

William Clark Chamberlin Equestrian Center
Rules and Policies - 2009

- Membership: All equestrians who use the WCCEC facilities, except show and special event participants, must be a member of the WCCEC for the current year or pay a “day use” fee.
- Hours of Operation: The WCCEC is open daily from 10:00am until 10:00pm, Seven days a week, May through September. Between the Hours of 10:00pm and 6:00am there is no riding in the arenas. Limited winter hours will be posted.
- Riders must check in with WCCEC office/manager when on grounds. Riders that our not members must have a signed release on file with WCCEC.
- Riding Equipment: Proper riding equipment is required. Helmets must be worn when jumping, and all JUNIOR RIDERS MUST WEAR APPROVED HELMETS. Junior is any person 18 years of age or younger. The only exception to this rule is for sanctioned events that are: 1) recognized 2)Insured 3)Have rules for attire that are different than WCCEC.
- EIA: All horses present on the WCCEC grounds must have a current (six months or less) negative EIA certificate on file with the WCCEC. Members/day users must provide certificate at the time of membership payment. Show/event participants must provide certificates with their entry or registration fees. The only exception to this rule is foals under the age of six months.
- Horse must be in stall or hand control. NO LOOSE HORSES. Tying to trailer requires an adult in attendance at all times. No tying to arena fences, no turning horses loose in the arenas. NO EXCEPTIONS.
- No lunging of horses in arenas when mounted horses are present. Events, Clinics, Lessons have priority over day use of arenas.
- Stalls: Owners rent, a type of accommodation—not a particular stall. The management reserves the right to relocate horses in the interest of creating the best and safest environment for everyone. Weekend and overnight use of the stalls is available for \$20/night during competitions. Stalls are on a first come basis, unless show/event management pays in advance for a minimum number of stalls. Groups renting arenas are responsible for paying the stall fees for all of the riders in their group. Use of reserved stalls on the day prior to a show will be guaranteed no earlier than 3:00pm and if horses are stabled overnight, a designated adult member must stay on site at all times. Any damage above and beyond normal wear and tear shall be charged to the owner of the horse.
- A clean stall will be provided. Bedding is required for all horses. Only sawdust or wood shavings are allowed. NO PAPER OR STRAW BEDDING is permitted. WCCEC management is not responsible for ensuring that bedding is available.
- Alcoholic Beverages: No alcoholic beverages are allowed without proper permitting.
- Pets: Dogs must be on leash and under control at all times No dogs allowed between barns when horses are present.
- Parking: Vehicles are allowed to load and unload horses and equipment before and after clinics or competition, with due caution for horses and riders present. No unattended or unauthorized vehicles may be parked between barns, access roads or riding areas. Vehicles are required to park in only designated parking areas. No parking between offices and arenas, no parking on the grass.
- No electrical hookups are permitted to unauthorized campers from barns.
- Vehicles are not allowed beyond the parking lots during a clinic or competition, except to provide handicapped access. Please use wheelbarrows to move equipment while a show or clinic is in progress.
- Children: Children under twelve (12) years of age must be supervised by a parent/guardian.
- Put all Trash in Trash cans or dumpster provided.
- Venders: Commercial vendors are welcome to sell products and services at the WCCEC, subject to the WCCEC Vendor donation Policy. Please contact the Center Manager for the vendor policy and application form.
- Abuse Policy: Cruelty to or the abuse of a horse by any person on the grounds of the WCCEC is strictly forbidden and will result in the loss of privileges to use the WCCEC. The Anchorage Horse Council has adopted the definition of abuse from Article 302 of the USEF By-Laws. The WCCEC facilities are for the use of our members and/or their families and guests. Users/Members will be responsible for the conduct of their guests while at the facility. We reserve the right to refuse admittance and /or direct non-member to leave the facilities if their conduct does not conform to the WCCEC rules and/or Good social conduct. Disregard for these rules by users/members/guests can and will result in the issuance of a written notice to vacate the facility. Actions such as stealing, use of narcotics, and/or alcohol, intentional damage or destruction of facilities or any member’s property or abuse of animals, physical or verbal abuse of members or staff personal will not be tolerated and will result in immediate expulsion from the premises.

WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO REFUSE SERVICE TO ANYONE AT ANYTIME.

General Recommendations

- No Trotting or running horses in the stable or road areas
- WCCEC strongly recommends never going on trail rides alone
- No riding double on the premises
- Clean up after your horse in the wash racks, and parking areas
- Have respect for the animals and people, be safe, and have fun

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