



## **Suggestions for Paddock Operations**

(to be shared with all Track Renter Participants and/or Visitors)

### **Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)**

- Remind drivers that most of them are already wearing their PPE if they are wearing their helmets with the shields down and driving gloves on their hands.
- If disposing of vinyl gloves, please be sure to pull them off inside-out and place the one taken off into the hand that stills has a glove then pull that one off inside-out, capturing both gloves in a ball. Please be sure to dispose of the gloves in a trash can.
- If choosing to wear vinyl gloves all day, please either change out gloves on a regular basis or sanitize them often.

### **Driver Meetings**

- Renter can conduct their driver meetings over the PA system.
- If preferred, participants can tune their car radios to 89.9 FM so they can hear more clearly.
- Meeting points could be prepared as a document which is emailed to participants.

### **Tech Inspections**

- If the renter is conducting technical inspections at VIR, then there can be no more than 9 people in the tech shed at any one time.
- We suggest the driver of the car touch the belts and/or other objects and verbally advise expiration dates to the inspector.
- If a line forms, please ask drivers if they get out of their cars to stay with their vehicles and do not congregate.

### **Coaching**

- Coaching can be done by the coach reviewing in-car video.
- Coaching can also be done as lead/follow, which is highly recommended.
- Please do not share "chatter box" style communicators unless you are working exclusively with a designated coach and no one else.
- Please do not have coaches work with multiple cars and, if at all possible, have each coach only get in and out of one car exclusively.
- Have coaches discuss the hand signals they plan to use with the driver ahead of time.
- If at all possible, when discussing or reviewing sessions, have the driver stay on the driver side of the car and the passenger on the passenger side and use the vehicle as a distance spacer.
- Coaches should be passengers only and should not drive or touch the steering wheel.
- If at all possible, coaches should conduct reviews and instruction outside and not in lounges or trailers.

### **Food and Beverage**

- If the Pagoda is serving, there will be no eating under the deck.
- Distance marks will be laid out for those standing in line for food service.
- Connie's Pub will be closed until further notice.
- The Tavern will offer take-out service only.
- If individuals are grilling out or socially drinking, then everyone must enforce social distancing between their guests.

### **General**

- All VIR buildings will be locked and/or off limits to visitors except for the public bathrooms at the North Tower and the Pagoda.
- If renting and using a garage, please keep the doors open at all times.
- If bathroom stalls are occupied, please do not wait inside.
- The Kart Track is closed and will remain so until further notice.
- No spitting in public areas.