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NEWSLETTER

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Horse show season is coming.

You are what you eat! Heard of this saying before? This is not only true for humans but for animals alike. Good quality feed, care and adequate training are important to present a healthy looking horse, which is in great condition at the next show.

We have lots of different products on our shelves, which prove popular– come and check them out your-



Take great care of your animals with Lillidale Animal Health Shampoo

Great for routine coat care and show preparation.



Lillidale Tea Tree shampoo is a soothing and conditioning antibacterial shampoo containing natural tea tree oil that cleanses and conditions the horses coat and skin.



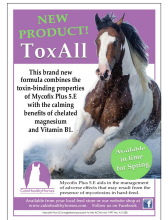
Lillidale herbal shampoo is a rich, but gentle shampoo containing natural herb extracts to cleanse the coat, providing a natural glossy shine and a long-lasting fragrance. Great for routine coat care and show preparation.

A medicated shampoo containing a mild anti-bacterial agent that cleanses and conditions the horses coat and skin, helping to remove scurf and may relieve itching.

Calm Healthy Horse NZ have got a new product on the market, which we stock here in store.

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To aid in the management of adverse effects that may result from the presence of mycotoxins in hard-feed, along with chelated magnesium and vitamin B1.



Equifibre Lucerne Pro and Meadow Pro, NZ grown, available in 24 kg bags

Check out the producer website: letsbale.com for more information about the products and feeding recommendations.

FUTURE FEEDS CHAFF AVAILABLE IN STORE

Timothy chaff

The perfect Chaff for animals who don't require the high levels of protein, which is in Lucerne. Timothy Chaff is fantastic for premium race horses through to your ailing Alpaca.

Lucerne chaff

Future feeds Lucerne is carefully baled to maximum leaf retention. Lucerne provides up to 20% protein value, so if your stock are working hard Future Feeds premium chaff will provide them with all their daily energy requirements.

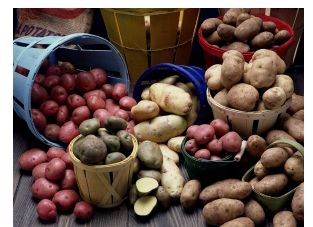


Future Feeds

Seed Potatoes available in store now

Buy 1 or many

Old fashion favourites and some new varieties for you to try at very competitive prices.



The Spruce

Out in the garden



Honey bees need plenty of pollen and nectar from all sorts of flowers to support the growing hive in summer and enough to build food reserves for the winter. What honey bees also need is a dependable source of water all year round, like all animals.

Water is used for various reasons. Crystallized honey can be dissolved in winter. Spread droplets can help cool down the brood comb in summer to help create the right temperature for raising baby bees.

The best sources are the one`s that aren`t shared by other livestock, pets or humans (swimming pools) and which are safe for bees and which won`t go dry in summer.

Biologists believe bees find their water by scent rather than sight.

A water source that smells like wet earth, moss, worms, decomposition and even chlorine is very appealing to bees.

As already mentioned bees like a safe place to stand to prevent drowning. A saucer filled with marbles or stones, a bucket of water with plenty of "bee rafts" such as cork, sticks, sponges or cloth works well.

As with Humans, bees are creatures of habit. A bad habit is hard to break, so it pays to establish a regular and safe water supply early.

If bees have created the bad habit of using the pool, horse trough, pinned up laundry for their water supply. Try a handful of ground oyster shells added to the bowl. This gives the water a faintly salty smell, bees find that attractive. Alternatively you can also use a weak sugar solution to lure them to the new water source until the good habit is established.



Honey and Pear

End of October, early November is traditional Sweetcorn planting time. Seed is available, here at Kiwi Seed

Have you tried our Spelt Husk? It`s back in store again.

Husk can be used in a variety of ways, e.g. for bedding (small animals like rabbits or guinea pigs), in the chicken coop or as garden mulch.

In the 11th Century, medical writer Hildegard von Bingen pointed out that spelt husk has a high silica content, which is very beneficial for the body and general well – being.

Spelt pillows are lightweight, breathable and retain heat well, because they contain only the husks. Husks are free flowing and adapt perfectly to the shape of the body.

Christmas is coming up very soon, why not treat your dog with a homemade spelt husk bed this year?

Take a clean jute sack (available at Kiwi Seed) and fill with husk to volume required, sow up the top. Job done.



Wait,... there is more.

We will also start selling the spelt grain for the home miller here at our shop.

Grain will be available in 25 kg bags, pick up while you are here or place an order through email and we will despatch to you.

We would like to do our bit for the environment by sending out our accounts and newsletters via email.

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Thank you from all at Kiwi Seed.