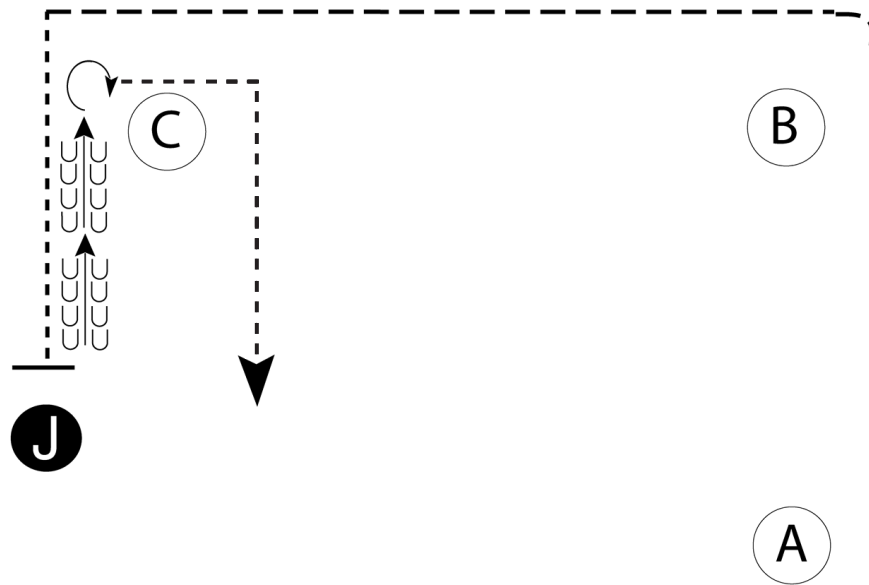


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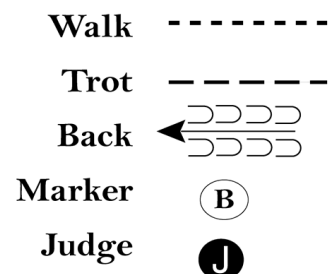
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Be ready at A.

1. Trot from A, around B and past C.
2. Break to a walk when past C.
3. Walk to the judge, stop and set up for inspection.
4. When dismissed, back past C.
5. Perform a 270 degree turn and walk around C to the exit.

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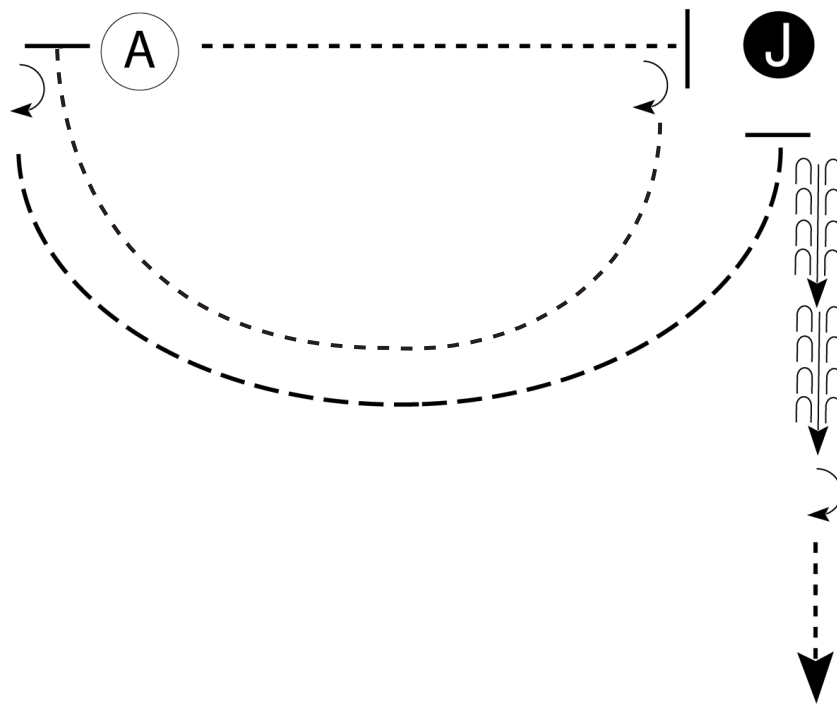
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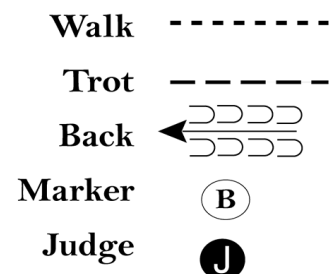
Hunt Seat Fitting and Showing (E Division)

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Be ready with your horse's tail to A, facing judge.

1. Walk to Judge.
2. Stop and set up for inspection.
3. When dismissed, perform a 90 degree turn.
4. Walk a half circle to A.
5. Stop and perform a 180 degree turn.
6. Trot a half circle back to Judge.
7. Stop and back approximately 2 horse lengths.
8. Turn 180 degrees and walk straight away.



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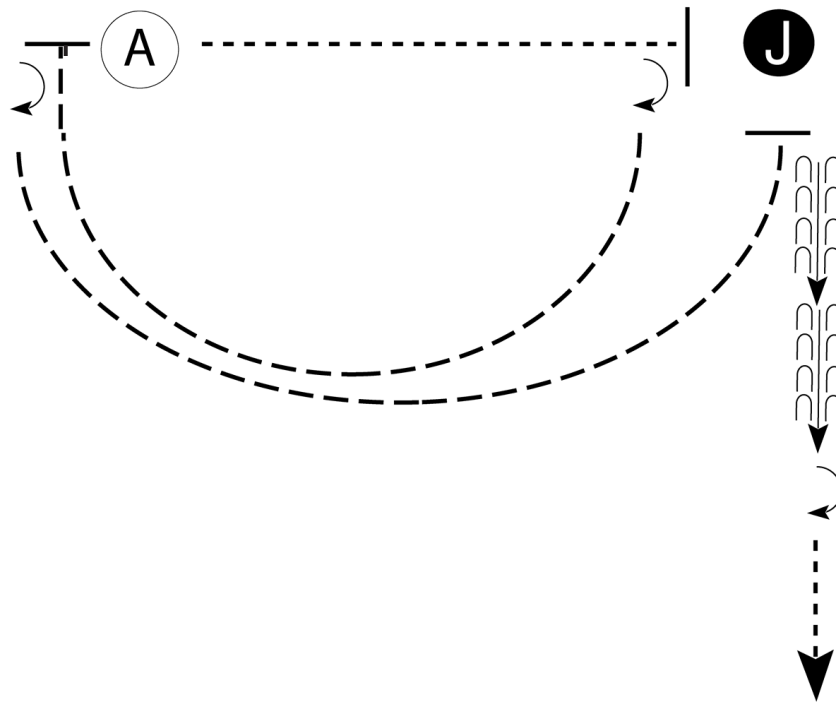
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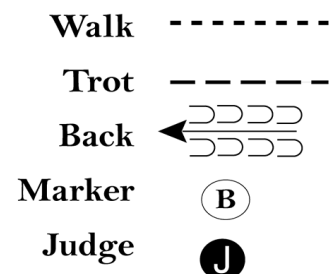
Hunt Seat Fitting and Showing (A, B, C, D Divisions)

Show Date: 10-02-2026 to 10-04-2026



Be ready with your horse's tail to A, facing judge.

1. Walk to Judge.
2. Stop and set up for inspection.
3. When dismissed, perform a 90 degree turn.
4. Trot a half circle to A.
5. Stop and perform a 180 degree turn.
6. Trot a half circle back to Judge.
7. Stop and back approximately 2 horse lengths.
8. Turn 180 degrees and walk straight away.



