

# WOODHILL SANDS IN HAND RIBBON DAY

*20th April 2024*

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**Pick the right section for you  
- a total of five classes  
(approx 60mins of riding)  
Champions for each Section**

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**Limited Numbers per section  
Ribbons placed to 5th  
Walk and trot only sections  
Ponies/Horses/Novice/Breed  
classes**

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## EVENT HEALTH & SAFETY POLICY

Woodhill Sands is committed to providing and maintaining a safe and healthy event for all staff and visitors and to provide the information, training and supervision needed to achieve this and meet all requirements of the Health & Safety at Work Act 2015

We will take all practicable steps by;

- Providing a safe event, safe equipment and proper materials
- Identifying and monitoring risks and using the risk management hierarchy of controls; eliminate, substitute, isolation, restriction, engineering, administration, and personal protective equipment (PPE).
- Insist upon establishment of safe methods and best practices
- Comply with all H&S legislation, regulations and codes of practice

We will take responsibility for health and safety procedures, however, ALL PEOPLE ON THIS SITE need to be aware of their responsibilities and comply with the Event's Health and Safety Policy.

COMPETITORS will be responsible for themselves at ALL times by observing safe practices and rules/instructions relating to their competition.

Every person involved in Woodhill Sands events is encouraged to play a vital and responsible role in maintaining a safe and healthy event through:

- Being involved in the event health and safety system
- Following correct procedures
- Safe and proper use of equipment
- Wearing protective clothing and equipment as and when required
- Reporting any pain or discomfort as soon as possible
- Ensuring all accidents and incidents are reported
- Help new workers, trainees and visitors to understand the right safety procedures and why they exist
- Informing the office immediately of any health and safety concerns
- Keeping the event facilities tidy to minimise the risk of any trips and falls

Woodhill Sands is a dog free venue—please leave your dogs at home.

Please report any damage or irresponsible behaviour to the office.

Please report any accidents or injuries to the office. The event medic MUST check all rider falls that occur anywhere at the venue.

For any information or concerns around Health and Safety please come to the Venue Office or call the Woodhill Sands Event Manager 027 4972637

# **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

**Horses/Ponies may compete in one ring/division only in ridden classes.**

**Cost per horse is \$25 for Division entry plus Ground Fee \$18, Admin \$12.50,**

**Development Levy \$10 per horse and \$12.50 Medic fee**

**Ribbons 1st - 5th in all classes including Champion on flat/Judges Choice.**

**Championship classes are open to 1st & 2nd place getters only in all classes except turn out class.**

**Entries to classes may be limited, entries will be accepted first in first served.**

**Entries can be made on [www.evoevents.co.nz](http://www.evoevents.co.nz) Entries close Wednesday prior to event.**

**Show Information will be sent out Thursday prior to the event.**

**Formal standard of dress desirable but not compulsory, except for lead rein ring where riders simply need to be tidy. (Formal dress = jackets/light jodhpurs/boots and helmet with red tag and horses plaited)**

## **Yards & Parking:**

**Preferential parking will be given to riders who book covered, day or overnight yarding.**

**If you have a yard your horse must be in this yard throughout the day and not tied to truck/float (to maximize parking).**

**Day yards are for use whilst show is running - not for overnight. No passenger cars to be parked in truck/float parking.**

## **VENUE RULES - Help us keep you safe!**

**No dogs on grounds (this includes in cars)**

**No passenger cars parked in float/truck park! Park on grass by toilets or on grass outside gates.**

**No tying horses to fences! No leading from horse back (ponying).**

**No horses on sand track behind office or in front of kiosk. Only walk on the horse entrance sand track.**

**Yellow tagged helmets must be worn at all times whilst mounted.**

**Curfew of 10pm no access to arenas or office area after this time - please no loud music after this time.**

## **SPEED LIMIT 10KM AT ALL TIMES.**

**Gates open at 7.30am - NOT BEFORE**

## **SCRATCHING/REFUNDS:**

**Scratchings after COE will be entitled to a refund of 75% when accompanied by a Vet or Doctor Certificate. Entries before COE will be refunded 100% less online and Admin fee (\$12.50).**

