



THE ARABIAN RACING ORGANISATION

Arabian Racing Organisation Hands and Heels Conditions Sheet for 2019

In 2019 the Arabian Racing Organisation will operate a number of Hands and Heels races specifically designed to assist in the education and training of all jockeys. It is important therefore that these conditions are adhered to by riders and their Trainers so that the maximum benefit can be obtained.

The special conditions set out below apply to all Hands and Heels races in the 2019 ARO Race Season.

1. Every Rider must carry a whip. The whip may be pulled through from one hand to the other as often as necessary. A Rider must not hit their horse with the whip either with their hands on or off the reins or wave their whip. In exceptional circumstances the Rider may use the whip for safety reasons only.
2. If a Rider uses their whip as prohibited in paragraph 1 above, it will be regarded as Improper Riding (see Regulation (66 (vi))) and the Arabian Racing Organisation have recommended to the Stewards that they impose a minimum suspension of 2 days on those days when an ARO race is programmed to take place. This suspension will not count towards the total number of days suspended during the current rolling twelve-month period.
3. If a Rider is suspended for using their whip in one of these races for a second offence occurring the Arabian Racing Organisation have recommended to Stewards that they impose a minimum suspension of 4 days on those days when an ARO race is programmed to take place and the Rider will be prevented from riding in the remainder of any Hands and Heels races for 2019.

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