

# SILVER GLEN STABLES

## Bits & Pieces

This is a list of miscellaneous but helpful information about us, our facility, and our operation.

- **Bedding** – Our stalls are bedded with Eagle Valley ABM wood pellets. Wood pellets are more absorbent and provide a safer, cleaner environment than the traditional wood shavings. Please do not add bedding to your horse's stall. Since we bed to a level that will prevent hock sores, we will add more bedding, at your request, at the price per bag shown on our Price List.
- **Feed Storage** – We'd suggest that you store your feed in a rodent proof container in one of our Feed Rooms. Mice (and the occasional rat) will chew through feed sacks. So by storing your feed in a galvanized can or plastic container, you can help us keep our Feed Rooms tidy and rodent population under control. If you do spill feed, we'd appreciate it very much if you would sweep it up and deposit it in one of the muck buckets.
- **Front Gate Opener** – If you would like to purchase a clicker/transmitter to open our stables entrance gate, you may do so at stores like Home Depot or Lowe's. The cost is approximately \$30. Ask specifically for the "Mule" gate transmitter, as no other brand will work. The transmitter comes ready to use and does not need to be adjusted. Some of the newer vehicles come with a programmable transmitter, so you may not have to purchase one. Check your vehicle's instruction manual.
- **Lounge Appliances** – The refrigerator, coffee pot, microwave, and TV are there for your use at any time. Please help us keep the area (including the inside of the frig) clean by cleaning up your spills and messes. Please also mark all your items in the frig with your name, as all unmarked items are tossed out every Friday night. If you use the coffee pot, please clean it and throw out the grounds.
- **Mineral/Salt Blocks** – If you want to place a mineral or salt block in your horse's stall, please use a 13" square plastic mineral block holder or a rubber tub/bucket. Salt blocks placed in the manger will rust the galvanized metal.
- **Tack Rooms** – We have three communal tack rooms that all have saddle racks on the walls for your use. There are also brackets/hooks for your bridles, helmets, whips, and boots. Extension cords are there, too, if you need them for your clippers. Please help us keep everyone's tack safe and secure by locking the tack rooms if you are the last one to use or the last one to leave the barn.

- **Recycling Trash** – Fresno County requires us to recycle all paper, plastic, glass and aluminum cans. Paper, plastic, and glass can be deposited in the white trash barrel marked “Recycle” next to the Wash Rack area. Empty feed sacks should be placed there. Aluminum cans be deposited in the plastic garbage can marked “Aluminum Cans Only” by the lounge. All other trash (including dirty plastic plates and Styrofoam cups) should be placed in the unmarked white barrel next to the lounge.

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