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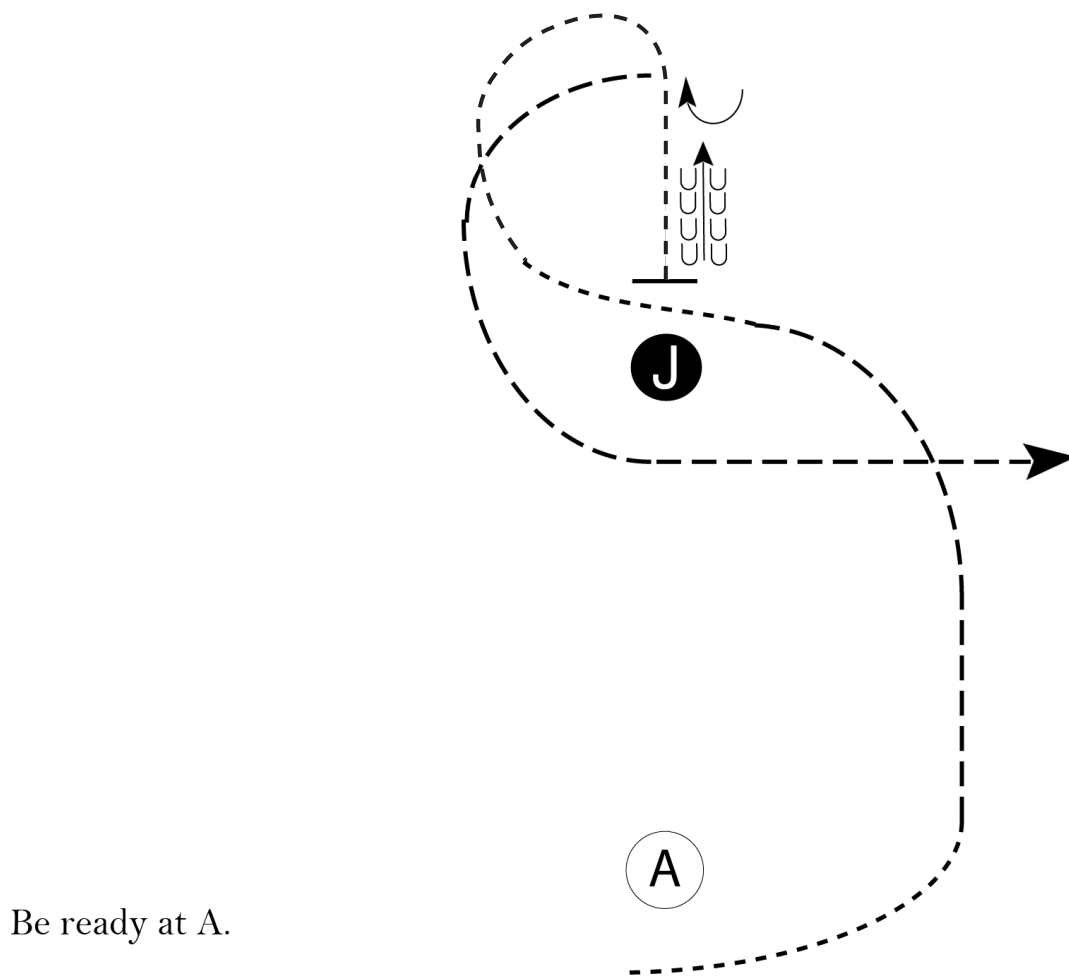
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Saddle Seat Fitting and Showing (E Division)

Show Date: 10-02-2026 to 10-04-2026



Be ready at A.

1. Walk approximately 2 horse lengths from A.
2. Trot in a half circle until just before Judge.
3. Break to walk and walk past Judge.
4. Walk in a half circle and straight to Judge as shown.
5. Stop and set up for inspection.
6. When dismissed, back approximately one horse length.
7. Perform a 1/4 turn.
8. Trot in a half circle and to exit.

Walk - - - - -

Trot - - - - -

Back ←

Marker (B)

Judge (J)

Pattern may be modified to meet rider accommodations.
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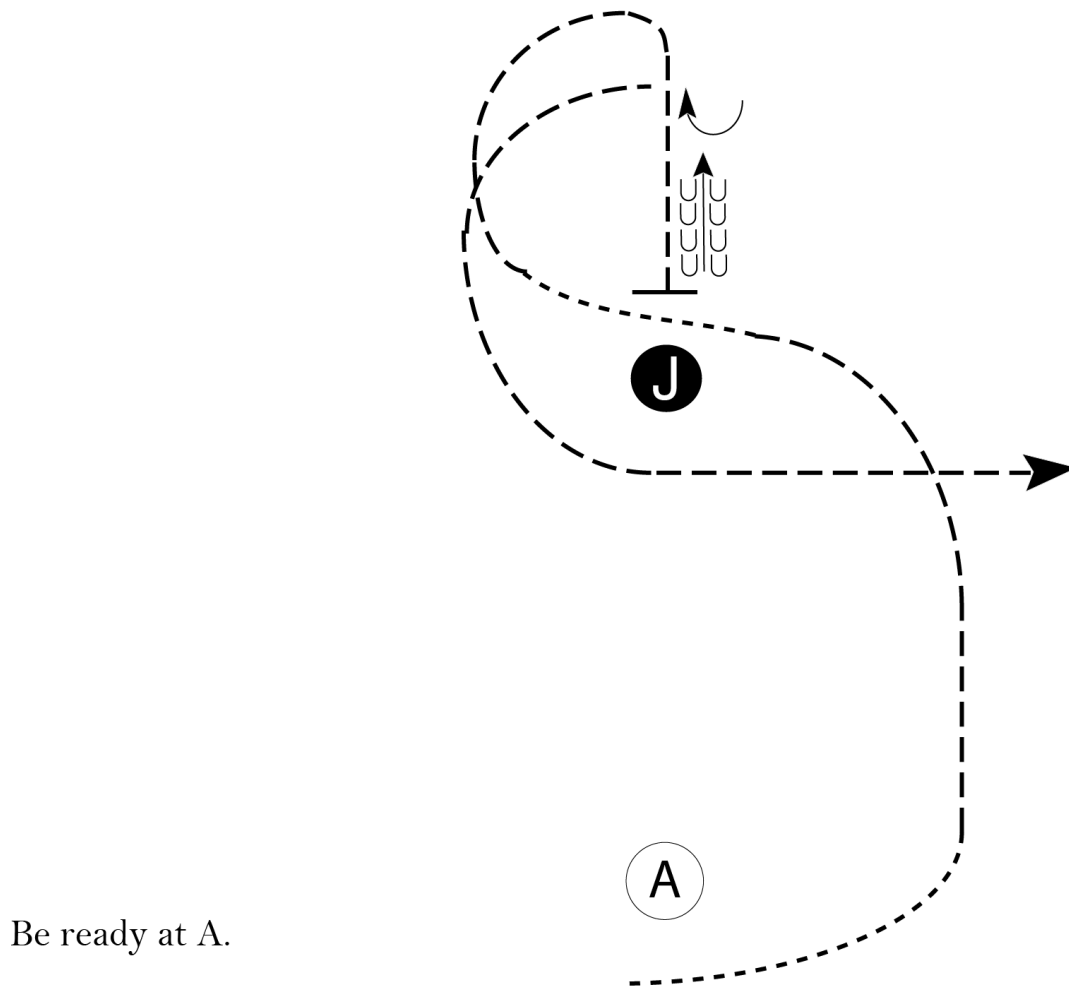
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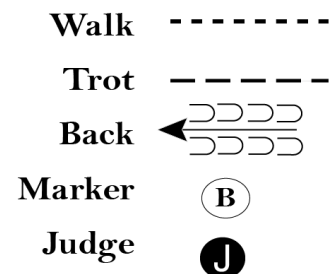
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Be ready at A.

1. Walk approximately 2 horse lengths from A.
2. Trot in a half circle until just before Judge.
3. Break to walk and walk past Judge.
4. Trot in a half circle and straight to Judge as shown.
5. Stop and set up for inspection.
6. When dismissed, back approximately one horse length.
7. Perform a 1/4 turn.
8. Trot in a half circle and to exit.



