

## **Press release**

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### **NORTH OF SCOTLAND LARGEST EQUESTRIAN FACILITY SET TO OPEN**

The doors are to open this month on the largest combined equestrian facility in the North of Scotland at The Cabin Equestrian Centre, Keithhall, Inverurie.

Phase one – the 80m x 40m silica sand and rubber arena by Equestrian Surfaces - will be ready for action for the Andrew Hamilton showjumping clinic on May 12 and 13. Phase two – an 67m x 30m indoor arena complete with Turfloat surface, viewing gallery and café area – will open its doors mid July.

This new centre will play home to BSJA evening and weekend shows, unaffiliated shows, clinics, Riding Club and Pony Club events and the existing Riding School business, all within a three tier development of indoor school, outdoor arena and lorry/carpark.

The Cabin Equestrian Centre owner Fiona Quennell explained: "We feel we have a fabulous setting here and really want to put The Cabin on the map as a premier equestrian facility. There isn't anything like this in the north of Scotland for competing.

"As well as having the Riding Centre here and the competition facilities, we are looking to build a cross country course down the line as our Phase Three. We have a lot of acreage here and off road hacking so it would be ideal."

The Cabin Equestrian Centre started in 2006 as a riding school under the direction of Fiona who has over 25 years experience in equestrian related businesses. The Cabin dog grooming salon is also an integral part of the business.

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