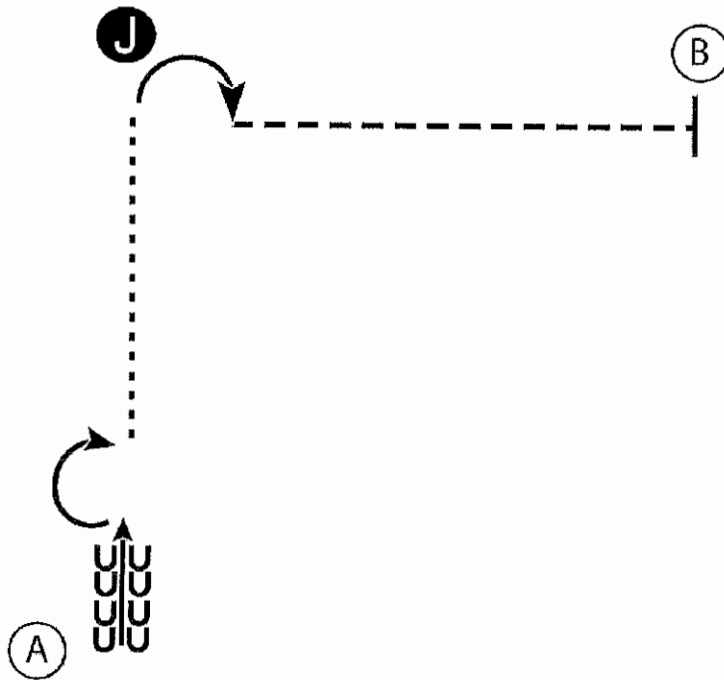


# Showmanship (8-10)

Show Date:

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1. Back 4 steps at A
2. Perform a 180 degree turn
3. Walk to the judge and set up for inspection
4. When dismissed perform a 90 degree turn and trot to B
5. Stop at B

Walk

Trot

Back

Marker

Judge

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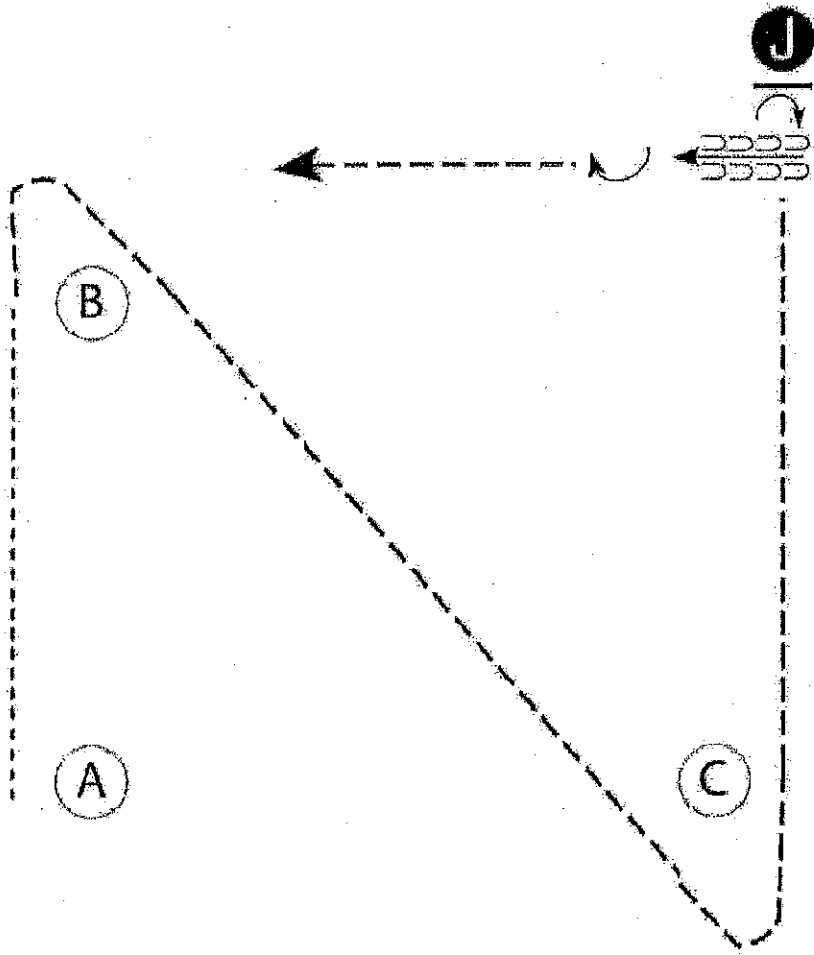
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# Showmanship - Junior 11-13

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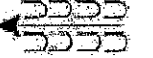


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Be ready at A.

1. Walk to B.
2. Trot around B and C and straight to Judge.
3. Stop and set up for inspection.
4. When dismissed, turn 1/4 turn to the right.
5. Back one horse length.
6. Perform a 180 degree turn.
7. Trot straight away to finish.

Follow the instructions of your ring steward.

Walk   
 Trot   
 Back   
 Marker   
 Judge 

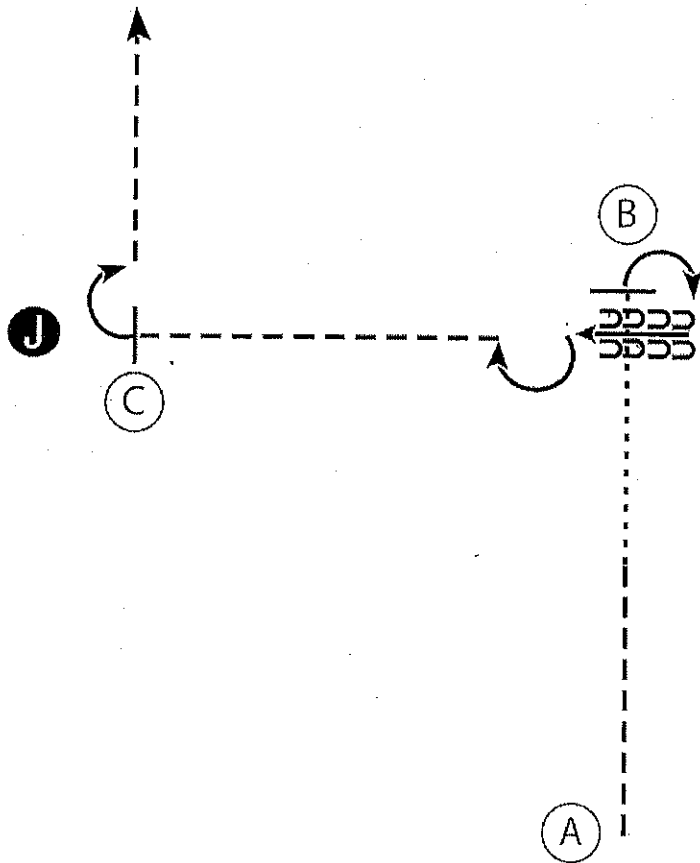
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## Showmanship (Senior)

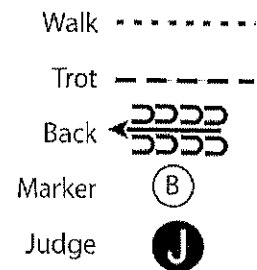
Show Date: July

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1. Trot from A half way to B.
2. Break to walk and walk to B.
3. Stop and perform a 90 degree turn.
4. Back four steps and perform a 180 degree turn.
5. Trot to C. Stop and set up for inspection.
6. When dismissed perform a 90 degree turn.
7. Trot to line-up.

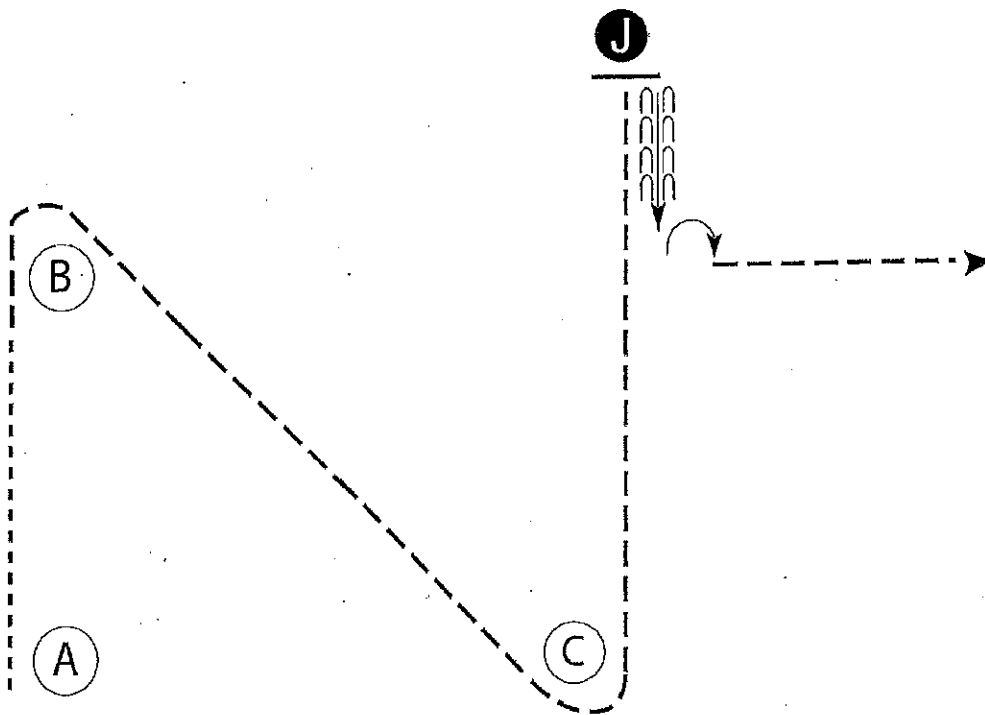


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## Showmanship – Yearling-at-Halter



Be ready at A.

1. Walk to B.
2. Trot around B and C and straight to judge.
3. Stop and set up for inspection.
4. When dismissed, back one horse length.
5. Perform a 90 degree turn.
6. Trot straight away to finish.

Walk	-----
Trot	- - - - -
Back	←
Marker	⊙ B
Judge	● J

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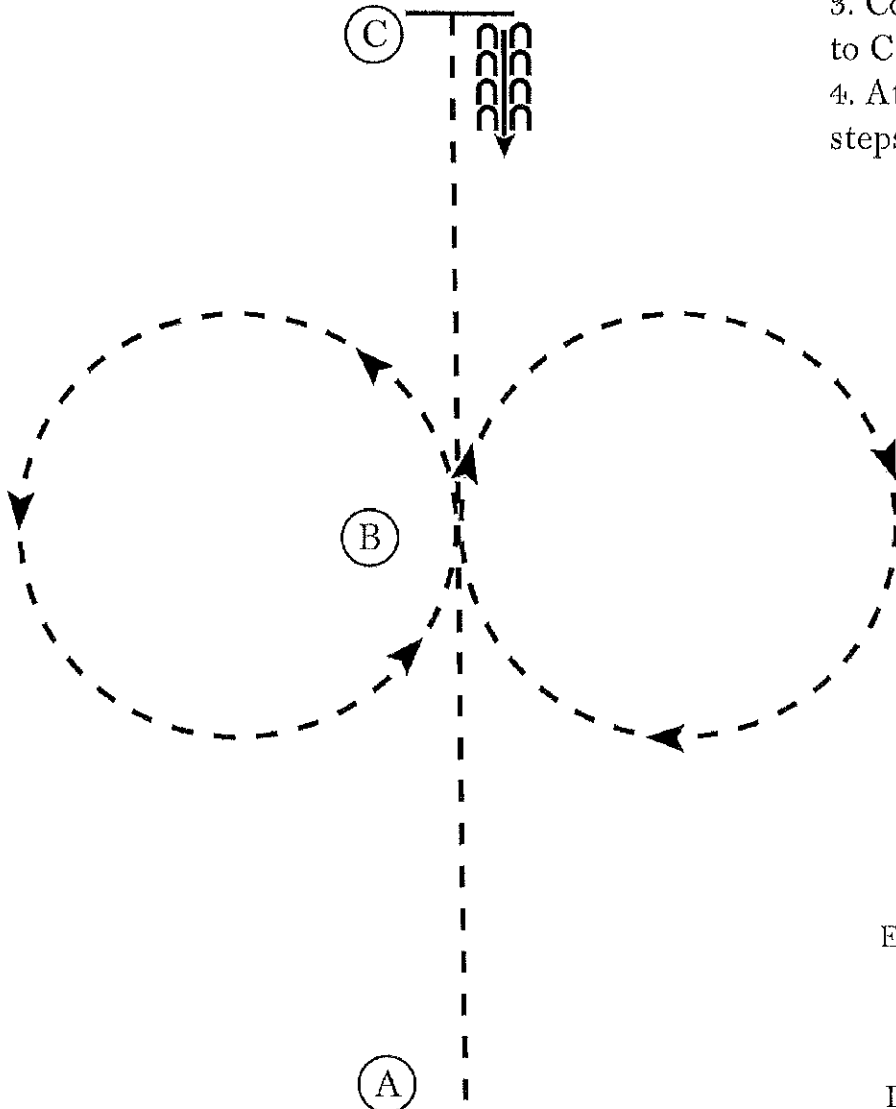
# Western Horsemanship (Level 1)

