

WBFSH Attn. Mr. J. Pedersen

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Ermelo, 10-09-2025

Dear President, dear Mr. Pedersen,

Recognizing the vital role of the WBFSH in fostering international cooperation and advancing the global sport horse breeding community, it is my honour, on behalf of the KWPN, to formally submit the nomination of Mr. Andries van Daalen, Chairman of our General Board, as candidate for Vice-President in the Board of the WBFSH.

In support of this candidacy, Mr. Ralph van Venrooij, who is already well known to you, will act as his appointed executive.

We hold the conviction that Mr. van Daalen's extensive experience, leadership qualities, and longstanding commitment to the sport horse breeding community will enable him to make a meaningful and constructive contribution to the work and future direction of the Federation. Of particular importance to him is the ongoing international discussion on equine welfare, which he regards as a matter of the highest priority and believes should be high on the agenda of the WBFSH.

Furthermore, Mr. van Daalen strongly supports the continued development of the WBFSH into an even more prominent and influential voice within the global sport horse breeding industry, thereby ensuring that our Federation plays its rightful role in shaping the future of our community.

We kindly ask you to accept this nomination with due consideration, and we look forward to continuing our shared efforts in further strengthening international cooperation within the WBFSH.

Yours respectfully,

R.P. Bos

General manager





Curriculum Vitae

Name: Andries W. van Daalen

Profile

Experienced senior executive and board member with a strong background in retail, logistics, and international purchasing. Proven leadership in both the private and public sector, with extensive governance experience in education, politics, and the equestrian industry. Recognized for strategic vision, organizational development, and commitment to equine welfare and the advancement of the international sport horse breeding community.

Professional Experience (2006 - 2016)

- RFS Holland Holding BV (wehkamp.nl / fonq / create2fit / lacent)- (online retail)
 Director
 2011 2016
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 Director
 2006 2011

Equestrian Governance & Board Functions (2017 - +)

- Chairman, General Board, KWPN (Royal Warmblood Studbook of the Netherlands) (2017–present)
- Chairman, KWPN Housing Foundation (2017-present)
- Chairman, Friends of KWPN Foundation (2017-present)
- *Vice-Chairman*, Organizing Committee World Championships for Young Dressage Horses (2017–present)
- *Vice-Chairman*, Dutch Equine Sector Council (2019–present)
- Chairman, Dutch Equine Sector Fund Foundation (2022–present)