



## **Animal Welfare Policy and Arena Rules**

Inhumane treatment or abuse of an animal in any manner in the arena or on the grounds is prohibited. Inhumane treatment includes the riding of a crippled, lame or injured horse or a horse with any health abnormality which could result in that animal's undue suffering or distress.

Any act of abuse or intent to abuse an animal in the arena or the grounds which could endanger the safety of other persons or animals will be dealt with in the strongest possible manner as provided by the WARHA rules. The organizing committee at any WARHA event has the right to immediately bar the responsible party from any further participation in the event.

The Committee has the right to remove anyone riding in an unsafe manner which could endanger the safety of other persons or animals.

Alcohol is not permitted in the arena or warm up pens at any time.