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1. Jog A to B
2. At B perform a figure eight, beginning to the right
3. Continue the jog from B to C
4. At C stop and back 4 steps



Walk	.....
Jog	- - - - -
Extended Jog	— — — — —
Lope	—————
Leg Yield	
Lead Change	— / —
Back	←←←←← C C C C C
Marker	(B)
Sidepass	← — — — — →

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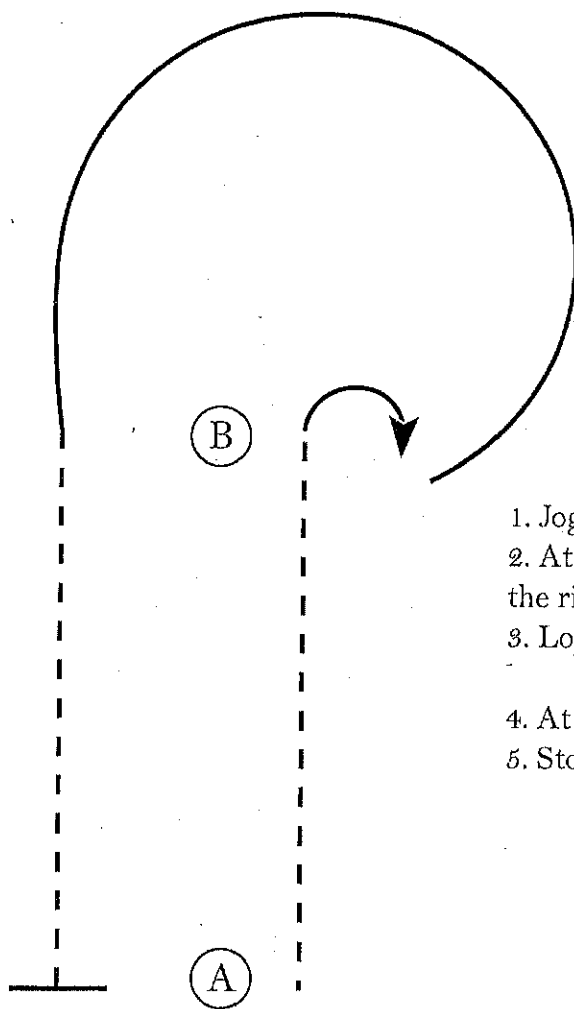
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1. Jog A to B
2. At B perform a 90 degree turn to the right
3. Lope a circle around B
4. At B jog to A
5. Stop at A.

Walk	.....
Jog	-----
Extended Jog	-----
Lope	—————
Leg Yield	
Lead Change	↖↗
Back	←←←←
Marker	⊙
Sidepass	←←←←

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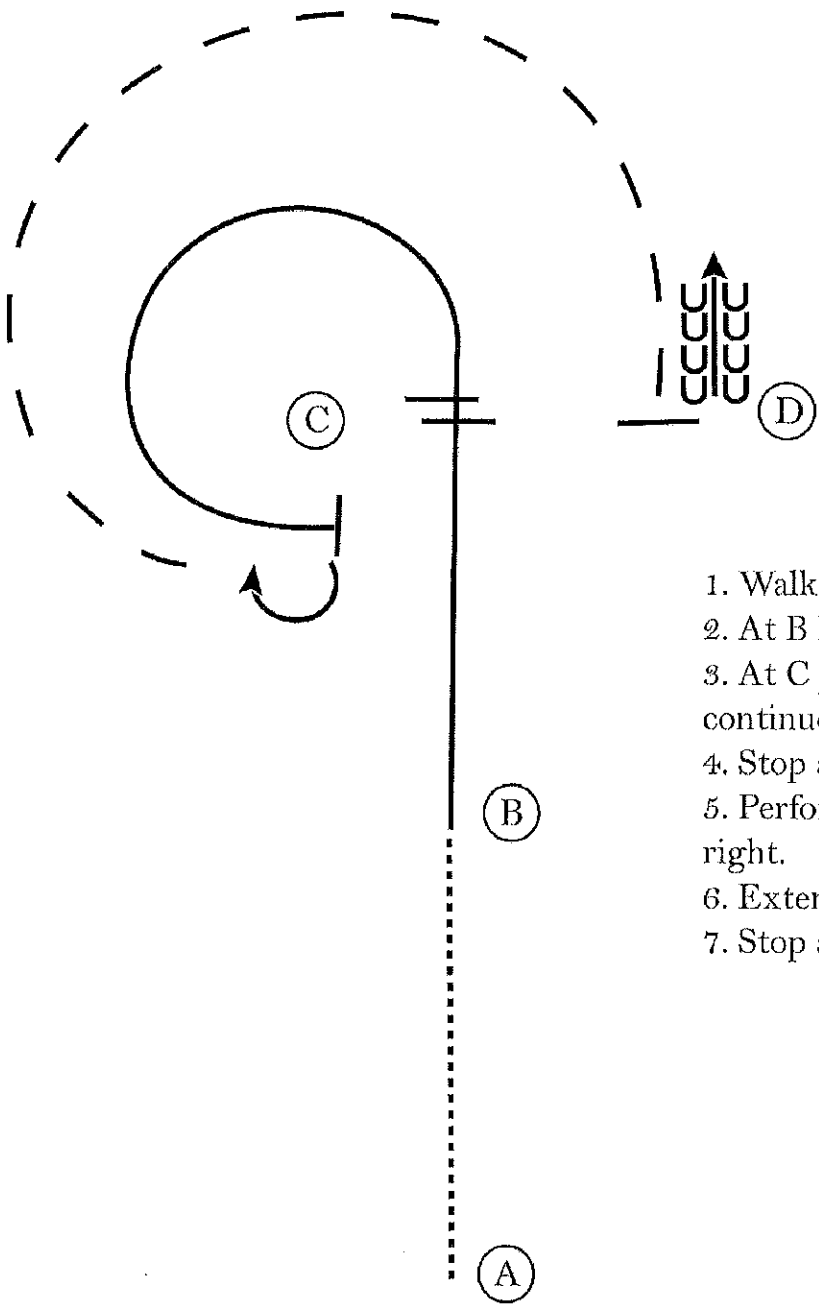
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# Western Horsemanship (Level 3)

Show Date:

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1. Walk A to B.
2. At B lope on the right lead to C.
3. At C perform a lead change and continue on the left lead around C.
4. Stop at C.
5. Perform a 180 degree turn to the right.
6. Extend the jog around C.
7. Stop at D and back 4 steps.

Walk	.....
Jog	-----
Extended Jog	-----
Lope	—————
Leg Yield	
Lead Change	↘
Back	←←←←
Marker	(B)
Sidepass	←---→

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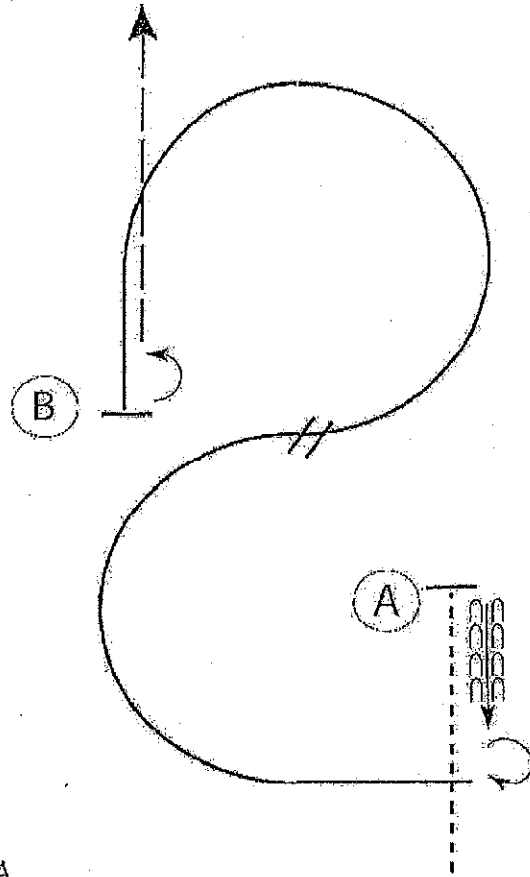
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# Western Horsemanship, Level 4

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Be ready before marker A.

1. Walk to A.
2. Stop and back approximately one horse length.
3. Execute a 3/4 turn to the right and lope on the right lead.
4. Change leads and lope on the left lead to B.
5. Stop at B and execute a 1/2 turn to the left.
6. Extend the trot to exit.

Follow the instructions of your ring steward.

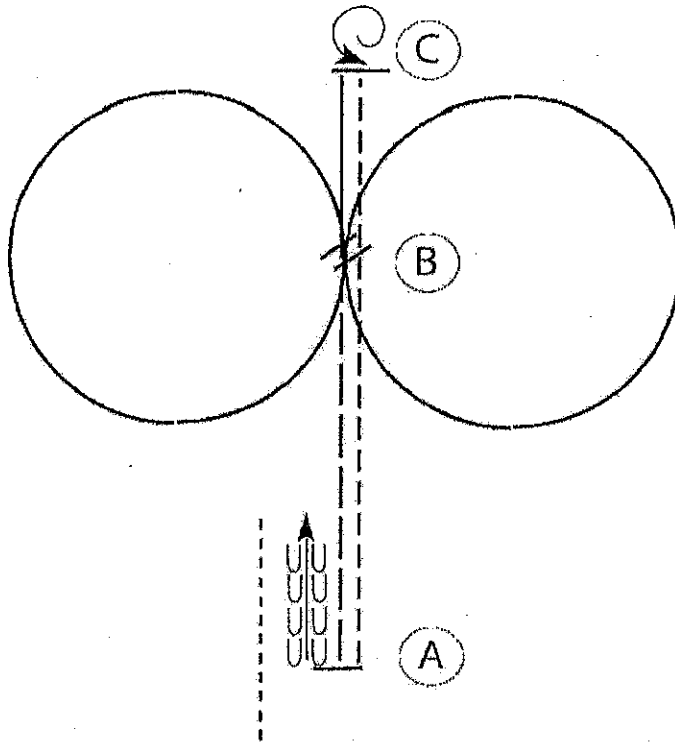
Walk	-----
Jog	- - - - -
Extended Jog	— — — — —
Lope	—————
Leg Yield	
Lead Change	— / —
Back	← ← ← ← ←
Marker	Ⓚ
Sidepass	← — — — — →



# Western Horsemanship, Level 5

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Be ready at A.

1. Jog from A to C.
2. Stop at C and spin 1 1/2 turns to the left.
3. Lope on the left lead to B.
4. Lope a circle with increased speed to the left.
5. Simple lead change at B and slow to a lope.
6. Lope a circle to the right.
7. Extended jog from B to A.
8. Stop at A and back approximately one horse length.
9. Walk to A and exit at a walk.

