

# Foxcroft Equestrian Covid-Protocols

## General Reminders

1. Please do not enter the Foxcroft property if you have a cough, a temperature, are not feeling well, or have been in contact with a Covid+ person
2. Observe physical distance rules – keep 2 metres or 6 feet apart from all others.
3. Only riders, staff in stable area.
4. Wash hands before coming to lessons and as soon as you get home. Hand sanitizers available at several stations.
5. Mask required inside tack room, viewing areas.
6. Foxcroft is practicing a strict sanitization regime, with scheduled disinfectant wipe-down of all commonly used / touched surfaces.

## Lesson Protocols

1. Riders and coaches to maintain physical distance.
2. Wear gloves to ride. Use your own helmet, crop.
3. If a rider requires help with stirrups / girth, they may dismount and staff will attend to it.
4. For safety, staff / coaches may hold horse while rider is mounting.
5. Coaches will have gloves and mask on hand in case of rider injury
6. Mask optional while mounted.

## In Barn / Tacking Up Protocols

1. Masks to be worn in tack room.
2. Limit of 3 people in tack room at any time.
3. Do not touch horses or equipment other than your own.
4. Bring your own grooming kit, lead shank, if you have one. If using Foxcroft grooming equipment, it will be sanitized after use.
5. Only 1 person in a stall to groom / tack up. Riders requiring assistance will exit stall so staff can attend to horse.
6. For Riders at Novice level: No tack cleaning. Staff will sanitize reins and clean, put away tack.
7. No loitering. Riders are to untack and groom after lesson, then head to pick up area.

## Parents / Guardians

1. Parents may observe lessons. Please wait by parking area until lesson time.
2. Outdoor lessons - parents may observe from a distance. Please bring your own lawn chair.
3. Indoor lessons - Viewing lounges are available. Mask required in lounges. Please practice distancing. Use lounge only for duration of your child's ride.