

**NCEC Association COVID-19 Plan**  
NCEC Dressage Competition – Sunday 21 March 2021

Venue – Equestrian Park, Cotter Rd, Weston Creek

1. The NCEC has booked the competition area at Equestrian Park for exclusive use. This area encompasses the 2 sand pads and the 3 sand arenas, their surrounds and the area from the double gates to the road, inside the fence.
2. ACT sporting events held outside can now go back to 100% capacity.
3. All people intending to enter the competition area must have signed in using the QR code located on the gate to Equestrian Park and the toilet blocks.
4. The other areas of Equestrian Park are public areas and as such are subject to the rules that apply to all public areas. Participants will be reminded that social distancing is required in all public areas of the Park.
5. Appropriate signage will be placed at the entrance to the competition area, the office and the toilets.
6. Hand sanitizer will be available at the gear check station, the toilets, the entrance to the competition area and the cottage.
7. All judges & pencilers will be offered masks and gloves.
8. All judge's cars will contain anti-bacterial wipes and hand sanitizer.
9. All test marks, comments and scores will be electronic and will only be available via Nominate Scoreboard App.
10. To limit interaction between competitors and officials, the gear check will not touch any rider's equipment or come within 1.5m of the horse and rider. The onus is on the rider to ensure they have the correct equipment eg. whip of correct length, correct bit, noseband fitted correctly.
11. The gear checkpoint will have hand sanitizer and anti bacterial wipes for use by the gear check volunteers.
12. The NCEC will ask anyone who does not follow the instructions of the NCEC Safety Official to leave the competition area.

If you are feeling unwell DO NOT COME. If you have been in a COVID-19 hotspot or feel you may have been exposed to someone who has been in a hotspot DO NOT COME. These are challenging times and please respect your fellow competitors and look out for each other.

For any questions regarding this COVID-19 safety plan, please contact Sarah Peisley on 0488 289 990 or [sarah.jane.23@hotmail.com](mailto:sarah.jane.23@hotmail.com).