



MISSOULA EQUESTRIAN PARK

OPERATED BY THE MISSOULA HORSEMEN'S COUNCIL

PARK RULES

1. Every rider must be a current Park member with membership form and signed waiver on file, or must turn in a valid Guest Pass and be accompanied by a Park member.
2. Riders under 18 years of age are required to wear ASTM approved helmets except when allowed to do otherwise at recognized, insured shows and clinics.
3. Members are responsible for their own safety as well as for the safety of others around them.
4. Cross country fences must be used in the company of at least one other person, and riders must wear ASTM approved helmets. At least one person present should have a working cell phone. A protective vest is also required for cross country use. The course will be closed prior to an event in accordance with United States Equestrian Federation rules.
5. Use of the cross country course is \$10 per day, per person (except for members who have paid annual use fee). Payment of cross country and guest pass fees, as well as respect for rules, is on the honor system. Be honorable. Day pass fees can be deposited in the drop box, at the end of the pavement by the ditch, along with the completed fee sheet.
6. **Fees may be put in the drop box at the Park or mailed to Missoula Horsemen's Council, P.O. Box 3841, Missoula, MT 59806.** Any bad check written to the Missoula Horsemen's Council will incur a \$50-processing fee for the Council in addition to any applicable bank charges.
7. Watch the newsletter, website and posted schedules to find out when and where there are events within the Park.
8. Areas of the Park may become unavailable to members when there is a scheduled event.
9. When maintenance (like arena working or watering) is being done, members may need to move to another part of the Park. The maintenance worker timetable takes precedence.
10. Parking is prohibited at the dressage arena. Please park on the north side of the main arena between the arena and the cross country course. Parking is also available at the 4-H arena. Please comply with the no parking areas.
11. **NO PARKING AT THE STALLS UNLESS YOU ARE STAYING FOR AN OVERNIGHT**
12. Do not park on lawns.
13. No unauthorized motor vehicles are allowed on trails or cross country course.
14. Abuse of animals on Park grounds is prohibited.
15. Dogs must be leashed during any activity at the park. In accordance with Missoula County Animal Ordinance 2006-39 Section 4: *"Dogs Running At Large: A. It shall be unlawful for the owner, temporary owner, or any person having charge, care, custody, or control to allow such dog at any time to run at large."*
16. Do not dump manure/ bedding, hay anywhere on the grounds.