

# *Attachment 7*

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION ON  
ACTIVITIES AT THE PROPOSED PUBLIC  
RIDING SCHOOL IN TSEUNG KWAN O

## TKOPRS Activities / Experience for Community Benefit

### Riding lessons

#### Group lessons

Type	Age	Weight	Duration
Pony Lesson	6 – 14	Below 48kg	45 minutes per session
Horse Lesson	15 or above	Below 70kg	60 minutes per session

- 3 to 6 riders with similar levels in each class for equestrian riding and training
- Available in Cantonese or English
- One lesson per week on a regular timeslot
- Contacting beginners on waiting list to join a package of 20-weeks introductory course
- Assessing the riding skills of experienced rider to offer a space in a suitable level of class



#### Private lessons / Semi-private lessons

- Same age and weight limit of group lessons for all applicants on waiting list
- 1 rider in a private lesson for 30 or 45 minutes per session
- 2 riders in a semi-private lesson for 45 minutes per session
- Only available at Tuen Mun PRS during non-peak hours on weekdays by email booking from 8:30 a.m. on Wednesday to make the application for next week's lesson on a first come, first served basis



### Stable Tours

- 20 – 40 participants for 60 minutes per session at \$5 per person
- Viewing of equestrian sports video
- Understanding of horse's daily life
- Observation of stable operations
- Group photo-taking with Shetland ponies
- 3 months in advance on-line booking



### Stable Management

- Comprehensive care, health monitoring and daily operation skills for managing horses and equestrian facilities
- Enhancement of equine care, welfare, horse handling and safety
- Part of curriculum in 20-week introductory course for 45 or 60 minutes per session
- Scheduled classes held at regular intervals for regular riders
- Professional training for British Horse Society (BHS) Exam



## Equine Events

- Local horse show events for Dressage (盛裝舞步賽) and Show Jumping (場地障礙賽) at regular intervals
- A comprehensive test of a horse's and rider's versatility, fitness and training
- A progressive goal for riders to encourage partnership, communication and trust between horse and rider
- Providing theory workshop to introduce the rules and etiquette of horse show events
- Training opportunity to become an elite rider representing the team of Hong Kong, China
- All members of the public are welcome to come along and watch the events in person



## Open Day

- Promoting and deepening the community's appreciation and understanding of equestrian sport with riding demonstrations
- Providing a thrilling hands-on equestrian experience for pony riding and horse simulator under the guidance
- Observation of routine horse caring with introduction of farrier work
- Various game booths and photos with Shetland ponies
- Annual event with free admission for all ages



### Riding for the Disabled

- Operated by a non-profit-making organization of Riding for the Disabled Association Limited (RDA) in three public riding schools
- Providing free therapeutic riding sessions for children and adults with disabilities to build their self-confidence and improve their concentration and self-discipline
- An opportunity for the volunteers to work in the community with people and animals
- Offering training with development plan for athletes to compete in Para Equestrian



### Seasonal Day Camps and Pony Activities

- Providing immersive equestrian experiences for children during the school break in New Year, Easter and Summer
- Different activities and training of riding, horsemanship, stable tasks, games on horseback, educational and safety session
- Themed-based and recreational pony activities at regular intervals on weekends, such as Own A Shetland Pony and Mounted Games
- Special training programme for Children Challenge Cup and Inter-school Horse Show
- Supporting and assisting Hong Kong Pony Club to organize training, test and camp for its members

