



INFORMATION SHEET - NEW PRIVATE LESSON RIDERS

Firstly and foremost, we would like to welcome you to Festina Lente. Set out below are some Guidelines that will assist to make your first visit to us more enjoyable.

- ◇ We request that you read all the safety notices and ensure that the rider understands the safety rules. Please do not hesitate to ask for clarification should you be unsure.
- ◇ Please do not enter the "Yellow Box" area outside any of the Stable Doors or the area which is roped off unless you are with an equestrian coach. This area represents the horse's / pony's space and we must respect this space at all times.
- ◇ A Registration Form must be signed by the adult rider or parent/guardian of a minor rider in advance of the lesson. On arrival, please ask for Clodagh or Jim and they will ensure you receive this form.
- ◇ No jewellery allowed, remove all studs, rings, necklaces etc.
- ◇ Chewing gum or any other type of food should not be eaten while riding.
- ◇ If a rider wishes to bring a treat for the horse/pony, it should be brought to the Feed Room where it will be added to their next meal.

Riding Gear:

- ◇ We can provide hats (to correct standard) and boots if needed. Runners **MAY NOT** be worn as the rider's foot can easily slip through the stirrup when the footwear does not have a heel. A number of back protectors are also available for use by our clients.
- ◇ **NO JEANS** - trousers / leggings are suitable if jodhpurs are not available.
- ◇ Riding Gloves should be worn.

BOOKING / CANCELLATION POLICY:

- ◇ Private Lessons will be invoiced monthly in arrears
- ◇ Cancellation of lessons must be made 48 hours in advance in order to avoid being invoiced for the price of a private lesson.

Thank you and we hope you enjoy your experience with us.