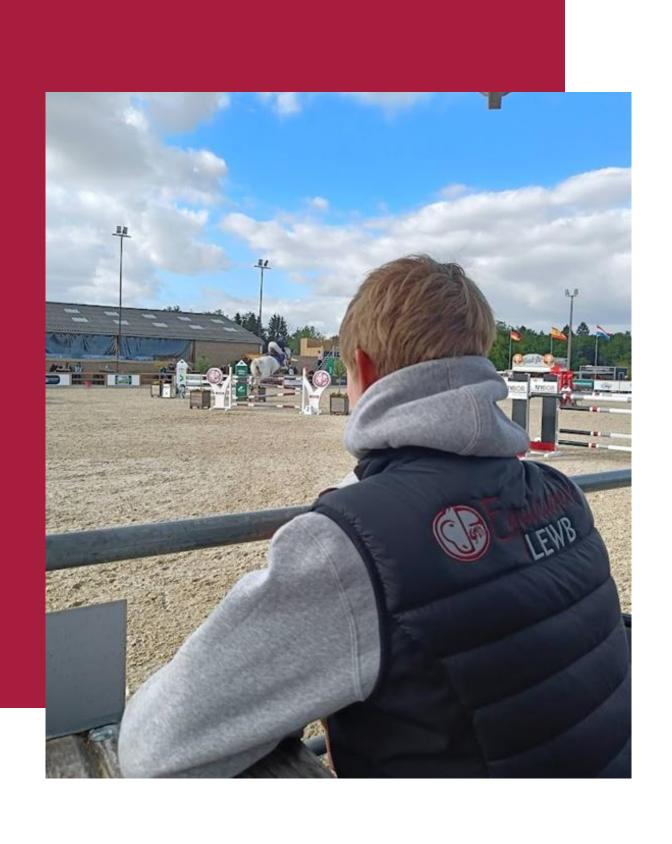
# Youth project



A presentation by the Topsport team of LEWB



# Today's presentation

#### **TOPICS**

Topsport team

Pyramid

Detection

Adeps statute

What is expected of young people

Collaboration with schools

Youth follow-up

## Topsport Team



Recognized at international level for their detection skills and their commitment to young athletes. They are also all qualified instructors or international officials.

#### **TEAM LEWB**

We organize all the activities and are present at all the organised sessions to provide information and advice to young athletes and their parents.



Members of sport committees and national chef d'équipes, they can interview athletes or help identify new combinations for the higher level competitions.



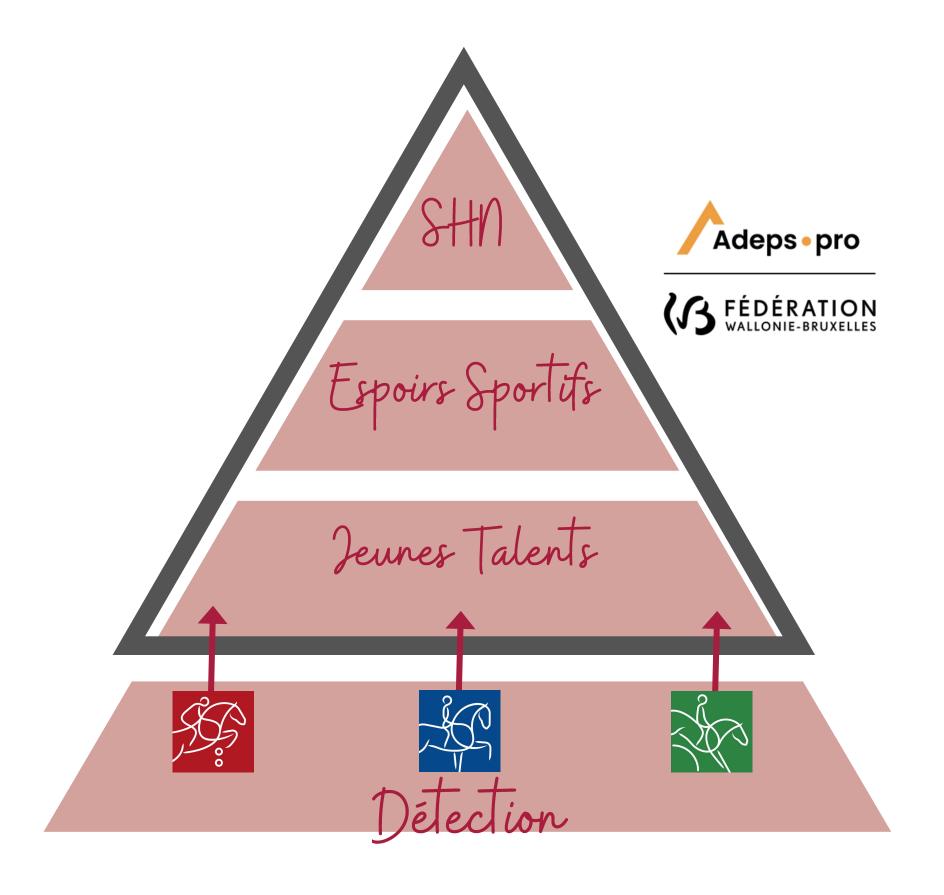
Experts and advisors are contractually bound to the LEWB not to "take on" athletes who have been detected as students, unless they have been trained prior to the detection. This is important to us in order to work in complete transparency with private coaches.