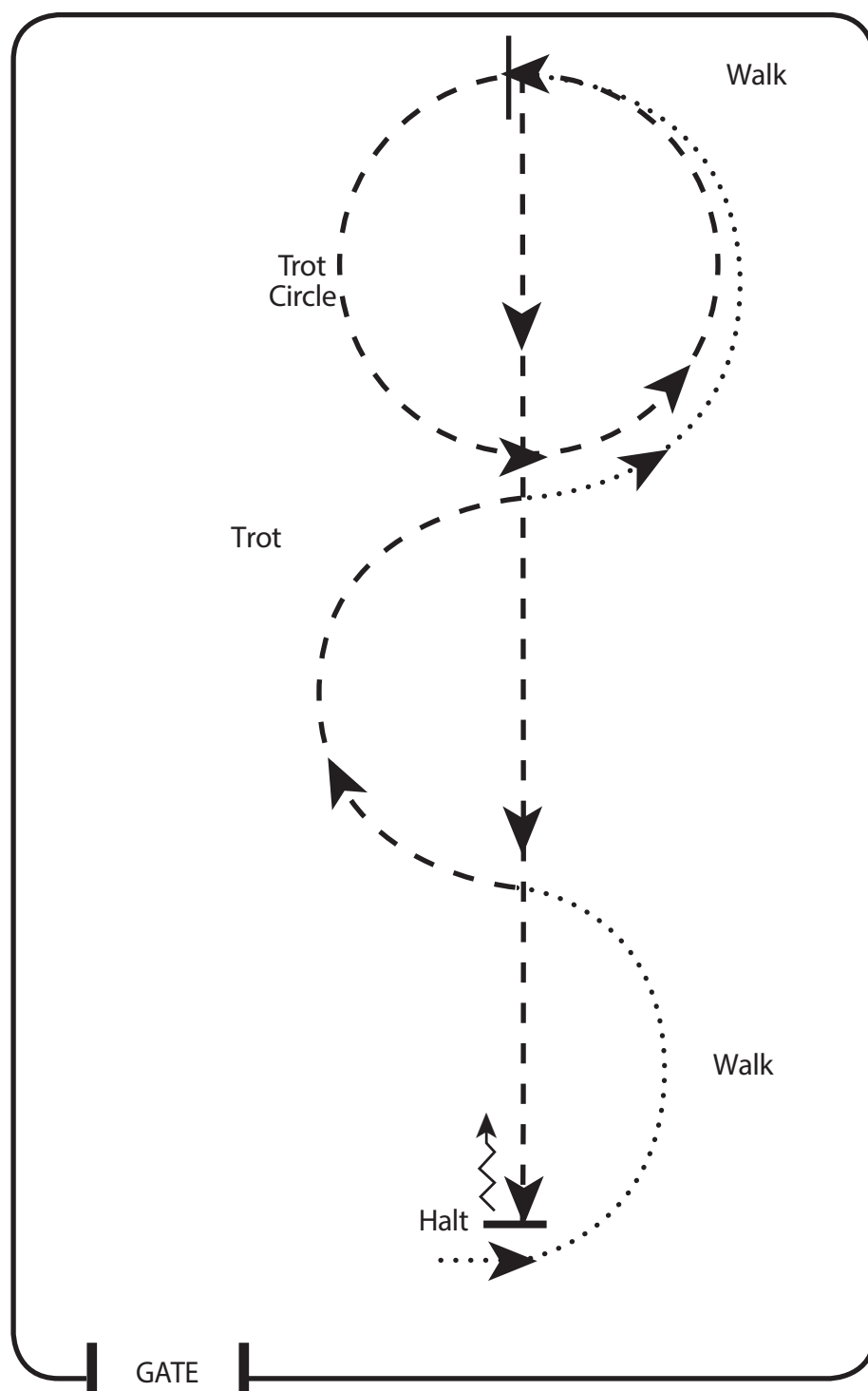
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Saddle Seat Equitation

LEVEL 2 • PATTERN H • Tests 2,6,11



Execute three loop serpentine at the walk and trot as shown.

Trot a circle on the correct diagonal. Halt.

Turn and trot a line down the center of the serpentine. Change diagonals in the center. Start on the left diagonal.

Halt at end of arena and back 4 steps.

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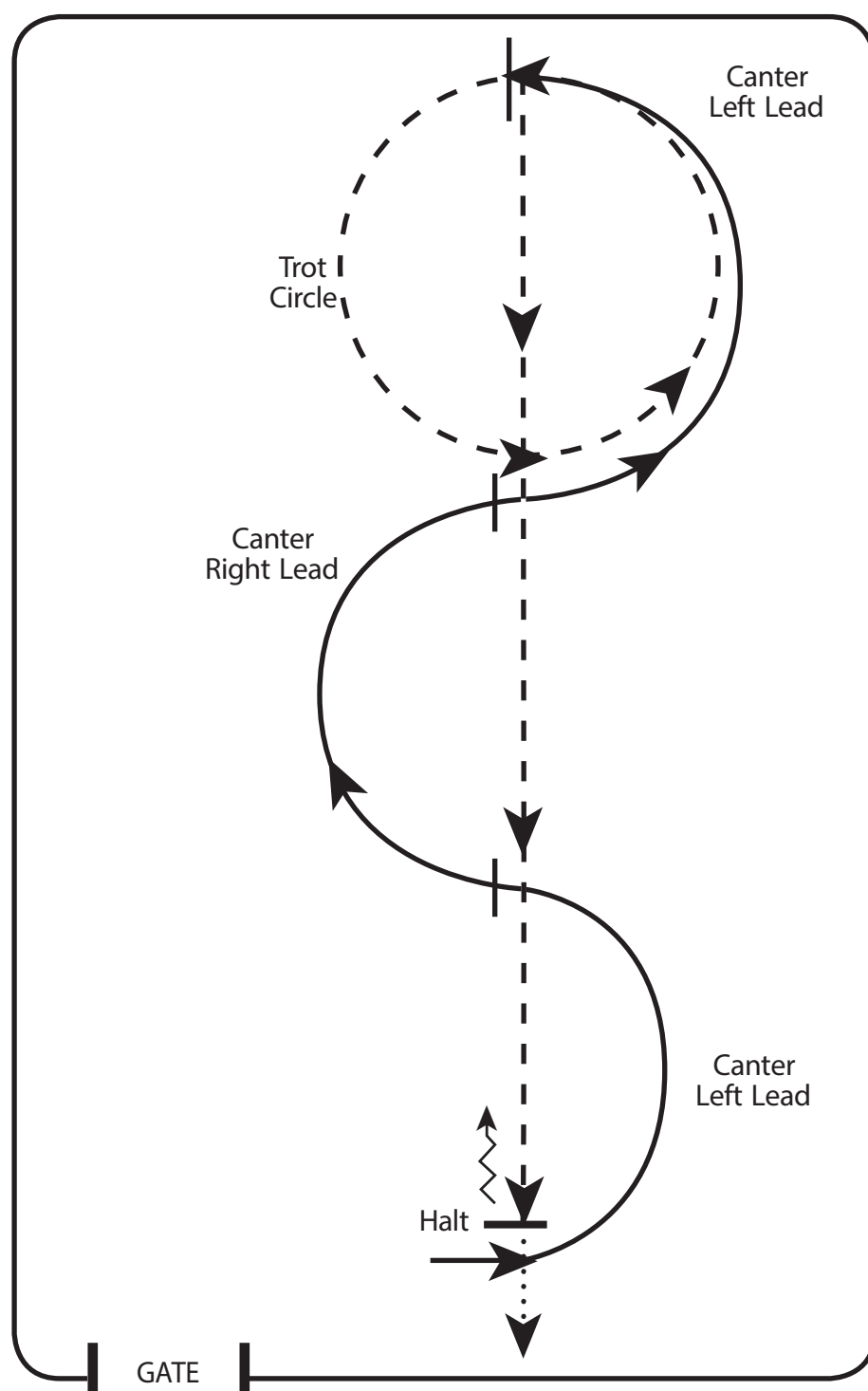
This pattern may only be used for:

- 13 & Under
- 14 - 18
- 18 & Under
- 19 & Over

If used at a Regional or National Show, pattern may not be run from the lineup.

Saddle Seat Equitation

LEVEL 2 • PATTERN H • Tests 2,6,11



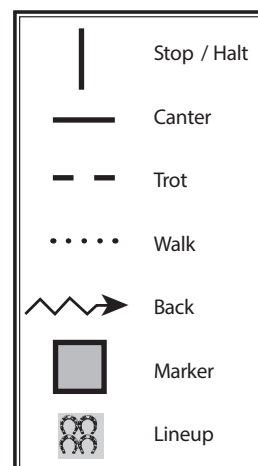
Execute three loop serpentine at canter changing leads through the halt.

After cantering the third loop, go directly into a trot and trot a circle on the correct diagonal. halt.

