

The premier equestrian and outdoor lifestyle club

## To All Riders

We are looking so forward to hosting you in June at the Nissan World Cup Qualifier presented by Foresyte Shows. We do hope that your stay at the Shongweni Club is enjoyable.

There are a few pointers that we'd like to mention to make your stay with us as pleasant as possible.

Water: Our borehole has more than enough water, but we do ask you to take care to not leave taps running (please make sure your grooms are conscious of this need to be "waterwise").

**Power:** Power unfortunately is a problem in the area where we are based so we ask that you only use power for your floats and horse boxes when necessary and not just leave the power on all day and night.

**Security**: We do have guards patrolling the premises but ask you to be aware and take care of all your belongings. The Shongweni Club will not be held liable for any loss, damage, injury or death to any person, animal or property due to any cause whatsoever.

The grass fields (rugby and polocrosse) are strictly out of bounds to any un-authorized vehicles. There will be demarcated parking areas for small floats and horse boxes. Please adhere to your allotted parking space to make the experience enjoyable for all competitors. Safety and security is of utmost importance to us and parking in areas not designated for this purpose could result in you possibly blocking and emergency exit or an access point required for the smooth running of the event. Please assist us by adhering to all signs and requests in this regard from club staff. We will do our best to ensure there are enough signs and / or marshals on arrival to assist you!

Grooms facilities: Your staff and their comfort while at the show is important to us! We have allocated sufficient ablution facilities in the complex on the left of the main driveway entrance to the club (the Rugby ablutions). Grooms will have full access to these facilities for the duration of your stay with us. There are 13 showers and 12 toilets at the ablution block, so they should be able to cope and ensure enough hot water etc. for all. We ask that the grooms take care not to flush unwanted items down the toilets (toilet paper will be provided, but it is always a good idea to supply your staff with toilet paper to bring with them in case they find none

available). There are also ablutions based at the original show stable block as well as at the daily horse box parking area. A shower and toilet at this ablution has been allocated for women.

Cleanliness during the Show is a health and Safety requirement. Please ask your grooms to dispose of the used shavings in the allotted Skips and not just at the end of their stable block.

The groom's meals will be served from a marquee based at the south end of the rugby field (as we did last yearo. We have a very competitive and attractive groom's menu on offer and we encourage you to make use of this facility to ensure your staff are well looked after with minimal fuss on your part!

Booking and payment for groom's meals (R1075.00) should be done directly with the Shongweni Club (not through the show holder) and may be paid directly into our account. Please ensure that your reference states your surname and GM after it.

Our banking details are: Standard bank Hillcrest Acc no 052010538

Arrival at the show: The normal gate access will be available during daylight hours from Monday 12 June. If you are expecting to arrive during the night or earlier than the 12<sup>th</sup> of June, it would be advisable to let us know your expected date and time of arrival so that we can ensure there is someone available to provide access.

Travel safe and we look forward to welcoming you!

The Shongweni Club team

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