

MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR ESNZ APPROVED PORTABLE YARD

The use of ESNZ approved portable yards at events is by permission of the Organising Committee. If portable yards are not allowed to be used this should be advertised in the event schedule.

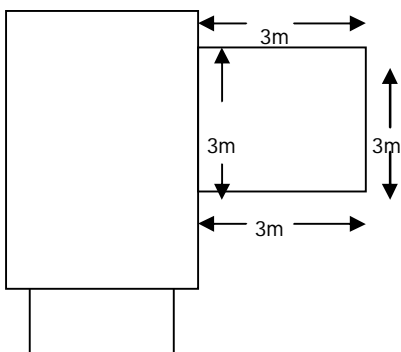
The OC, Chief Steward, Ground Jury or TD at an event, may withdraw permission for the use of any yard considered unsafe, either by its condition or, that it is unsuitable to safely contain the horse or pony concerned.

Any portable yard must be securely attached to the side of a truck or float. If attached to a trailer float, the float MUST be attached to a suitable towing vehicle. The use of free standing yards at Endurance Events is permitted with the permission of the Organising Committee and Technical Delegate.

Horses or ponies must NOT be tied to the portable yard rails. They may be tied to the truck or float while inside the yard.

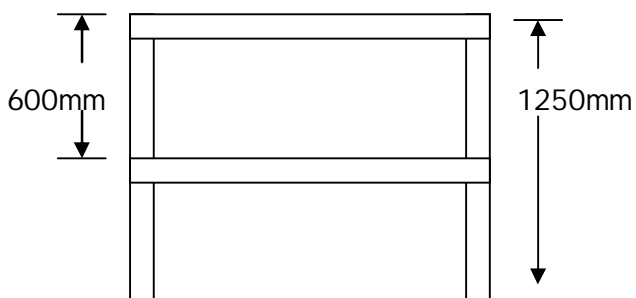
Specifications for Portable Yards

1. Minimum size: 3m X 3m X 3m X 3m
(A larger area is recommended for horses 16hh or over)



No portable yard may exceed a distance of 5 meters out from the truck or float it is attached to

2. Minimum Height: 1250mm
3. Minimum number of rails: 2 with a maximum of 600mm between rails



4. Uprights and rails: uprights MUST have a base that is staked into the ground, uprights and rails can be round, rectangular or square.
5. Yards may be made of alloy, steel or galvanised pipe. Galvanised pipe or steel uprights and rails must be a minimum 2mm wall thickness and 25mm diameter. Alloy uprights and rails must be a minimum 3mm wall thickness and 32mm diameter