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RE: COVID-19 RELATED CHANGES AND ENTRY REQUIREMENTS FOR 2020 RACING SEASON AT ARAPAHOE PARK

Arapahoe Park has received approval by state and local authorities, as well as the Colorado Racing Commission, to open on Saturday, June 6, 2020, with strict adherence to recommended guidelines for containing the spread of COVID-19. Given the current environment with COVID-19, there will be several significant changes and practices put into place for this racing season to protect the health and safety of everyone at Arapahoe Park.

Live racing will commence on Monday, June 8, 2020, but will be done so without any spectators or guests allowed.

There are strict rules pertaining to the backside this season. No one will be allowed to loiter after a race or stay overnight on the backside due to health restrictions placed upon the Division and the track relating to COVID. No guests will be allowed on the backside. Children are also prohibited unless they are helping with the horses or childcare is unavailable.

The Division staff would ask that you complete your yearly validation and vehicle registrations online prior to coming to the park. The validation form is found on the Division of Racing Events website, and this link will take you directly to the online form:
<https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/enforcement/form/racing-validation-card>.

The Division will have limited hours and staffing in the Racing Events office. **All licensing issues will be handled by appointment only; no walk-ins will be allowed in the division's office.** If you need a new license, you must make an appointment. If you wait until the last moment, you may not receive the proper licensing required by race time. You can make an appointment by calling 303-690-6910.

The 2020 ENTRY REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL HORSES ENTERING ARAPAHOE PARK RACETRACK:

- All horses, including ponies, must have a valid health certificate issued within 30 days. All horses must show proof of, and date of vaccination with an FDA approved modified live or killed virus vaccine for EHV-1 not less than 14 days and not more than 120 days prior to date of entry. The date of vaccination must be shown on the CVI if administered by the veterinarian.
- All horses must have a negative Coggins test within 12 (twelve) months of entry to Arapahoe Park.
- Any horse leaving during the racing season and returning to the stable area will be subject to out of competition testing.
- Vaccination against encephalitis, influenza, rabies, and tetanus are recommended and may be required in the face of an outbreak.

Please contact the Division at 303-690-6910 with any questions or concerns. I understand this is a difficult time for everyone, and we want to ensure a safe and healthy season for all of our athletes, human and equine, and those who work in and support this industry.

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