



Siberian Husky Club of Victoria Inc.

COVID SAFE PROCEDURES FOR SOCIAL SLEDDING

Purpose: The purpose of this document is to outline our COVIDSafe plan to be adhered to during our planned 2021 Social Sledding events. Our event will run under the DOGS Victoria and Victorian State Government COVIDSafe Plan guidelines. We will be relying on the cooperation and understanding of all attendees of the event to ensure that we are operating in a safe manner.

This season, to allow for advance online entries, we will not be offering a point score system. However, eligibility requirements will still need to be met for the Cup Race, COVID permitting and sashes will still be handed out to our place getters.

Race entry procedure:

- Race entries will be online only and must be completed by 5:00pm on the Monday prior to the event and will only be accepted from financial members. Entries after this time will not be accepted.
- Race entry payment will be via bank transfer only and must be completed at the time of race entry.
- It will be required that all Musers registering to race that are over the age of 18 must complete the “Becoming a COVID Marshal” online course. This takes about 15min and your certificate number will be required for your race entry.
 - <https://www.health.gov.au/resources/apps-and-tools/covid-19-infection-control-training>
 - You will also be required to read and accept the DOGS Victoria COVIDSafe Plan and the SHCV COVIDSafe Procedures for Social Sledding.
 - SHCV COVIDSafe Plan - https://www.siberianhuskyvic.org.au/sledding/SHCV_COVIDSafe_Social_Sledding.pdf
 - DOGS Vic COVIDSafe Plan - https://www.siberianhuskyvic.org.au/sledding/SHCV_DV_COVIDsafe_plan.pdf
 - Due to the nature of our events, our Musers, having completed the COVID Marshal course will be responsible for ensuring COVIDSafe guidelines are maintained for their campsite.

Prior to arriving at the race site:

- Each attendee is asked to perform a symptom self assessment prior to leaving home.
 - If you are feeling unwell, have a cough, a sore throat or have a temperature you are asked to stay at home, get tested and self isolate.
- Please ensure that you have a face mask and hand sanitizer with you prior to leaving home.

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On arrival at the race site:

- All attendees are asked to arrive between 12:00pm and 2:00pm Saturday.
 - Upon arrival please scan the QR code at the Admin tent adhering to social distancing guidelines and sign in. For those with poor mobile reception there will be WiFi access available.
 - To ensure a short drivers meeting, please fill out the “Race Assistants” volunteer sheet for race timers etc. No volunteers, no race!
 - Hand sanitize prior to filling out the sheet.
 - Collect your race bib.

- Drivers meeting will be held at 4:00pm Saturday. This will be brief.
 - Please be aware of and maintain social distancing.
- Please ensure that a mask and personal hand sanitizer is carried at all times and used where necessary.

Toilet Facilities:

- Hand sanitizer will be supplied inside and outside of the supplied toilets.
 - Please ensure that you hand sanitize prior to entering the cubicle.
 - Prior to exiting the cubicle, please use the supplied Glen20 spray to sanitize any touch surfaces.
 - Use the supplied hand sanitizer on exiting the cubicle.

Race Volunteers:

- Prior to collecting stop watches and timing sheets, please use the hand sanitizer provided at the Admin tent.
- Once finished with the stop watches, please use the provided wipes only to clean them prior to returning them to the desk.
- Please ensure that you are carrying a mask and use it where social distancing may be difficult.

During race heats:

- All attendees to ensure that they are carrying face masks as they may be needed in the Start and Finish chute areas.
- Handlers are to use hand sanitize prior to handling a team and again on exiting the Start chute.
 - If multiple handlers from different households are required to help with the same team, masks must be worn.
- Corner Marshals needing to assist a team must ensure that they use personal hand sanitiser prior to assisting.

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