

# QUARDREAM EQUESTRIAN CENTRE

## **BUSINESS HOURS:**

Tuesday – Sunday:  
9:00am – 2:00pm; 5:00pm – 9:00 pm  
Closed Mondays

## **BARN RULES**

- **NO SMOKING** in the buildings or barn yard. Smoking permitted in designated smoking area(s) only. Please **DO NOT BUTT YOUR CIGARETTES OUT ON THE GROUND ANYWHERE ON QUAR DREAM PROPERTY.**
- **NO DOGS** allowed on property. Please leave your pets at home.
- **CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 18** must be accompanied by an adult, unless otherwise arranged.
- **CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 18** must wear a CSA Approved Riding Helmet while riding, **NO EXCEPTIONS!**
- **YOUNG CHILDREN MUST BE WATCHED AT ALL TIMES.** For everyone's safety, children shouldn't run, play, or shout in the barn or anywhere around horses.
- **DO NOT IGNORE THE CLOCK.** Plan your visits during the barn's business hours (listed above), unless you have permission to ride outside of the set hours. **DO** know the barn's feeding and lesson schedules, and try to schedule your riding around busy times. Some horses are content only in certain paddocks or with certain buddies; others may freak out if left alone. Please check with the barn manager – if you put your horse out (or bring him in) without knowing the drill, the result could be an accident.
- **DRIVE SENSIBLY** and slowly on QuarDream property. 10 mph or less on access roads. **DO** park in designated parking spaces, not where your vehicle will block barn access or entrance ways.
- **USE A LEAD ROPE, NO EXCEPTIONS.**
- **DO NOT LEAVE YOUR HORSE UNATTENDED.** If he is cross-tied in the aisle, he'll block traffic - and he could spook, possibly injuring himself or breaking equipment. If he is in the wash rack, others may need to use it. **DO** gather your tack and equipment **BEFORE** you bring your horse out of his stall, so you won't have to leave him.
- **DO NOT USE BARN TELEPHONE.** This phone is meant for barn business and emergencies. Please place your calls on your cell phone or make your calls prior to arrival.
- **DO NOT USE BARN EQUIPMENT WITHOUT PERMISSION.** Make certain anything borrowed (with permission) is put back where you found it, in the condition you found it in. **NOTHING** should leave QuarDream without permission.
- **DO NOT USE OTHER BOARDER'S EQUIPMENT WITHOUT PERMISSION,** even if their equipment not been put away. **DO** return anything you borrow (with permission) promptly and in the condition you borrowed it in.
- **DO NOT TAKE CELL PHONES INTO RIDING ARENAS.** They are not only disruptive, they have the potential to spook cell phone-unseasoned horses.
- **PUT YOUR EQUIPMENT AWAY.** Put your brushes, horse blankets, tack and any other belongings in the designated places when you are done. **DO** put your name on all of your equipment, so everyone will know it is yours. QuarDream will not be responsible for "misplaced" items.
- **GET "TREAT" PERMISSION** before feeding treats to QuarDream's horses or other boarder's horses. Your horse may accept treats graciously, but others may nip...their owners won't thank you for encouraging that vice.

- **DO NOT FEED OR MEDICATE YOUR HORSE WITHOUT CHECKING FIRST.** He may already have had his feed or meds, and end up overfed or overdosed.
- **PICK UP AFTER YOURSELF.** REMEMBER, this is your barn. If your horse poops in the aisle or in the wash rack, clean it up. Sweep up dirt and hair left by grooming. Put your garbage in the garbage cans, and your empty pop cans in the recycling box.
- **LEAVE THE BARN THE WAY YOU FOUND IT.** Close gates and doors that you open, turn off lights you turn on, hang up hoses, and clean out buckets you use.
- **PLEASE RESPECT OUR PRIVACY.** Unless there is an emergency or an invitation, our home is off-limits. Please feel free to call us or speak to us in the barn during business hours (above) if you have issues you would like to discuss.
- **DO NOT BITCH!!!** PLEASE speak to the barn manager if you have ANY problems or concerns. WE CAN'T FIX IT IF WE DON'T KNOW THERE IS A PROBLEM.
- **DO NOT GOSSIP!!!** Nothing ruins a barn's atmosphere faster than gossip and backbiting. We are all here for the same reason, and fun is part of it. DO try to work out any problems amicably between you and another boarder.
- **NOTIFY BARN MANAGER OF ANYTHING THAT NEEDS REPLACED OR REPAIRED.** Please don't leave surprises.
- **REMEMBER HAVE FUN AND LOVE YOUR HORSE(S)**

**FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE ABOVE RULES MAY RESULT IN A REQUEST TO  
LEAVE.**