

# ADC's Yellow Attire System



ADC has now purchased some yellow vests, which can be loaned from the office at the start of training.



**Dogs and Handlers with these require a little extra personal space!**

Dogs need more space for a variety of reasons, such as:

- They might be recovering from injury.
- Scare or startle easily.
- Nervous around new dogs/ environments.
- The owner wants them to focus on training.
- Reactive to other dogs/people getting in their personal space.
- Become highly aroused in a working environment.

If you see a handler wearing a yellow vest and a dog wearing a yellow collar, please give them extra space while standing near or walking past them. Under no circumstances should you or your dog approach them.

## **Dogs in Crates or Vehicle Stowed (working out of car).**

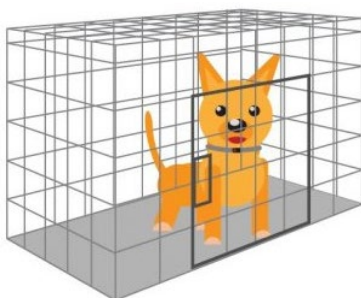
ADC now requires all members across Session 1 & 2 to follow the Club's updated ground rules regarding Crate use.

- Session 1 – It is a requirement that all dogs be crated during this session.
- Session 2 – Our preference is to crate; however, Handlers may work from cars but are responsible for managing their time to minimise disruption to turns/sequences.
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These rules apply during setup and pack down time.

**REMINDER: Generally, give space to Crated dogs, and avoid approaching vehicles with dogs stowed in them. They must be left alone for safety. Please also leave sufficient spacing between others when in class.**

## QUICK TIPS:



- Secure the crate with a latch or zip.
- Covers can minimise attention distraction.
  - Dogs must be secured in vehicles.
- All dogs in crates or cars must have airflow and water supplies.
- Avoid going near other dogs when entering/exiting crates or cars.

