

Please find below the latest news from FEIF, the International Federation of Icelandic Horse Associations. FEIF is bringing people together in their passion for the Icelandic horse. More information can be found on our website: www.feif.org.



Landsmót 2018 - Christmas present!



The presale on tickets for Landsmót 2018 in Reykjavik is in full swing! A ticket is a great gift for the horse enthusiasts all over the world (adult week ticket: 15.900 ISK; teenager week ticket 7.900 ISK). The presale prices are valid until 31 December

2017, then they will go up, so be sure not to miss it. Only 3500 tickets available on the presale-price! Follow the link to visit the ticket shop!

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FEIF Calendar 2018

Remember to check the FEIF Calendar for events, seminars and activities in 2018. To find more information as well as the invitations to the events (as far as ready), simply go to the document page of the respective departments.

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2018

FEIF Young Leaders' Seminar 2018



There are still a limited number of places available for the FEIF Young Leaders' Seminar, 12-14 January 2018 in Berlar, Germany. This year, the focus will be on effective communication and team building exercises. Guest speakers include master communicator Henning Drath, and team builder par excellence Ulla Fehse.

Furthermore, a good dose of psychology will be provided by Sydney Querfurth, and we will have no less than two world champions, Jolly Schrenk and Silke Feuchthofen talking about their way to the top. Follow the link for the application form, further information and a detailed programme.

[Invitation](#)

European Horse Network (EHN)

The AGM of the European Horse Network (EHN) and the Conference in the European Parliament took place in November 2017. The seminar in the European Parliament concentrated on the consequences of BREXIT and to a large extent on the future of the horse industry with emphasis on programmes for young riders. Thus it seems that FEIF is on the right way regarding the future with programmes for young riders, young trainers, young leaders and young members in committees.

Planned EHN topics for 2018 are further collaboration with the European Commission and MEPs on insurance topics, lobbying issues and the Equine Conference in Autumn 2018 as well as the impact of equines in agriculture and the importance of trade and movements of horses in EU.

For FEIF the most interesting items were legal aspects in horse registration as they could affect the position of FEIF member associations. Among them the new EU General Data Protection Rule (GDPR), effective as of May 2018 that concerns the data handling and issuing of horse passports, which might allow other parties to issue passports for Icelandic horses (EU rules about an open market). In some countries regional studbooks not connected to specific breeds are exploring the option to work across borders (EU rule about open borders) which has a drawback that WF issues IDs according to the rule that the soil where the horse is born is leading, while sport horse breeders use the breeding association as leading, independent of the location the horse is born.

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What is YouthWork without the input of young voices?

The FEIF YouthWork committee is seeking a new committee member, aged between 20-28 years old, to work in the group, and to make a difference. We run international camps and competitions, organize virtual events, offer training for young leaders, and who knows, what else we can get up to!?! If you

are interested apply directly to youth@feif.org.

[Further details](#)

FEIF Events until 19 May 2018

12-Jan - 14-Jan	Young Leader Seminar 2018	Berlar	Germany
02-Feb	Delegates' Assembly 2018	Stockholm	Sweden
02-Feb - 04-Feb	FEIF Conference 2018	Stockholm	Sweden
16-Mar - 18-Mar	FEIF Sport Judges Seminar 2018	Rieden	Germany
21-Mar - 23-Mar	International Breeding Judges Seminar 2018	Hvanneyri	Iceland
23-Mar - 25-Mar	FEIF Education Seminar 2018	Hólar	Iceland
03-Apr - 06-Apr	Breeding Horse Trainer Seminar 2018 - Level 1	Hella	Iceland
09-Apr - 11-Apr	Breeding Horse Trainer Seminar 2018 - Level 2	Hella	Iceland

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