Turn and trot a line down the center of the serpentine. Change diagonals every four strides. Start on the left diagonal.

Halt at end of arena and back 4 steps.

Exit at the walk.



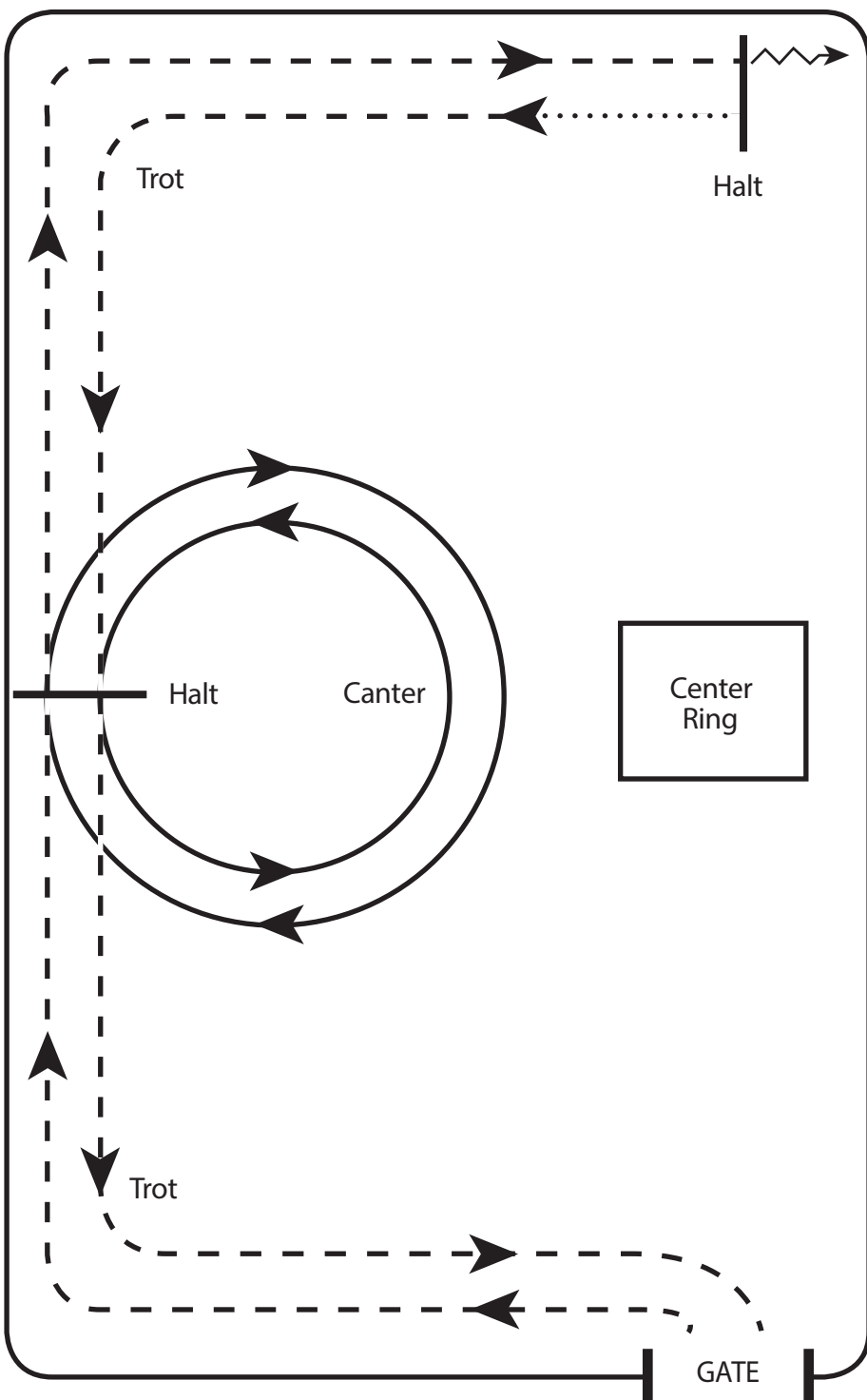
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- 19 & Over

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Saddle Seat Bareback

LEVEL 1 • PATTERN B • Tests 3,10



Enter the arena to the left at a trot on the correct diagonal. Continue to the center of the straightaway. Halt.

Canter one circle to the right on the correct lead. Halt.

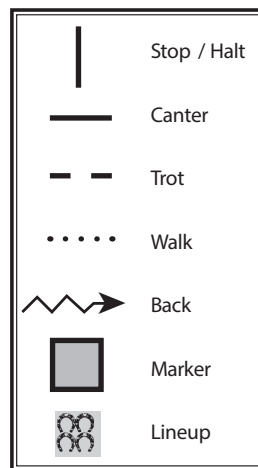
Trot on correct diagonal to the far end of the arena. Halt.

Reverse direction. Back 4 steps.
Walk at least 2 strides.

Trot on the correct diagonal to the center of the straightaway. Halt.

Canter one circle to the left on the correct lead. Halt.

Exit at a trot on correct diagonal.



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- 14 - 18
- 18 & Under
- 19 & Over

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Back #: _____

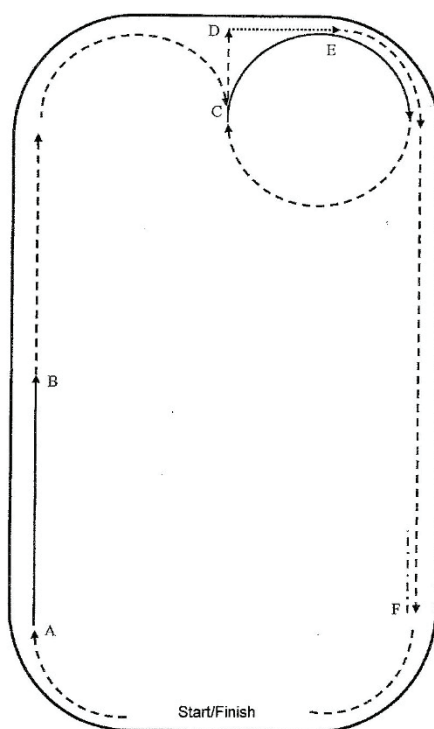
High School Division E Saddle Seat Pattern #2

Each item to be scored from 0-10 points.

Total possible is 100 points.

(All trot work will be performed at the rising trot on the correct diagonal unless specified.)

#	Movement	Points	Score
1	From the start point, trot or second gait to point A. Halt. Trot or second gait to point B.	10	
2	Trot or second gait to point C as shown. Halt.	10	
3	Pivot 180 degrees and trot 1/2 circle on the left diagonal. Halt.	10	
4	Trot or second gait the second 1/2 circle and forward to point D. Halt.	10	
5	Pivot right and walk to point E.	10	
6	Halt. Trot or second gait down your right rail to point F.	10	
7	Back 4 steps and trot or second gait to the finish point.	10	
8	Rider's position.	10	
9	Riders effective use of aids.	10	
10	Overall impression (Exhibitor presentation, accuracy of figures, suitability of horse/rider combination, ringmanship, etc)	10	
Total		100	



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APPENDIX

Back #: _____

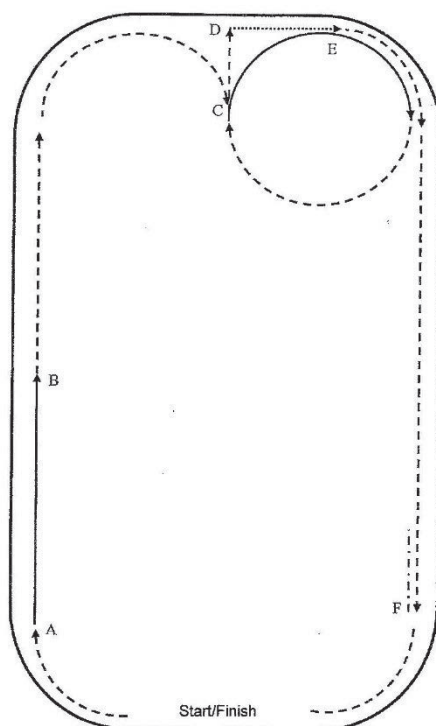
High School Saddle Seat Pattern #2 A, B, C, D Division

Each item to be scored from 0-10 points.