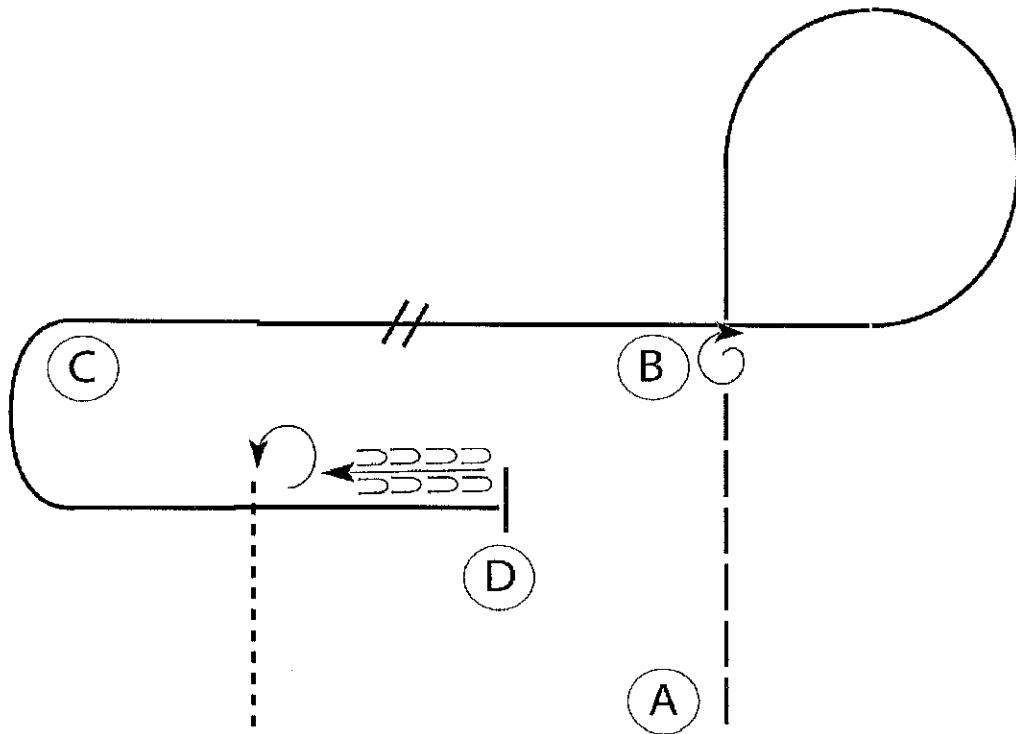
Follow the instructions of your ring steward.

Walk	.....
Jog	-----
Extended Jog	-----
Lope	—————
Leg Yield	
Lead Change	⚡
Back	←←←←←
Marker	⊙ B
Sidepass	▲      ▲

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# Western Horsemanship (Level 6)

Show Date:



Be ready at A.

1. Extend the jog from A to B.
2. Stop at B and complete a 360 degree spin right.
3. Lope a large fast circle to the right.
4. At B, slow to a lope.
5. Halfway between B and C, *flying* lead change
6. Lope on the left lead to D.
7. Stop at D and back approximately one horse length.
8. Spin 3/4 turn to the left and walk off.

Follow the instructions of your ring steward.

Walk	-----
Jog	- - - - -
Extended Jog	— — — — —
Lope	—————
Leg Yield	
Lead Change	↗ ↘
Back	← ← ← ← ←
Marker	(B)
Sidepass	← ← ← ← ←

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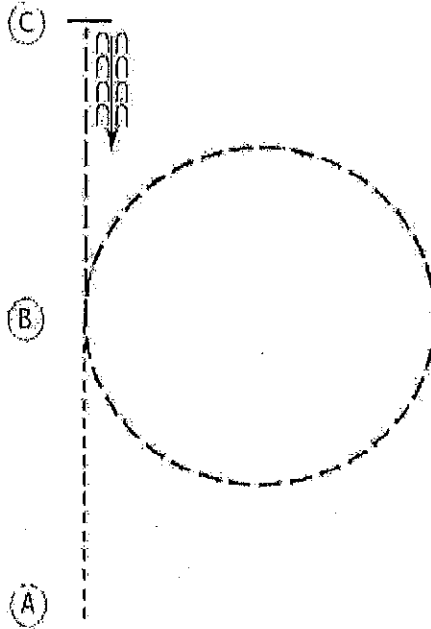
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# English Horsemanship, Level 1

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Be ready at A.

1. Walk from A to B.
2. At B, perform a posting trot circle to the right.
3. Return to B and perform a sitting trot to C.
4. Stop at C and back approximately one horse length.

Follow the instructions of your ring steward.

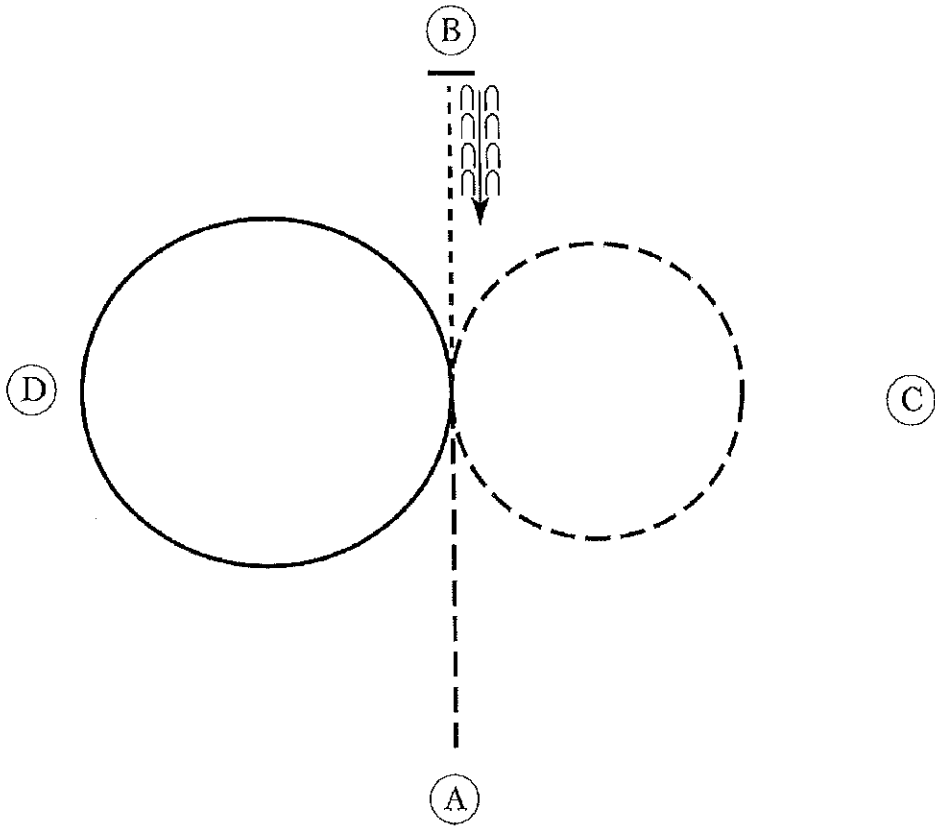
Walk	.....
Trot	-----
Extended Trot	-----
Canter	-----
Leg Yield	
Lead Change	↖ ↗
Back	⤴
March	Ⓚ
Sidepass	↔
Hand Gallop	-----

# English Horsemanship (Level 2)

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Be ready with your horse's tail to A.

1. Sitting trot halfway to B.
2. Rising trot circle to right.
3. Canter a circle to the left.
4. Working walk to B.
5. Stop in front of B and back approximately one horse length.

Follow the directions of your ring steward.

Walk	-----
Trot	- - - - -
Extended Trot	— — — —
Canter	— — — —
Lead Change	
Back	
Marker	(B)
Hand Gallop	— — — —

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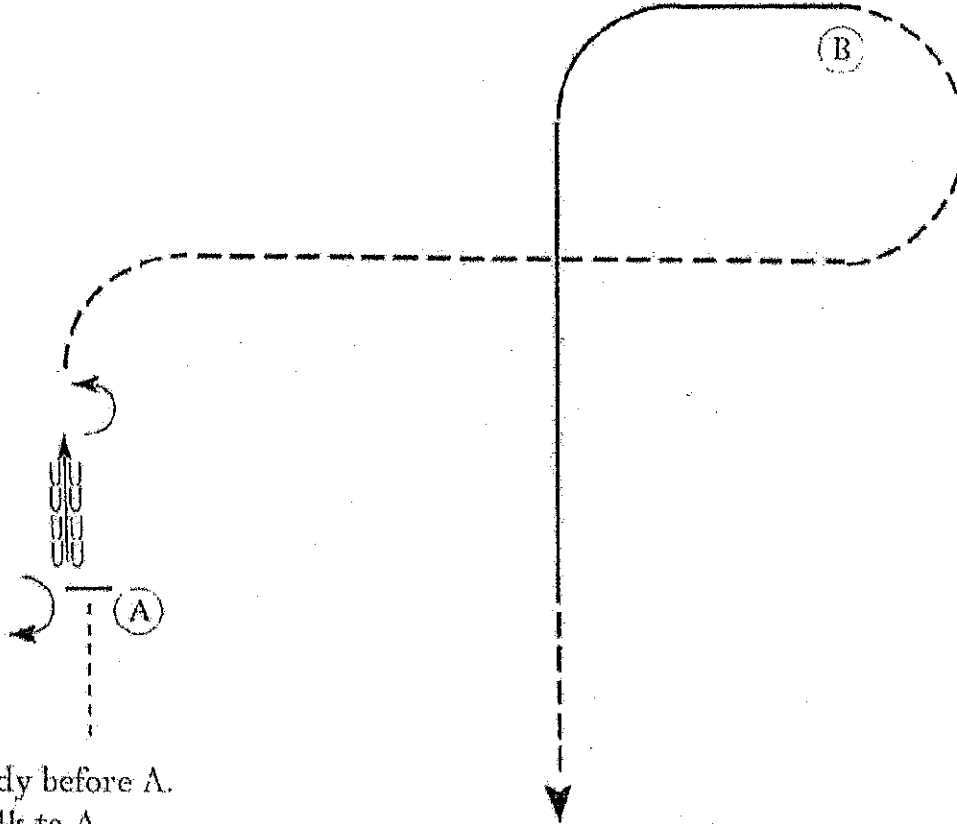
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# English Horsemanship, Level 3

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Be ready before A.

1. Walk to A.
2. Perform a 180 degree turn on the forehand right.
3. Back approximately one horse length.
4. Perform a 180 degree turn on the forehand left.
5. Posting trot on the left diagonal to center of pattern.
6. Change diagonals at center. Trot on the right diagonal to B.
7. Canter on the left lead until even with A.
8. Sitting trot three strides past A.

Follow the instructions of your ring steward.

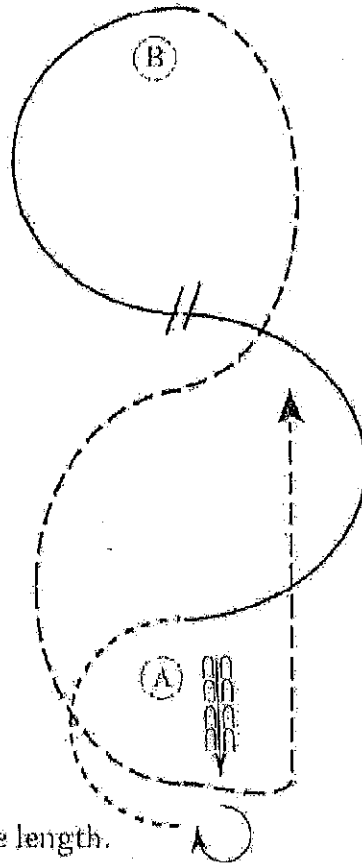
Walk	-----
Trot	- - - - -
Extended Trot	—————
Canter	
Leg Yield	
Lead Change	
Back	←←←←←
Marker	Ⓚ
Sidepass	↔ ↔
Hand Gallop	—————

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# English Horsemanship, Level 4

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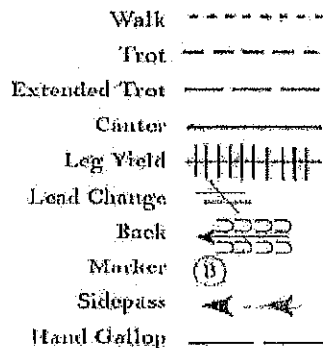


Be ready at A.

1. Back approximately one horse length.
2. Perform a 3/4 turn on the forehand right.
3. Walk around A.
4. Canter on the left lead in a half circle.
5. Change leads and canter on the right lead to B.
6. Break to a posting trot and trot a serpentine to A showing a change of diagonals in center.
7. At A, sitting trot around corner toward B.

Pattern is over once you have trotted past the center point of the pattern.

