



# *Loyalty Character Sportsmanship*

## Alberta South Region Pony Clubs - Intermediate

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### True or False

1. Windgalls are a sign of wear on the fetlock. MH 197
2. Small, deeply set eyes often mean a bold and kind disposition. MH 192
3. Parasites are not a cause of poor condition. HN 211
4. The frog is tough and elastic, and is a heel expander. HN 152
5. It takes approximately 4-6 months for the hoof to grow from top to bottom. HN 156
6. Dumping the toe is a common practice done by farriers which help strengthen the wall. HN 161
7. Road work helps to harden the legs when conditioning. MH p.171
8. Cantering and galloping a fat horse will affect his wind and damage his legs. HN p.122
9. Barley is a reasonably soft feed. HN p.47
10. Ring bone is the ossification of the lateral cartilages of the foot. HN 187

### Fill in the missing words

11. A male horse has \_\_\_\_\_teeth and a female has \_\_\_\_\_. HN 146
12. \_\_\_\_\_ knees are a sign of weakness. MH 196
13. . \_\_\_\_\_ wounds must heal from the deepest part so the entrance must be kept open. MH 277
14. A horse is said to jump \_\_\_\_\_ when he hollows his back, and fails to lower his head

and neck.

MH 50

15. About the third week of conditioning, walking on hard ground or road will help harden the \_\_\_\_\_.  
HN 145
17. \_\_\_\_\_ horses frequently lose balance when changing direction or pace. MH 23
18. A shipping bandage protects a horse from the \_\_\_\_\_ down to the \_\_\_\_\_. B 9
19. \_\_\_\_\_ straw is the best type of straw bedding. MH 104
20. \_\_\_\_\_ hay is cut from permanent pasture and includes a great variety of grasses.  
HN p.43
21. How much is allowed off recorded height if horse is shod?  
a. 1/2 inch  
b. 12 mm  
c. 1.2 cm  
d. all of the above MH 190
22. Cracked heels are caused by:  
a. an infection such as eczema  
b. chapping of the skin resulting from the failure to dry the heels properly after work or washing  
c. both a and b  
d. neither a nor b MH 280
23. Which of the following is a drainage bedding:  
a. wood shavings  
b. peat moss  
c. straw  
d. none of the previous HN 26
24. Which of the following are not laxative and not suitable for feeding a sick horse?  
a. green grass  
b. linseed mash  
c. boiled barley  
d. flaked maize HN p.125
25. The buffer is used for:  
a. raising the clenches or cutting them off along with the use of the driving hammer.  
b. taking the hot shoe to the foot.  
c. making a bed for the clenches.  
d. reducing the overgrowth of horn. MH 162
26. While conditioning a soft horse you should check everyday for:  
a. a frothy sweat  
b. muscle development  
c. girth galls  
d. a decrease in fat NZ#2 p.89

27. A New Zealand rug is:  
 a. designed for wear in the stable.  
 b. worn for protection against dust and flies.  
 c. made of woollen material.  
 d. of waterproof canvas and partially lined with woollen material. HN p.88
28. Which list of bits is in correct order from mildest to most severe?  
 1) Dr. Bristol                      2) French snaffle  
 3) Half-moon snaffle            4) Jointed loose ring snaffle
- a. 4,3,2,1  
 b. 2,3,4,1  
 c. 3,2,4,1  
 d. 1,2,2,4 MH p.228, NZ#1 p.178, NZ#2 p.263
29. Cow hocks are:  
 a. when the toes of the hind turn in.  
 b. when the toes of the hind turn out.  
 c. when the toes of the front turn out.  
 d. when the hocks are straight. MH 195
30. What is the distance between trotting poles for a horse?  
 a. 4.5-5 feet  
 b. 4-4.5 feet  
 c. 4-5 meters  
 d. 9-10 feet MH 70
31. How long is an average horse's stride? MH 86
32. What is the purpose of a standing martingale? S 50
33. Explain the deep litter system. MH 106
34. What is meant by 'cast'? (referring to a box stall) MH 313
35. What is bishoping? HN p. 149
36. What are two types of colic? HN p.228
37. Give three symptoms of equine influenza? HN p.233
38. What is mud fever? HN p.219
39. What is thrush caused by? MH 287