



Westfalen NA follows the bylaws of our parent organization, the Westfälisches Pferdestammbuch e.V in Germany, inspecting the following breeds –

Westfälisches Reitpferd (Warmblood) / Deutsches Reitpony (German Riding Pony) /
Haflinger / Knabstrupper / Kleines Deutsches Reitpferd (KDR)

The rules and regulations might vary for some of the breeds. Here a short explanation for the Warmblood (Westfälisches Reitpferd):

Mare and Stallion Books

Stallion Book 1 – stallions must

- reach the required inspection score
- fulfill the pedigree requirements (4 Generation pedigree main section)
- have DNA parentage verification
- fulfill the health requirements
- fulfill the performance requirements

Stallion Book 2 – stallions must

- fulfill the pedigree requirements (Sire and Dam must be in the main section)
- have DNA parentage verification
- fulfill the health requirements
- reach an overall score of at least 6.0
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Mare Book 1 – mares must

- fulfill the pedigree requirements (4 Generation pedigree main section)
- reach an overall score of 6.0 and now individual score below 5.0

Mare Book 2 –

- mares that are not eligible for MB1 but both parents are in the main section
- also offspring of Pre Mare Book (PMB) mares if the PMB ancestors have been crossed for three generations with horses from the main section and the mare reaches an overall score of 6.0

Pre Mare Book –

- mares that are not eligible for the main section but represent the warmblood type and reach an overall score of 5.0 and no individual score below 4.0

Foal Registration Papers

Abstammungsnachweis-Full pink papers

- Sire must be in Stallion Book 1
- Dam in the main section = Mare Book 1 or Mare Book 2

Geburtsbescheinigung – COP – white papers

- Both parents are in the breed books (Sire SB2 and dam MB1 or MB2 or PMB / or Sire SB1 and dam PMB)

Horse Identification document – HID

- Only Sire or dam is in the breed books
- Horses without any “official heritage”