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**Mission Statement:** The mission of Lindsay Yinger Show Stables, LLC ("LYSS") is to provide a quality, individualized program which promotes horsemanship and offers instruction to all skill levels in a fun, friendly, affordable atmosphere where we can enjoy horses as athletes.

**Program Planning:**

I like to plan the show schedule for the calendar year by mid-March. Individual meetings are the best way to do this by phone or email or in person, whatever way you prefer. This will give me the time to organize a schedule for showing and clinics, and to set the best lesson schedule for everyone. More importantly, I want to have a good feel for everyone's goals for the upcoming season so that we can tailor a program to get you there.

**Boarder/ Lease Billing:** Board and lease payments will automatically be due on the 1st of the month. The amount will be the same each month, so you are able to plan on it and have payment ready. Then, I will bill for lessons and training services at the end of each month. There is a \$300 minimum charge for services each month per horse. If you do not use this amount of services in a month it will be billed. The additional fees can be used as makeup training rides or lessons within 30 days. This is my way to be sure that all of the horses and riders are receiving the attention that is needed for a successful program. Remember, this is not a change in policy, and most customers achieve this with their current minimum program. Keep this in mind when we meet to create your personalized program.

**Lessons Students:** Lesson students are required to remit payment for monthly lessons at one time. If something changes you will be billed or credited the difference. Although you are welcome to remit payment by check, we will require credit card payment information to be on file.

**Due dates:** Board is due on the first of the month, with a late fee after the 5<sup>th</sup>. Services are considered late after the 15<sup>th</sup>- late charges are \$25 as well. Horse show invoices will be considered late after 15 days, again with a \$25 late charge. For your convenience, a payment box is located on the wall outside of my office. You can also mail payments to my home address at 13733 Foundation Rd, Croton, OH 43013. We also take major credit cards & Zelle. If you ever have trouble with online payment feel free to contact me and I can manually run credit cards.

**Lesson & Cancellation Policy:** Our commitment to our students includes dedicated school horses and/or arena time for your individual lesson, as well as knowledgeable and trusted instruction. In order to honor these commitments to you, I ask for my students' cooperation with the following policies concerning scheduled lessons:

- \* Make sure to allow adequate time after your lesson to care for your horse and equipment. This typically takes at least 30 minutes before and 30 minutes after.
- \* Read the school horse rules. Found on page 7 of the handbook.
- \* If you must miss a scheduled lesson, please let me know as far ahead of time as possible.



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You may also check with me at that time regarding possible dates for a make-up lesson. Please understand that instructors' time, arena space and school horses are planned specifically for your scheduled lesson(s) each week. Therefore, any scheduled lesson that are canceled less than 24 hours in advance will be charged at the full lesson rate. You will then have 30 days to make up that lesson. If the lesson is not made up in 30 days it will be forfeited.

**Board will be \$950 monthly per horse, \$1025 in extra large stalls.**

This includes all full services, feeding, turnout, supplement feeding, Blanketing, daily stall cleaning & bedding, Scheduling vet & farrier appts, scheduling deworming, monthly medication scheduling. The barn will hold horses for vet and farrier at reasonable intervals/times.

**Vet Services** LYSS will schedule your veterinary needs from semi-annual vaccinations to lameness evaluations to preventive medicine. Our Veterinarians at **Bella Vista Equine** are well known performance horse specialist. They offer chiropractic care as well as acupuncture services, and they are available for emergency calls. We also use Dr. Bill Patterson for veterinary sports medicine services as needed. LYSS will communicate with you regarding any necessary vet care.

**Farrier Services** LYSS uses Jesse Kleintop as the farm's farrier. LYSS will help determine the right shoeing schedule for your horse (usually every 4-5 weeks). Jesse and his assistants are the only farriers that we use at LYSS as we trust him and have a long-standing relationship with him.

**Beauty Shop services** will be on an as needed schedule. The cost of a mane pull is \$25 and a show trim is \$45. We will do it as it is necessary and bill you. Body clipping can be scheduled as needed. Checks for body clipping will need to be written directly to the clipper and should be left in the mailbox to secure your spot to get your horse body clipped. Most of the body clippers take payment by Venmo & Zelle.

**Horse show sign ups** will be posted as early as possible so we can reserve stalls at the shows we enjoy. Some of the show deadlines will be early, so watch for show info on the show board, which is beside the lesson board. Please sign up only if you are sure you are going. If your horse's name has a question mark next to his name, you are considered to be committed. I will require an open check for the show when you sign up. I like to have a three horses minimum to go to a show. I will be available to go to shows for 1 or 2 horses at times, but the cost will be higher in some circumstances (\$300/day minimum for 1 horse, \$150 each for 2). If we find ourselves in this situation, we can discuss options and I will do what I can to accommodate you.

