

YOUNG JOCKEYS CUP 2017

14th AUGUSTUS 2017 - OOSTENDE

The races

Two races : The SPRINT CUP 1000 m and the CLASSIC CUP - 2100m

The horses

The two races will be limited to 12 runners. All horses entered are eligible to represent one of the four teams, regardless of ownership, and to be ridden by any of the jockeys participating in the competition.

Entries must be made at noon on Tuesday, August 1

Declarations to run must be made by 15.00am on Wednesday 09.

The teams and jockeys

The competition is an international jockeys' tournament with 12 riders taking part, four in each of the three teams -.

Each team is represented by four riders in each race. Riders should not be older than 25, not have won more than 10 times and not weigh more than 54kg.

Riders are on invitation and the mounts will be designated by a random draw. No rider's allowance.

Allocation of horses to jockeys

The 'Draw' will be staged on Wednesday, August 10, at which jockeys from the competing teams will be allocated to horses.

The scoring

Points are awarded in each race on a 10, 7, 6, 5,4, 3, 2,1,1,1,1,1 basis.

Non-runners score 2 points. If there is a tie for the Team or Jockey competitions, there will be a countback on the number of winners and the team/jockey with the most winners will be adjudged the winner overall; if they are still level, then second places will be counted, then if necessary third places, then if necessary fourth places. If they are still level, there will be joint winners

The prizes

The team with the most points wins the competition and is awarded the Cup

The jockey amassing the highest total is awarded a present.