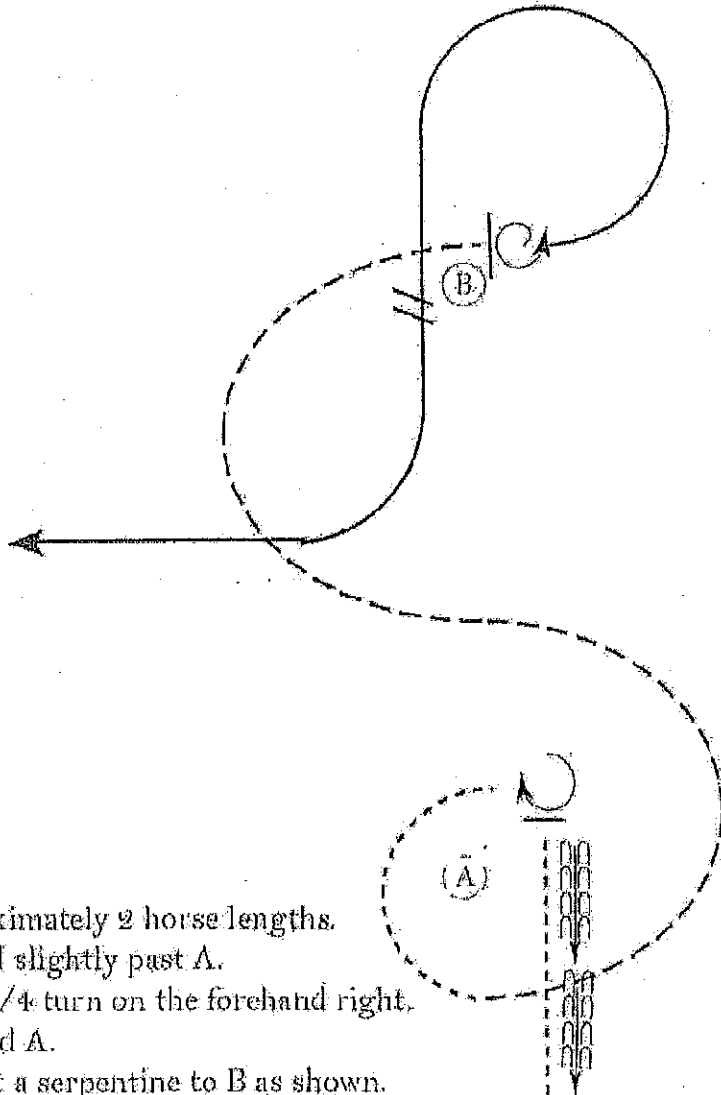
Follow the instructions of your ring steward.



# English Horsemanship, Level 5

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Be ready at A.

1. Back approximately 2 horse lengths.
2. Walk to and slightly past A.
3. Perform a 3/4 turn on the forehand right.
4. Walk around A.
5. Posting trot a serpentine to B as shown.
6. Halt at B. Perform a full turn on the forehand left.
7. Canter on the left lead in a circle to B.
8. Change leads at B and canter on the right lead to exit as shown.

Follow the instructions of your ring steward.

Walk	-----
Trot	- - - - -
Extended Trot	-----
Canter	
Leg Yield	
Lead Change	↙ ↘
Back	← ← ← ←
Marker	Ⓚ
Sidepass	↔
Hand Gallop	-----

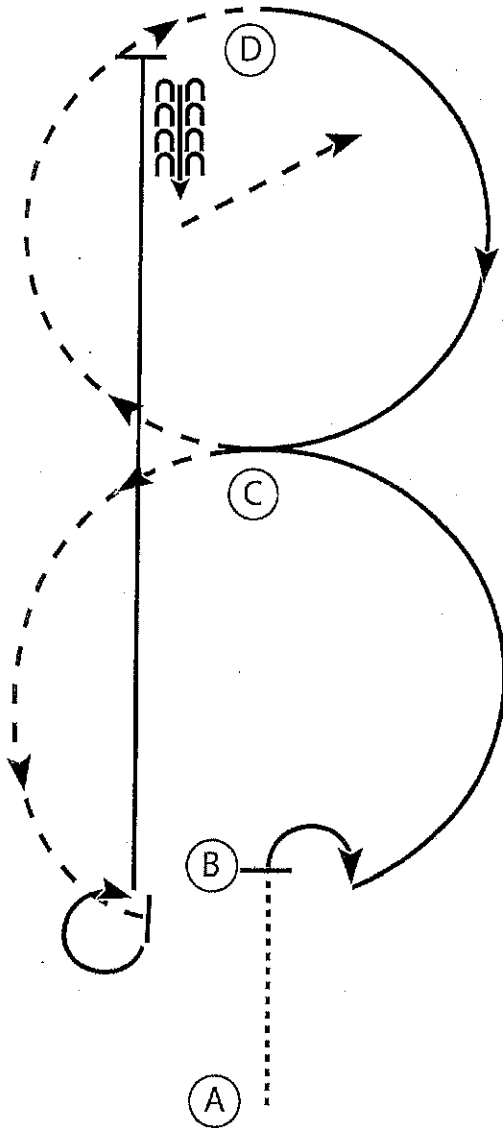
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## English Horsemanship (Level 6)

Show Date: July

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1. Walk A to B
2. At B stop and perform a 90 degree turn to the right
3. Canter on the left lead in a half circle to C
4. At C posting trot in a half circle to D on the left diagonal
5. At D counter canter on the left lead in a half circle to C
6. At C posting trot a half circle to before B on the right diagonal
7. Before B stop and perform a 270 degree turn to the right
8. Hand gallop to D
9. At D stop and back 4 steps
10. Sitting trot to exit

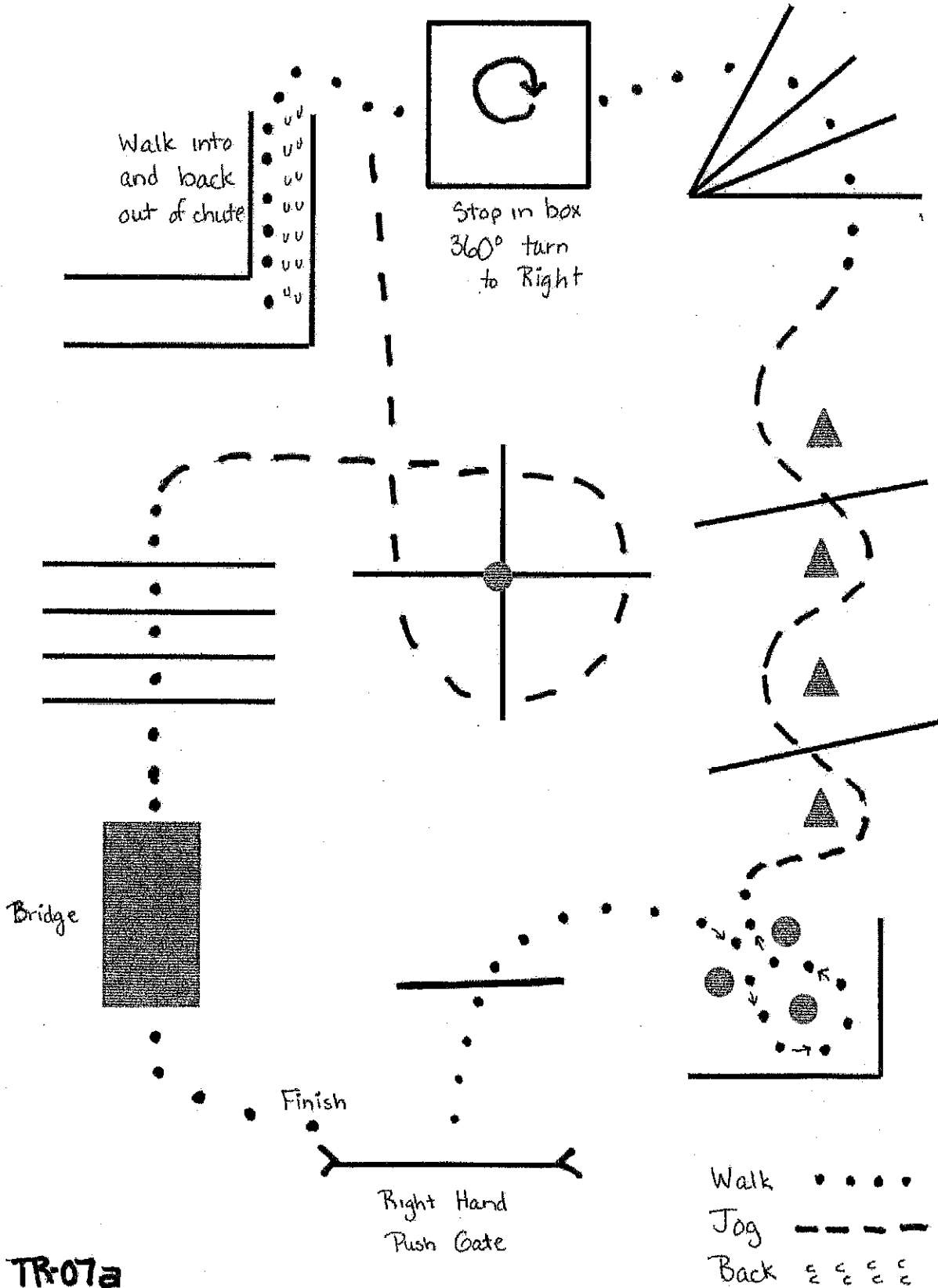
Walk	.....
Trot	-----
Extended Trot	-----
Canter	—————
Leg Yield	
Lead Change	///
Back	←←←
Marker	⊙
Sidepass	←-----

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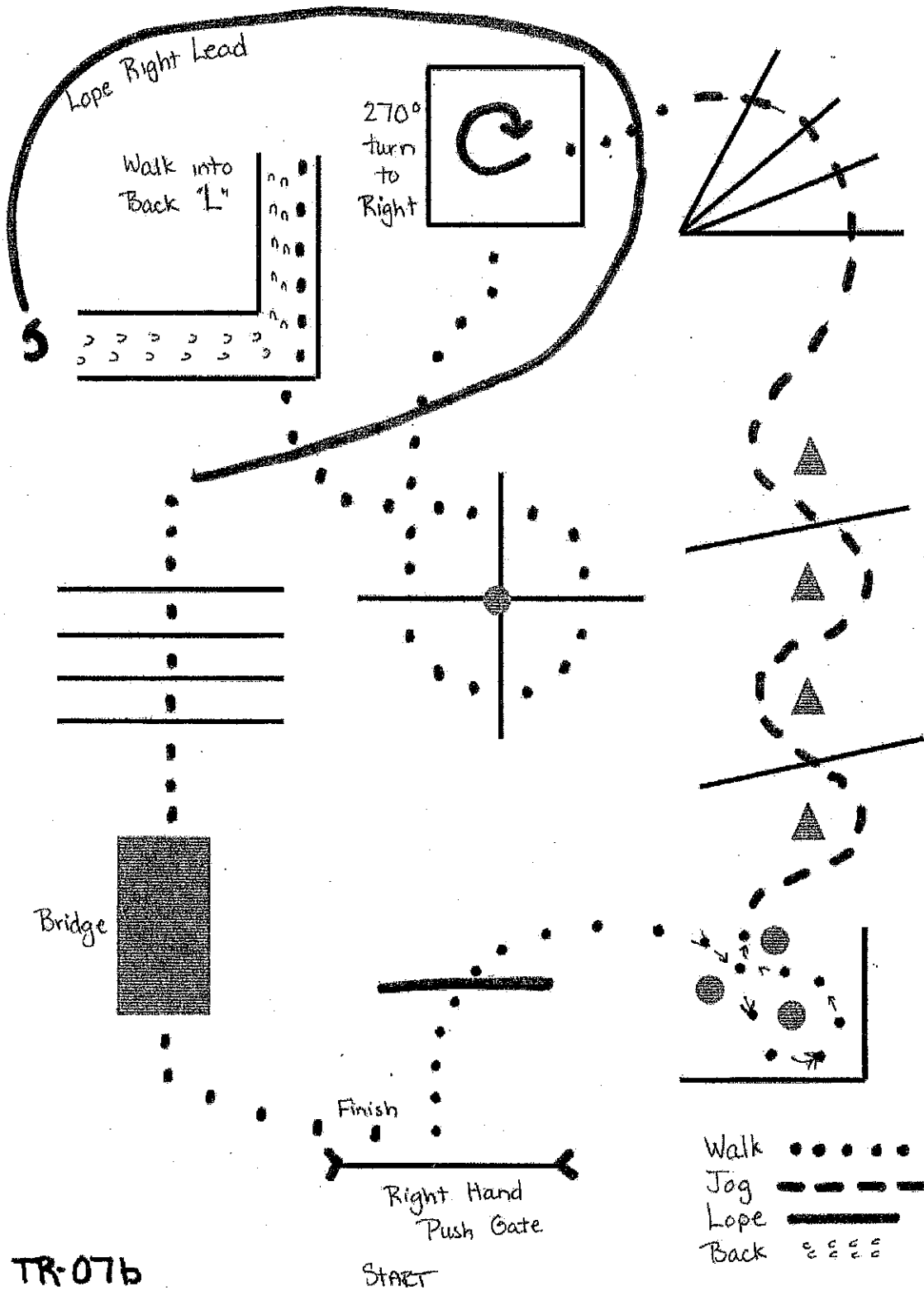
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# Trail - Pre-Jr 8-10

