## Catherington Equestrian Centre



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- 1. Absolutely NO smoking in the yard.
- 2. A riding hat of the current safety standard must be worn at all times when riding and when working with horses and ponies.
- 3. Suitable footwear must be worn when you are on the yard; you are advised to wear closed-toe shoes or boots.
- 4. No tampering with any Yard equipment including fencing and gates.
- 5. Please help keep the yard clear of tack, brushes, head collars, hoof pickings or manure pick up after yourself.
- 6. All vehicles must be parked in the designated parking areas.
- 7. No visitors are allowed in the stables or the fields.
- 8. No other pets allowed on the Yard.
- 9. Always mount and dismount outside.
- 10. No running or shouting in the yard or fields.
- 11. Always check your tack before riding. The stable will not be responsible for the quality of repair of your tack and will not be held responsible for any injury, accident and/or death associated with using tack in ill repair.
- 12. All injuries, accidents and damages must be reported to the proprietor/manager and logged in the accident book located in the tack room.
- 13. Staff should notify the office, before leaving on a hack, what route they will be taking and approximate time of return, particularly if riding alone.
- 14. NO Children under 15 permitted in the stables without prior permission and supervision.
- 15. Young children must not be left unsupervised on the yard.
- 16. Do not feed the horses.
- 17. No entry to arena whilst a lesson is in progress.
- 18. Spectators to keep noise and sudden movement to a minimum. Do not try and communicate with a rider whilst a lesson is in progress. It is important riders concentrate fully on riding their horse.
- 19. Photography and video recording of any kind is not permitted without the prior permission of the Centre staff. If you wish to take photographs of your child on horseback, please speak to the riding instructor who will arrange for you to take photographs at the end of the lesson. For child protection, social and religious reasons we do not allow any photography or video recording of any of our group lessons.