finishing line.



Riders should ensure that they conform to the anti-doping regulations as per FEI rules and regulations.

15. Running reins/ drawing reins, German (standing) martingales or any other restrictive headgear on a horse is explicitly forbidden as per FEI rule.

**Regrettably, no dogs will be allowed on the premises.**