Marking out of the yards

Your Designer or Area Rep will arrange to mark out the yards once adequate site preparation has been completed. Your yards will be marked with each peg indicating the centre of a post.

Some sheepyards may have pegs that do not need to be dug – for example, curved race radius point or reference points for gear to be bolted to the slab. These will be marked in a different colour. It is important these remain for our construction crew.

On completion of marking out the yards, Danger tape will be placed around the site perimeter. Please exercise all caution as steel pegs are exposed. Do not drive vehicles or allow stock on the site.

Digging the holes

Please consult with your Designer or Area Rep the appropriate time to dig the holes prior to construction crew arriving. In the event that weather impacts the site between the time of digging of holes and construction crew arriving, the holes will likely collapse or fill with water and be required additional cleaning out. If this is left to the construction crew, they may charge for cleaning of holes.

It is very important that holes are straight and cleaned out. We recommend having someone with a shovel clearing the dirt away from the auger while the hole is being dug. A small amount of water can be poured into the hole to help remove any dry soil.

It is also very important that the spoil dirt is removed from the site.

If your yards are marked out with steel pegs, please collect these as our contractor will collect and we will reuse them.

