

STABLE HAND EMPLOYEE APPLICATION FORM



SECTION 1:

SURNAME: _____ GIVEN NAMES: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ PLACE OF BIRTH: _____

RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ POSTCODE: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ MOBILE: _____

EMAIL: _____

HEIGHT: _____ MARITAL STATUS: _____

NUMBER OF DEPENDENTS + AGES: _____

SECTION 2:

Describe your personality, work ethic and why you would like a job as a Stable Hand on Watershed Farm:

Please give details of the experience you have had with thoroughbred horses:

Do you have a current drivers licence? _____

Do you have your own transport to get to work? _____

Have you ever attended a Monty Roberts training school? If so, provide the location and date:

Have you viewed/read any Monty Roberts DVDs or books? Please give details:

Have you ever used a Dually halter to educate young horses? Please describe your experience.

If so, please describe in what ways you have applied and utilised the above methods and techniques and give details of the results:

Please complete and sign the checklist in Appendix A at the end of this form to rate your experience in different areas.

SECTION 3:

CURRENT QUALIFICATIONS

Qualification Title	Institution/Training Provider	Year Completed

PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT (MOST RECENT FIRST PLEASE)

Employer Name/Company	Dates From/To	Position Held	Reason For Leaving

REFERENCES

Reference checks will be conducted legally in an ethical manner and all information derived will remain confidential. Please provide details of three people who can speak on your behalf regarding your work history.

Name	Contact Number	Position Held/Working Relationship eg Supervisor

Have you ever been found guilty of an offence against the rules of the thoroughbred racing industry?

Yes/No

If yes, please give details:

Have you been found guilty of any criminal offence? Yes/No

If yes, please give details:

SECTION 4:

What type of work are you available for? Full-time Part-time Casual Weekends Only

When will you be available to start work? _____

Do you have any medical conditions, illnesses, disabilities or allergies? If yes, please provide details and any relevant medical certificates:

Do you have any pre-existing injuries or current niggling ailments? If yes, please provide details and any relevant medical certificates:

Next Of Kin Emergency Contact:

NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO YOU	CONTACT PHONE NUMBER
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DECLARATION:

I declare that to the best of my knowledge the information given is true and correct. I understand that inaccurate, misleading or untrue statements or knowingly withheld information may result in termination of employment with this organisation. I understand that this application does not constitute an offer of employment. I understand that, in some cases, police and checks will be required and I will be notified if this applies to this application.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Please send your application to us by:

Post: PO Box 1569, YOUNG. NSW 2594

or

Fax: 02 6386 7323

or

Email: office@watershed-farm.com

Please ensure you attach the following Appendix A checklist (below) to your application.

RECOMMENDED TRAINING DVDS

- Monty Roberts 'Join Up' DVD
- Monty Roberts 'Fix Up Series' DVD
- Monty Roberts 'Dually Halter – How To Use' DVD

APPENDIX A: Experience & Self Rating

Please truthfully complete the following checklist which best describes your experience with thoroughbred horses (only). If you have never had any experience with thoroughbreds, please leave this section blank.

Place a number 1 – 5 in the boxes below:

- 1 = no experience at all
- 2 = no experience, but has had some exposure
- 3 = some experience, needs to learn more
- 4 = experienced and feels confident
- 5 = highly experienced, could train and supervise others

What degree of experience have you had with:

Rate 1-5

1. Handling & educating weanling foals?	
2. Educating yearlings to walk forward, with you at the shoulder?	
3. Educating yearlings to stand for photos and presentation at a sale?	
4. The sale preparation of yearlings, weanlings and broodmares?	
5. How much knowledge do you have of mixing horse feeds and supplements to add condition?	
6. Mucking out stables?	
7. Grooming, washing & rugging horses?	
8. Administering medication and first aid to horses, ie needles, swabbing & dressing wounds etc	
9. Putting horses on, off and operating a horse walker?	
10. Foaling down mares?	
11. Attending and working at a commercial yearling sale (Magic Millions or Inglis)?	
12. Joining/breeding (mares to a stallion)?	
13. Loading and unloading mares and foals onto a float or horse transport truck?	
14. Loading and unloading yearlings onto a float or horse transport truck?	
15. Keeping reports (anecdotal records) on individual horse progress, treatments, drench, feed consumption and overall condition?	

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Rate yourself by placing a number 1 – 4 in the boxes below:

- 1 = not at all
- 2 = sometimes
- 3 = most of the time
- 4 = always

Rate 1-5

1. Rate how confident you are with handling young horses (foals, weanlings & yearlings).	
2. Rate how confident you are with handling & leading broodmares.	
3. Rate your strength and competency with holding on to young horses for early education and leading in open areas (1 – low, 2 – moderate, 3 – high).	
4. Rate how well you work as a team with colleagues.	
5. Rate how well you are willing to learn and try different operational horse methods/ways to what you are used to doing.	
6. Rate how punctual you are at arriving to work and willing to complete hours required.	
7. How would you describe the pace at which you work? 1 = slow 2 = steady 3 = fast yet efficient 4 = tend to rush	
8. Rate your ability to follow and remember instructions given.	
9. Rate how much responsibility/leadership you wish to achieve or acquire in this job 1 = very little 2 = moderate amounts (if required) 3 = high amounts (supervisor level)	
10. Rate how well you handle pressure.	
11. Rate your current state of fitness. 1 = low & unfit 2 = moderately fit 3 = very fit	

Thank you