

A guide to putting your horse/pony on working livery at Squirrells

What you can expect from us;

Discounted Lessons on your own horse
All Feed – As long as the horse fits in with our feeding plan.
All Hay – Haylage would be at additional cost
Bedding – If your horse needs bedding other than straw we will look at the cost for this.
Mucking Out
Tack Care
Turning Out
Administration of any veterinary treatment
Front shoes and trims
Clipping of necks and keeping your horse trimmed.
You will be able to book your horse out for?

What we expect from you;

Monthly payment for livery ideally by direct debit costs as below

Weekly costs dependant on size	
Size	Cost per week
Up to 12.2	£40
12.3 to 14.2	£50
14.3 to 15,2	£60
15.3 to 16.2	£70

Provision of Serviceable, well fitting tack including Saddle, girth, stirrups, 2 x Saddle pads, bridle, stable Rug, turn out rug as a minimum. Plus any additional equipment your horse may require such as boots, martingales etc.

Veterinary Costs – Vaccinations, Wormers, emergency call outs etc,
Hind Shoes if required.

Insurance – you are only insured by our insurance if you are riding in a lesson. All horse owners must hold their own insurance for riding and handling their horse outside of a Squirrells lesson.

General Guidelines

Your horse must be capable of working on average 12 hours (never more than 15) per week over six days. Horses will not work more than 3 hours a day except in exceptional circumstances when they will work a maximum of 4 hours. In the event of this happening they will have the next day off.

(Your horse or pony will get one day off a week where weather permitting they will be turned out)

Your horse will get one weeks holiday before the summer holidays and one weeks holiday in the winter

We have limited storage at the yard so please do not leave anything with us unless it is in daily use.

Whilst we do our best to keep up with the numna washing we expect our owners for their own horses' welfare to provide us with a clean numna on a weekly basis. In addition to this you will need to take the winter rugs away at the end of the season for cleaning and storage. Turn Out rugs will also need re water proofing which can also be done in the machine.

Safety – Riders under 16 years of old must where a body protector at all times (whist Mounted) and at least whilst jumping for those of us over 16 .When riding outside of the school please ensure that you are wearing a hi-Viz vest on. Motorists can see you 30 seconds sooner whilst wearing one of these. Additionally you then also become visible to low flying aircraft.

Due to a recent change in the Law we now have to hold your horse's passport, vaccination record and insurance details in the office. Otherwise we are liable for a £5K fine.

Notice is one calendar month either way.

Long term Sickness/Lameness – please ask for full details.

Horse becoming unsuitable for use in the school – please ask for full details

In the event of your animal requiring emergency veterinary treatment if we are unable to contact you we reserve the right to call out the vet.

Please Talk to Hayley or Robert for full details and to discuss the types of Horses and Ponies which we are currently looking for.