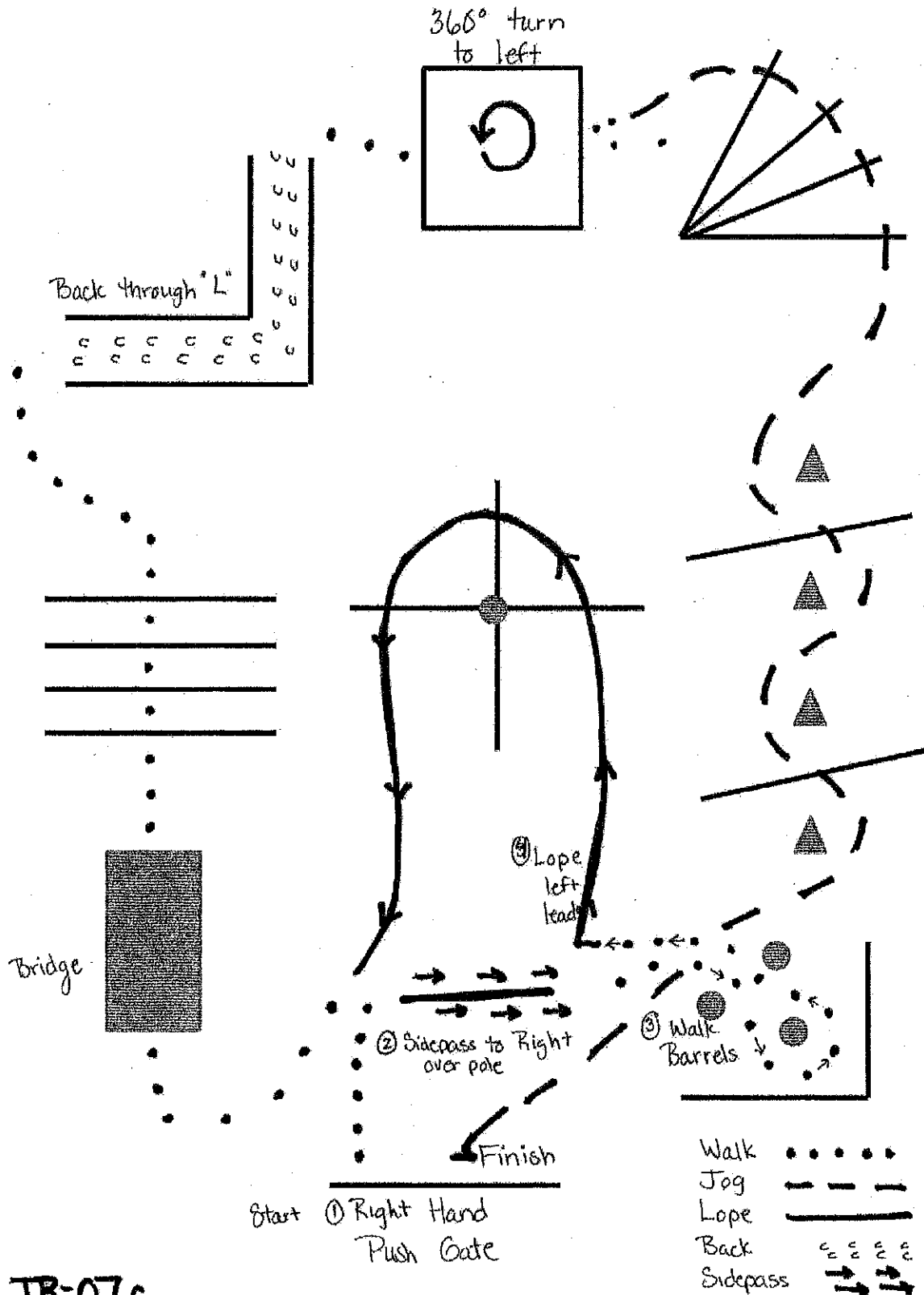


# Trail - Junior 11-13



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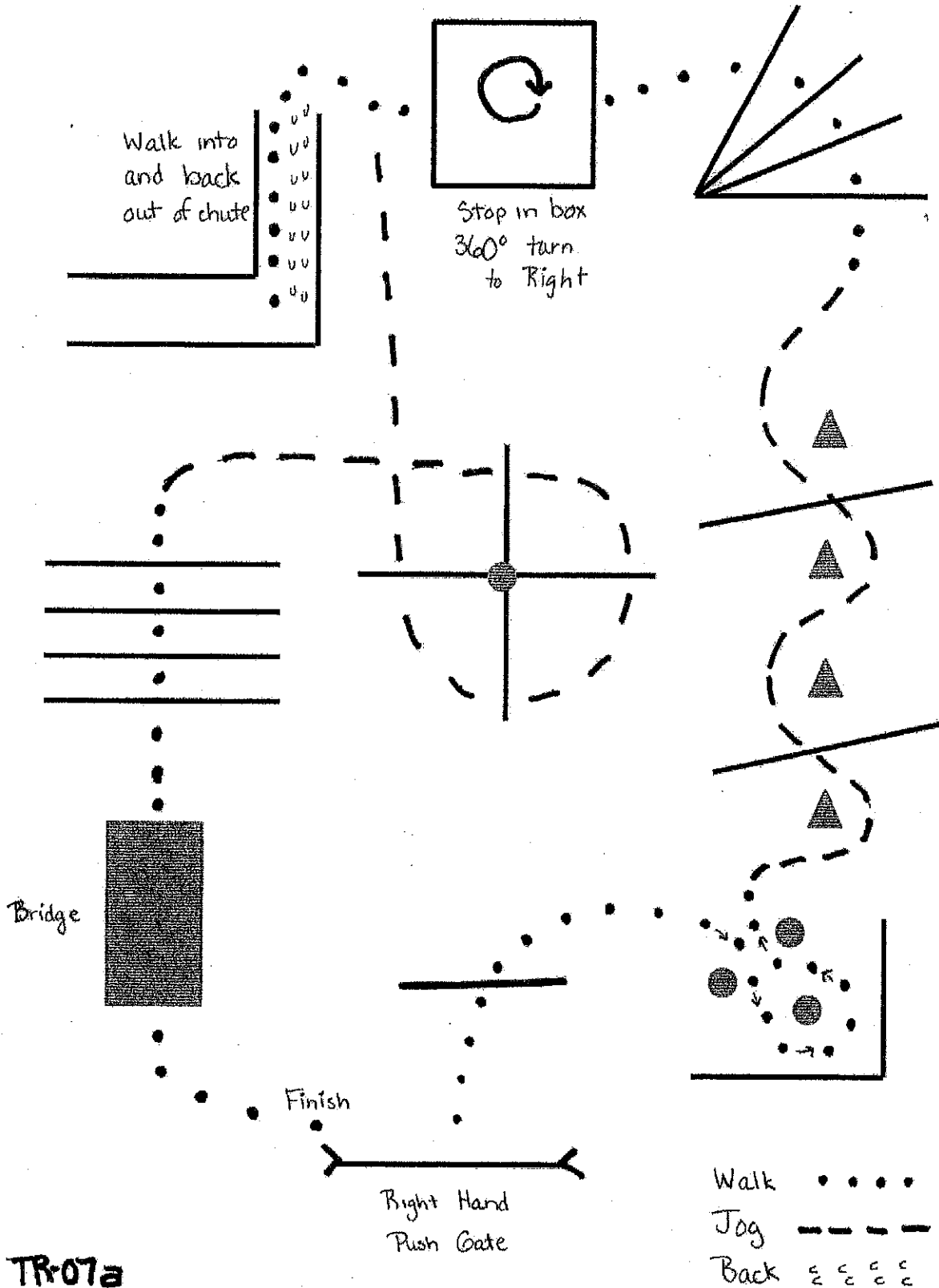
# Trail - Senior 14 and Over



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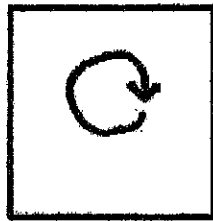
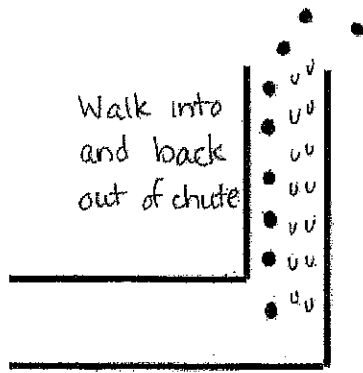
- Walk ..... (dotted line)
- Jog - - - - - (dashed line)
- Lope \_\_\_\_\_ (solid line)
- Back    e e e e e (line with small circles)
- Sidepass → → → (line with arrows)

# Trail - Yearling

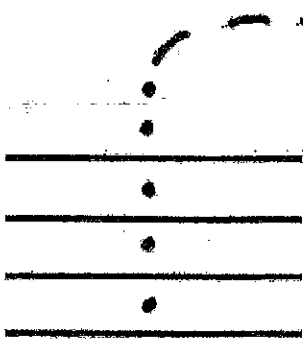
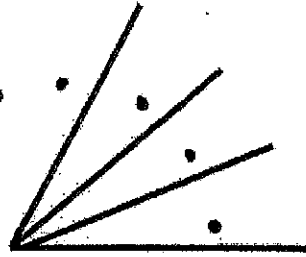


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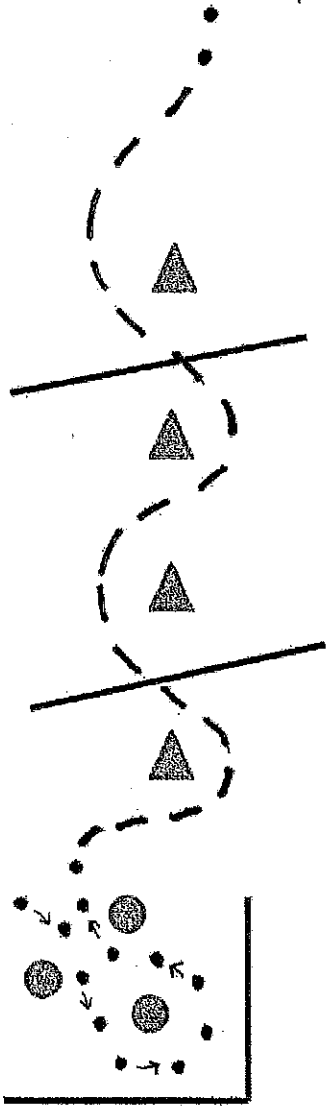
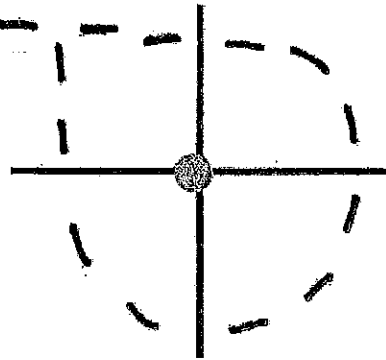
# In-hand Trail 2024



Stop in box  
360° turn  
to Right



Bridge



Finish



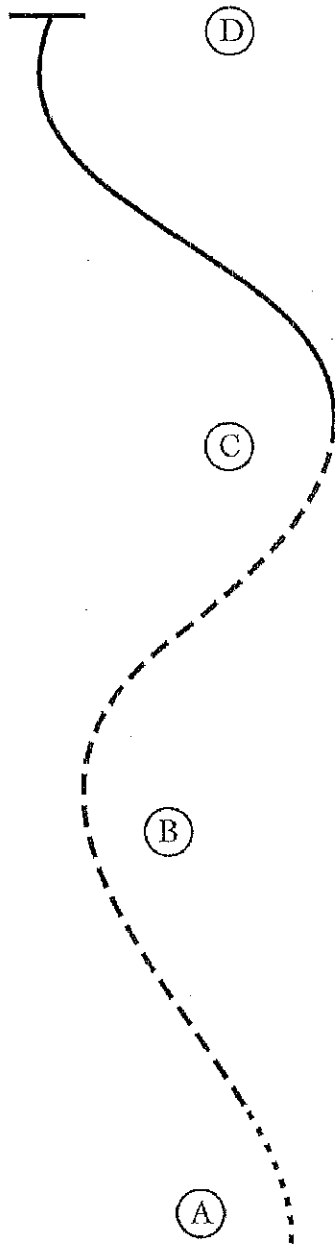
Right Hand  
Push Gate

- Walk     • • • •
- Jog     - - - -
- Back    ε ε ε ε

**2-Year-Old  
Colt to Maturity  
Is Rail Work  
(No Pattern)**

# Colt To Maturity 3-year/Green Horse Level 2

Show Date:



1. At A walk two strides
2. Jog to C
3. At C lope on the right lead to D
4. At D stop

Walk	.....
Jog	-----
Extended Jog	—————
Lope	—————
Leg Yield	
Lead Change	↙
Back	← ← ←
Marker	(B)
Sidepass	←-----→

