Morpeth Hunt Branch Of The Pony Club

Changes to your riding session due to Covid 19

**Please follow these procedures to ensure everyone’s safety**

**Before your arrival**

* Please send a text confirming your attendance and that you are fit and healthy before you leave home
* We expect only one person from the same household to be transporting their child to training
* Other siblings and family members that are not involved in the lesson should not attend

**On arrival**

* Upon arrival think about where you are parking and the proximity to others when moving around your vehicle with and without your horse
* Park in the designated area and wait for permission to get out of your car
* Keep a distance of 10m between vehicles
* Wash your hands following the NHS guidance –hand sanitiser and will be available if needed
* Please do not greet other members closer than 1 metre and do not congregate in groups larger than those allowed

**Mounting/dismounting**

* If possible travel your pony tacked up and make sure you are dressed ready to ride
* Mount and dismount at your trailer
* Your family member can unload, assist with tacking up and mounting etc. but should then remain in or with their vehicle throughout the session, to maintain social distancing as they are not part of the gathering

**Riding session**

* The session will be paced to suit your needs and your safety will be uppermost in the coach’s planning
* Please inform the coach if you are struggling with any part of the session

**On completing the session**

* We need to prepare the area for the next arrival so please return to your vehicle, load your pony and leave as quickly as possible
* Wash your hands before departure

**It is vital that social distancing of at least 1 metre is observed at all times**

**We are so pleased to be able to welcome you back, if you have any queries or concerns please get in touch DC@morpethhuntpc.co.uk**