Total possible is 100 points.

(All trot work will be performed at the rising trot on the correct diagonal unless specified.)

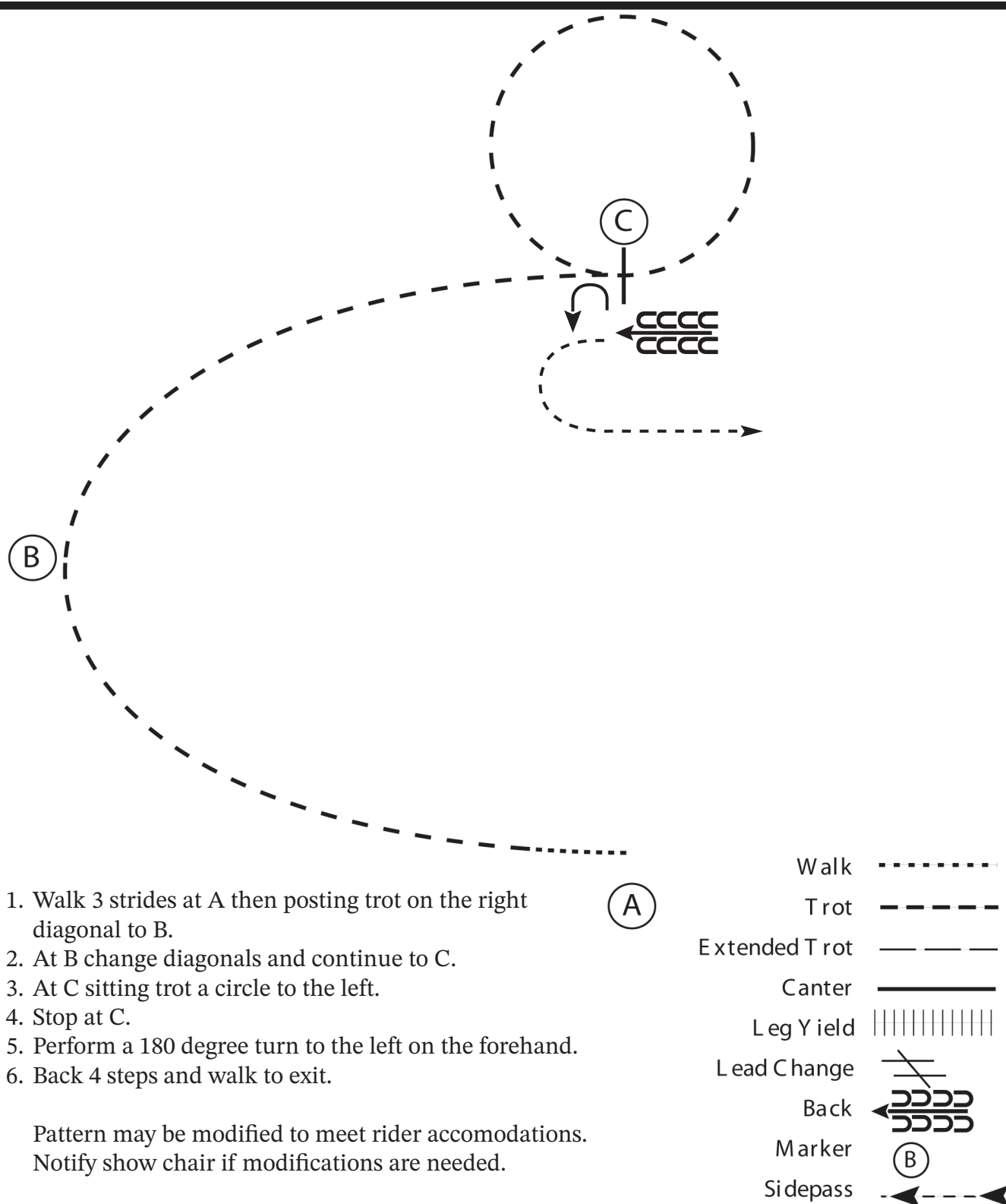
#	Movement	Points	Score
1	From the start point, trot or second gait to point A. Halt. Canter on the left lead to point B.	10	
2	Drop down to a trot or second gait to point C as shown. Halt.	10	
3	Pivot 180 degrees and canter 1/2 circle on the right lead. Halt	10	
4	Trot or second gait the second 1/2 circle and point D. Halt.	10	
5	Pivot right, drop your irons and walk to point E.	10	
6	Trot or second gait down your right rail to point F. Halt. Pick up your irons.	10	
7	Back 4 steps and trot or second gait to the finish point.	10	
8	Rider's position.	10	
9	Riders effective use of aids.	10	
10	Overall impression (Exhibitor presentation, accuracy of figures, suitability of horse/rider combination, ringmanship, etc.	10	
Total		100	



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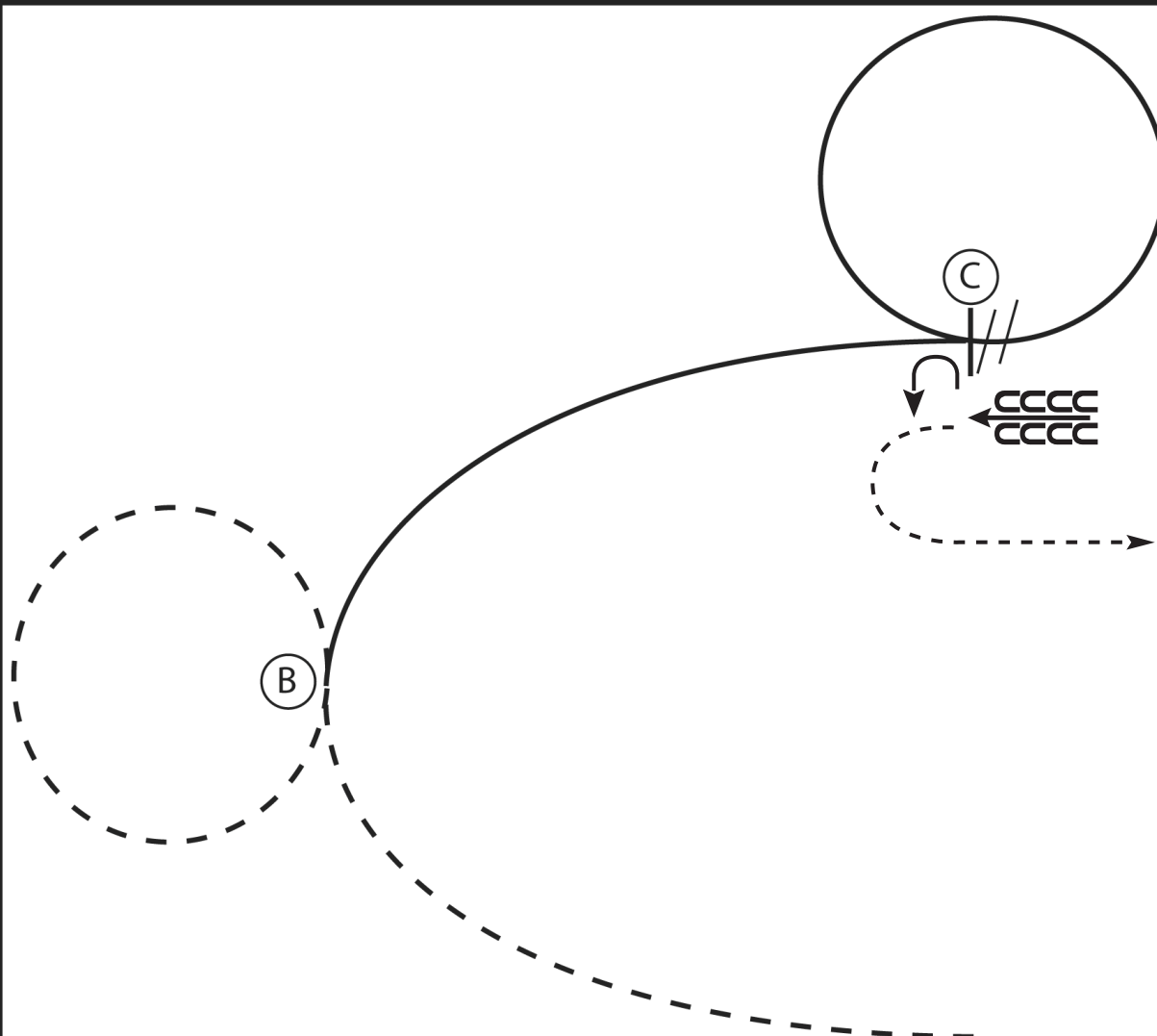
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1. Posting trot A to B on the left diagonal.
2. At B posting trot a circle to the left on the right diagonal.
3. At B canter on the right lead to C.
4. At C perform lead change and canter a circle to the left.
5. At C stop
6. Perform a 180 degree turn to the left on forehand.
7. Back 4 steps and walk to exit.

