



WOODHILL SANDS WINTER SERIES 2025





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 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

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PONY CLUB WINTER *Allrounder*

Prizes packages from
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for 1st -4th for both series and spot prizes!

- Junior Rider Allrounder Series must be under the age of 13 as of **01.04.2025**
- Young Rider Allrounder Series 13 years and over Series.
- Must have competed in two or more Woodhill Sands Winter series disciplines to be eligible.
- Riders must be current full riding members of a New Zealand Pony Club branch.
- 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 series.
- If you score in both 13 years and under SJ Pony series & Open Leaderboard, your best scoring leaderboard will be counted towards the PC Series (not both).

Show Jumping Winter Series

6th April, May 25th, June 22nd & July 27th

Ring 1 10.00 am start - all classes A2

1	Enter this class to nominate for Pony Club allrounder series.	
2	Horse 75cm	\$13.00
3	Horse 80	\$13.00
4	Horse 85cm	\$13.00
5	Horse 90cm	\$13.00
6	Horse 95cm	\$13.00
7	Horse 1.00m	\$13.00
8	Horse 1.05m - 1.10m	\$13.00
9	Horse 1.10 - 1.15m	\$13.00
10	Horse 1.15m - 1.20m	\$13.00
11	Horse 1.25 - 1.30m	\$13.00

Ring 2 - 10.00am start - all classes 2phase

13	Pony 60cm	\$13.00
14	Pony 65cm	\$13.00
15	Pony 70cm	\$13.00
16	Pony 75cm	\$13.00
17	Pony 80cm	\$13.00
18	Pony 85cm	\$13.00
19	Pony 90cm	\$13.00
20	Pony 1.00m	\$13.00
21	Pony 1.05m	\$13.00
22	Pony 1.10 - 1.15m	\$13.00

SCRATCHING/REFUNDS:

- Before Tuesday before event - full refund (excl online & admin fees)
- Tuesday to 9am Friday before event - 75% refund of all fees (excl online & admin fees) on presentation of vet or medical certificate before Thursday following event.
- Scratchings from 9am Friday - NO refund.

Additional Fees

Ground Fee	\$18.00	Per horse
Admin	\$12.50	Per horse
Medic Fee	\$12.50	Per rider
Development Levy	\$10.00	Per Horse
Day Yard	\$10.00	Day use only
Overnight Yard	\$15.00	Overnight
Weekend Yard	\$25.00	Up to 2 nights
Covered Yard	\$25.00	Day Use only
CY Overnight	\$30.00	Overnight
Weekend CY	\$60.00	Up to 2 nights
If entering both weekend events, please book your yards in the first show.		
**CAMPING - If you are staying for any of our weekend autumn days, camping is free. Please enter the \$0 fee camping on Evo.		

Entries should be made on www.evoevents.co.nz by close of entry. Close of entry Wednesday prior to event.

Draw will be published Friday prior to event.



DRESS CODE:-Tidy but casual attire.
All helmets must have yellow ESNZ/NZPCA safety standard tag.

Ribbons awarded 1st- 5th in each class. All classes will run in draw order. MAX 3 rounds per horse.

H/C rounds are allowed but must be paid for prior to jumping. Entries should be made prior to the event but late entries will be accepted if room. Late entries will ride first.

All riders who fall off onsite (in competition or not) must be checked by medics and fill out an incident report. Medic can be found at the medic station by the office.



Dogs are not allowed at Woodhill Sands events.

Show Jumping 2025 Winter Series Accumulator

6th April, May 25th, June 22nd & July 27th

Best SJ Horse Classes : 2-12

Best SJ Pony Classes : 13- 22

Junior Rider: Best placed 13yr old and under rider in classes 13, 14, 15 16,17
(rider age as of 01.04.2025)

(Accumulator Rules: Points are gained for combinations (horses and riders). Points awarded on placings, must have less than 12 faults to score points. If less than 3 in a class, points will only be awarded for rounds without faults in the first round. Only your 2 best rounds/scores per day will be counted.

Points will be gained for the leaderboard at each event
with a placing 1st - 6th (Points 6,5,4,3,2,1)

Winner to receive Rosette and Cover, 2nd - 4th will also receive Rosettes and prizes. If there are equal points, the series awards will be determined on a count back.

Series Winners will be presented at the Winter Final Day.

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