### Pyramid

#### HIGH PERFORMANCE CULTURE

The aim is to better detect future top-level riders and above all to be able to better support them as they move towards JT or ES statute.

The goal is also to provide them the tools of a professional structure.



### Detections







One-year cycle

- Show Jumping & Dressage at the end of the year
- Eventing at the beginning of the outdoor season (cross)

Selected riders will be mentored for a period of one sporting season (renewable).

Once detected, a real potential analysis will be carried out according to the raw talent, economic environment and the candidates' projects and ambitions.

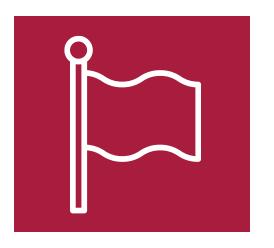
The detected riders will be given a number of objectives/challenges to achieve. The LEWB will stop cooperation and follow-up if riders do not show progress in terms of results/objectives achieved, and only after a period of reflection and evaluation of their individual development program.

# Conditions of participation

**GENERAL** 



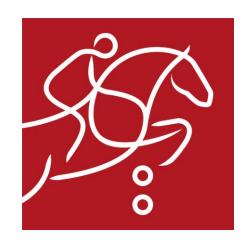
Age



Nationality



License



Height to show on a technically complicated course



Elements test to show



**SPECIFIC** 



Dressage and XC elements + height to show

according to the athlete's age category

# Adeps Statute

#### Espoir Sportif (ES) & Jeune Talent (JT)

Depending on their level of performance, certain athletes in the 3 Olympic disciplines can benefit from a statute recognized by the Ministry of Sport and the Wallonia-Brussels Federation.

#### Why?

- Benefit from certain school accommodations/arrangements
- Training aids through physical trainers
- Mental coaching
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#### Recognition criteria