(A)	Walk	
	Trot	-----
	Extended Trot	- - - - -
	Canter	—————
	Leg Yield	
	Lead Change	↘
	Back	←←←←←
	Marker	(B)
	Sidepass	←←←←←

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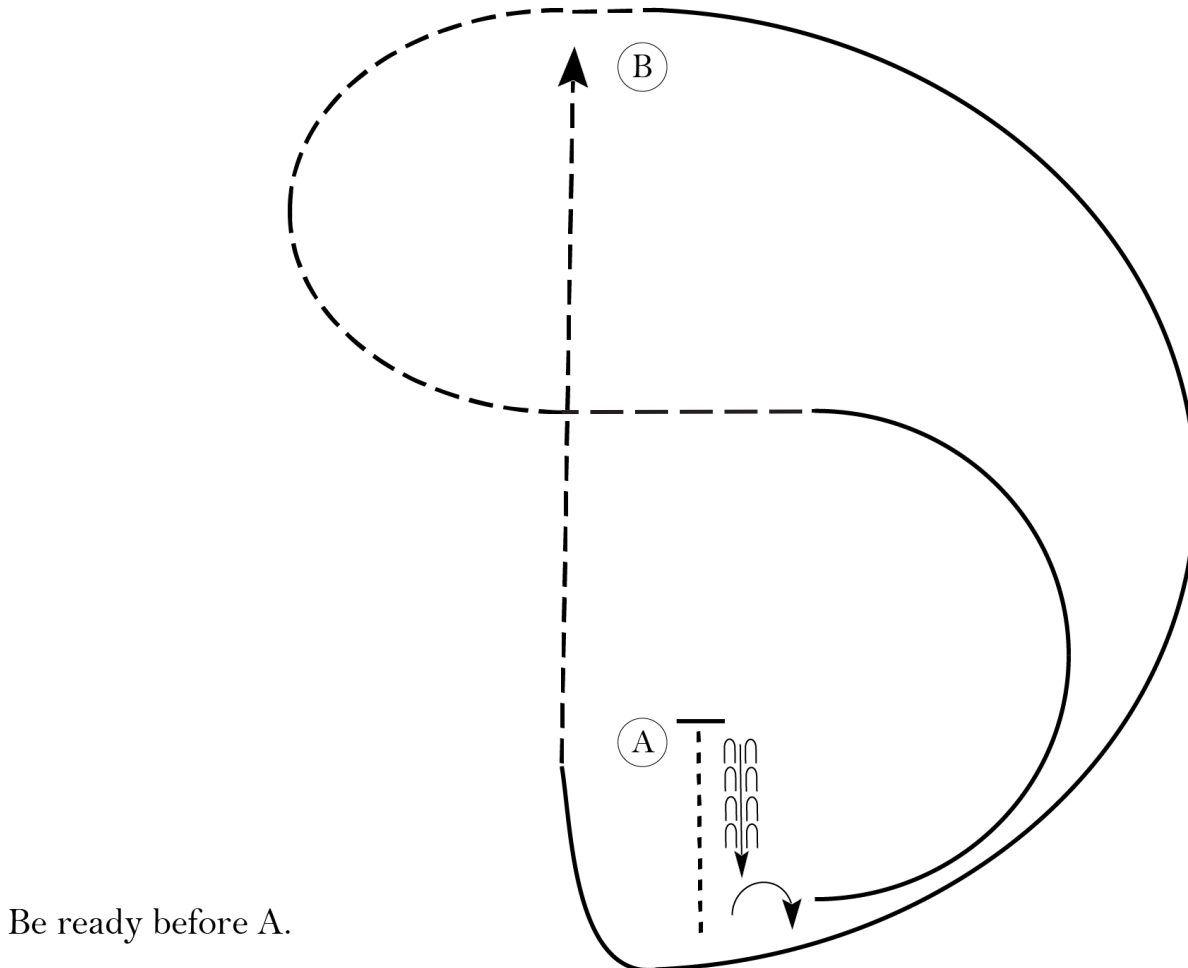
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Hunt Seat Bareback (A, B, C, D Divisions)

Show Date: 10-02-2026 to 10-04-2026



Be ready before A.

1. Walk to A, stop and back approximately one horse length.
2. Perform a 90 degree forehand turn right.
3. Canter on the left lead in a half circle.
4. Break to a sitting trot, to center of pattern.
5. Trot left diagonal in a half circle to B.
6. Canter on the right lead around A.
7. Trot on the right diagonal to B.

Pattern is over once you pass B.

Walk	-----
Trot	- - - - -
Extended Trot	— — — — —
Canter	—————
Leg Yield	
Lead Change	— / —
Back	← ← ← ← ←
Marker	(B)
Sidepass	← — — — — →
Hand Gallop	—————

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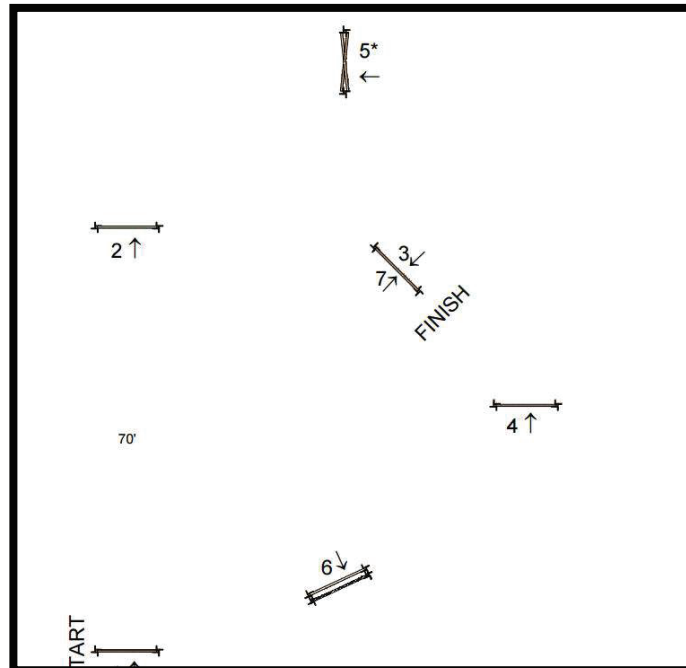
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APPENDIX

High School Equitation Over Fences

Pattern #2



APPENDIX

Equitation Over Fences Jump Key

Key:

* Cross Rail - Must be Trotted. Cups set at 2'-6" at standards.

Vertical

Oxer - To be added at Regionals and States. Not to exceed 18" in width.

46'
(3) strides - horse
(4) strides - pony or short-strided horse

58'
(4) strides - horse
(5) strides - pony or short-strided horse

70'
(5) strides - horse
(6) strides - pony or short-strided horse

82'
(6) strides - horse
(7) strides - pony or short-strided horse

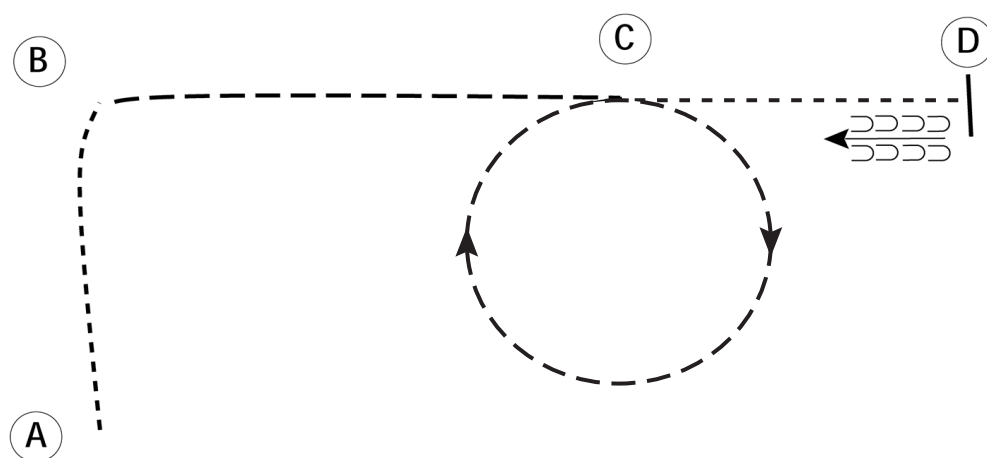
Notes:

1. When modifying lines to accommodate smaller arenas, reference the stride key.
2. The oxer will be included at the Regional and State competition.
3. A vertical will be used for district meets in place of the oxer.

