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IMPORTANT NOTICE ABOUT PROTECTIVE VESTS

To All Members, Volunteers, Parents, Examiners and Coaches

Equestrian Canada has set new rules for the use of protective vests in Canada whenever riders are on a cross-country course.

As a member of EC, and as an organization dedicated to the safety of our members, CPC will follow the rule as set out by EC. It is the duty of Canadian Pony Club to adhere to the industry standards and best practices to ensure the safety of our members to the best of our ability.

A body protector vest is mandatory for the warm-up and the crosscountry test. A body protector vest may also be worn for the warm up and during other tests. Body Protector vests must meet or exceed, and be appropriately labelled ASTM approved standard F1937 or BETA Level 3 body protector standard.

Please make sure that this notification is seen by any members who ride cross-country, whether it be at Rally, during testing, during riding lessons or clinics or any other PC activities, including all levels of competition and warm-ups.

Please share this notice with all CPC members who intend to ride crosscountry this year.

Thank you,

Management Committee Canadian Pony Club