

Info Pack



Hi There!

Thanks for making a booking with the Wollemi Hills Horse Riding School. We are certain that your kids will have a great time with us. We look forward to getting to share our passion for horses with you and with them. In this Pack you will find a few need to know prior to coming for a lesson or our Holiday Club.

What To Wear and What To Bring

- T-Shirt **MUST HAVE** short or long sleeves.
- Long Pants only. Preferably Jeans or Jodhpurs
- A hat/cap (during the holiday club they won't be required to wear a helmet at all times.)
- Enclosed shoes. Preferably Boots
- Helmets are provided. If you child wishes to wear their own helmet it must of AUS/NZ 3838 Standard and not be more then 5 years past the manufacturing date.
- Sunscreen is definitely recommended
- We also recommend Gloves during the colder months
- A Water Bottle

When to Arrive

Please **DO NOT** arrive earlier then 15 minutes prior to the lesson. This is to ensure the students before you can focus on their lesson and also allow staff enough time to have everything ready to go for you lesson.

If you are a **new student** we do recommend arriving at least 5 - 10 minutes prior to the start of the lesson this will allow for a bit of paper work etc.

If you are **bringing your own horse** you are welcome to arrive 15 Minutes prior to the start of the lesson to allow enough time to park and unload.

During A Lesson or Holiday Club Session

You are most welcome to stay and watch for the duration of your child's lesson, however you are not required to stay if you do have something else that needs attending to.

During our **Holiday Club Session (Appaloosa/Thoroughbred)** we advised that parents are absent for these. As we feel the children bond quicker when. If you would like to watch we would definitely invite you to watch during the first and last 30 minutes. If you have any concerns and would like to stay that's ok, it's definitely not a rule we just feel it works best this way 😊

During our **Shetland Holiday Club** Parents **are required** to stay for the duration of the session.

Payment Options

Cash, PayPal or Bank Transfer. If you have not had a lesson with us before advanced payment is required.

Property Rules and Awareness

- All Road Rules still apply when driving on the property.
- 10km Speed Limit
- You may be required to drive past some horses. they might try to stop in front of your car or become very interested in it. Don't be afraid to honk your horn to get the to move. However please remain in your car if they do not move. We will not be far away and will come to assist you.
- There is to be No consumption of Alcohol or Smoking on the property.
- We encourage you to bring an apple or carrot or both for a treat after the lesson. However, we ask that you please do not approach/feed/pat horses unless permission has been given by one of our staff members. Whilst most of our horses are friendly some are young and can easily become frightened.
- We do not have amenities other than a long drop. If you are feeling the urge there are nice facilities at our local park only 2km before our property.

What to expect on your first lesson

- During all of our lessons, we have two components – ridden and on the ground. 1hr lesson (includes 40mins ridden, 20 minutes on the ground) 30 min lesson (includes 20mins ridden, 10 minutes on the ground). Our reason for this... We believe it's important for everyone to have confidence and understanding of working well with their horse in the saddle and on the ground. It's also a lot of fun. You will learn how to trouble shoot and be a lot more equipped to have your own horse one day if you don't already have one. If you have your own horse this is a great bonding experience. You can see more about our lesson structure on the website.
- If you wish to have a different structure please don't be afraid to ask for this. It may be required if you are doing a training session before competing etc.
- Your first lesson will also be an assessment of your current riding ability, this will help your instructor to structure your lessons better in the future.

Confirmation of your Holiday Club session times and dates can be found on the invoice sent via PayPal.

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