

COVID-19 Protocols for Members (September 2020)

Competition details for competitors:

- Senior athletes may be accompanied by one other person and one additional person for every additional horse entered.
- Junior athletes (18 and under) are limited to two adults per member, and one additional person allowed for any additional horse/pony entered.
- All entries and payments to be completed online in advance of the show date. Specific individual timeslots to be allocated on close of entries a minimum of 2 mins per combination. Time to be available 48 hours in advance of the show starting.
- Any day tickets must be obtained online prior to the close of entries. Please note priority entry will be given to members.
- On arrival at the show, all entries will be checked at gate. No admittance will be given to anyone not on start list. There will be no exceptions.
- Parking slots will be marked out in accordance with social distancing regulations.
- Tacking up to take place within the designated parking area
- A maximum of 6 people in a warm up at any time this includes mounted and dismounted individuals.
 A steward may be appointed by the venue to man the practice jumps, meaning 5 competitors are permitted in the warm up arena. If no steward is provided gloves are required to be worn to alter fences.
- One competitor to be in the ring at any one time.
- Designated cool down area to be provided. The practice arena is not to be used for cool down.
- No prize-giving will take place on the day and all results will be posted online. Rosettes may be left out for collection.
- Prize money will be awarded via electronic banking where applicable.
- Social distancing must be adhered to at all times.
- Members should wash/sanitise hands regularly and are encouraged to bring their own sanitiser.
- Members are reminded that the use of face masks help to reduce the spread of infection and their use may be stipulated by venues.
- Social distancing must be maintained throughout the purchasing and consumption of any food and drink.
- Any venue specific protocols must be adhered to by all in attendance.
- Please leave the site as soon as possible after competing 'Arrive, Compete, Leave'

We urge members for their safety, the safety of their family and friends and the wider public to comply with the restrictions and protocols in place during this time. We have worked hard to get to the point of being able to compete. It is now over to you. If you do not comply with the guidance and protocols you put the sport at risk.

Be sensible, be responsible and have fun!