



Conditions of Entry

(AWP006)

The Off the Track WA Estate is a private property owned and operated by Racing and Wagering Western Australia (RWWA). The Estate is not bound by the Rules of Racing, however has established Conditions of Entry specific to the property. These Conditions of Entry may change at the discretion of RWWA.

DEFINITIONS

In interpretation of these Conditions, the term "Off the Track WA Estate" means:
"the ground or land over which RWWA has the control or management and shall include all parking areas, land, buildings or any fixed or mobile structure located on the premises".

The following Conditions of Entry (AWP006 v1.0) are current as at **1 August 2020**

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1. GENERAL INFORMATION

- 1.1 Any persons entering the Estate indemnifies RWWA against liability for any claims, demands, actions, proceedings, costs, expenses, loss, damage, injury or death of any person while at the Estate.

All horse trainers, riders, handlers and associated persons wishing to utilise the **Off the Track WA Estate (the Estate)** facilities must complete an induction including signing the Conditions of Entry acknowledgement form and Release and Waiver of Liability (found at the back of this document).

- 1.2 Alcohol, drugs or smoking are not permitted in any area of the Off the Track WA Estate. Additionally, persons are not permitted on the Estate if they are under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
- 1.3 Children under the age of 18 years must be accompanied by an adult when on the Estate.
- 1.4 General parking is not allowed in the float parking area. This is reserved for floats and trucks carrying horses only.
- 1.5 Hay may be used outside of floats/trucks on the Estate, however all remnants must be removed from the grounds prior to departure.
- 1.6 No small animals, including dogs, are allowed on the Estate.
- 1.7 Stallions/colts are not permitted on the Estate.
- 1.8 Any direction from officials, coaches, and the Facility Manager are final and any person displaying improper or insulting behaviour or failing to adhere to these regulations will be reported and will not be able to attend events at the Estate in the future.
- 1.9 Photos of riders and horses utilising the Estate may be used for the advertising and promotion the Off the Track WA in the future.
- 1.10 RWWA takes its responsibility in providing a safe equestrian environment seriously and appreciates your co-operation in identifying and rectifying any possible hazards. Any injury or safety issues that cannot be resolved by the Facility Manager should then be directed to the Manager Animal Welfare.
- 1.11 The Facility Manager must be immediately notified of any damage to any person or property and complete an incident report and any other paperwork required. Incident Report Forms are available from the Facility Manager.
- 1.12 A first aid box is located and clearly marked in the site office. Persons must inform the Facility Manager if they have used any items from this box so they may be immediately replaced.
- 1.13 All Vehicles entering the Estate must at all times:
(a) give pedestrians right of way;
(b) give horses right of way; and
(c) adhere to designated speed limits
- Guests should be mindful that at times machinery and equipment may be moved about the Estate.
- 1.14 Unless authorised otherwise, persons can only access the Estate by prior appointment, or between 7:00am and 5:00pm on event days.

2. HORSES

- 2.1. No horse is allowed on the Estate unless wearing an appropriate head collar or bridle.
- 2.2. Horses suffering from any infectious diseases, or any complaint causing discharges from the nostrils, are not permitted on the Estate.
- 2.3. Horses who are presented for an event at the Estate and are subsequently deemed to be unsound by officials will not be permitted to participate.
- 2.4. Horses are not permitted to participate in events at the Estate if they are receiving treatment or under the influence of prohibited medications as defined in the FEI Veterinary Regulations and the Rules of Racing.
- 2.5. Horses are not to be left unattended at any time, unless secured in an appropriate yard (stalls provided for use at the Estate or within an approved solid framed portable yard).
- 2.6. Owners/riders are entirely responsible for the care of their horse whilst at the Estate, including the provision of adequate food and water for their horse.

3. HANDLING AND RIDING OF HORSES

- 3.1. Only persons who have completed the appropriate documentation (Conditions of Entry Acknowledgement and Waiver) are permitted to handle or ride horses at the Estate.
- 3.2. **No rider will be permitted to be mounted or ride without the current EA approved safety helmet.**
- 3.3. All riding apparel and equipment must be of good condition. Any person handling a horse must wear appropriate closed in footwear at all times.
- 3.4. Riding horses bareback and/or unbridled is prohibited.
- 3.5. Horses must be under the control of their handler or rider at all times.
- 3.6. All riders must be mindful of their surroundings and be respectful to other riders and officials at all times.
- 3.7. The abuse of horses in any kind will not be tolerated and will result in expulsion from the Estate and further action taken. Any person witnessing an Abuse must report it to an official as soon as possible.