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Western Horsemanship (E Division)

Show Date: 10-02-2026 to 10-04-2026



Be ready at A.

1. Walk to B.
2. Jog from B to C.
3. Jog a circle to the right at C.
4. Walk from C to D.
5. Stop at D and back approximately one horse length.

Pattern may be modified to meet rider accommodations.
Notify show chair if modifications are needed.

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

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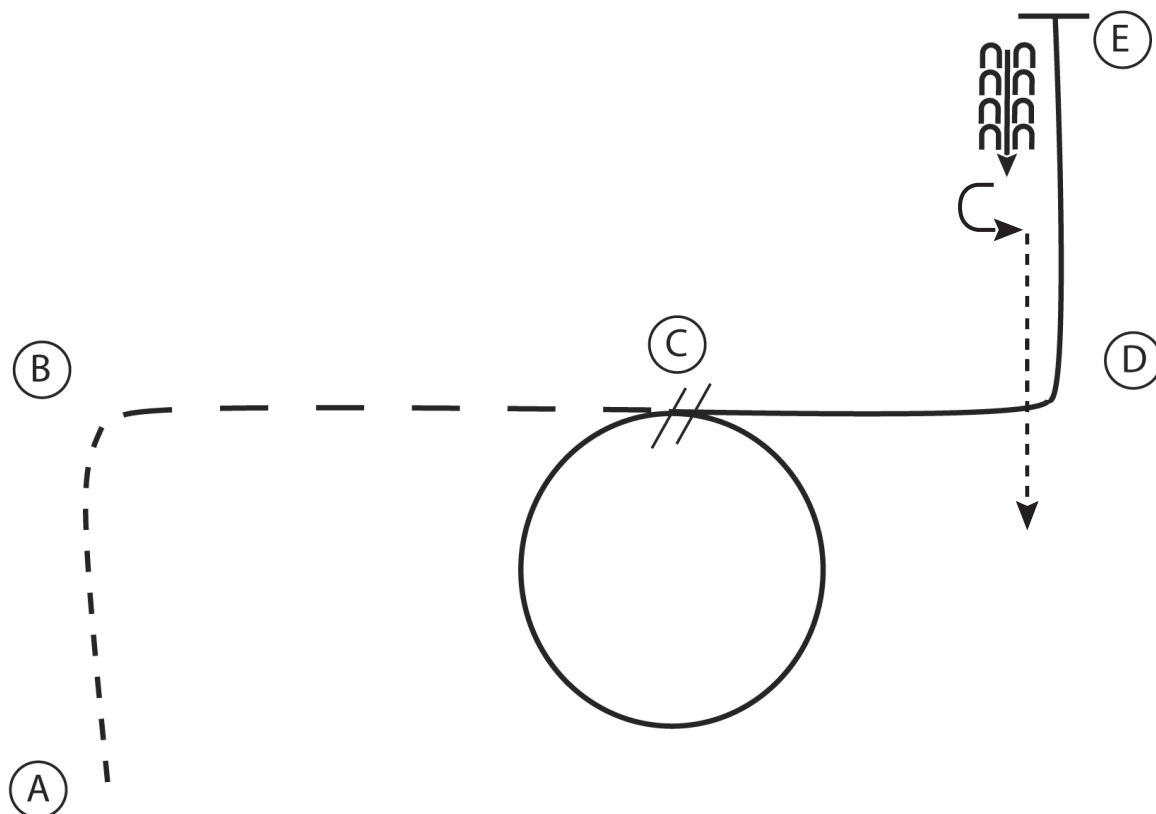
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Western Horsemanship (A, B, C, D Divisions)

Show Date: 10-02-2026 to 10-04-2026



1. Jog A to B
2. At B extend the jog to C
3. At C lope a circle on the right lead
4. At C perform a lead change and lope to D and E
5. At E stop and back
6. Turn 180 degrees left on the haunches and walk away.

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

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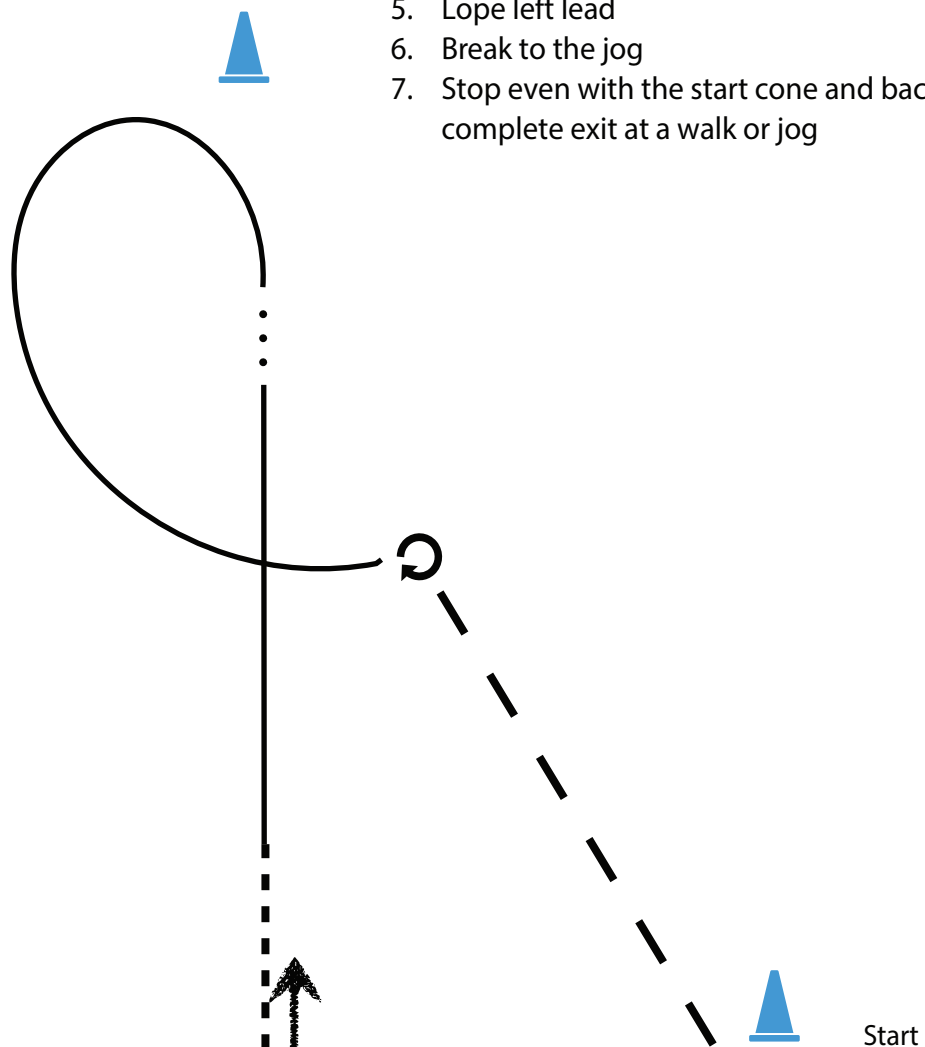
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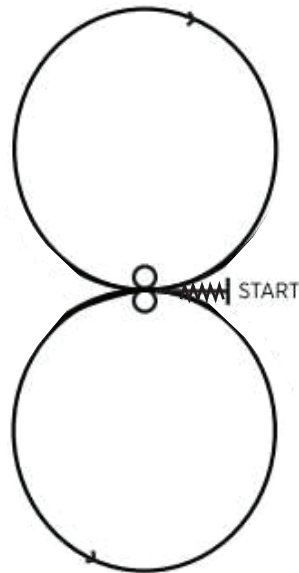
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Western Bareback
Divisions A, B, C, D

