Class 7p (ponies) and 8 (horses) and 7d (donkeys and mules)

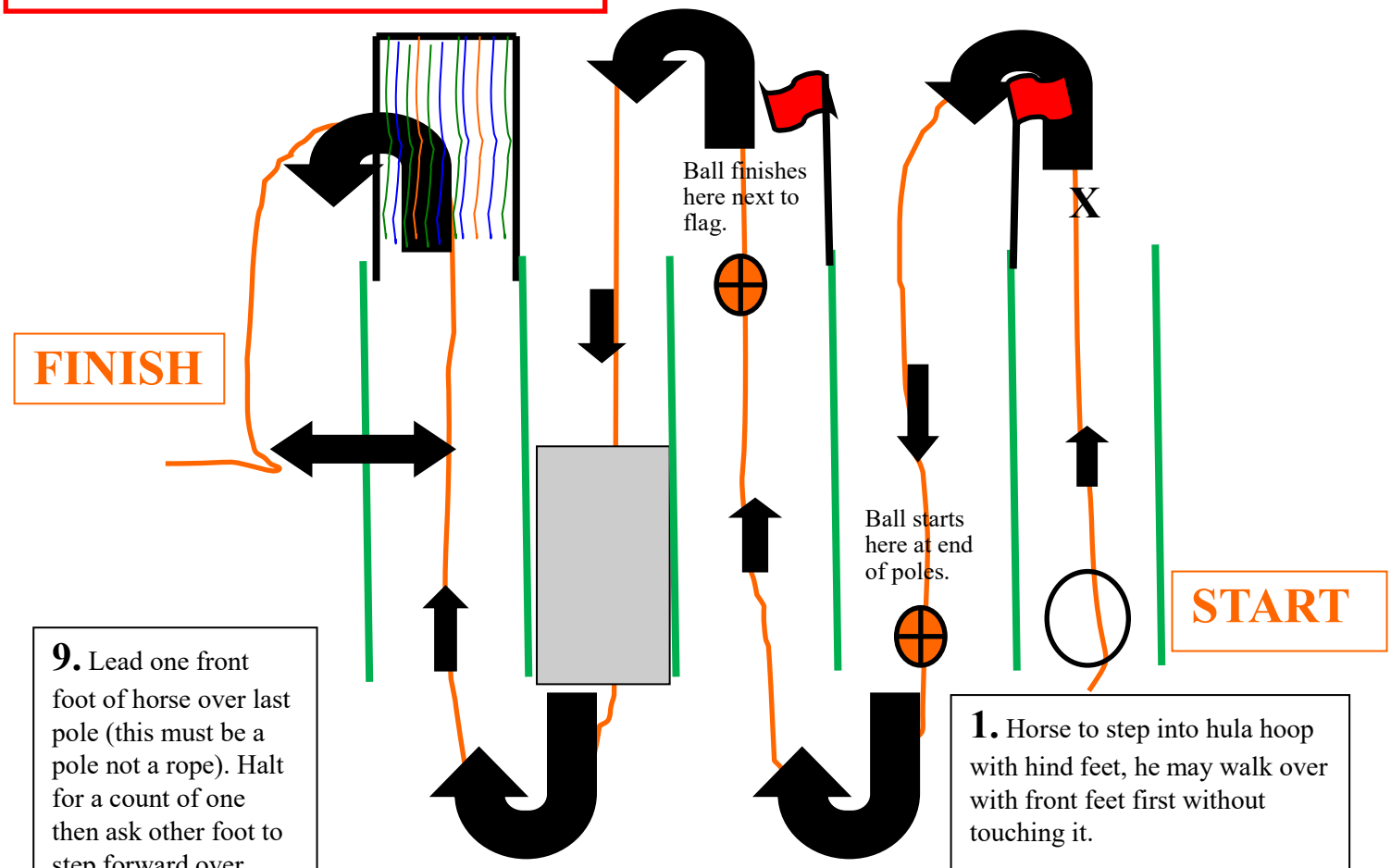
March 2025 Advanced Level, 10 Obstacles each out of 10

Please access your personal profile to see at which level you are currently working .
THE JUDGE MUST HEAR THE REAL SOUND! DO NOT INCLUDE MUSIC OR A VOCAL COMMENTARY REMEMBER SAFETY FIRST! **FOLLOW THE ARROWS**
CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES IS MIDNIGHT ON 31st March 2025 WHEN YOUR ENTRY IS RECEIVED SAFELY BY THE CLUB OFFICE YOU WILL BE SENT A UNIQUE ENTRY CODE. IF YOU DO NOT RECEIVE THIS CODE PLEASE CONTACT THE CLUB BY EMAIL YOUR ENTRY IS NOT VALID WITHOUT THIS CODE. REMEMBER you must keep your lead rope loose and keep moving forward between obstacles with no circling. If you do have a tight lead rope, stop or circle BETWEEN obstacles you will lose a mark from the next obstacle's score.

This month's course is made up of six poles, shown green in the picture, at least two horse lengths long arranged parallel to each other and each is one horse length apart from the other. A hula hoop, curtain, ball, tarpaulin and two flags are positioned on the pattern. Follow the arrows, a red line has been drawn to help you see the path you need to take. The horse must not touch the poles at any time. The horse and handler must not step over the poles except on obstacle 9 and 10. As the horse turns around the end of the poles he must follow the red line and not circle.

5. Handler asks horse to wait, passes through two flags, counts to three then asks horse to join him at trot.

6. While leading the horse the handler to kick ball round corner from starting place at end of poles and finish in next pole corridor next to curtain without the ball touching the poles or going over them .



9. Lead one front foot of horse over last pole (this must be a pole not a rope). Halt for a count of one then ask other foot to step forward over pole. Wait for a count of three.

10. Back horse up over pole without his feet touching it. Handler must be beside horse during the backup.

Horse's feet must not touch pole in 9 and 10.

7. Horse and handler to trot over tarpaulin **together.**

Follow arrow round end of pole in trot

8. Lead horse safely at trot through pole corridor and through curtain positioned at the end.

1. Horse to step into hula hoop with hind feet, he may walk over with front feet first without touching it.

2. Handler still holding rope picks up picks up one hind foot and puts it down in hoop. Then picks up one front foot and puts it down. Feet must not touch hoop.

3. Leaving horse to stand still in hoop handler **trots** away to X.

4. Handler stands at X counts to three and asks horse join him at trot without touching hoop.