Practice Exam 12 & under 2024

1) Posting trot is sometimes referred to as rising trot. True or False?
2) How do you adjust your stirrups from the ground before mounting?
3) Why should you never attach crossties to a horse's bit?
4) Cruppers are used to make sure a saddle doesn't slip backwards. True or False?
5) What is it called when a horse's feet become very wet and dirty, causing the frog to become too soft, smelly, and black?
6) What is the normal resting temperature for a horse?
7) When a horse is suffering from colic they poop more than normal. True or False?
8) What causes Lyme disease?
9) A line set at 60ft feet will ride in how many strides for the average horse?
10) How many beats are in a canter?
11) Is it possible to hear if a horse is lame? True or False?
12) Name three parts of a bridle.
13) Name three parts of a saddle.
14) Draw a full cheek snaffle.
15) A crop is a natural aid. True or false.

16) When passing another rider head-on in the ring or a schooling area, you should always pass
17) When would you use a sweat scraper?
18) Is an equine that stands 14.3h a horse or a pony?
19) What country do thoroughbred horses originally come from?
20) Why would you put bell boots on your horse?
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Answers: 1) True 2) Make a fist against the stirrup bar and stretch the stirrup leather along your arm. The stirrup should just reach your armpit. 3) If the horse panics, the crossties can pull on the bit, injuring the horse's mouth. 4) False 5) Thrush 6) 99-101 F 7) False 8) A bite from an infected tick. 9) 4 strides 10) 3 11) Truean unsound horse can have an uneven clip CLOP to their walk on pavement 12) noseband, headstall, browband, cheek pieces, reins, throatlatch 13) pommel, cantle, seat, skirt, flap, knee roll. blocks, billets, billet cover, panel, strirrup bar 14) 15) False 16) left shoulder to left shoulder 17) to scrape water off a horse after a hose down or bath 18) horse 19) England

20) protect from overreach or if the horse wears bar shoes