Grounds rules

Proposed rules for safe and considerate use of the Cantar HK grounds by horses, riders and visitors.

Updated 10 September 2026. Working draft with no effective date. The operator must complete and approve it before publication as binding terms.

1. Scope and access

This draft applies to the Cantar HK equestrian grounds at Hradečnice 995, Hradec Králové, and to visitors, riders, accompanying people and other users. The show arena, warm-up arena, indoor arena, old stables, side grandstand, VIP tent, toilets and pastures are open. The main grandstand is being renovated; the other facilities shown on the map are under construction.

Respect designated access, your reserved time and the manager’s instructions. Do not enter construction zones, technical facilities or marked private areas without permission. Published organisational instructions may apply to individual events.

2. Riders and equipment

- Wear a correctly fitted, fastened riding helmet and footwear suitable for stirrups. Tack must be safe and functional.
- Ride within your abilities and according to your horse’s condition and activity around you. Riding under the influence of alcohol or substances that impair attention is not permitted.
- An accompanying adult is responsible for supervising a minor unless a trainer has expressly accepted that responsibility. Arena hire alone does not include supervision or instruction.

3. Sharing the arena

Alert other riders before entering and wait until it is safe. Leave sufficient space between horses and agree on the direction and type of work. Do not stop on the main track or obstruct approaches to jumps.

The warm-up arena accommodates up to six horses; the manager may restrict capacity for safety during events or surface maintenance. Agree jumping, lunging, moving obstacles or other changes to a shared arena with the manager and other users beforehand.

4. Horses, children, dogs and visitors

Bring only horses fit for the planned activity. The keeper is responsible for current veterinary requirements and necessary documents; arrival conditions must be checked in advance. A horse suspected of having an infectious disease must not join shared activities.

Do not feed or handle a horse without its owner’s permission. Supervise children, keep dogs on leads and outside riding areas. Behave calmly and avoid startling animals.

5. Tidiness, vehicles and emergencies

Put away equipment, remove waste, leave gates as instructed and report defects. Drive and park according to site directions; keep access routes clear. Do not smoke or use open flames in riding and storage areas.

If an accident or danger arises, stop the activity and call the manager. For a threat to health or life, call emergency assistance on 112 or 155. Report a horse injury to its owner and, as appropriate, a vet.

6. Compliance and responsibility

The manager may reasonably stop an unsafe activity or require a user to leave the arena. This draft does not introduce contractual fines or automatic forfeiture of payment. Any payment consequences must be agreed separately and clearly.

Both users and the operator must act safely. These rules do not exclude statutory responsibility or visitors’ rights. The operator must verify the local arrangements and approve the final version.

To complete before approval

- Add the manager’s name/role and contact number, opening hours and emergency reporting procedure.
- Confirm horse arrival conditions, parking, use of jumps, lunging and other equipment.
- Confirm first-aid kit locations and other local instructions. Review safety and approve an effective date.

Sources and related information

grounds rules (topic reference)

Cantar bookings