



WINTER SERIES 2023



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The Woodhill Sands Story

Woodhill Sands is a story of collaboration across the equestrian community, to ensure a lasting place for equestrian sports competition and training in the Auckland Region. Woodhill Sands Equestrian Centre is a community led development purchased by the sport through The Woodhill Sands Trust, in October 2017 to secure ongoing access to this wonderful venue.

The equestrian community undertook extensive fundraising, collecting funds for the required deposit, allowing the Trust to complete the purchase. This occurred in October 2017 with a 20-year mortgage from ASB Bank with support from Auckland Council as guarantor.

Woodhill Sands is now owned by the sport and all the riders that come from far and wide to train and compete at the facility

Woodhill Sands Trust and other groups from across the riding community hold events throughout the year catering for all levels across all the different areas of our sport.

Woodhill Sands is the only venue with a 100% natural, all-weather surface (sand based). This provides a wonderful solution for a riding surfaces to enable year round competition and training activity. Indeed, participation extends for a full 12 months across multiple disciplines most weekends. Elsewhere, winter competition on this scale is very limited due to unsuitable ground conditions. As a result, Woodhill Sands is a key venue for horse riders to train and compete all year round.

The Team at Woodhill Sands are excited about the future and look forward to sharing it with riders, supporters and spectators for many years to come.

We hope to see you soon!

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 employees, 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.

If you are feeling unwell please stay home. Use the Covid 19 QR scan code at gate.

For any information on Health and Safety please call the
Woodhill Sands Event Manager 027 4972637

May 2023



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
30	1	2	3	4	5	6 Woodhill Sands GR Dressage #2 and Winter Dressage #2
7 SJ Waitemata Winter Jumping #1	8	9	10	11	12	13 Woodhill Sands Winter SH #2
14 Dressage Waitemata Local Day	15	16	17	18	19	20 Woodhill Sands Practice XC & Jumping
21 Woodhill Sands Winter Mini ODE #2	22	23	24	25	26	27 Woodhill Sands GR Jumping #2
28 Woodhill Sands Winter SJ #2	29	30	31	1	2	3
4	5	NOTES				

June 2023



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Woodhill Sands Winter Mini ODE #3	Kings Birthday Woodhill Sands Practice XC & Jumping					Woodhill Sands Practice XC & Jumping
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
SJ Waitemata Winter Jumping #2						
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Waitemata SH Winter Day #1						Woodhill Sands GR SJ #3
25	26	27	28	29	30	1
Woodhill Sands Winter SJ #3					T2 ends	

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July 2023




SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
25	26	27	28	29	30	1
						ESNZ Conference
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
ESNZ Conference Waitemata SH Winter Day #2						Woodhill Sands ORD TBC
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
SJ Waitemata Winter Jumping #3					Matariki P Holiday Woodhill Sands Practice XC & Jumping	Woodhill Sands Winter Mini ODE #4 FINAL
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Woodhill Sands Practice XC & Jumping	T3 starts					Woodhill Sands GR Dressage #4 FINAL and Winter SH #4 FINAL
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Woodhill Sands Winter Dressage #3						Woodhill Sands GR Jumping #4 FINAL
30	31	NOTES				
Woodhill Sands Winter SJ #4 FINAL						

August 2023



	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	30	31	1	2	3	4	5
							Woodhill Sands Winter Dressage #4 FINAL
6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
Waitemata SH Winter Day #3 FINAL							
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Woodhill Sands Spring GP SJ #1 TBC
SJ Waitemata Winter Jumping #4 FINAL							
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	Woodhill Sands Spring Festival of Dressage & SH #1 TBC
Woodhill Sands Spring GP SJ #1 TBC							
27	28	29	30	31	1	2	
Woodhill Sands Spring Festival of Dressage & SH #1 TBC							
3	4	NOTES					



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2. Preliminary 1A Rider under 16
3. Preliminary 1B Open
4. Preliminary 1B Rider under 16
5. Novice 2A
6. Novice 2B
7. Elementary 3A
8. Elementary 3B

Program Registered Classes Pony

9. Preliminary 1A
10. Preliminary 1B
11. Novice 2A
12. Novice 2B

Program Registered Classes

13. Preliminary 1A
14. Preliminary 1B
15. Novice 2A
16. Novice 2B
17. Elementary 3A
18. Elementary 3B
19. Medium 4A
20. Medium 4B
21. Open Medium 5A
22. Open Medium 5B
23. TOC Small Tour
24. TOC Medium Tour
25. TOC Big Tour
26. Para Rider TOC Test 1
27. Para Rider TOC Test 2

SCRATCHING/REFUNDS:

Entries withdrawn before close of entry are entitled to a FULL refund of all fees (except their online & admin) fee. After Wednesday prior to the event riders must present a doctor or vet certificate by the Thursday after the event to be receive a refund of 75% of entry, ground, yard and accommodation fees. On Line entry fee & Administration fee is non refundable irrespective on when scratching. Refunds will be paid out within 2 weeks of event.

