

CASCADE PINTO HORSE ASSOCIATION OF WASHINGTON HEALTH PROTOCOLS

The following guidelines have been put in place in accordance with the recommendation of the CDC and State Health guidelines regarding social distancing and public health. Exhibitors are asked to refrain from attending the show if they have been in contact with anyone exhibiting COVID-19 symptoms, with in the last 14 days, have a fever or other symptoms, or are immune compromised.

To All Exhibitors/Guests/Family members/Vendors in areas of the Tacoma Unit #1 Property.

New Updates as of 8/10/2020 Proclamation20-25 Agriculture Events:

Face Mask/face shield are MANDATORY! ***Please keep a face mask or face shield on your face and with you at all times.*** Due to the recent mandates put in place by the governor, face masks/shields are required at all times!

Due to the most recent Governor restrictions no group larger than 5 may stand together, the distance between those groups of 5 or less must be 15 feet apart. To have this show we have agreed to the governor's office that everyone will follow this mandate. NO EXCEPTIONS!!!!

Due to COVID 19 issues everyone needs to stay within your own group.

Volunteers will be asking for small gatherings to maintain social distancing.

Every exhibitor must sign a liability release and waiver before allowed to pick up their back number.

All members of you group Trainer, Groom, Family members that are with you at the show must be listed on the waiver form.

Exhibitors are required to pre-enter and complete all paperwork online. Paperwork may be submitted to the show office via email.

All stall and RV reservations will be handled and paid for prior to the event.

Face masks and gloves will be available if needed. Hand sanitizers will be placed all over the TU facilities.

Outside daily spectators and vendors are NOT allowed to attend.

Essential personnel for each horse such as Exhibitors/assistants/family members/trainers/grooms, vets, farriers are the only people outside from the exhibitor and horse/mini/pony that can be on the grounds at the Tacoma Unit, we are asking that you all be respectful to all Show staff and volunteers during this change in how we are having a horse show.

OFFICE AREA: The show COVID -19 Supervisor is Wendy Davidson.

Show office will be limited to one person per staffed window, we will have a 6-foot social distancing marker for exhibitors are to wait for their turn. Please be respectful toward all office staff and volunteers while we work thru all these changes.

Exhibitors are asked to sign up for every class you might think you are wanting to enter. This will help with all the daily questions asking how many are in this class. We will be using a white board at the in gate to help with those questions and have a additional person helping at the ingate. If you need to scratch a class, we will announce how that will happen at the show.

Form of payment will be credit card or check no cash will be taken or paid out.

Only Show staff will be allowed in the announcer and show office area.

Show manager will have staff meeting each day to discuss issues, protocol and procedures that will be in place during the event.

The office door will be an entrance only you will be required to exit to the back door and then out the side door exit, you will be required to walk around the building. The enter and exit doors will remain open to keep the touch zones under control. We will be cleaning high touch areas multiple times a day.

All show staff will have their temperature taken each morning and a log will document if it is higher than 99.5 F they will not be allowed to enter and sent home.

All add and scratch forms will be outside the office.

Hand sanitizers will be placed in all high traffic areas and we ask that you use it every time to enter that area. Portable hand washing stations will be available outside each barn, by the office area and off the 176 warm up arena.

Riders and people on foot must keep 6 feet of space between each other at all times. No groups over 5 can be standing in a group, you will be asked to spread apart, all groups of 5 must stand 15 feet apart.

Other Information:

Arena entrances/exits will be arranged so that riders are not coming in close contact entering and exiting the arenas. Riders to follow direction for entering/exiting. Loitering is not allowed around the in or out gates. **We are only allowed 50 people to be in the arena at one time that includes, those in the viewing area and exhibitors, if we go over the 50 persons allowed in the arena, we will ask those in the viewing area to leave first. Judges, announcer, ring steward and staff is not included in the 50 person limitations.**

Once you enter the arena past the yellow cones face masks are not required if you are handling, riding, driving a horse/mini/pony. All others are required to wear a mask or face shield.

Riders shall maintain social distancing guidelines at all times including, but not limited to, the warm up arena and show arenas, bathrooms and office area.

Please Respect the gate person(s) personal space and maintain proper social distancing when interacting with them.

Warm up areas in the arenas are limited to the rider and trainer, except lead line area allowed one additional person, no gathering at the ingate or out gate, all foot traffic must go to the viewing area in the stands to watch.

Only the 176th side of the arena viewing area will be open, you must follow all state required protocols, no more than 5 in a group sitting together, the next group must be 15 feet apart. The viewing area is for only, trainers, assistants, parents, owners, exhibitors. NO OUTSIDE SPECTATORS ARE ALLOWED.

Separate entrance and exit door will all be marked in the show office, bathrooms, and the arena seating area. Please follow all the marked exits.

All Class Placings and High Points: will be posted in blocks onto our Cascade Pinto Web Page. You will go to the show tab and Karen will post in block of classes each day onto the web page. A list of the block's classes will be posted on the door outside of the office door.

Shavings will have designated times that you will be able to pick up shavings.

Ribbons and awards will have a designated table and time for awards to be picked up and will be announced daily. We will not be accepting returned ribbons at the end of the show.

The Duck draw will change from rubber ducks to a Yellow card that you can find throughout the facility's, you can pick up your duck draw gifts at a scheduled time's during the day. The cards will not be re used; we will issue new cards each day.

The daily raffles/awards will still happen, but we will have a scheduled time for you to pick up your ticket.

The announcer stand, judges' areas, tables, seats, microphones shall be wiped down daily.

No exhibitor gatherings with food/banquet style/ or have food left on tables in the aisleways in the barn areas.

If needed, we will allow 3 min gate holds if needed to allow exhibitors to move in and around the closed areas near the arena and warm up area. Please contact the ingate person.

The bathrooms and Portable bathrooms along with high traffic areas will be closed several times a day for additional cleaning.

Only the next two classes will be allowed in the covered warm up arena.

Flag race: Gloves will be provided for each exhibitor in each of the classes and the handles will be sanitized after each exhibitor.

Thank you,

Show Management