

CONDUCT OF MEMBERS



No WGRC Member shall

- ❖ **Conduct themselves at any competition or training session in a manner which is offensive to the public.**
- ❖ **Behave with incivility or contempt, or use abusive or threatening language, towards a judge, trainer, committee member, official, sponsor or other competitor or member, whilst training, competing or during any interaction or representation of WGRC.**
- ❖ **Conduct themselves in a manner detrimental to the character and/or prejudicial to the interests of WGRC.**
- ❖ **Be outstanding on payment for any training, camp, membership, social event, or competition. Members will be advised in writing of any outstanding accounts and have 30 days from the date of this letter to settle the debt accordingly, including any associated costs caused to WGRC.**

At all stages during the preparation and training of competition horses, welfare must take precedence over all other demands. This includes good horse management, training methods, farriery, tack and transportation.

Horses and riders must be fit, competent and in good health before they are allowed to train and compete. This encompasses medication use, surgical procedures that threaten welfare or safety, pregnancy in mares and the misuse of aids.

The committee of WGRC reserve the right to refuse membership, or remove membership from any member if it is deemed by the committee that a member has not adhered to any of the above, without refund.