

Production Cost Comparisons based on averages	Premier & Select	Festival /Private
Broodmare - average costs first 12 months		
Agistment only (no hard feed) for 6 months - daily average \$13 X 182 and Festival av. \$10	2,366.00	1,820.00
Agistment and 1 x hard feed daily for 6 months @ daily av. \$20 & Festival Av. \$15	3,640.00	2,730.00
Farrier - Mare hoof trim every 6 weeks = av. \$50 x 8 Festival: \$40	400.00	320.00
Drench every 6 weeks = ave \$50 * 8 Festival: \$40	400.00	320.00
Vaccinations	200.00	200.00
Vet costs (ovulation, scanning, drugs)	650.00	650.00
Transport to stud (Auckland - Waikato)	200.00	200.00
Average costs from foaling to weaning Sept to March		
Foaling fee	550.00	450.00
Agistment and hard feed = mare & foal 1 x feed per day \$25 for 6 months until weaning. Festival @ \$18 per day	4,550.00	3,276.00
Farrier - Mare hoof trim every six weeks post foaling = av. \$50 x 8	400.00	320.00
Farrier - Foal hoof trim every six weeks until weaning = av. \$50 x 8	400.00	320.00
Drench Foal every six weeks x 4 av. \$50	200.00	160.00
Drench Mare every six weeks x 4 av. \$50	200.00	160.00
Vaccinations	346.00	346.00
NZTR Return (mare), branding, blood-typing (foal), DNA fee	300.00	300.00
Average costs from weaning towards yearling prep April to July		
Weanling Charge - (average)	500.00	450.00
Agistment Weaning April -July = av. \$25 x 120 days. Festival \$18	3,000.00	2,160.00
Farrier - Weanling hoof trim every four weeks = av. \$50 x 4	200.00	160.00
Drench every four weeks April = av. \$50 x 4	200.00	160.00
Yearling Prep Aug to Sales		
Preparation Aug - Sept = av. x 60 days @ \$24 Festival: \$20	1,440.00	1,200.00
Preparation Oct - Nov = av. x 60 days @ \$45 Festival: \$40	2,700.00	2,400.00
Preparation Dec - Jan = av. x 70 days @ \$60 Festival: \$50	4,200.00	3,500.00
Drench every 4 weeks Aug to Sales = av. \$50 x 4	200.00	160.00
Farrier every four weeks @ \$50	200.00	160.00
Yearling - set of shoes	250.00	200.00
Gear hire or purchase - rugs, etc	385.00	385.00
Transport	300.00	300.00
Sale Entry	1,650.00	700.00
Sale Costs & Hospitality	1,600.00	600.00
X-Rays	905.00	
Total Expenses excluding GST based on average costs	32,532.00	24,107.00