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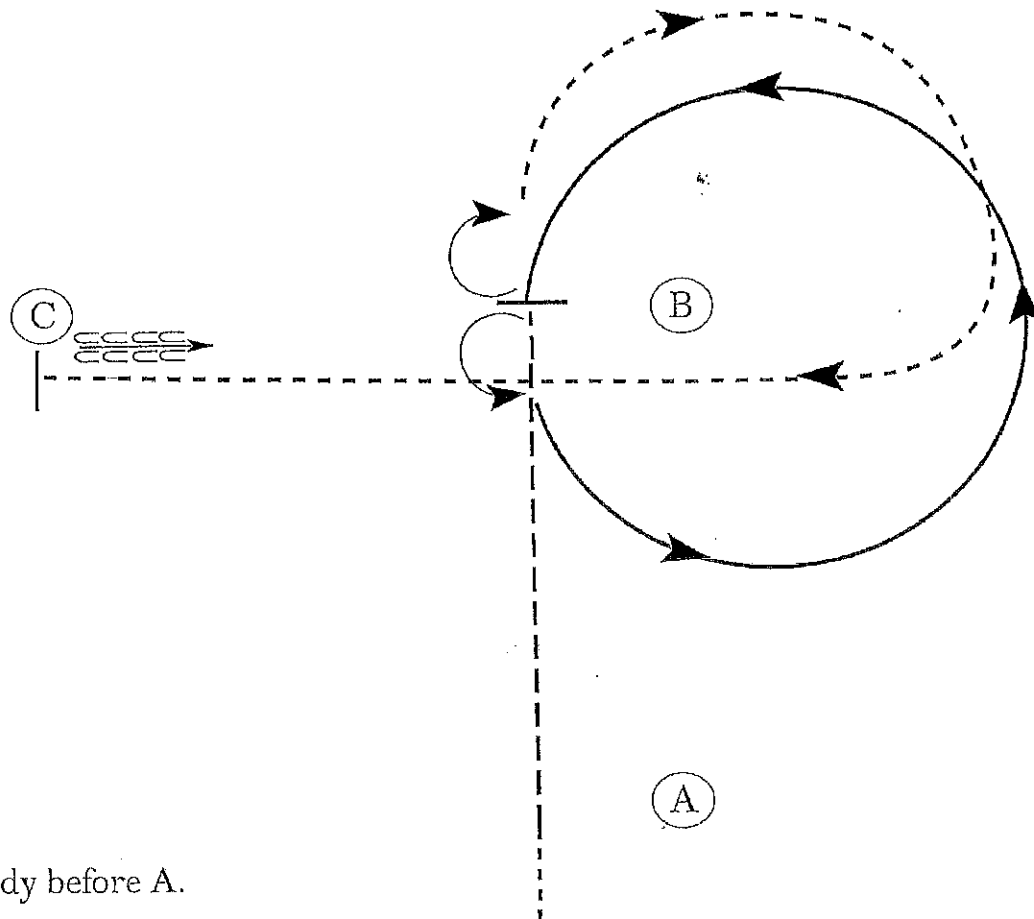
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## Colt to Maturity 4-year/Green Horse Level 3

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Be ready before A.

1. Walk to A.
2. Jog to B. Stop and turn 180 degrees left.
3. Lope a circle to the left on the left lead.
4. Stop at B. Turn 180 degrees to the right.
5. Perform an extended jog circle to the right.
6. Slow to the jog at B.
7. Jog to C.
8. Stop at C and back approximately one horse length.

Follow the instructions of your ring steward.

Walk	-----
Jog	- - - - -
Extended Jog	-----
Lope	—————
Leg Yield	
Lead Change	↘
Back	←←←←←
Marker	⊙ B
Sidepass	←-----→

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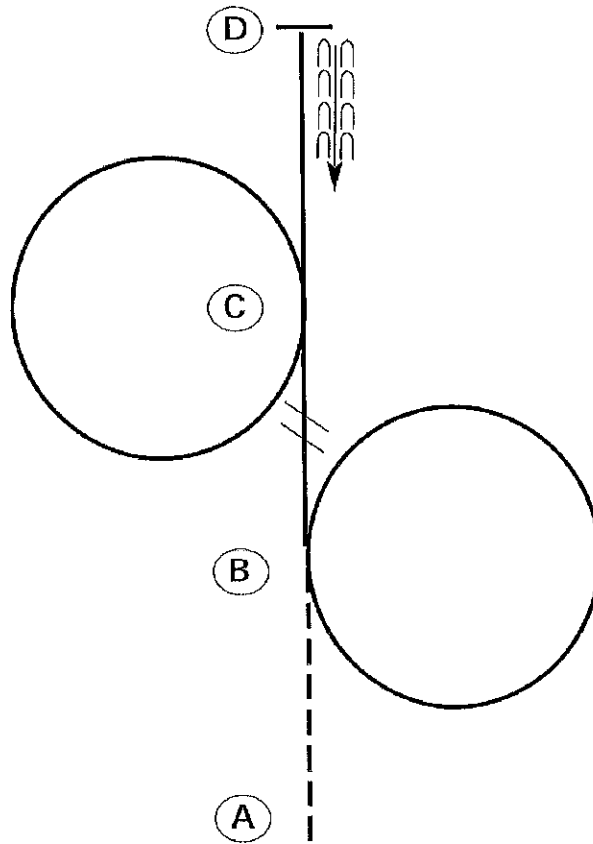


Colt to Maturity 5-year/Green Horse Level 4

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Be ready at A.

1. Jog from A to B.
2. Lope a circle to the right at B.
3. Change leads 1/2 way between B and C.
4. Lope a circle to the left at C.
5. Continue to lope to D.
6. Stop and D and back one horse length.

Retire to the rail or line up at a jog.

Walk	-----
Jog	- - - - -
Extended Jog	- - - - -
Lope	—————
Leg Yield	
Lead Change	— / —
Back	← ← ← ← ←
Marker	(B)
Sidepass	← — — — — →

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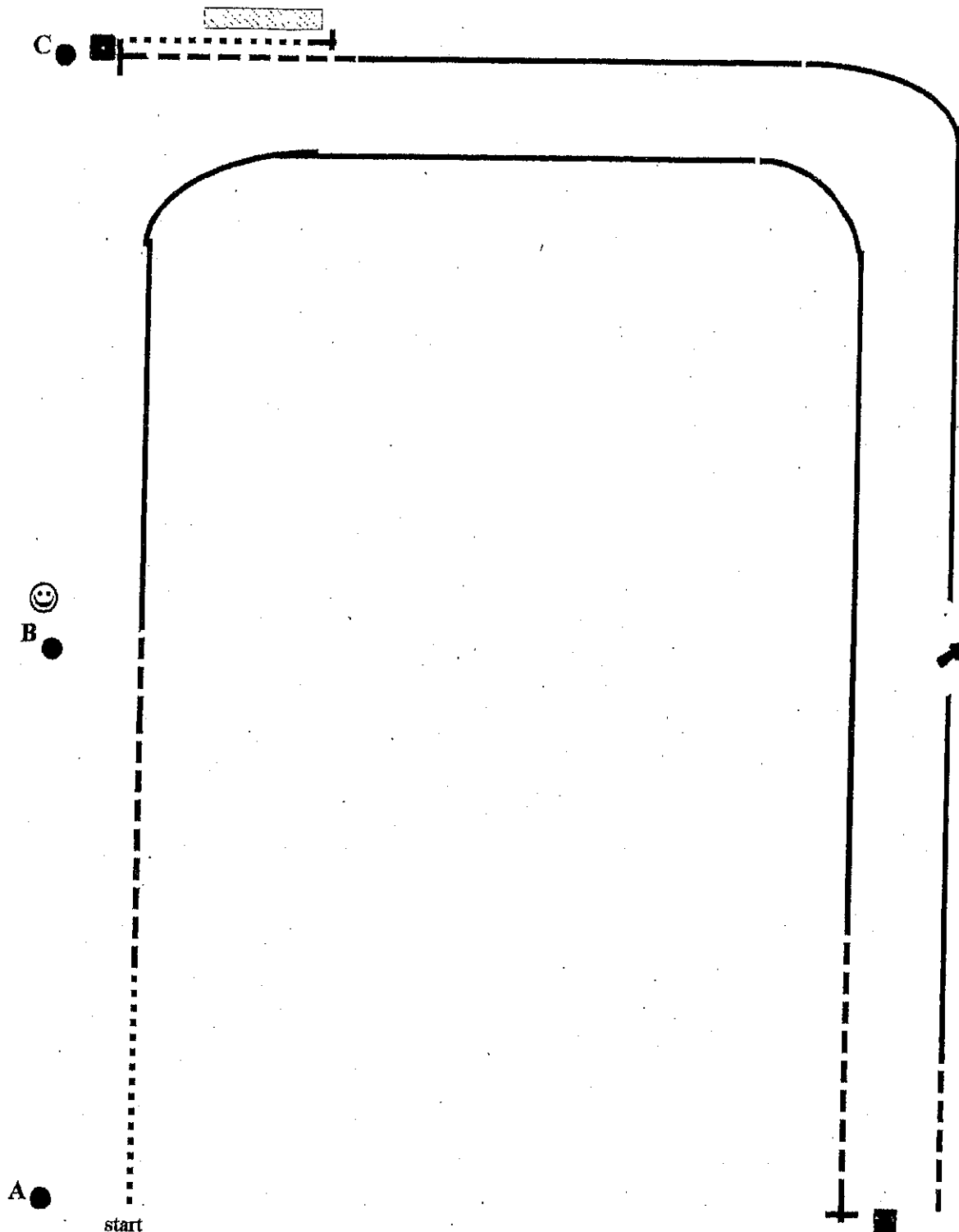
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**Green Horse  
Level 1  
Is Rail Work  
(No Pattern)**

# GREENHORSE



1. Start at marker A, walk half way to marker B, jog to marker B.
2. At marker B lope right lead around end of arena. Half way between markers B and A drop to jog and stop at marker A.
3. Do a 180° forehand turn to the left.
4. Jog a few steps then pick up right lead again. Do a simple lead change across from marker B.
5. Lope around corner. Slow to jog then stop by marker C.
6. Do a 180° right hindquarter pivot. Walk about 10 steps. Stop. Settle. Back 10 steps.

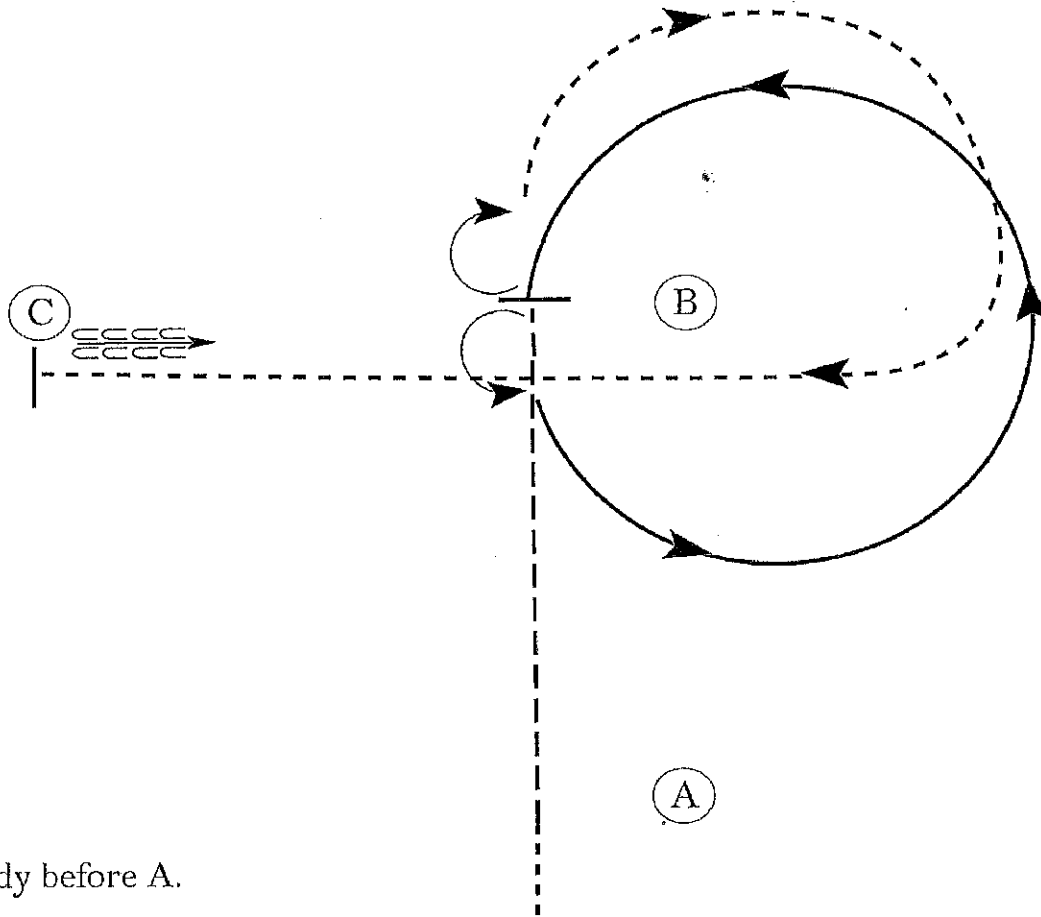
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## Colt to Maturity 4-year/Green Horse Level 3

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Be ready before A.

