

Fillongley Agricultural Association

Health and Safety – For Visitors to the Show

Please note that it is your responsibility to look after your own safety whilst visiting the Fillongley Agricultural Showground & this Safety Notice has been designed to contribute towards your enjoyment during the Show.

Therefore please:

- 1. Help prevent accidents by being aware of your surroundings**
- 2. Remember that all animals/birds are unpredictable and can be dangerous**
- 3. Ensure that when you cross over animal walkways extra care is taken and that you comply with the instructions issued by the Crossing Steward**
- 4. Take care of your children**
- 5. Keep push chairs & prams well away from large animals as they may adversely react to them**
- 6. Be aware of moving machinery & moving vehicles**
- 7. Do not walk in Animal Collecting Rings, Show Rings or Animal Walkways**
- 8. Do not leave glass on the ground, place it in the bins provided**
- 9. Do not light fires or discard cigarettes etc. until they are fully extinguished**
- 10. Remember when reversing your cars, to do so with care**
- 11. All dogs must be kept on a lead at all times and be fully controlled**
- 12. Do not park your car in the Lorry Parks**
- 13. Co-operate with our stewards in cases of emergency**
- 14. Keep a look out for obstructions that could cause you to slip or trip, such as Marquee Guy Ropes and uneven ground**
- 15. Do not leave litter as it is a health hazard**
- 16. Take note that there may be sudden noises that can frighten you and your dogs e.g. bangs, loud music, tany announcements**
- 17. When entering trade stands, take note of safety notices and exit signs**
- 18. Remember that Fair Ground rides can be dangerous and you use these at your own risk**
- 19. Drink plenty of water to avoid dehydration**
- 20. Take regular rests as necessary, especially if you are pregnant**
- 21. Pregnant women; Persons without a Spleen; those that have had a Heart Transplant; and the Elderly; should avoid contact with Farm & Equine Animals to avoid transfer of diseases**
- 22. Be aware that there are a number of generators located around the Showground creating electricity therefore keep well away from this equipment**
- 23. The Show Ground has a number of inherent hazards such as ditches and ponds, these should be avoided to prevent accidents**

- 24. Wash your hands thoroughly before eating in case you have been in contact with animals**
- 25. Consume alcohol responsibly**
- 26. Carry out fully, the instructions given by those controlling activities such as shooting, fishing, climbing and driving**
- 27. Listen carefully to public announcements and adhere to any instruction given out**
- 28. Make yourself aware of the location of the First Aid centres**
- 29. Remember that Catering Units often have hot surfaces and can cause a burn or scald**
- 30. Note if there are any approved controls for Foot & Mouth Disease, please carry out the disinfecting procedures given to you by the Gate Stewards**
- 31. In high winds, hazards such as dust and falling material could be evident**
- 32. Protect yourself from the Sun by using sun block and / or appropriate clothing**
- 33. Note that you are in the country and there maybe additional pest activity e.g. wasps. So be alert at all times**
- 34. Keep safe when riding on vehicles such as tractors and trailers either power driven or pulled by animal**
- 35. Keep your distance during demonstrations which could be dangerous e.g. shoeing horses & chainsaw demos**
- 36. Do not act in a manner that could cause an accident, such as unruly behaviour**
- 37. Note that abusive or violent behaviour will not be tolerated and you will be removed from the Showground and refunds shall not be given**
- 38. Missing Persons should report to the Secretary's tent**
- 39. Ensure you carry your EpiPen if you have been prescribed one**
- 40. Do not park your car in a disabled parking space unless you are in possession of a blue disabled badge**