

## Schedule and Pricing 2018

Course duration days are calculated on a normal working 8-hour day – those courses taking longer than a 40-hour, 5 day week means extra time will be needed where Learners may be asked to participate in practical sessions or necessary assignments after normal hours or away from the Learning Centre. Courses can be taken individually and paid separately or booked and paid as a complete module. The days given below are the recommended amount of practical time spent at the Stud with an Instructor. Further time may be needed off-site for further practice, research, self-study and assignments. Completion of each course earns a Certificate of Attendance from the Learning Centre plus an Internal Assessment by the Course Instructor – **PLEASE NOTE: The EQASA external assessment/exam earns the formal passing of each Module (see menu “Entrance Information” with a pass mark of over 70% per subject.)**



### Module 1

	NQF Credit Value	No. of days	Cost (per person)
Course No. 1.1 Grooming	6 (60 hours)	3 days	R1871.00
Course No. 1.2 Blankets and Boots	5 (50 hours)	2 days	R1590.00
Course No. 1.3 Yard Management	8 (80 hours)	5 days	R2491.00
Course No. 1.4 Equine Physiology	6 (60 hours)	2.5 days	R1908.00
Course No. 1.5 Tack 1	5 (50 hours)	3 days	R1590.00
Text Book (sourced overseas) and Learning Materials (once-off fee at commencement)			R 550.00
<b>Total Module 1 cost including Training and Assignments/Projects</b>			<b>R10000.00</b>
<b>Payment is required prior to commencement of the course for successful attendance</b>			

### Module 2

	NQF Credit Value	No. of days	Cost (per person)
Course No. 2.3 Grooming and Turnout	5 (50 hours)	4 days	R2594.00
Course No. 2.1 Tack 2	6 (60 hours)	3 days	R1946.00
Course No. 2.4 Lungeing 1	10 (100 hours)	3 days	R1946.00
Course No. 2.2 Phys & Behaviour 2	4 (40 hours)	3 days	R1946.00
Course No. 2.5 Yard Management 2	3 (30 hours)	2 days	R1297.00
Text Book and Learning Materials (once-off fee at commencement)			R 500.00
<b>Total Module 2 cost including Training and Assignments/Projects</b>			<b>R10229.00</b>
<b>Payment is required prior to commencement of the course for successful entrance</b>			

Dates for the courses to run will be subject to numbers (recommended 5-10 students maximum). Please note that the Learning Centre is not VAT registered.

Transport to the Stud may be arranged separately from nearest airports: Maseru International Airport or Bloemfontein by prior arrangement. Inter-Cape Buses stop at Ladybrand from Durban, Johannesburg and Cape Town.

### **Accommodation**

Hostel accommodation is offered at R170/night per person for the duration of the courses. A communal sitting/training room, kitchen and bath/shower room is offered, the availability of DSTV (bill apportioned monthly) and good internet connection. There is limited maid availability (due to the rural location) so please be prepared to clean own rooms and do own washing and ironing.

### **Meals**

Meals are excluded from the Intern Program except during the individual courses when coffee/tea, cool drinks, biscuits and basic lunches are offered. All Learners are asked to source and cook basic dinners for themselves. This may change over time depending on numbers and demand. A budget of R50-R100/day is recommended. Candidate Learners are welcome to join communal meals but will be charged accordingly.

### **Course Clothing**

T-shirts and caps are available with our logos at the commencement of each internship and course at a cost of approximately R400. These are not compulsory. All suitable riding equipment including boots, hats, gloves and suitable general equipment for working with horses are for the Candidate Learner's account.

### **Use of Horses, Tack, Lessons and Facilities**

It is expected that the welfare, safety and security of everyone and all animals on the Stud and Learning Centre premises are treated with respect and consideration. Any sign of abuse will not be tolerated in any shape or form and the Candidate Learner will be asked to leave. All course fees are forfeited and non-refundable. We are fortunate at the Stud to have top-class South African Coaches, Riders, Trainers and Service Providers come to the Stud and there will be the opportunity for lessons with them at an approximate cost of R400-R600 per lesson depending on numbers and level of the trainers.

### **Available of Livery – Bring your own horse and tack!**

Interns are welcome to bring their own horses as there is a limited number of stabling and grazing space available. However, this invitation is based on the horses and riders meeting the terms and conditions of the Stud livery policy. *Please ask for a separate quotation.*