

BARRHEAD AG SOCIETY

FACILITY OPENING GUIDELINES

The Barrhead AG Society will be opening both ag barn and outdoor arenas effective June 3, 2020. All renters must follow the guidelines set out below. If guidelines are not being followed, the facilities will be shut down until further notice. Instructions to book the arena are further down. Booking prices remain the same.

We encourage all renters and volunteers to stay informed and remain up to date on COVID-19 developments via the Alberta COVID Website. Please refer to the COVID posters at the facilities.

PLEASE REFRAIN FROM USING THE BARRHEAD AG SOCIETY FACILITIES OR VOLUNTEERING AT THE FACILITIES IF YOU ARE FEELING SICK OR IF YOU HAVE TRAVELLED OUTSIDE OF ALBERTA IN THE LAST 14 DAYS.

Hand sanitizer and wipes will be available when entering the facility. Please be respectful and notify Barrhead Ag Society if we are running out.

For the outdoor arena bring your own hand sanitizer, wipes, and equipment. Avoid sharing equipment.

There will not be washroom facilities at the Barrhead Ag society grounds during the initial opening due to the fact that we do not have full time personnel to clean as per the COVID requirements.

The livestock door will be left open at the indoor arena to minimize surface contact. The entrance to the outdoor arena will be left open so no one is touching gates or any surfaces at the outdoor. With the wipes provided, please wipe down any surfaces that you touch (muck forks, wheelbarrow, lights, etc). Please use the lined garbage cans to dispose of wipes.

Please social distance in the parking lot leaving a significant distance between units.

Both the ag barn and outdoor arenas are on a booking basis.

There will be no open riding in the ag barn or outdoor arena.

Private booking for the outdoor arena and ag barn will be in effect. You can book either.

The ag barn will have a maximum of 15 people per booking including spectators.

Outdoor arena will have a maximum of 50 people per booking including spectators.

Only guardians and/or family members of a participant can spectate. No public spectators are allowed.

Renters must adhere to the 2 meter social distancing rules at all times (family members living in the same household are exempt).

At each booking Barrhead Ag Society requires the names of every person in your booking including spectators so tracking can be done.

You **MUST** be out of the arena by the end of your booking.

For either the ag barn or outdoor arena there will be no tying of horses in the arena. Horses need to be tied to your own personal trailer.

Also please consider downloading the AB Trace Together contact tracing app to assist with contact tracing in the event an outbreak should occur.

BOOKING THE ARENA:

Make your booking by email to Evelyn Anderson at asgseed@xplornet.com.

Please include in your email:

Date:

Time:

Indoor / Outdoor Arena:

Duration:

List of everyone in the booking and their contact information (cell phone and/or email):

Payment to be made at the beginning of your time slot. Place your fee in the drop box or in person to Evelyn Anderson.

Volunteers going into groom the arena will be provided with gloves and wipes when operating the tractor or watering the grounds.

These guidelines may change at any time as updates to Alberta re-opens happens.

If you have any questions please contact Evelyn Anderson at 780-674-0979 or Ken Anderson at 780-674-1941.

Thank you for your patience as we work through the COVID-19 requirements.