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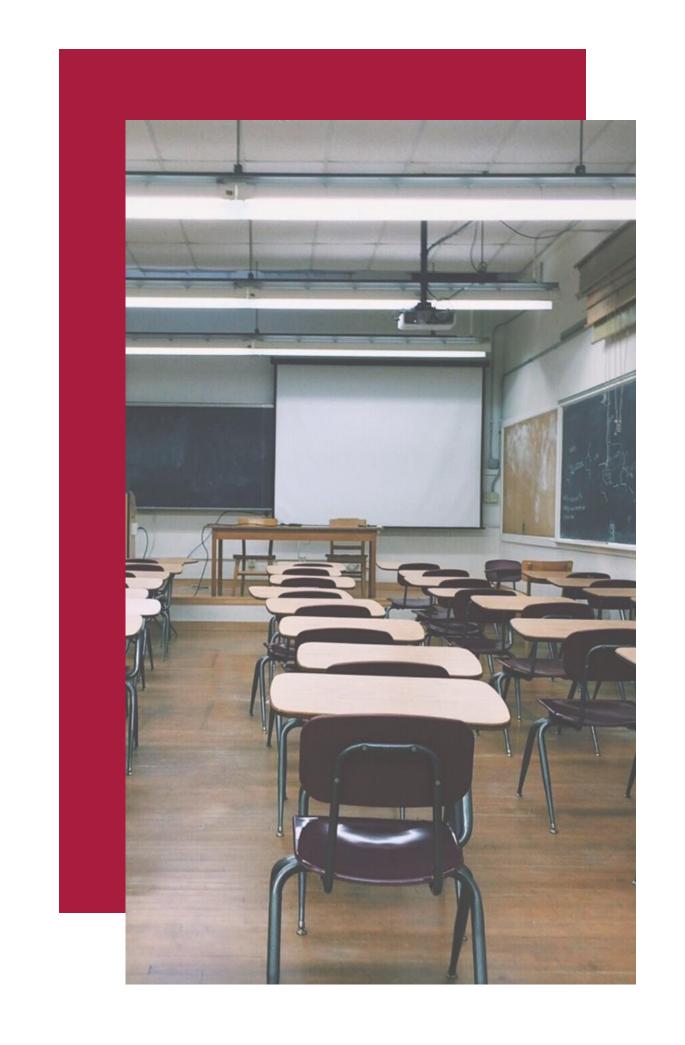
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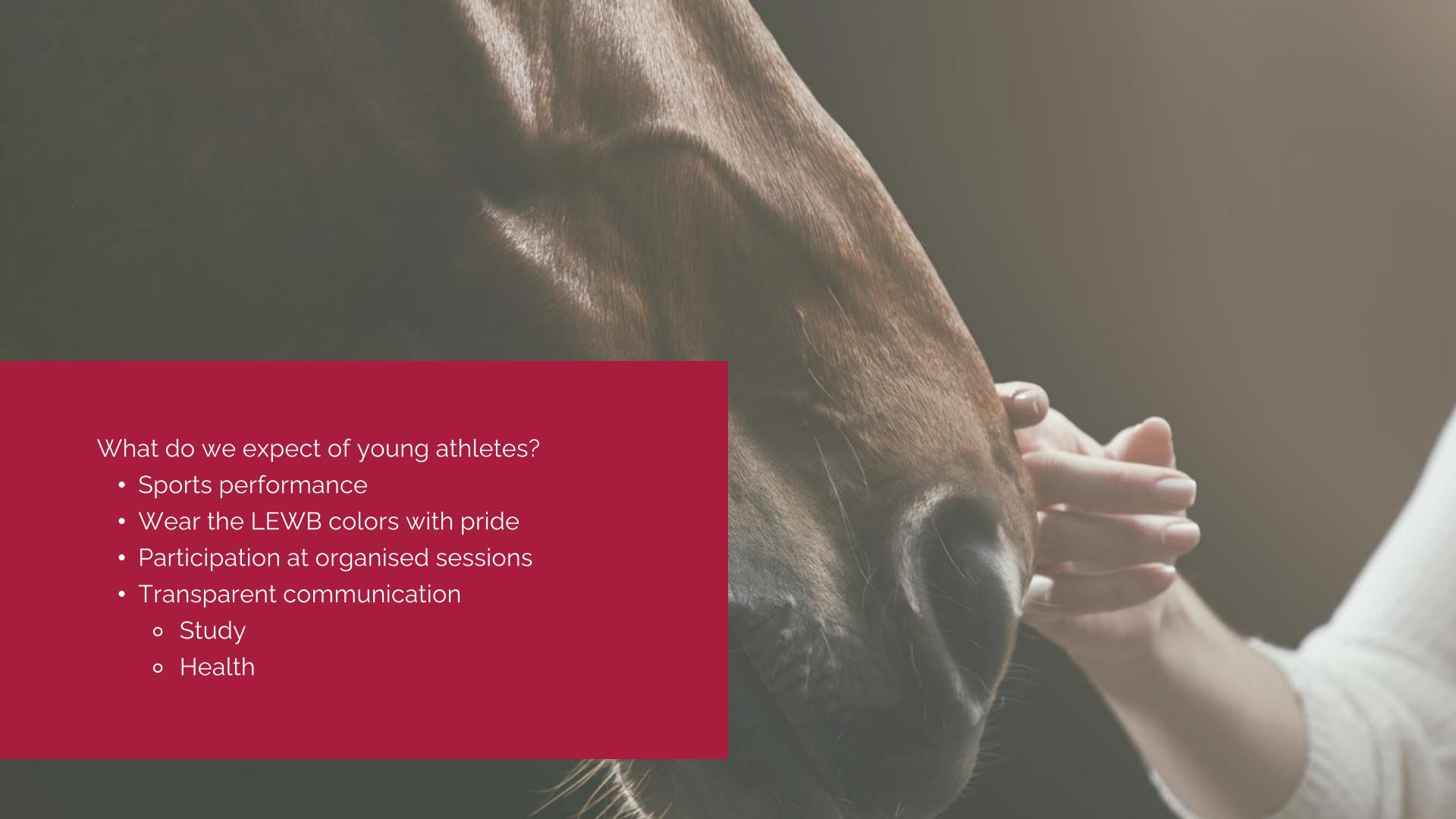
#### **ATTEST**

