

APPEARANCE AND ATTIRE

- 28(6) a) While riding in a race or appearing in public during a race card a Jockey shall be neat in appearance.
- b) All riders shall be dressed in clean Jockey apparel, cap and jacket of silk, satin or waterproof material, white or light breeches, (except mud pants when permitted by the Stewards), and top boots.
- c) Before leaving the Jockeys' room to ride in a race, all Jockeys shall extinguish all cigarettes, cigars and pipes.

SAFETY MEASURES

- 28(7) Whenever mounted and during all races, Jockeys shall wear safety helmets and flak jackets of a type approved by the Commission.

WHIPS

- 28(8) a) No whip shall be used unless it is affixed to the end of a padded "popper" which is no shorter than 6.5 inches in length and not less than 7/8ths of an inch in width. The popper shall consist of two layers sewn down each side with no sewing at the top ½ inch of the popper. The outer covering shall consist of a material approved by the Stewards that does not harden over time. Material such as Clariino, Vinyl, Nogohide, or Leather, will not be allowed. The inner layer shall consist of memory foam or closed cell foam .015 - .025 inches in thickness, folded over and sewn down each side, with the outer covering to form a hollow channel. No whip shall exceed twenty – nine inches in length. All whips are subject to inspection and approved by the Stewards.
- b) All whips shall be subject to inspection and approval by the Board of Stewards.
- c) Only those whips supplied by the Association and meeting the requirements of this Rule may be used during races held at Assiniboia Downs.
- d) At all other times only those whips meeting the standards of this Rule may be in the possession of, or used, on the grounds of the Association.
- e) Notwithstanding the foregoing, a Jockey may, with the permission of the Stewards, modify an Association whip to his or her personal preference, provided that such modification shall not breach the standards stipulated in this Rule.