

Jennifer Hodgson - Candidate for Director, Equestrian Canada Board

Jennifer Hodgson is a returning Board Director who has served with commitment and integrity over the past three years. She has held the roles of Vice President and Chair of the Finance and Audit Committee, contributing actively to board governance, financial oversight, and strategic priorities.

Jennifer brings extensive governance experience and a deep understanding of risk management, compliance, and fiduciary responsibility. She is a graduate of the Institute of Corporate Directors' Not-for-Profit Governance program and holds several professional designations related to trust and estate planning.

Her lifelong passion for equestrian sport spans over 35 years as a rider, parent, and owner. Jennifer remains dedicated to supporting the growth and success of equestrian sport in Canada at all levels—from grassroots to high performance.

Nathan Reeve - Candidate for Director, Equestrian Canada Board

Nathan Reeve is a current Board Director with experience in financial governance, strategy development, and risk oversight. Since joining the Board in 2024, he has contributed to strengthening corporate governance and helped shape Equestrian Canada's updated strategic and four-year plans.

With over 15 years in senior financial roles and more than two decades as a Chartered Professional Accountant, Nathan brings strong financial acumen and board experience. He has previously served on national and regional not-for-profit boards, including leadership roles such as Treasurer, President, and Conference Chair.

Nathan is committed to advancing equestrian sport across Canada and brings a thoughtful, strategic approach to board leadership.

Nick Sutcliffe – Candidate for Director, Equestrian Canada Board

Nick Sutcliffe brings a strong background in strategic leadership, operational excellence, and board governance. As a founder and board chair, he has led organizations through periods of growth, transformation, and regulatory engagement—experience well aligned with the evolving needs of Equestrian Canada.

He has held leadership roles in national and provincial associations, contributing to policy advocacy, government relations, and funding strategy. His governance work emphasizes collaboration, inclusivity, and long-term sustainability.



A dedicated supporter of equestrian sport, Nick is closely connected to the community through his family and has proudly supported equestrian initiatives, including national sponsorship recognition. He offers a thoughtful and entrepreneurial perspective to advancing equestrian sport across Canada.

Stéphanie Leblond – Candidate for Director, Equestrian Canada Board

Stéphanie Leblond brings a unique combination of governance experience and lived sport involvement to her candidacy. As a long-time competitor on the Gold Circuit in hunter and jumper divisions, she offers deep insight into the equestrian community's evolving needs. She has also supported athletes as a barn manager and mentor.

Stéphanie has served on multiple boards and committees, including roles as Chair of an Elections Committee and Treasurer for a provincial women's entrepreneurship association. Her leadership on audit and strategic planning committees demonstrates a strong foundation in governance, accountability, and collaborative decision-making.

Fully bilingual and committed to inclusive, strategic advancement of the sport, Stéphanie is dedicated to supporting all segments of the equestrian community through thoughtful and effective board leadership.

Mac Cone - Candidate for Athlete Director, Equestrian Canada Board

Mac Cone is one of Canada's most experienced show jumping athletes, competing internationally for over 30 years. Originally from Tennessee, he moved to Canada in 1979 and is one of only two riders to have competed on both the U.S. and Canadian Equestrian Teams.

Mac has had many career highlights, including a silver medal in team jumping at the 2008 Beijing Olympics, a silver at the 2007 Pan American Games, and being the top-placed Canadian at the 2002 World Equestrian Games in Spain. He continues to compete at the international level and was part of the Major League Show Jumping teams in 2023 in 5* series.

Alongside his competitive career, Mac is a respected coach and clinician, known for his calm, approachable style. He operates Southern Ways Stable in King, Ontario. Mac looks forward to contributing his deep sporting knowledge and athlete perspective to Equestrian Canada's Board of Directors.