1. Walk to A.
2. Jog to B. Stop and turn 180 degrees left.
3. Lope a circle to the left on the left lead.
4. Stop at B. Turn 180 degrees to the right.
5. Perform an extended jog circle to the right.
6. Slow to the jog at B.
7. Jog to C.
8. Stop at C and back approximately one horse length.

Follow the instructions of your ring steward.

Walk	-----
Jog	-----
Extended Jog	-----
Lope	—————
Leg Yield	
Lead Change	—/—
Back	← ⊞ ⊞ ⊞ ⊞ ⊞
Marker	⊞
Sidepass	←-----←

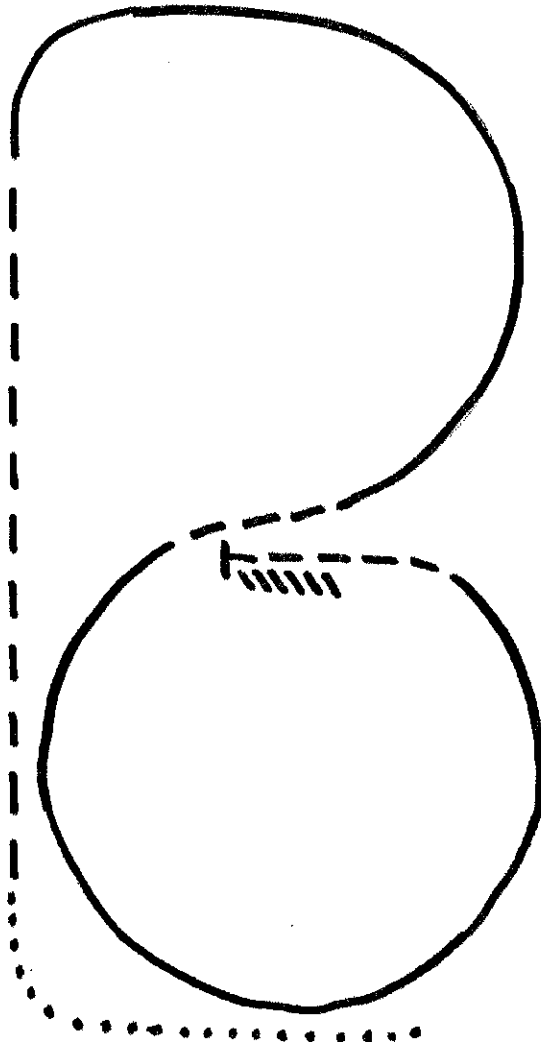
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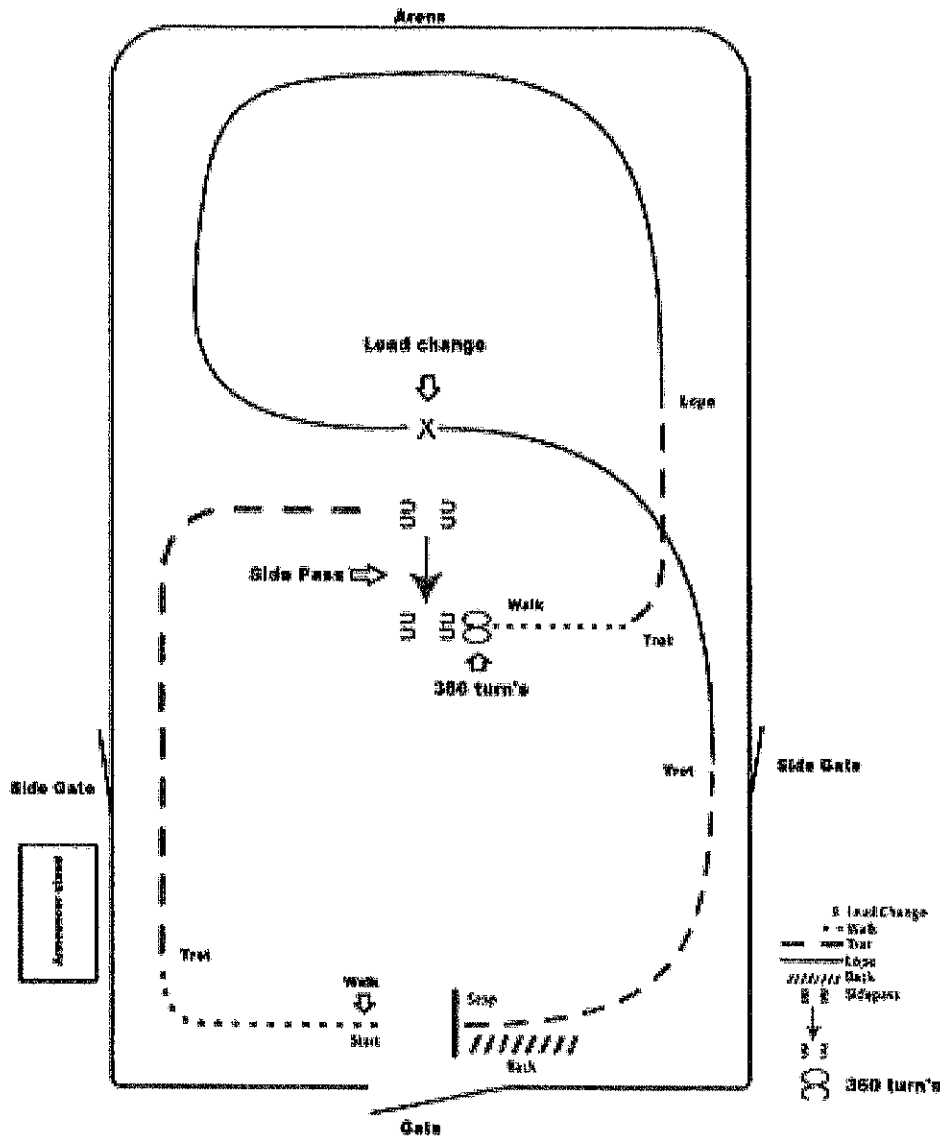
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# Ranch Horse Level 1



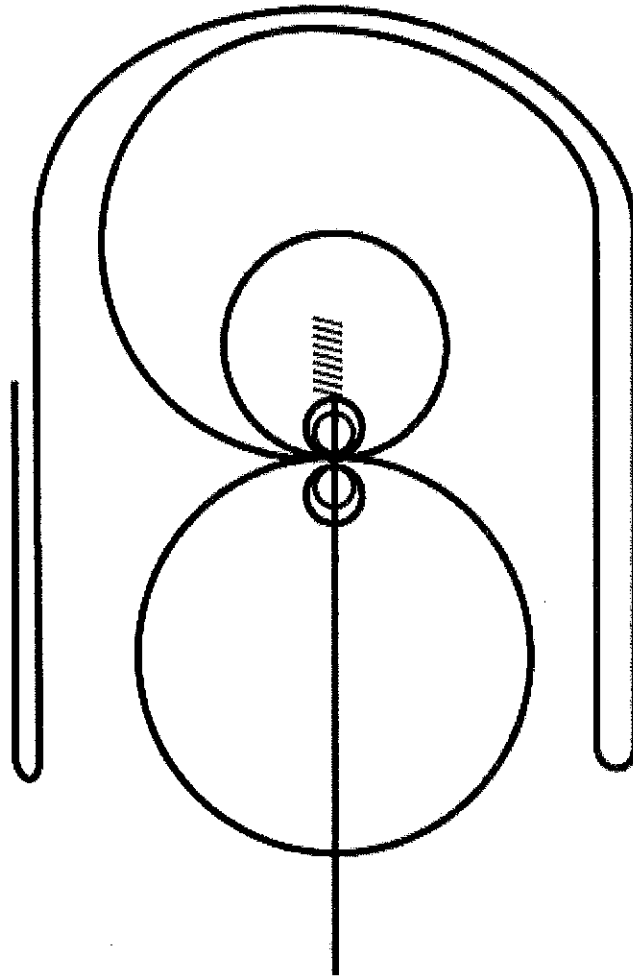
1. Walk around corner
  2. Pick up jog down fence line
  3. Lope right lead (\*or jog) around end of arena
  4. Change leads (if loping) as you cross center
  5. Lope left lead (\*or jog) in circle back to center of arena
  6. Break to jog, then stop
  7. Back
- Horsemanship Level 1 Riders may jog lope sections and will be judged accordingly (Judge will be made aware of contestant #s of Horsemanship Level 1 riders)

# Ranch Horse Level 2



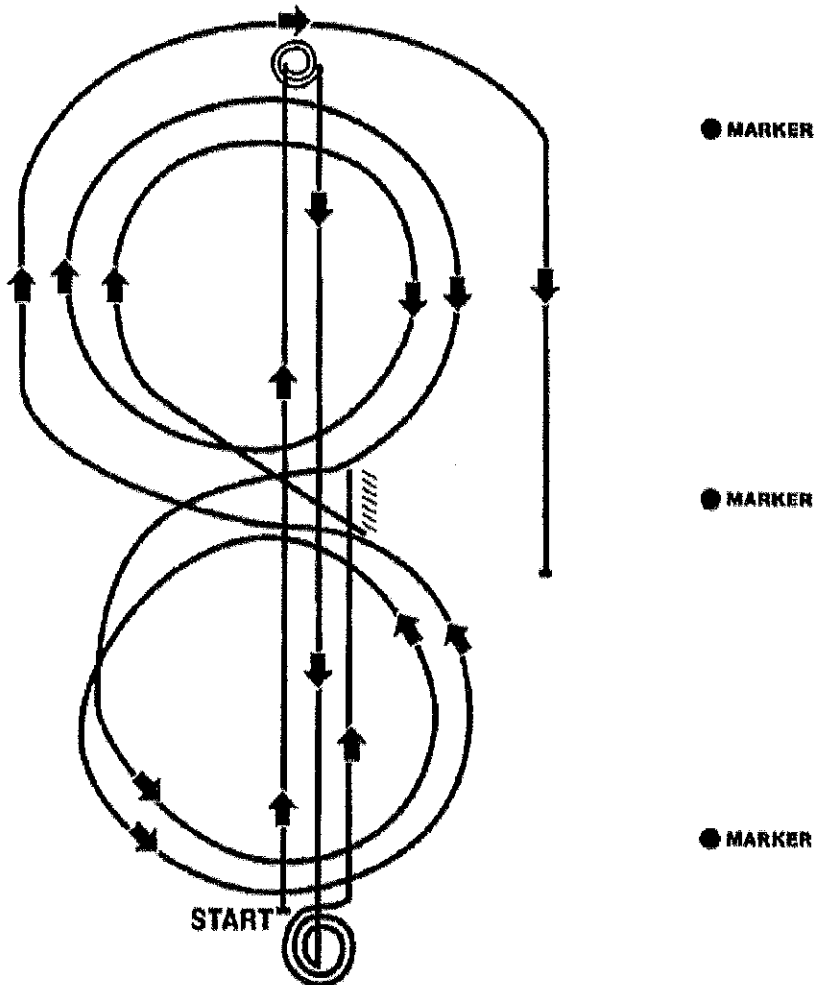
1. Walk to left around corner of arena
2. Trot alongside of the arena and around corner to center
3. Stop and Side pass to right
4. Complete 180 degree turn each way (either way 1<sup>st</sup>)
5. Walk
6. Jog
7. Lope left lead
8. Change leads (simple or flying)
9. Lope right lead
10. Extended Trot
11. Stop and Back

# Ranch Horse Level 3



1. Lope past center
2. Stop and back to center
3. Complete 1 spin to right
4. Complete 1 1/4 spins to left
5. Lope small circle to right
6. Change leads and lope large circle to left
7. Change leads and lope around end of arena
8. Stop and do a rollback
9. Lope around end of arena
10. Stop and back
11. Call for cow (if cow work is included in show)