Additional Fees

Ground Fee	\$18.00	Per horse
Admin	\$12.50	Per horse
Medic Fee	\$10.00	Per rider
Development Levy	\$10.00	Per horse
Class Fee	\$25.00	Per test
Day Yard	\$10.00	Day use only
Overnight Yard	See below for camping	
Covered Yard	\$25.00	Day Use only
CAMPING/ OVERNIGHT YARDING <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IF YOU ARE STAYING FOR BOTH EVENTS ON A WEEKEND THIS IS FREE. IF YOU ARE JUST DOING ONE EVENT AND ARRIVING THE NIGHT BEFORE CAMPING IS \$20 AND AN OVERNIGHT YARD IS \$15, OVERNIGHT COVERED YARD \$25 • FREE CAMPING AND YARDING MUST BE PREBOOKED MUST BE PREBOOKED BY EMAILING US INFO@WOODHILLSANDS.CO.NZ AT THE TIME OF ENTERING ** 		
ESNZ Casual Rider Fee	\$15.88	Non registered riders day membership
Flexi Start Registered Dressage per test	\$5.00	Lv 1 - 4
Flexi Start Registered Dressage per test	\$10.00	Lv 5 and above

Entries should be made on www.evoevents.co.nz by close of entry. Close of entry Tuesday prior to each day

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2. Preliminary 1A Rider under 16
3. Preliminary 1C Open
4. Preliminary 1C Rider under 16
5. Novice 2A
6. Novice 2C
7. Elementary 3A
8. Elementary 3C

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9. Preliminary 1A
10. Preliminary 1C
11. Novice 2A
12. Novice 2C

Program Registered Classes

13. Preliminary 1A
14. Preliminary 1C
15. Novice 2A
16. Novice 2C
17. Elementary 3A
18. Elementary 3C
19. Medium 4A
20. Medium 4C
21. Open Medium 5A
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DRESSAGE 2023

WINTER SERIES ACCUMULATOR

Non Graded Horse/Pony (Classes 1- 8)

Graded Pony (Classes 9 - 12)

Graded Classes Bronze Level Rider (Classes 13 - 22)

Graded Classes Silver Level Rider (Classes 13 - 22)

Graded Classes Gold Level Rider (Classes 13 - 22)

Graded Para Rider (Classes 26 & 27)

Points will be gained for the leader board based on percentages as per Dressage NZ point grading system. Points will be gained for rider and horse combinations. Points will be gained at all four days.

Winner to receive Rosette and Cover, 2nd - 4th will also receive Rosettes and prizes.

Winter Winners will be presented at the Winter Series Final Day

Shelley Bridgeman

Best Masters & Best Junior All Rounder Winter Series

- Masters Rider must be over 40 yrs old as of 1.04.2023
- Junior Rider must be under the age of 13 as of 13.08.2023
- Must have competed in two or more Woodhill Sands Winter series.
- Points will be awarded 1 -10 in each leader board the rider is placed on, Points are based on a combination of horse and rider, a rider may have more than one place on the leader board with different horses. The Grass Roots Dressage & Grass Roots Jumping series are not included in this All Rounder Winter Series.

Grass Roots Dressage Winter Series

1 April, 6 May, 10 June, 22 July
Additional Fees

Dressage Program

Horse tests from 9am Pony tests from 11.30am

1	Woodhill Sands Grass Roots Test A Horse (no canter)	
2	Woodhill Sands Grass Roots Test B Horse (no canter)	
3	Woodhill Sands Grass Roots Test C Horse	
4	Woodhill Sands Grass Roots Test D Horse	
5	Woodhill Sands Grass Roots Test A Pony (no canter)	
6	Woodhill Sands Grass Roots Test B Pony (no canter)	
7	Woodhill Sands Grass Roots Test C Pony	
8	Woodhill Sands Grass Roots Test D Pony	

Draw will be available on Evo Events and emailed directly to riders by 6pm Thursday prior to the event. Whips and Callers allowed. Ribbons 1st to 5th. MAX 2 tests per horse.

All Dressage tests and rules are available from www.woodhillsands.co.nz and will be available ASAP

Special Winter Sashes will be awarded on the FINAL date for 1st to 5th in overall points across the series. Points will be awarded each day for 1st - 6th with 10, 8, 6, 4, 2, 1. Awards for:
Grass Roots Winter Champion Pony 12 & Under
Grass Roots Winter Champion Pony 13 & Over
Grass Roots Winter Champion Hack 25 & Under
Grass Roots Winter Champion Hack 26 to 40yrs of age
Grass Roots Winter Champion Hack over 40yrs of age
(Age as at 1.4.23)

These series sashes are only available to riders who have not ridden Dressage at Level 3. These riders are welcome to enter if they have a green horse, but the series are for Grass Roots riders only.

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Event Fee, this includes - Ground Fee, Admin Fee, Medic Fee, Development Levy and up to two tests	\$70	Per horse
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DRESS CODE: Plaiting & Jackets Optional.
All helmets must have Red/Yellow ESNZ/NZPCA safety standard tag.

Wanting to do some Show Hunter Classes when the event is on the same day, only class fees will apply, email us to add these classes. Otherwise Evo will charge you the fees twice - info@woodhillsands.co.nz
If doing dressage + show hunter the max number of jumping classes is 2 plus a warm up round.



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