# La Martiniere College, Lucknow

## **Horse-Riding Club**



Club Membership No. CM-325

Bye-laws & Rules for Members
(Revised on 1st April, 2020.)



## **Bye-laws & Rules for Members**

### 1. General Rules

- The La Martiniere Horse-Riding Club, Field and facilities may only be used by pupils who have opted to be a part of the Horse-Riding Club.. For the avoidance of doubt, for the purposes of these Bye-Laws, a "member" is defined as a Riding, who is presently a pupil of La Martiniere College, Lucknow.
- 1.2. Non-members are only allowed to ride in the Field and use the facilities during the camps organised in the vacation period or with prior permission from the President.
- 1.3. No Club equipment should be taken from the Club Field without prior approval from the Committee.
- 1.4. All damage should be reported to the Field Co-ordinator or Club Secretary.
- 1.5. All litter etc must be removed from the Club Field or disposed of in the litter bins supplied by the Club. Do not "muck out" your horsebox or trailer onto the Club Field
- Members should adhere to any specific rules when competing at 1.6. various competitions organised by the Club throughout the season.
- 1.7. Vehicles are not to be taken into the Club Field during periods of inclement weather and when the grass is likely to be cut up No galloping of horses is allowed in the Club Field.
- 1.8.

### 2. Safety

- 2.1. Members must adhere to La Martiniere College, Lucknow Health & Safety Policy\* at all times when using the Clubs facilities. A copy of the Health & Safety Policy is posted on the club notice-board.
- 2.2. All access/egress areas must be kept clear
- Pet-Dogs must be restrained by lead at any time there are horses 2.3. within the Club Field
- 2.4. Riding hats-to the standard defined in the Riding Clubs Rule Book must be worn (correctly fastened) by all riders whenever mounted (this includes instructors)
- All accidents or dangerous occurrences must be reported to the 2.5. Club Secretary or Field Co-ordinator. A Riding Club Accident Report\* may require to be completed.



### 3. Horses

- 3.1. All ridden horses must be
  - sound of wind and limb at least
  - 4 years old
  - · correctly tacked
  - and turned out free from any contagious disease

### 4. Official Club meetings and Activities

- 4.1. Riders should be neatly turned out i.e. Jacket/Club sweatshirt, Breeches/Jodhpurs & Riding/Jodhpur boots. For competitions, members must adhere to the relevant discipline rules including dress code and tack.
- 4.2. Horses are not to be cantered, lunged, schooled, etc in the horsebox parking area unless authorised by the event organiser.

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### 4. Official Club meetings and Activities (Continued)

- 4.4. Club Lessons
  - Sufficient notice should always be given to the Master-Trainer.
  - Members wishing to cancel a lesson should inform the Club Secretary one day in advance.
  - Ordinarily riding lesions shall be imparted on working Thursdays, during the C.C.A. Period.
  - The President / Secretary shall allow lesions at other times as well.



#### 5. Use of the Field out-with Club meetings and

#### **Activities**

#### General

- 5.1. Priority over members using the Club Field is given to
  - Participants in official Club activities out-with
  - normal meeting times the Grounds-man and/or members carrying out maintenance duties etc
  - Committee/members carrying out duties in connection with forthcoming meetings, shows etc
- 5.2 In the case of combination padlocks, the number must **not** be shared with other individuals. The combination number is subject to change without notice.
- 5.3 Arenas which are "closed off" should not be used under any circumstances.
- 5.4 The committee reserve the right to deny access to the Club Field at any time.
- 5.5 Ensure that the main field gate is closed before unloading or riding your horse. Ensure that <u>all</u> gates are closed securely when leaving the Club Field.
- 5.6 Should you use equipment please ensure that you do not leave poles etc lying on the sand or grass. Always leave the Club Field in a tidy condition.
- 5.7 Members using the Club Field out-with official Club Meetings do so at their own risk.

#### **Private Tuition**

- 5.8 Any member using the field for private tuition must give the Club Field Co-ordinator 24 hours
  - notice stating the
    - date and time of lesson;
    - type of tuition being given instructors name



Any member failing to notify the Field Co-ordinator as above will be in breach of the Bye-Laws and may be subject to disciplinary action

Members should be prepared to share arenas where necessary

- 5.9 The College Medical staff / Ambulance staff should be notified / kept on standby, while Riding-lessons where there are more than 4 riders are in session.
- 5.10 Members booking a lesson as defined in 5.8 (above) are responsible for their instructor's adherence to the Club Bye Laws & Rules.

#### 6 Conduct

6.1 Any Club member who conducts themselves in a manner which will or which will be likely to bring the College into disrepute will be subject to disciplinary action as outlined in the College *Disciplinary Procedure\** 

## **CLUB COMMITTEE**

President : Principal, La Martiniere College, Lucknow

Presently Mr C. A. McFarland

Vice President : Vice Principal, La Martiniere College, Lucknow

Presently Mr P. V. Collins

Secretary : Assistant Teacher, La Martiniere College, Lucknow

Presently Mr Joseph Masih

Master Trainer : Master Trainer, La Martiniere College, Lucknow

Presently Mr Dina Nath Yadav, (Ex R.V.C.),

Dresser : Dresser, La Martiniere College, Lucknow

Presently Mr Harish Chand Pandey, (Ex-R.V.C.),

Grounds Supervisor: Grounds Supervisor,

La Martiniere College, Lucknow

Presently Mr Vinod Kumar Singh, (Ex-A.M.C.)

<sup>\*</sup> A separate document/policy, a copy of which may be obtained from the Club Secretary.



"May our Founder's name endure, Eber spotless, eber pure."