**Show Cancellations-** The shows will charge us if we order stalls and then cancel after the closing date. You will be charged if you sign up and then cancel after stalls are ordered. I will still need a check for the show or I will pay your bill and then charge you for it. You will also be obligated to pay the trainer expenses split fee as if you were attending. It is not fair for the others in attendance to get stuck with higher bills because someone chose to cancel at the last minute



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**Horse Show Invoices** will be billed on an individual basis. Soon after the show (1-14 days), you will receive an invoice for the show services. The amount will be due 15 days from when you receive the Invoice.

**Miscellaneous:** If any random expenses should occur such as your horse needs a shot of banamine, or breaks a bucket, etc., I will care for him or repair the situation with your approval. If I cannot reach you I will care for him as if he were my own. I will then notify and bill you for the necessary costs.

**Laundry:** We do have laundry accommodations at LYSS. Laundry service is provided for each horse. This includes pads, wraps, polo's, show laundry, towels, and everything else except for blankets/sheets. If you are concerned about locating your personal items please be sure your items are marked with your name or have a monogram.

**Supplies:** We have found at LYSS that the easiest way to make sure that all clients have what they need to ride daily is to have all laundry items clean and available in a community location in the laundry room. The result is that we always have a supply of what you need when you need it. Wraps are always available for your use when we head to shows or need them at home. These items include, polos, leg wraps, saddle pads & towels. LYSS will bill each customer \$150 for each horse annually to provide these items.

If you decide to part ways from LYSS for any reason you may take these items with you as you go.

I want to thank everyone for a wonderful group of customers and riders at LYSS. I enjoy each and every one of you. I am very much looking forward to a great relationship with each student & horse. Thank you for being part of my program. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to call me 614-348-5915.



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### **LYSS customer suggested items list**

**Everyone should have these items when they team up with LYSS as horse owners/leasers.  
LYSS can help you set up any of these items for purchase.**

- LYSS logo wear is available in all sizes, polos, jackets, hats, vest, etc.
- Supplements for daily use. If items are needed in bulk, we work with a few suppliers in particular that ship to use for free. Please ask for info.
- Leather halter with name plate- Chagrín Saddlery or Smart Pak
- LYSS can order nameplates you need when you come in and bill you.
- Saddle- CWD is the first choice of LYSS
- Correct fitting half pad-Oglvy, and Equifit are preferred
- Girth-fuzzy is ok at home, with Professional Choice (jumpers) or leather girths required at shows.
- Schooling bridle
- Standing (hunter) or running martingale (jumpers)
- Trunk for your personal items- Matching show trunks from McGuinns
- Personal attire- Breeches and boots/half-chaps for lessons, well fit collared shirt is preferred. No tank tops. Breeches & shirts of tasteful color. Nothing distracting.
- Spurs and a stick

### **Supplies included in the annual \$150.**

- Black polos Vacs brand preferred
- leg quilts, Wilkers preferred (not jacks or smartpak brand! They fall apart)
- leg wraps- black, Vacs
- Black baby pads for schooling and at shows.
- Any old towels are also appreciated.

### **Blankets**

- Heavy weight belly band t/o blanket- Black with white & royal trim- Smartpak. Monogram last name in Block on left barrel, centered.
- Medium weight w/o belly band- Black with white & royal trim- Smartpak. Monogram last name in Block on left barrel, centered
- Light t/o weight sheet no fill, Black with white, grey or royal trim- Smartpak. Monogram last name in Block on left barrel, centered
- Neck cover, monogrammed with last name. Black, Smartpak
- Fly sheet and fly mask- Smartpak with monogram



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### **Showing Customers**

#### **All of the above plus these items for showing.**

- Show bridle-Cwd or smart pak or Chagrin Saddlery
- Show Martingale -These allow for you to keep top quality tack for the show ring
- Leather girth to show. Jumpers need belly guard, hunters traditional leather.
- Back on track items if needed for your horse back legs, body.
- Show leather halter or shipping halter if you would like.
- Trunk cover padded top- custom cover by The Clothes Horse black block last name in center in Royal.
- Back on Track therapeutic sheet
- Cotton sheet- custom black with royal trim and white piping. Block on left barrel, centered.
- Dress sheet- Black wool body royal trim, white piping. Last name script left side. Clothes horse (Clothes horse)
- Scrim sheet- Black plain or custom black body royal trim & white piping. Script last name on left side. (Clothes horse)
- Rain Sheet- black & royal blue (Clothes horse)

