

British Equestrian UPDATE

- **BEF Strategy 2025-2030**
- **World Class Programme**
 - European Championships 2025
 - Jumping – 16-20 Jul, A Coruña, ESP;
 - Dressage – 26-31 Aug, Crozet, FRA;
 - Paradressage – 3-7 Sep, Ermelo, NLD;
 - Blenheim Eventing EU Championships, 18-21 Sep
 - LA 2028
- **Equine Welfare**
 - Equine Welfare Steering Group
 - Regulation
 - Education
 - Communications
- **Social impact**
 - Social Value Research
 - State of the Nation report
 - Environmental Sustainability
- **Cyber Risks...**



Polo Welfare Update

The HPA continually reviews its rules and practices to protect and develop the welfare of polo ponies, working with our dedicated Welfare Committee

- ▶ Welfare Booklet - published in 2 languages and reviewed annually
- ▶ Hartpury Research - literature review by Dr. Kathryn Nankervis and Russell MacKechnie-Guire looking into existing research in polo, leading onto further projects
- ▶ Shared this research with over 60 HPA Coaches at the first annual Coaching Conference in April 2025
- ▶ Developing a groom's course with the Argentine Polo University, with the view that all grooms entering the UK will need this qualification
- ▶ NRG Podcast with Roly Owers