**All riders who fall off on site while in competition or at any location at the venue MUST be checked by medics and fill out an incident report.**

**Medic can be found at the medic station by the office.**

### **SECTION ONE - Ponies 9am- 9.30am (Handlers under 16)**

1. Turn Out
2. Best Brown/Black/Bay/ Best Grey/ Best Paint / Best Golden/ Best Chestnut
3. Best Walking mount
4. Best paced and Mannered
5. Best Showy pony
6. Best Chonky Pony
7. Judges Choice Champion in hand Pony

### **SECTION TWO - Ponies 9.30am- 10am (Handlers 17 & Over)**

1. Turn Out
2. Best Brown/Black/Bay/ Best Grey/ Best Paint / Best Golden/ Best Chestnut
3. Best Walking mount
4. Best Paced & Manered
5. Best Showy pony
6. Best Chonky Pony
7. Judges Choice Champion in hand Pony

### **SECTION THREE - Thoroughbreds 10am (Handlers 15 & Over)**

1. Turn Out
2. Best Brown/Black/Bay/ Best Grey/ Best Chestnut
3. Best Walking mount
4. Best Paced & Mannered
5. Best Lightweight TB
6. Best Heavyweight TB
7. Judges Choice Champion TB

### **SECTION FOUR - Warmbloods 10.45am (Handlers 15 & Over)**

1. Turn Out
2. Best Brown/Black/Bay/ Best Grey/ Best Chestnut / Best Paint-Coloured-Golden
3. Best Walking mount
4. Best Paced & Mannered
5. Best Lightweight WB
6. Best Heavyweight WB
7. Judges Choice Champion Warmblood

## **SECTION FIVE- Sport Horse 11.00am (Handlers 15 & Over)**

1. Turn Out
2. Best Brown/Black/Bay/ Best Grey/ Best Chestnut / Best Paint-Coloured-Golden
3. Best Walking mount
4. Best Paced & Mannered
5. Best Lightweight Sport Horse
6. Best Heavyweight Sport Horse
7. Judges Choice Champion Warmblood

## **SECTION SIX - Sport Horses 3 & Under 12.30 (Handlers 18 & Over)**

1. Turn Out
2. Best Brown/Black/Bay/ Best Grey/ Best Ginger / Best Paint-Coloured-Golden
3. Best Walking mount
4. Best Paced & Mannered
5. Best weanling - yearling
6. Best 2-3 year
7. Judges Choice Champion lead sport horse 3 & Under

## **DEFINITIONS**

**All rings will have a 10 horse limit**

**Turn out** - clean and well maintained gear will gain you as much cred as the latest blingy bridle and saddle - clean ponies/horses with tidy clips, or clean full coats and plaits. shiny boots and well brushed tails will take home the prizes - turn out not your thing? Go in it for some ring time on your horse or give it a miss for some more get ready time.

**Best walking mount** - the judge is looking for a relaxed horse/pony with a good four beat even walk. - jogging will probably see you out of the ribbons but this class is good eye opener to get your horse/pony into the ring without lots of horses/ponies zooming around you!!

**Paced & Mannered** - this is what it says the horse or pony with the best paces and manners - the judge will be looking at demeanour of the horse/pony as well as how well your horse and pony moves at walk & Trot -

**Champion** - best of the day - riders and horses may be asked to perform an individual work out (simple figure of eight or similar) this class will take in account - confirmation, obedience & paces as well as how well executed the work out is performed - Open to anyone who has won a ribbon Classes 2 - 4

**Horse Ages** - Calculated from 1st August.

**Stallion (any age)** must be well identified (Stallion tag) and have a bit to be led.

**Any horses not under full control (Mare, Gelding or Stallion)** will be asked to leave the ring.