

**COVID-19 SAFETY PLAN:** All participants attending a race meet held by the Pine Rivers Dog Training Club will be required to comply with this COVID-19 Safety Plan and the Club's COVID Guidelines. The purpose of this COVID-19 Safety plan is to provide clear direction to all participants on how we intend to prevent the transmission of COVID-19 during a sanctioned race meet, and the responsibilities of Pine Rivers and each participant in attendance. Failure to comply with this COVID19 Safety plan may result in you being asked to leave the grounds, authorities shutting down the event and/or penalties being applied. Before the race meet

- The Pine Rivers will not be providing paper documents to participants. The catalogue, running order and this COVID 19 Safety plan will be sent to all team captains and made available on the AFA website at minimum 1 day prior to the scheduled race meet.
- Participants that are unwell/symptomatic, have had recent contact with anyone suspected of having COVID-19, or have been to a COVID-19 hotspot/effected area/high risk venue within the last 14 days prior to the race meeting are asked not to attend.
- Throughout the race meet Pine Rives will be responsible for the following:
  - Regularly cleaning of frequently touched surfaces in the club grounds.
  - Providing hand sanitiser near frequently touched surfaces.
  - Monitoring participant's adherence to this policy.

**Participants are asked to:** Upon arrival you will be asked to sign in on sheets that will be provided to every team. **Do Not** crowd the gates or carpark area when bringing gear into the paddock. Maintain 1.5m social distancing rule. Members will provide their own personal hand sanitation products for use in their team camp area. Sanitise their own club gear. Limit ball handling to the box loaders only, Ball shaggers are encouraged to use a tube ball collector or gloves if possible. Limit the number of participants to 1 person per 2sq meter in each gazebo (as a guide 4 in a 3x3 and 6 in 6x3) at any one time. Ensure gazebos (in same club group) have at minimum 2 meters space to avoid overcrowding. Ensure there is a minimum of 4 meters between individual club gazebos. Maintain social distancing when entering the ring, during warm up and when leaving the ring. Participants are asked to avoid: Shaking of hands, hugging or the like. Gathering in groups. Avoid gathering near timing table.

\*When going to the Canteen or Toilets please maintain social distancing. **No Dogs** are allowed on the concrete Apron of the club.

Standing close to entries and exit gates preventing others a clear path.

Management of racing, officials, timekeeper, stewards and paperwork

- Captains meeting will be held but only TEAM CAPTAINS may attend.
- Team folders will be held at the rear of the timing table (under no circumstance can the folder be taken from this table), only the listed team captain can approach this table prior to your scheduled race and hands must be sanitised before and after completing the time sheet.
- Changes will be dealt with as usual.
- Timekeepers are to sanitise their hands between each race.
- The time console is to be wiped down between change of user (during lunch break in particular)
- Judges are to sanitise their hands before and after signing off the time sheets.
- Judges are to wipe down the remote for the console between change in user.
- Stewards are to wipe down the regular steward flag when there is a change in user, wipes and a bin will be located behind each chair behind the fencing.
- The 2 minute rule will be applied from the time the box and team is ready, team are reminded to take their time when entering to avoid overcrowding.

#### **After the race meet**

- Participants are asked to sanitise their hands or to use gloves prior to the commencement of packing down the ring, please follow the instructions of the race meet coordinator.
- Participants are asked to not crowd the gates or carpark when packing away their gear.
- The AFA Rep and Judges are asked to sanitise their hands before and after completing end of day paperwork.
- Competition organiser is asked to sanitise their hand before receiving end of day paperwork.

\*Please take your rubbish home with you as we do not have Council collections. Poo bags are available at the front gate also a bin to put them in.