

Fiber Fresh

Taupo  
Christmas Classic

SHOWJUMPING CHAMPIONSHIPS



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Show update  
from the Show Committee

## We have YARDS to spare!

If you want to bring along another horse or a friend with a horse, please get in touch by email and then see us on the day! We managed to source extra portable yards so everyone can be on site now.

## Entertainment

We all know the Fiber Fresh Christmas Classic isn't just about showjumping – there's also some great entertainment going on throughout the show – check out the Fiber Fresh Entertainment Flyer at <http://www.main-events.com/event/1254/fiber-fresh-taupo-christmas-classic-3-star/downloads> and come along and ENJOY!

- **Wednesday** – Fiber Fresh BBQ in the Truck Park (from 7pm)
- **Thursday** – Happy Hour and Fundraising Auction (From 7pm in the Christmas Marquee)
- **Friday** – Santa visits (4.30pm) followed by the Barbara Thomson Pony 6-Bar  
Gourmet burger BBQ (Tickets \$10) 7pm  
DJ 'Pickle' (8pm til late)
- **Saturday** – Fiber Fresh Taupo Grand Prix (4.30pm)  
Buffet dinner (\$15) 7pm  
DJ 'Pickle' (8pm til late)

The Friday and Saturday meals are again catered by Jane and John – their meals are outstanding so don't waste time cooking join us for your evening meal in the Christmas Marquee! Tickets available by pre-purchase from the secretary – with a limited amount available at the show. Get in early so you don't miss out!

## Trade Stands/Displays

There are over 38 trade stands on site including an amazing variety of food, saddlery shops and horse businesses. What better way to while away the hours in between classes than to get caught on Christmas shopping for your horsey friends!

## The Secretary's Office

### Draws are up

The draws are posted on Main-Events.com but scratching and late entries mean you will need to check on the day in terms of revised start numbers. You will remain in roughly the same order. All draws will be at the office for viewing. All pony classes are in draw order as last year this seemed to work well.



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## Office on site

The show office will be open for business Wednesday morning although we will be on site Tuesday. So don't ring or fax with late entries or scratchings after Monday. Email [xmas@main-events.co.nz](mailto:xmas@main-events.co.nz) only please.

## Stabling

The yarding list is nearly complete and will be available on the downloads section on Tuesday night. IMPORTANT – this year to get a refund on stabling and yards you must fill in a form in the office BEFORE YOU LEAVE so we can cross reference that to our stabling allocations. While we have enough yards, please let us know if you aren't using a yard as there may be riders wanting to switch to a better location. Do NOT under any circumstances give your yard to someone else as the office is tracking stabling day by day!

## Late entry and swap policy

Scratchings were to be made to the secretary by Monday 12th 5pm and were refunded less 20% on all fees including stabling etc. Scratchings after this less 50% and refunds on scratchings during the show will require proof of inability to compete.

Swapping classes is a \$2 fee only. Late entries once the show starts are 50% extra.

All scratchings must be in to the office by 8:00am on the day of the class to be eligible for a refund! Remember - it is a courtesy to tell the judges and the office that you are not starting even if after 8:00am.

## Late entry forms on DOWNLOADS page

We have posted a copy of the late entry form for the show on Main-Events.com on the Downloads page for the show. We suggest you print out a number of these to have on hand in your truck. Then you can fill them out and just drop them off at the office instead of waiting around to fill them in. Be prepared!

## HORSEZONE.co.nz sponsor Rider Leaderboard

This year we are pleased to welcome Horsezone.co.nz who are sponsoring a Rider's Leaderboard over the show. It will run over all classes of the first part of the show (that is Thursday to Saturday) and keeping it simple, there will be points 6, 4, 3, 2, 1 awarded to placegetters in all classes except A1 and with double points for championships. There will be \$25 vouchers to sell your horse on Horsezone.co.nz to the top placegetters as well as a red branded jacket for the winner! Full conditions at the show.



## Pay up before you start

Last year too much time was spent after the show following up people who still owed money. This year you MUST pay up before you start and if you leave the show without first checking that you don't owe anything or you may get charged an additional \$25 admin fee!

## Results on line daily

Results will be posted on the website in the class lists area on a regular basis throughout the show and all results should be available to view Sunday night. Please check your results and make sure you are happy with what has been posted. There will be no changes after Christmas.

## PM/Refunds will be direct credited

All PM and refunds will be direct credited before 6 Jan 2012 to the bank account specified on your record of entries (top right). If you want to nominate a different bank account, please bring a slip to the office.

## Volunteers

Thank you to those who volunteered to help out. We have most jobs covered but can always do with backups so we will be maintaining a list in the office and would appreciate it if you could come to the office and indicate what times and jobs you could do. Thank you.

## FEED on sale at the show!

Fiber Fresh product will be available throughout the show from Farmlands Taupo at the Outpost Shed (located beside the Christmas Marquee alongside Ring 1- the Fiber Fresh Main Arena).

**Have a great show! Good luck to all competitors!! And remember to thank and support our sponsors – without their support your show wouldn't be possible!**

*Anne Vallance – on behalf of the NEC Show Committee  
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