- Benefit from certain school arrangements.
- Please note that an attestation must be accepted by your school administration.
  - International competition or Belgian
     Championship
  - Equicadets training/activity

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### Evaluation

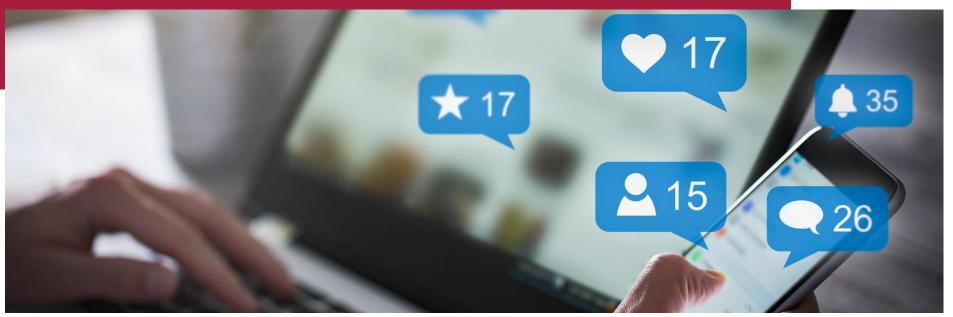
- Program designed with objectives by discipline and age category
- Competitive performance



# Youth follow-up

- Regular "rider-specific" physical training sessions with Gilles Berwart, LEWB physical trainer
- Conferences on mental coaching for sport with Héron Blanc





#### YOUTH FOLLOW-UP

- Training courses on equine nutrition -Cavalor
- Conferences on social media -Christophe Butstraen

### Masterclass





# Masterclass with internationally recognized coaches

- Dressage : Mariette Withages Raphaël
   Saleh Hans Vöser
- Eventing: Lara de Liedekerke Virginie
   Caulier Markus Döring Chris Bartle
- Show Jumping : Frédéric Pirmolin Albert Voorn – Bernard Mathy – Dominique Joassin
- The presence of the personal trainer at Masterclasses is always a plus.
- Collaboration between the private trainer and the Equicadets program is essential.

## References

Lara de Liedekerke

Eventing

Constant Van Paesschen

Show Jumping

**Charlotte Defalque** 

Dressage

**Max Thual** 

Eventing

Clémentine Lux

Show Jumping

Clara Collard

Dressage



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