#### **Jumpers**

- Equi-fit boots for jumpers & Eq. Equifit polos are great too.
- Studs (caulks) for jumpers and hunter derby horses. Ask Lindsay to set up a stud kit for you. Usually \$75-100
- Jumpers- Custom bonnet- Black royal trim & white piping (Clothes Horse or Chagrin)
- Jumpers- show pad white or black & royal piping. Or black with white & royal trim. LYSS logo on left side. Horse/rider if you would like. Clothes horse Has these on file for LYSS
- White breeches for classics.

#### **Hunters**

- Hunters- white contour saddle pad, prefer Wilkers
- Fake tail for hunters or Eq horses if needed. Lindsay can help you on this one too.
- Shadbelly for derbys or classics, stock tie

LYSS will bring all laundry, polos, towels, ect for you to use at the show, also all show blankets should be stored with the barn so we are sure all the horses have proper clothing when we arrive at the show. LYSS will provide all medications to the horses at the shows, as needed. If you feel like your horse needs something special, you are welcome to provide it at your cost.

All custom items are available thru SmartPak, Chagrin Saddlery or The Clothes Horse. The prices are similar, some items are better at one place and some better at the other. Please ask for help if you need it. We are happy to set any of it up for you.



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### **General Riding Rules**

- 1) Every client must sign a release form before handling or participating in horseback activity.
- 2) Minors must be accompanied by an adult.
- 3) All riders must wear an ASTM approved helmet while mounted.
- 4) A lead rope must be used at all times while leading a horse.
- 5) Hair must be tucked up under the helmet neatly, with a hair net.
- 6) Always be prepared to ride with a crop and have spurs available.
- 7) Breeches and boots are preferred during riding lessons. However, long pants and a heeled boots are required.
- 8) Please groom your horse thoroughly checking for any cuts swellings, loose shoes, ect. Before and after riding. Always pick feet!
- 9) Please groom your horses sweat marks when finished riding, paying special attention to their faces and between legs.
- 10) Towel off horse's legs after a bath/shower so he gets put away with completely dry legs.
- 11) Tack should be wiped and tied up correctly after each use.
- 12) Take pride in your appearance. Polish your boots and come to the barn respectfully dressed. No spaghetti straps, belly shirts, or offensive language please. No hooded shirts during lessons. No flip flops while handling horses. Collared shirts or polo's are recommended.
- 13) No Jumping outside of a lesson unless advised to do so by your instructor.
- 14) No trail riding alone.
- 15) No outside dogs allowed off leash at any time. Please clean up after your dog.
- 16) No Smoking!
- 17) Please drive slowly on the driveway, speed limit less than 10 mph.
- 18) Please clean and sweep your area after use. Wash down wash rack when finished and roll up hose.
- 19) Please feel free to speak to us if you have a question or concern. We are always willing to listen, and will do her best to help.
- 20) Have fun with your horse!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!



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### **School Horse Rules**

- 1) Ask questions, No question is stupid, and you usually learn if you ask.
- 2) Please realize that using the school horses and tack is a privilege, not a right.
- 3) Use the brushes provided. That means the curry comb, then dust brush then finishing brush, don't forget faces and legs. Put brushes away in the buckets.
- 4) Be sure that hoofs are picked well, before and after each ride. This is very important for the horses' soundness.
- 5) Use boots or polos on the horses as need. Clean them if they are dirty.
- 6) Use a half pad on each horse under the saddle.
- 7) Clean all the sweat marks from the horses. Don't forget faces & girths.
- 8) Please clean all tack after riding, including school saddles. This is also a good time to inspect equipment for safety. Tie up bridles after cleaning and hang up girth, bridle, martingale and bridle on the correct hook.
- 10) Sweep up after yourself and your horse.
- 11) Return things in better shape than you found them; i.e, the horse, brushes and tack.
- 12) Allow yourself plenty of time before and after your lesson to properly care for the horse and equipment. Plan on 30 mins before and 30 mins after.
- 13) In winter, un-blanket your horse in the stall or in the crossties. When you are done be sure that the correct blankets are on and the straps are secure. Back leg straps should be crossed.
- 14) In summer, please roll up the hose and turn off the water after showering your horse. Scrape him down. Towel his legs and return him with his legs completely dry. This is a great time to hand graze.