# Ranch Horse Level 4



1. Run up center of arena past end marker and stop
2. Complete 2 ½ spins to the left
3. Run down to other end of arena, past end marker and stop
4. Complete 2 ½ spins to the right
5. Run past the center marker and stop
6. Back at least 10 feet in a straight line
7. Complete ¼ turn to the left, hesitate. Beginning on right lead – complete 2 circles to the right, the first small and slow, the second large and fast
8. Change to left lead – Lope 2 circles to the left, the first small and slow, the second large and fast
9. Change to the right lead – Lope around end of arena to the other side and stop past center marker (at least 20 ft. from the fence)
10. Hesitate to complete pattern
11. Signal to call for cow (if cattle work is included with show)



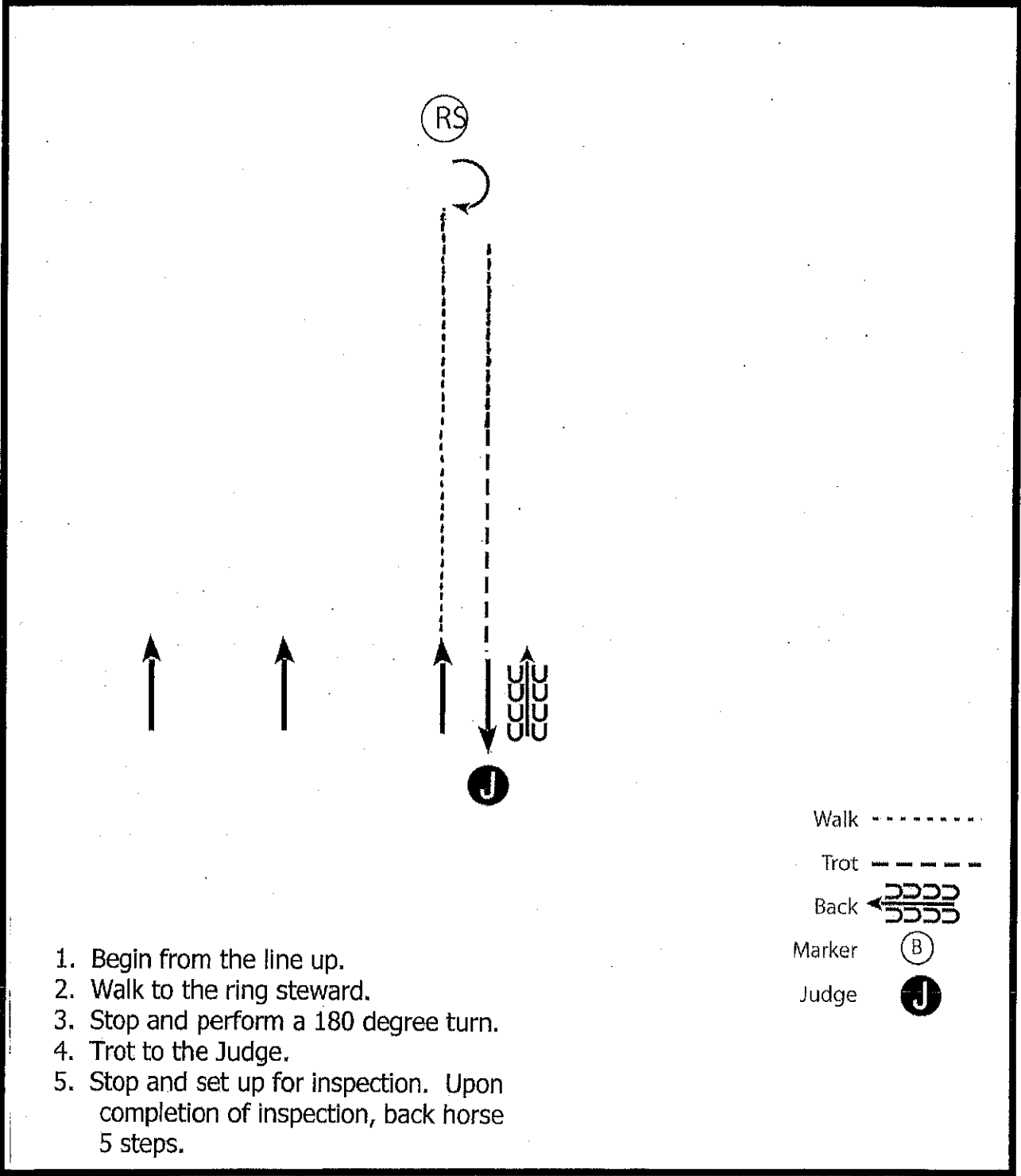
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## MINIATURE SHOWMANSHIP - AGE 13 & UNDER

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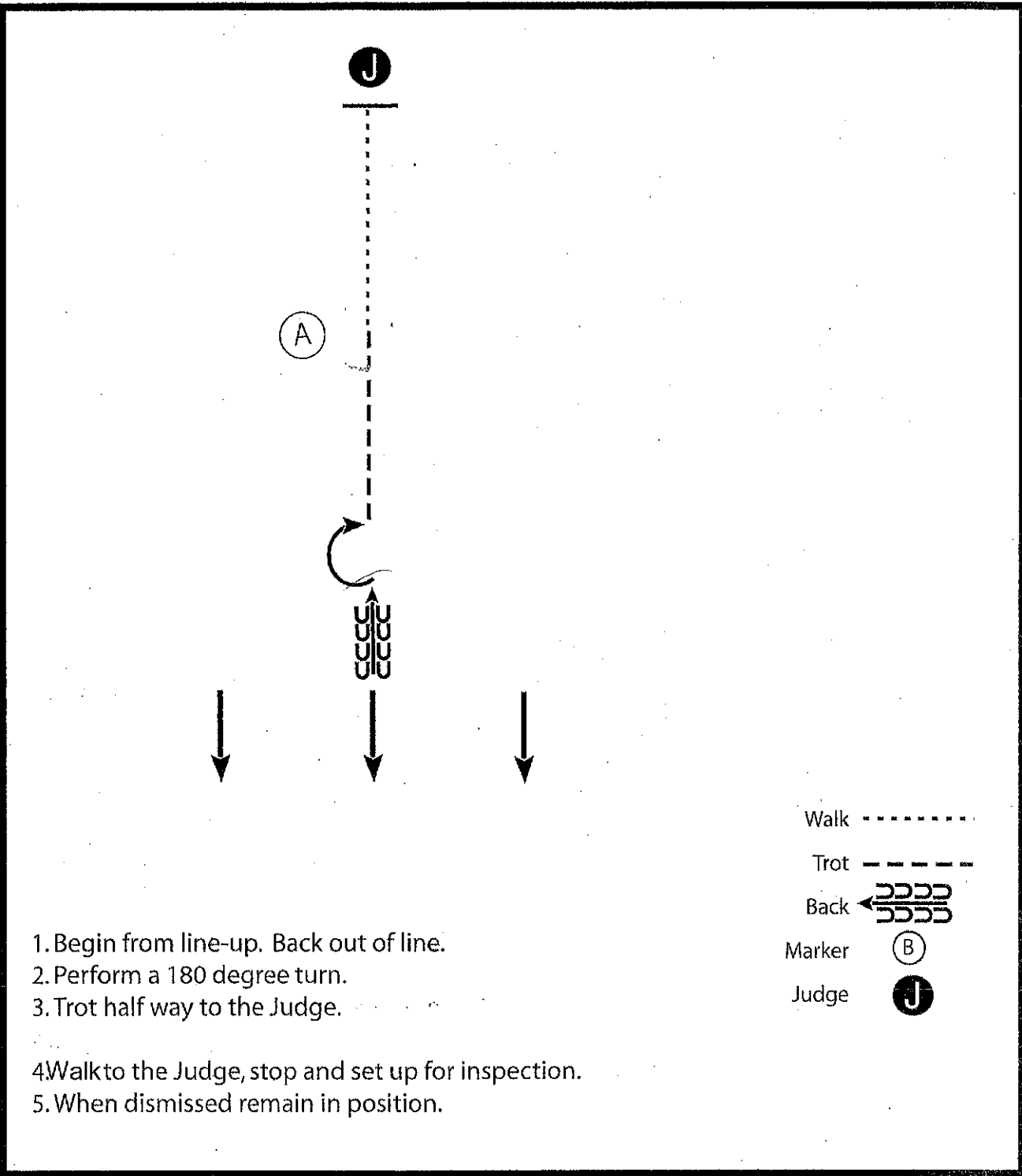
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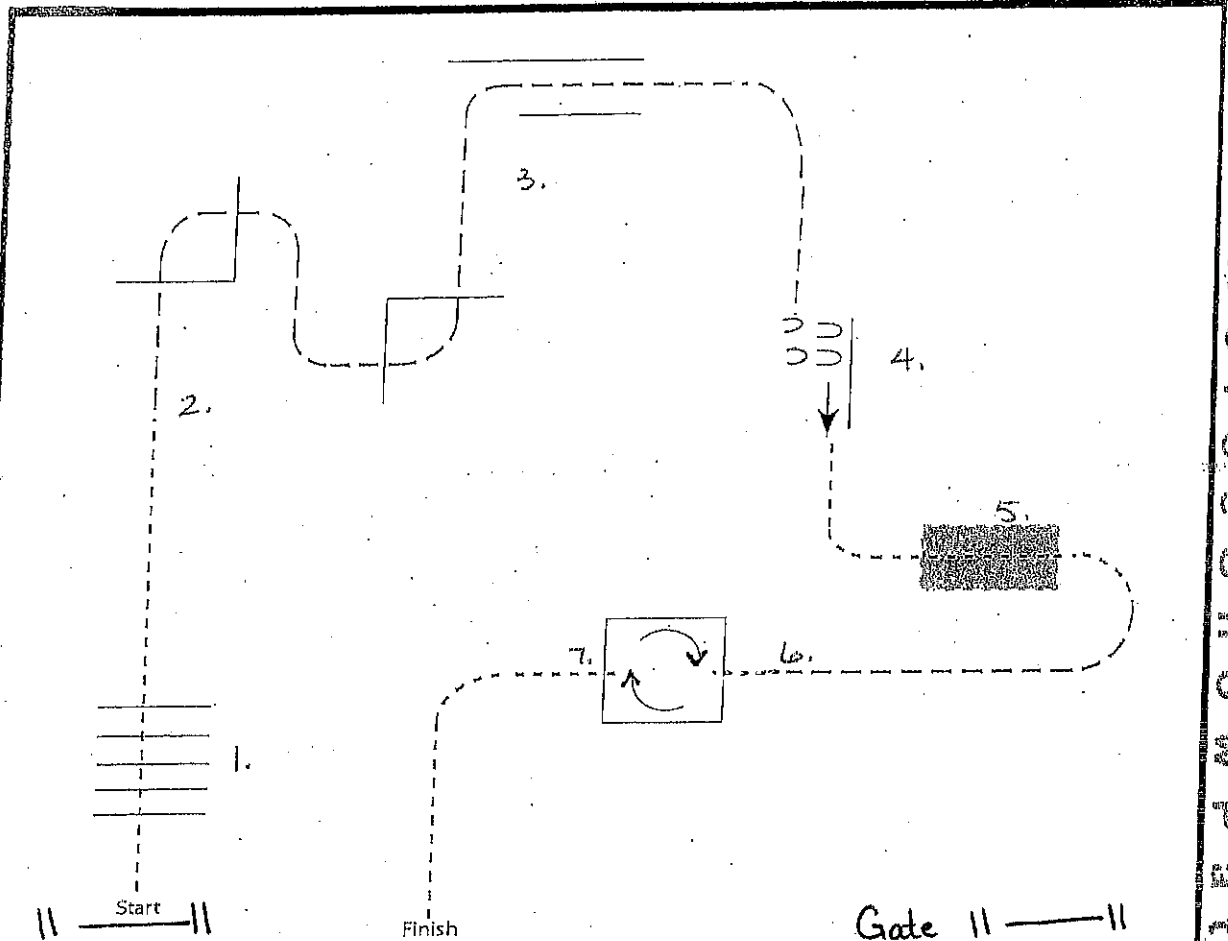


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## MINIATURE OBSTACLE



Open and close gate.

1. Walk over poles
2. Jog over poles
3. Jog through chute
4. Sidepass behind log to the right
5. Walk over bridge. Trot to box.
6. Walk into box and perform a 360° turn to the right.
7. Walk out of box to finish

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|--------------|-----------|
| Gate         | ———       |
| Walk         | -----     |
| Jog          | - - - - - |
| Extended Jog | - - - - - |
| Lope         | —————     |
| Leg Yield    |           |
| Lead Change  | ———/———   |
| Back         | ← ——— ←   |
| Marker       | (B)       |
| Sidepass     | ← ——— ←   |

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