

Covid -19 Policies and Protocols for Silverwood Dressage Shows

General Policies -

- Access to the show grounds will be limited to the Show Entrance gate.
- Show grounds will be closed to the general public and guests. Only Trainers, grooms and one other person can accompany competitors onto the show grounds.
- Mandatory Requirements for Participants as outlined by USEF will be enforced on the show grounds. Enforcement will be the responsibility of the TD and show management.
- Masks are required in distances less than 10' from others anywhere on the property. Social distancing NO LESS than 6' apart. Masks are optional for mounted riders. If a competitor chooses to wear a mask while riding, the judge's score will not reflect negatively because of the anyone
- Everyone MUST have a mask (with them) so it is readily available to wear.

- Signage and hand sanitizing stations will be located throughout the property. Coordination with EMT's as to placement of stations will be done prior to the show.
- If in the event of an emergency, Silverwood will email all in the show including staff, officials, volunteers and participants.
- Temperature taking for officials, volunteers and staff will be done daily and updated to our Temp Doc every morning. There will be a link with 2 questions. Each official, staff and volunteers, must take their temp and answer the questions before arriving to the show grounds
- Social Distancing 6' minimum to be practiced by everyone. Access to the stall area is limited to competitors and their support team. Stabling area social distancing and sanitation will be an individual responsibility. Temperature monitoring will be the individual's responsibility.
- Masks will be provided (if needed) to staff, volunteers, and officials.

Check -in

- All competitors will be required to have complete entry forms, including ALL signature pages, before entering the show grounds. Anyone who does not have a complete entry cannot enter the stabling area until the issues are resolved. There will be many emails to help get entries complete. Competitor's bridle numbers will be on their stall, so no need to check in. Any exceptions must note prior to the day of arrival.

- Mandatory Requirements for competitors and support team will be posted on stall charts, show office and posting kiosk. Printouts of the Individual and competition management mandates from USEF will be available in West office.

Competition and Warm Up Arenas-

- Ring Steward will monitor the competitor's entrance and exit from the ring, do equipment check and complete responsibilities as required of a Ring Steward.
- Hand sanitizer, paper towels and disinfecting spray will be available at each ring.
- Communicate entrance and exit protocols for competitors
- Limit the people to the ring to Coach or trainer and one other person only.
- Seating on bleachers will be marked for 6' distancing. Masks required.
- Riders can come to warm-up no sooner than 40 min before scheduled ride time to prevent crowding. Stewards will monitor ring traffic.

Food Concession –

- Access will be marked with an entrance and an exit
- Judges meals and snacks will be preordered and brought to judge's booth.

Retail Vendors

- Each vendor at the show will be asked to review their distancing protocols with Show Management to ensure that social distancing is maintained.
- Vendors must have signs posted to remind shoppers of the need to wear a mask and maintain social distancing.

PortaJohns and Bathroom –

- Disinfectant spray and paper towels will be available outside each portajohn and bathroom for the user to sanitize before entering and when leaving.
- Hand sanitizer will also be available.
- Competitors will be asked to bring their own sanitizer and toilet paper to be sure there is no shortage.
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Office -

- Access to the office will be limited to scoring.
- Communications for, schedule changes, adding Q and scratches will be handled through text and need to be paid by check or EXACT cash only. There will be a drop box for payment.
- Competitor issues, Questions/answers will be handled by text

- Ribbons and tests will be picked up in the WEST Room from the office. Competitor will pick up their own test and ribbons. One person at a time can enter and face mask REQUIRED
- Scores will not be posted. Competitors will need to access results on their phones.
- Shavings should be ordered on the show entry. If needed Additional Shavings can be ordered during the show by use of TEXT to the office, no later than 2 pm each day. Exact change or pay by check is required.
- No snacks, candy or beverages will be available.

Judge Booths –

- Plastic curtain will separate the Judge from the scribe. Masks, gloves and hand sanitizer will be provided in the booth.
- Passing of tests to runners will be done in plastic boxes. Once the judge is finished with the test, it will be placed in a plastic box for the runner will pick up.
- If two judges are needed for a class, the judging will be done in front of the booth with masks and gloves.

Stabling Area –

- Temperature monitoring, cleanliness standards and social distancing are the responsibility of the competitor and the trainer.
- Competitors and their support team are responsible for their own masks and/or face covering.
- Sanitation of stall doors, water hoses and equipment are the responsibility of the competitor and the trainer.

Covid Outbreak Protocol-

- If a person is reported to have Covid symptoms, we will consult with the EMT. The EMT will decide if 911 should be called, or if the competitor will be sent home with instructions to reach out to their health care provider.

Silverwood will continue to update this plan as needed. Silverwood will update (if needed) weekly on www.silverwoodfarm.net