## COVID-19 SAFETY NOTICE for Rudgwick & District Riding Club Activities

In line with the latest government and BRC update, we must adhere to safety factors for social distancing. Social distancing is reduced to 1m+ but 2m is preferred. Obviously, in the case of grooms tacking up for their riders, we suggest that the groom and riders work on opposite sides of the horse whilst tacking up. The rider is permitted to bring up to 1 other person as long as they are in your social bubble as support. Social distancing must be observed within your own bubble.

- A. We request that 2m distancing is observed when possible.
- B. SPECTATORS ARE NOT ALLOWED. Only competitors bubbles up to a maximum of 2 people where possible including rider and groom
- C. As hand washing will be difficult at an event please make sure you use wipes in the toilet to wipe down all areas that you have touched during your visit. Please bring your own hand sanitizers and wipes some will be available on site where possible.
- D. No entries will be taken on the day as is the norm for dressage and if using the clear round arena only stewards will be allowed to handle the poles.
- E. Please enter online at www.rudgwickriding.org and pay by PayPal. If you wish to pay by cheque please download the form off the website and send to Julia Edwards with the enclosed cheque.
- F. If we must cancel the event due to any reason entries will be refunded minus a small admin fee of £3.
- G. Please allow extra spacing between vehicles in the lorry park. Score sheets will be available for collection from the outside of secretary's office. Full results will be available to view later on our website www.rudgwickriding.org. No sheets will be given out before each class finishes. Please leave once you have finished.
- H. Please adhere to social distancing whilst at the event especially when queuing for food or drinks although at the moment we will not be supplying refreshments. Please do not enter the classroom where the secretary will be without an invite.
- I. Class dressage sheets and rosettes will be left on the table outside approximately 15 minutes after class is finished (DO NOT ENTER OFFICE). Any sheets and rosettes not picked up will be posted on to you but you must provide an SAE large enough for rosettes and postage correctly paid.
- J. If you feel unwell whilst at the event please let the Secretary know and leave the event immediately with your bubble. If you are having COVID symptoms, please arrange to be tested and let us know the outcome.

We are trying to operate as safely as possible in line with Government and BRC rulings. UNFORTUNATELY THE VIRUS IS STILL OUT THERE AND ACTIVE SO WE MUST TAKE PRECAUTIONS.