1. Entry for the Foal Championships can be realised by completing and returning the adjoined entry form and by payment of the entry fee of € 75, = per horse. **Closing date is 8 July 2013.** You send these forms to:
**For Belgium:**
Studbook Zangersheide V.Z.W.,
Domein Zangersheide, 3620 Lanaken.
**For other countries:**
Studbook Zangersheide V.Z.W.,
P.O. Box 2066, 6201 CD Maastricht / the Netherlands.
**Or per email to:**
studbook@zangersheide.com

2. The Championships are open for foals born in 2013 and after birth registered with Studbook Zangersheide V.Z.W. or whose original birth certificate is received by the Studbook upon entry. There are separate classes for colts and fillies.

3. The organisation reserves the right to stop entries when the number of entries gets too high and/or the maximum number of 200 foals per class is reached. Entries will be accepted in order of reception. No entry forms will be accepted after the closing date. Late entries will be returned to sender, including the possibly paid entry fee(s).

4. Entries for the Foal Championships become definite after confirmation by the Studbook. The letter of confirmation will also state the starting time of the class.

5. All starting foals must be accompanied by their dam. Both dam and foal (from 3 months of age) must have been vaccinated against influenza and tetanus. Vaccination certificates should be submitted on request there and then.

6. The foals will be assessed by the selection committee of Studbook Zangersheide for their future use as (showjumping) sport horse. The assessment is based on four criteria, namely: type, correctness, movements and general impression. Each of these components can be rewarded with a maximum of 10 points.

7. The foals are presented individually with their dam in hand at standstill to the jury, after which they may show walk, trot and canter in free action. Per catalogue number one handler is allowed in the ring. The jury will assess the foals for as long as they deem fit. The handler must wear a correct Z-outfit (blue T-shirt and blue jeans).

8. The Championships take place in four phases:
   - On Friday the 19th of July in the morning: qualifier for the younger colts, followed by the finals
   - On Friday the 19th of July in the afternoon: qualifier for the older colts, followed by the finals
   - On Saturday the 20th of July in the morning: qualifier for the younger fillies, followed by the finals
   - On Saturday the 20th of July in the afternoon: qualifier for the older fillies, followed by the finals

9. The findings of the jury are binding. The owner of the foal shall accept these findings as definite and no objection is possible.

10. The prize money amounts to € 4,500.- per class. The prize money includes a breeder’s premium of 20 %, which means that in case the owner and the breeder of the relevant horse are not the same, this breeder’s premium will be deducted from the prize money and made available to the breeder.

11. During the Championships also the selection for the auction of Studbook Zangersheide V.Z.W. will be made, which will take place during the FEI World Breeding Jumping Championships for Young Horses in September 2013. The entry form should state whether the entry also includes selection for the auction in September 2013.

12. Selection for the auction is independent of the Foal Championships and is based on different criteria. A good place in the Foal Championships does not automatically mean selection for the auction.

13. Owners of selected foals must co-operate in the photographic session for the auction catalogue. Failure to visit the photographer present during Z-Market will mean that the costs of having the photographer return at a later moment are for the owner.

14. Costs of travelling and accommodation during the Z-Festival are for account of the owner. After booking with the Studbook, horses can be stabled at Zangersheide during these days at € 15.00 per day. Since only a limited number of stables are available, we recommend booking in time. Owners travelling from afar will have a priority right to a stable.

15. Attendance at and participation in the Z-Festival are entirely for the risk of the owner. Neither staff of the organisation nor medics, vets, etc., can be held liable for damage and/or accidents during the event.

16. Any matters not provided for in these conditions will receive a binding decision from the organisation. The organisation also reserves the right to change the programme, cancel, interrupt and/or stop the presentation, as it deems fit. The organisation shall not be liable for possible resulting negative results/costs for the participants.

17. By signing and returning the entry form, the owners/senders declare to agree with these conditions and guidelines for the championship and the general conditions for the auction, which can be found at [www.zangersheide.com](http://www.zangersheide.com) and/or are obtainable from Studbook Zangersheide VZW.