

## **Asheville Summer Fun and Blue Ridge Classic Horse Show Safety Rules and Policies**

**All persons on the competition grounds must comply with all safety rules and procedures. Failure to comply with the safety rules and procedures may result in fines, forfeiture of the ability to participate in the competition, and/or removal from the competition grounds.**

**Show management reserves the right to remove anyone from the competition grounds for any unsafe actions, illegal behavior, or failure to comply with any safety rules/procedures.**

- All COVID-19 safety policies and procedures must be always followed (see second page).
  - Masks/face coverings are highly recommended, especially for those not fully vaccinated and proper hand washing and social distancing is required for everyone.
- Anyone participating in the competition (rider, trainer, owner, support staff, volunteers, and officials) must complete a waiver form and wear an identification wristband.
- No “general public and non-essential personnel” spectators will be allowed on the competition grounds.
- All dogs/pets must always remain on a leash anywhere on the competition grounds, failure to comply will result in a \$100 fine, issuance of warning cards, and potential removal from the competition grounds. All dogs/pets must have current inoculations for rabies as prescribed by the state of residency. Dogs/pets must not be left unattended in hot vehicles.
- Minors who do not have a valid driver’s license which allows them to operate a motorized vehicle in the state in which they reside will not be permitted to operate a motorized vehicle of any kind, including, but not limited to, golf carts, motorcycles, scooters, or farm utility vehicles, on the competition grounds of licensed competitions. Minors who have a valid temporary license may operate the above-described motorized vehicles if they are accompanied by an adult with a valid driver’s license.
- Non powered scooters, bicycles, skateboards in line skates, heelers (skates in shoes) are not permitted in the show arena, warmup arena, or the interior of any barns.
- No outdoor burning or campfires will be allowed on competition grounds.
- Anyone involved in destroying property, found stealing property, communicating threats, conducting acts of violence, harassment, or any other illegal activities will be removed from the competition grounds and prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.
- No one under the age of 21 can possess and/or consume alcohol.
- No parking will be allowed in the barn area or in any area designated as a fire lane. Motor vehicles should follow all traffic safety laws on the competition grounds.
- Sharp containers are provided in convenient locations throughout the barns for the disposal of needles, medical waste, and other disposable sharp instruments. Show Management may fine any individuals, including trainers, owners, exhibitors, or their agents up to \$100 for improper disposal of needles, medical waste, or other sharp disposable instruments.
- Any loss, theft, accident, injury, or illegal activity should be reported to the show office/management immediately. Lost and found is in the show office.

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## COVID-19 Safety Policies

By entering the competition grounds, you attest to the following:

- I am **NOT** experiencing any possible COVID-19 symptoms (e.g., Fever or chills, Cough, Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, Fatigue, Muscle or body aches, Headache, New loss of taste or smell, Sore throat, Congestion or runny nose, Nausea or vomiting, Diarrhea).
  - I **understand** that if I am experiencing any symptom, I cannot enter the competition grounds.
- I have **NOT** tested positive for COVID-19 within the last 10 days or tested positive outside of 10 days and still symptomatic.
- I have **NOT** been in close proximity (within 6ft of an infected individual for a cumulative total of 15 minutes or more during a 24-hour period) to anyone who has tested positive within the last 10 days.
  - Exception: Healthcare personnel who have treated patients using appropriate medical-grade PPE during the course of performing professional duties and those individuals who are fully vaccinated (at least 14 days after their final COVID vaccination) are able to be in close proximity of COVID-19 infectious people.
- I **agree** to **comply** with all organizer requirements, safety rules, and protocols for attendance/participation including but not limited to wearing a face mask/face covering (as situations require), social distancing, temperature screening, and frequent handwashing.
- I **understand** that I am required to self-monitor my temperature at least once **daily** prior to entering the competition grounds. If I have a fever of 100.4 or greater, I cannot enter the competition grounds.
- I **understand** that if I test positive for COVID-19 within 14 days of the conclusion of competition the Competition Organizer must be notified immediately.
- I **understand** I can be **removed** from competition grounds for non-compliance of safety protocols/rules at any time.
- **I acknowledge that the inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where people are present. By attending this equestrian competition, I voluntarily assume all risks related to COVID-19 exposure and agree not to hold the competition, its organizers, or any of its directors, officers, staff, agents, contractors, or volunteers liable for any illness or injury.**