

# HIGH RIVER AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

## MEMBERSHIP RULES AND REGULATIONS

It is the responsibility of all the Members, Board of Directors, Staff and Volunteers to follow the guidelines outlined below.

It is the duty of all who use this facility to know these rules and to cooperate with staff in the enforcement of the rules to ensure a positive, fun and safe environment.

If members or their guests do not comply with the rules, disciplinary action including loss of membership and its privileges could occur.

### General Rules

1. No person shall use the Arena without holding a valid, current membership in the Society.
2. All members must sign in before public riding.
3. You must have a valid riding pass or pay a \$10 drop in fee per horse
4. The arena schedules are published on the website
5. There will be NO smoking allowed anywhere in the Arena
6. All dogs brought into the facility must be under the control of the handler
7. It is the responsibility of all users to ensure that all horse manure is placed into the manure carts upon completion of riding
8. Horses must be tied in the horse tie area when not in use. Horse are not allowed to be tied in the arena.
9. Horses are not allowed to run loose in the arena.
10. No unsupervised children under the age of 12 are allowed near the cattle
11. No unsupervised children under the age of 12 are allowed in the tie up area.
12. Helmets are mandatory for all riders 12 years of age and under
13. Horse and cattle must be in good health. Any animals that show symptoms or are diagnosed with a communicable disease/virus are not allowed on the premises. Please notify staff if your horse has been at the facility and is later diagnosed with an ailment that could affect others
14. Use of barrels and other equipment is restricted during public riding. If other riders enter the arena then the use of such items must stop unless permission is received from the other users.
15. All equipment should be returned to where it was found.
16. Private lessons during public riding are not permitted if they are in anyway bothersome to other riders.
17. No brushing horses in the arena.
18. Horses are not permitted to roll in the arena.
19. Farrier work is permitted in the Warm Up Arena only. All clippings must be clean up when finished.
20. All members are asked to abide by these rules and to deal with violators in a polite manner, referring disputes to staff when necessary.
21. Use of the Arena is at your own risk.
22. The Arena is closed when the temperature is -20C or colder

By exercising good judgement and common sense, we can keep the High River Agricultural Society a safe and enjoyable place for everyone.