

SPORTING HORSE AUSTRALIA INC

DRUG & ALCOHOL POLICY

The Policy

- The consumption of recreational or illicit drugs is prohibited at all times.
- The consumption of alcohol by officials and riders is prohibited for eight hours prior to and during a riding event.
- The consumption by others at an event should not be encouraged.
- Underage drinking of alcohol is not to be permitted.
- At other times, such as the completion of the day's activities, alcohol may be consumed by legally entitled persons but with the due regard to responsible behaviour and the safety and care of riders, spectators and the horses.
- SHA coaches should not consume alcohol during the period they are responsible for riders during riding events (i.e. training days or pony club rallies).

Non Compliance

Non-compliance with this policy may result in disciplinary action by the SHA Council