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**Hi all,**

Welcome to our Taupo Equestrian Supplies North Island Gypsy Cob and Drum Horse Show. Please find below a few housekeeping bits and pieces. The office will be closed from Thursday AM for emails/ messages, but we will be on site on Friday to help sort any issues. If you have anything you need to contact someone urgently about, please phone Sarah on 021 1801919.

We are really looking forward to seeing you all at Taupo.

### **Show notice**

All **Saturday** classes are in the indoor arena. Sunday is on the grass behind the dressage arenas (far end).

The running order for Saturday is as follows :

#### **Start time 0900**

#### ***Inhand -two rings***

Ring 1: Purebreds followed by Drum Horses

Ring 2. Partbreds

Combined classes will be in ring one at the completion of both rings.

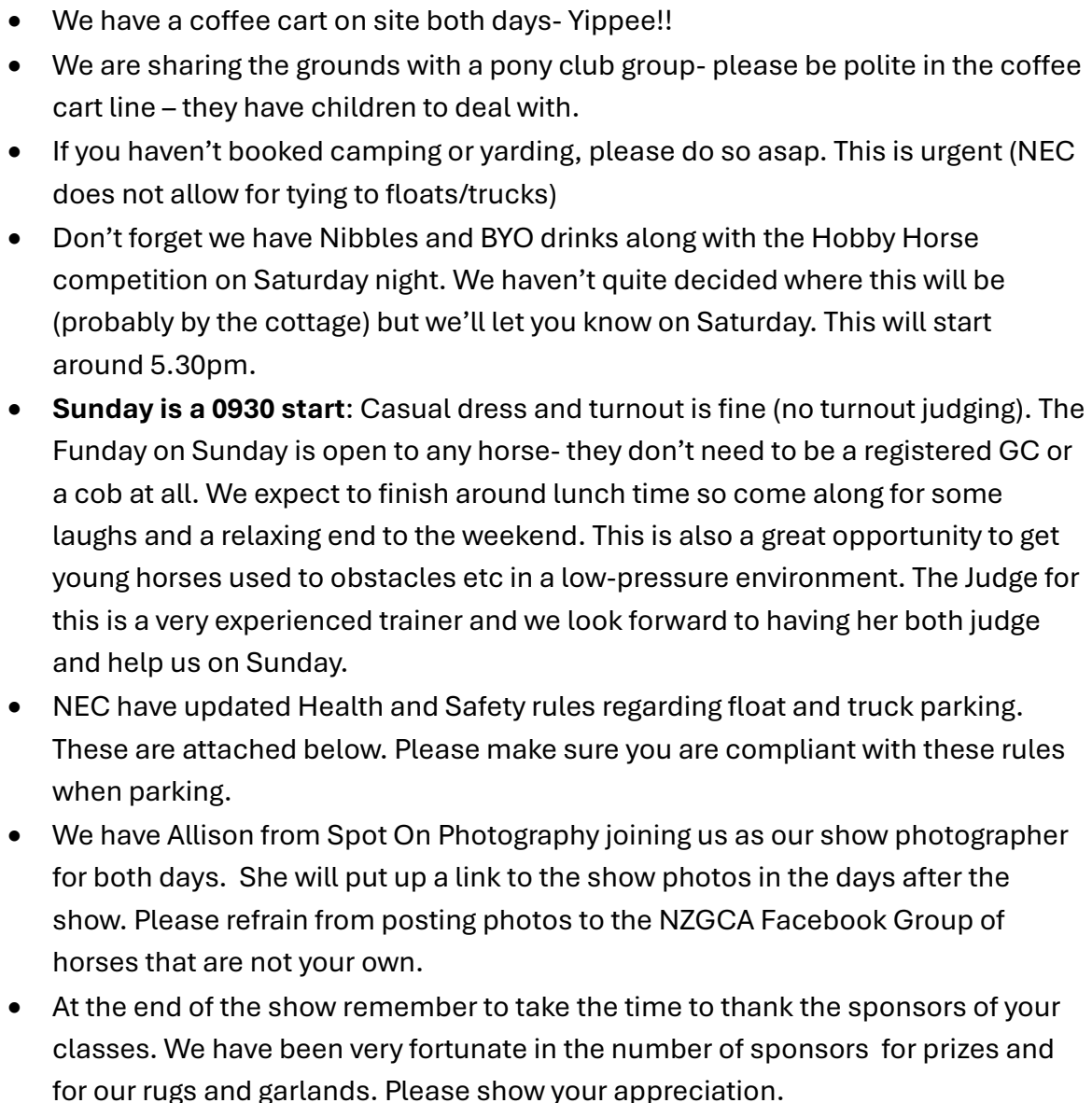
#### ***Ridden- one ring (not to start before 1200)***

Purebreds

Drum Horses

Partbreds

- Our yarding is in the walled section which is close to the indoor arena NOT up the top by the entrance where we have usually been (see attached map).
- Please stay in your allocated yards and please make sure at the end of the show your yard is left mucked out and tidy.
- We have limited paddocks and they are already allocated. Please don't use paddocks unless you have been allocated one.



## NEC Parking / Camping rules:

Taupo NEC would like to clarify its obligations to comply with its various compliance schedules, from numerous legal entities. NEC at Taupo is fully committed to employee, rider, horse, official and visitor safety at all times and will continue to work pro-actively with the various authorities involved to ensure a safe and rewarding experience for everyone.

### **Parking / Camping at the NEC Taupo Effective immediately for ALL users of the NEC Taupo**

The NEC is bound by many laws and regulations, one of which is the Camping-Grounds Regulations 1985 - Version as at 15 November 2021. Whilst we have some exemptions, we are not exempt from Regulation 9 (1) (f) as follows:

#### **9 General standards (1) (f)**

*"The camping ground shall be provided with safeguards against fire, and means of escape in case of fire, to the satisfaction of the local authority."*

To meet this regulation FENZ & other emergency services must have clear access to ALL horse trucks etc that are used for accommodation:

Remember stables, covered yards etc are full of hay, shavings and other combustible materials.

Vehicles not used for accommodation should be parked well away from any yard, covered or open.

FENZ must have the quickest and safest route to the inside of a truck in the case of an emergency - EG fire, cardiac arrest.

Parking ramps to the yards pose huge obstacles for FENZ access, ramps facing the road give ease of access in the event of any emergency.

To achieve this within the parameters of the various legislations the following will now apply:

#### **Parking Requirements:**

- **All trucks and floats must be parked nose-in toward the yards, 3 metres back from the yards**
- **New Covered Yards (#500 block):** Park nose to the yards, ramps facing the road.
- **The Strip (Old Covered Yards):** Park nose to the pipe yards, ramps to the road
- **Grass area before the Walled Yards (muck heap end):**
  - Near the hedge: ramps must face the hedge (leave room to unload and for FENZ access)
  - Roadside: ramps must face the road, forming two nose-to-nose rows.

#### **Safety Reminders:**

- **No unhitched trailers** near the #500 yards. Please relocate them to the roadside hedge or far camping area.
- **Do not tie horses to unhitched floats**
- **Tents** may only be erected in the **grass area behind the cabins**, away from all yards.