



## **FUN RIDES 2020**

**13<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> September 2020**

### **EQUINE INFUENZA VACCINATION POLICY**

**All equines MUST be vaccinated against equine flu according to FEI/BEF guidelines.**

**EQUINE INFLUENZA & TETANUS:** Equine Influenza and Tetanus vaccinations are a compulsory requirement for all horses attending the Hanbury Countryside Show Fun Ride. Vaccination certificates are subject to local risk assessments by the Societies appointed Veterinary Surgeons (MacArthur Barstow & Gibbs Veterinary Surgeons). The Stewards, at the direction of the Society's Veterinary Surgeons, are empowered to require any horse or pony showing clinical signs of equine influenza to be immediately removed from the Fun Ride.

**VACCINATION PROTOCOL:** The requirement for the first 3 vaccinations is as follows: the first 2 vaccinations 21 – 92 days apart, a third booster between 150 - 215 days, and an annual booster vaccination within 365 days thereafter. No horse should enter events within 7 days of an EI vaccination. Foals should commence vaccinations at 6 months old. This Rule may be subject to change from guidance from the FEI/BEF and any changes will be notified via the Showing Council and ASAO websites.

**BIOSECURITY:** We urge all owners to adhere to strict biosecurity protocols at all times. Please remember **“BE SEEN TO BE CLEAN”**.

This policy affects all horses coming to the event for any reason. Please bring all entrants' horse passports or vaccination certificates with you for presentation at the Secretaries Lorry. If your horse is found to not be correctly covered, it will be turned away and not be allowed take part in the Ride. No refund of entry fees will be provided.

We do hope you understand the reason for these conditions, and that you agree that we should do all we can to protect the health of every horse that enters.

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