

## **STABLE RULES** **SHIRROCCO FARM**

1. Waivers must be signed by boarders and all riders before using Shirrocco facilities.
2. All boarders and riders must carry current Horse Council BC membership. Proof may be required.
3. NO SMOKING in any area of barns or paddocks. Smoking is permitted in the designated area outside the front of the main barn. Receptacle for ashes and cigarette butts must be used.
4. Dogs must be on leash and under the direct control of the owners at all times. NO DOGS are allowed in the arenas or round pen. This is for the safety of riders, horses and dogs. Owners may be asked to remove dogs running loose or excessively barking.
5. All gates to paddocks must be secured properly (high winds and ambitious horses can open improperly secured gates.) All stall latches must be closed and latched securely.
6. All feed is to be kept in sealed, rodent proof containers in designated areas.
7. It is expected that grooming areas be kept neat and tidy. Please sweep up after your horse, remove manure immediately, after grooming, farrier, vet visits. Please hang your blankets and put your brushes away while riding in order to provide other people space to use grooming areas as well.
8. Wash stall must be kept clean. Please clean your horse's feet prior to using stall. Excess sand and dirt clogs the drainage system, resulting in costly repairs. Also please do not dump water buckets or dispose of feed residue, such as beet pulp, in the wash stall drain.
9. Do NOT FEED TREATS unless you have express permission of horse owner. Allergies and bad habits such as biting can be made much worse by the feeding of treats.
10. An approved helmet and appropriate footwear is mandatory during riding activities on Shirrocco property. It is mandatory for all riders under the age of 12 to wear an approved helmet.
11. Board is due on the first day of each month. Late fees of \$5 per day will apply to late payments.
12. Gate code is NOT to be given to anyone without first obtaining permission of Shirrocco Farm. This includes visitors, farriers, vets, etc.
13. All lights must be turned off when you are finished in a particular area. Last one out at night turns out ALL lights.
14. Lessons are not to be scheduled in the indoor arena during peak hours of 4:00 – 7:00 pm if at all possible. Please obtain permission from Shirrocco prior to booking lessons during this time.
15. Tack, brushes, feed, blankets, etc MUST be confined to your designated tack area. Please do NOT SPREAD OUT and take up more than your allocated space.

**Thank you for helping to keep Shirrocco Farm a safe and enjoyable place for everyone and their horses!**