



WILD ABOUT HOoves

NATURAL HOOF CARE & EDUCATION

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Co-ordinating the “NO HOOF, NO HORSE” Hoof Care Workshop can be very rewarding, educational and lots of fun. However, it requires a bit of work, so below is an outline of our requirements to make it easy for you.

If you choose to co-ordinate a clinic you will receive your tuition for free.

A minimum of 12 participants will be required. Once a deposit of \$50 has been received with their registrations, the 'show will go on' and our flights/transport will be booked. If, for some reason the clinic is cancelled, all deposits will be returned. Maximum participants is 20.

OUR REQUIREMENTS

- A powered dark area suitable to watch a PowerPoint presentation on a screen, not too much sunlight. This is very important.
- A projector screen or large white board or white sheet on the wall to screen the powerpoints and film footage.
- Extension cord and power board.
- An area large enough for participants to watch the trim demonstrations on horses and trim cadaver hooves safely.
- Access to a toilet

If your own property isn't suitable, try the local showground.

CO-ORDINATOR'S ROLE

ADVERTISING: We have posters and flyers to help with this task, which can be changed as needed. They can be printed or emailed and sent to your clients and friends. Saddlery stores, horse clubs, feed stores, horse internet sites or the local bulletin board are also good promotional avenues. Social media is the best and cheapest form of promotion. Most horse clubs have their own newsletter where free advertising is welcome. The co-ordinator can also advertise in the newspapers. A press release to your local newspaper is also a great idea and generates lots of free publicity. We can help with any story angle.

CADAVER HOOVES: If outside Tasmania, the co-ordinator will need to find out the best location to pick up cadaver hooves (from the knee down). Usually the local pet meat company. There may be a fee incurred. Wild about Hooves will cover this cost. Please keep a receipt. It is a good idea to think about disposal of the cadavers also. Some participants may take their trimmed leg home but the rest will need to be buried or binned. Don't hesitate to contact us if you have any concerns sourcing legs as we can help with this.

DEPOSITS: Non refundable deposits of \$50 need to be collected by the co-ordinator from participants along with the completed registration forms. Cheques can be made to J Ford if easier and the co-ordinator can file until the workshop. Deposits can also be made via the www.wildabouthooves.com.au online store under clinic deposit so participants can do that themselves via paypal or credit card but they need to ensure they put their name and clinic location. To save you chasing up deposits you may want to highlight that deposit or full payment should be made at the time of booking.

FEES: The balance of fees are to be paid and waivers signed before the start of the clinic to the co-ordinator. Cheques made to J FORD. At the close of the workshop the list of participants, balance sheet and payment must be finalised with Wild About Hooves.

FULL PAYMENT: Collection of full payment from participants is preferred at time of booking.

LUNCH: Participants can either bring their own lunch as outlined on the registration flyer or you can supply or sell food and drinks at lunchtime.

REFRESHMENTS: Please supply hot beverages ie tea, coffee and drinking water for participants to help themselves.

DEMONSTRATION HORSES: we require 2 -3 horses for the trimming demonstration. We would love a variety to show case hoof normalities and problems if possible. For example a horse with shoes on, a barefoot horse needing a trim, and/or a horse with hoof pathologies.

Anything else, please don't hesitate to contact us.



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