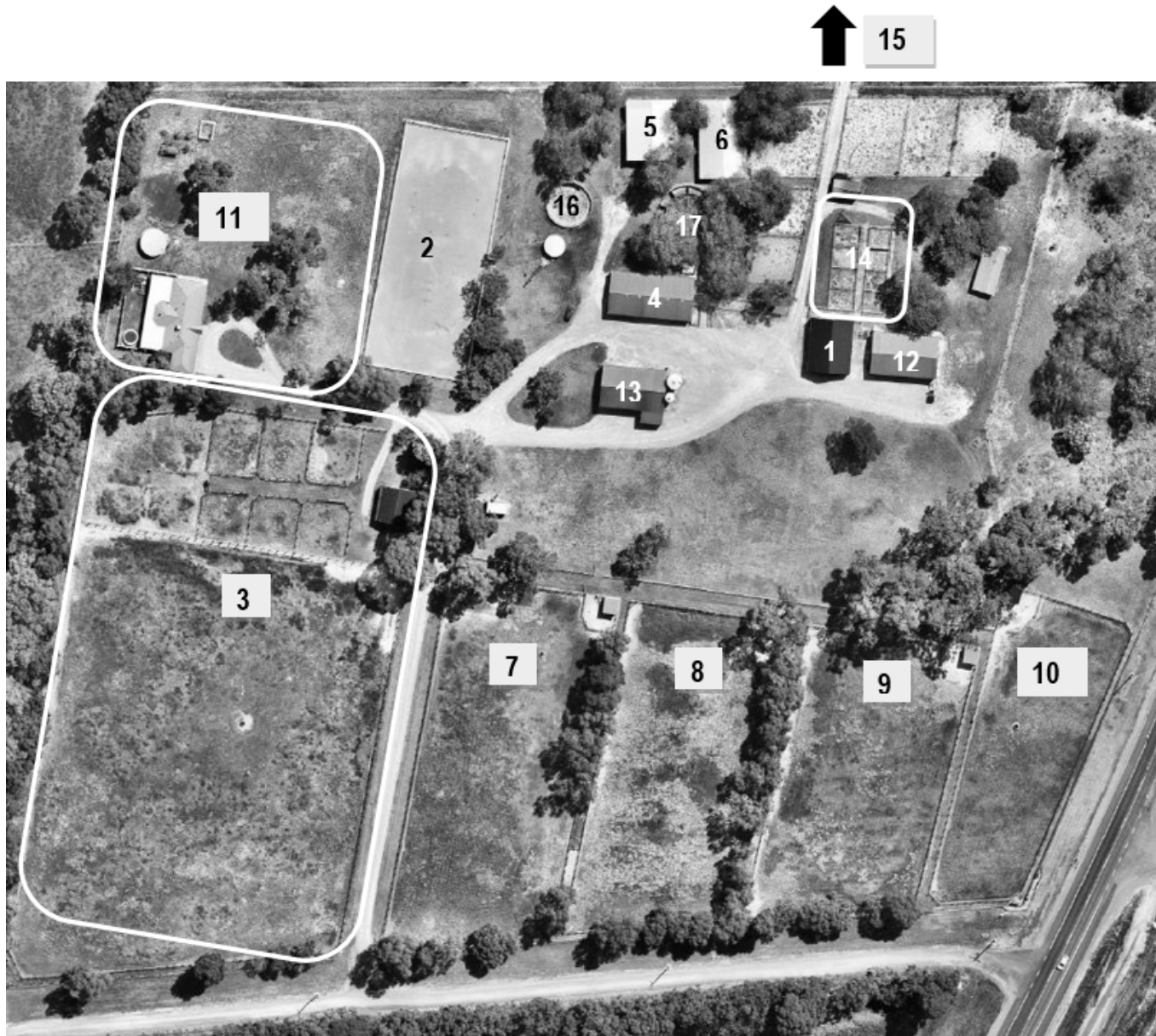
"Abuse" means an action or omission which causes or is likely to cause pain or unnecessary discomfort to a horse, including without limitation any of the following:

- To whip or beat a horse excessively;
- To subject a horse to any kind of electric shock device;
- To use spurs excessively or persistently;
- To jab the horse in the mouth with the bit or any other device;
- To compete using an exhausted, lame or injured horse;
- To rap a horse (hitting the legs as it goes over a jump);
- To abnormally sensitise or desensitise any part of a horse;
- To leave a horse without adequate food, drink or exercise;
- To use any device or equipment which cause excessive pain to the horse upon knocking down an obstacle.

4. FACILITIES

- 4.1. Horses must be unloaded / loaded in the designated float parking area. Directions for float parking must be followed at all times.
- 4.2. There are a number of arenas, yards and wash bays which are available for use at the Estate, please follow directions from officials in regards to their availability.
- 4.3. Attendees are to follow directions of the officials at all times in regards to utilising the facilities, with the following guidelines:
 - Maximum of 4 (four) riders in the arena at any one time, except during a lesson or clinic. Riders must be courteous to other users and aware of their surroundings at all times.
 - Lunging is not permitted on the sand arena.
 - Only one horse is allowed in the round yard at any given time.
 - The horse walker is NOT available for use by guests/attendees. Only those officially trained in the use of the horse walker, including the loading/unloading of horses and emergency procedures, may operate the machine.
- 4.4. Manure is to be cleared from the float parking area, wash bay area and any other area (other than arenas) of the Estate after use by the person in charge of the horse and disposed of in the designated area. All facilities must be left in a respectable manner post use.

4.5. Facilities Site Map



- 1. Admirals Christmas Barn
- 2. SLM Flirting Arena
- 3. Cookie Precinct
- 4. Perfect Touch Barn
- 5. Nicolana Wild Barn
- 6. Parkiarrup Illicit Liaison Barn
- 7. Coalminer Paddock
- 8. Two Time Sunset Paddock
- 9. Ain't No Rabbit Paddock
- 10. Stolen Thunder Paddock
- 11. Residence
- 12. Hay shed
- 13. Machinery shed
- 14. Day yards
- 15. Grazing paddocks
- 16. Round yard
- 17. Horse walker

5. UNAUTHORISED AREAS

- 5.1. No unauthorised person is permitted to enter any area of the Estate which is not in use for the event, including the machinery compound, unless accompanied by a RWWA official or the Facility Manager.
- 5.2. Guests must not approach horses domiciled at the Estate, unless accompanied by an authorised person.

6. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM AND WAIVER

Please refer to the following page for the acknowledgement form and waiver which must be signed and returned to the officials prior to commencing the event.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM

In signing this form I acknowledge that I have received, read and understood the Off the Track WA Estate Conditions of Entry.

I also agree to abide by the requirements outlined within the Conditions of Entry, in addition to any instructions issued to me by officials whilst present on the Off the Track WA Estate property.

Name:

Signature: Date: ___ / ___ / _____

RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY

Horse Sports are a Dangerous Activity

I understand and acknowledge that horse sports are a dangerous activity and that horses can act in a sudden and unpredictable (changeable) way, especially if frightened or hurt.

I understand and acknowledge that serious INJURY or DEATH may result from horse sport activities and in particular from events in which I participate. I agree that I PARTICIPATE at my OWN RISK.

I agree not to drink alcohol or take drugs prohibited by law before or during competition or whilst in any area of the Off the Track WA Estate.

Effect of this Document

I understand that signing this document constitutes a complete and unconditional release of all liability to Racing and Wagering Western Australia, including Off the Track WA, and its coaches and affiliated officials, to the greatest extent allowed by law in the event of me and/or the children under my care, suffering injury or death.

By signing I confirm having read and understood the contents of this disclaimer.

Name:

Signature: Date: ___ / ___ / _____

Parent or Guardian to sign if participant is under 18 years of age.

Name:

Signature: Date: ___ / ___ / _____