1. Be ready at cone, extended jog
2. Stop in the center of your pattern and perform approximately a 3/4 turn right on haunches
3. Lope right lead
4. Simple change through the walk
5. Lope left lead
6. Break to the jog
7. Stop even with the start cone and back. Pattern is complete exit at a walk or jog



High School Division E
Western Reining Pattern #2



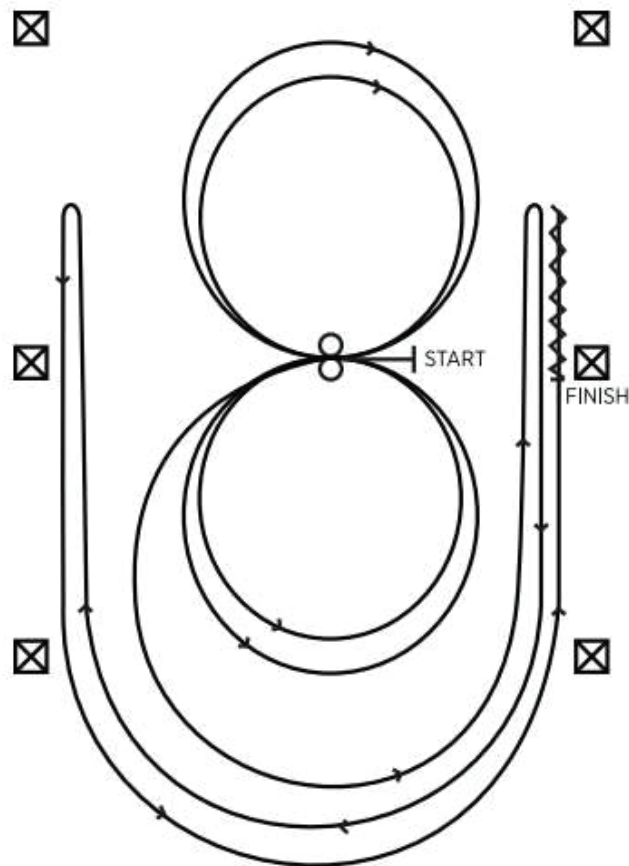
Exhibitors may walk or trot their horses to the center of the arena. Horses must walk or stop before starting the pattern. Begin at the center of the arena facing the left wall or fence.

1. Complete one spin to the right. Hesitate.
2. Complete one spin to the left. Hesitate.
3. Beginning to the left, trot one circle. Change direction at the center of the arena.
4. Complete one circle to the right at the trot. Change direction at the center of the arena.
5. Stop in the center of the arena and back up.

Pattern may be modified to
meet rider accommodations.

Notify show chair if
modifications are needed

High School A, B, C, D, divisions Western Reining Pattern #2



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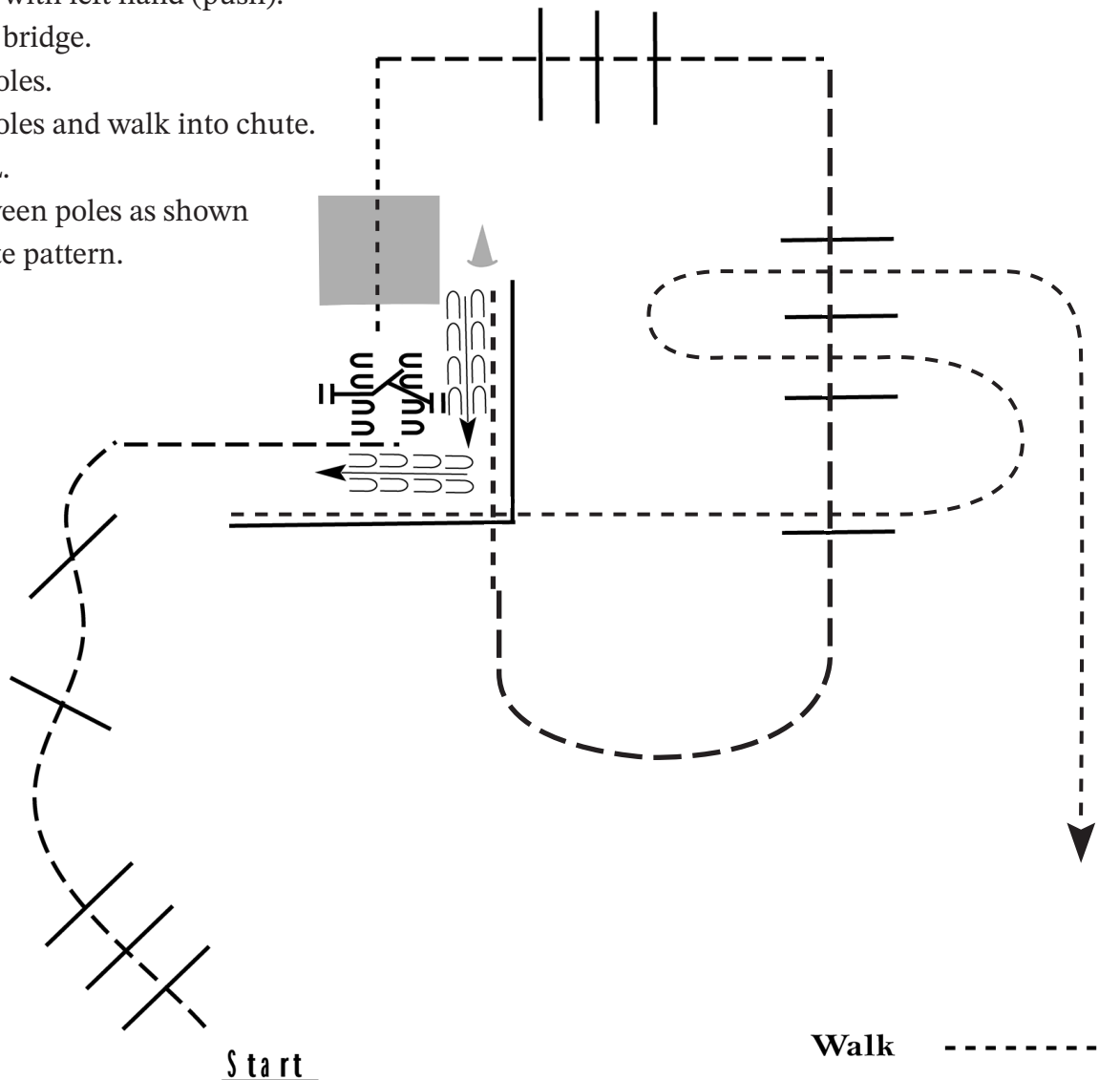
1. Complete one spin to the right. Hesitate.
2. Complete one spin to the left. Hesitate.
3. Beginning on the left lead, complete two circles to the left, with the first circle large and fast, and the second circle small and slow. Change leads at the center of the arena.
4. Complete two circles to the right, with the first circle large and fast, and the second circle small and slow. Change leads at the center of the arena.
5. Begin a large fast circle to the left but do not close this circle. Run up the right side of the arena past the center marker and do a right rollback at least 20 feet (6 meters) from the wall or fence - no hesitation.
6. Continue back around the previous circle but do not close the circle. Run up the left side of the arena past the center marker and do a left rollback at least 20 feet (6 meters) from the wall or fence - no hesitation.
7. Continue back around previous circle but do not close this circle. Run up the right side of the arena past the center marker and do a sliding stop at least 20 feet (6 meters) from the wall or fence. Back up at least 10 feet (3 meters).
8. Dismount and drop the bridle to the designated judge.

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Trail (E Division)

Show Date: 10-02-2026 to 10-04-2026

1. Jog over poles.
2. Work gate with left hand (push).
3. Walk over bridge.
4. Jog over poles.
5. Jog over poles and walk into chute.
6. Back the L.
7. Walk between poles as shown to complete pattern.



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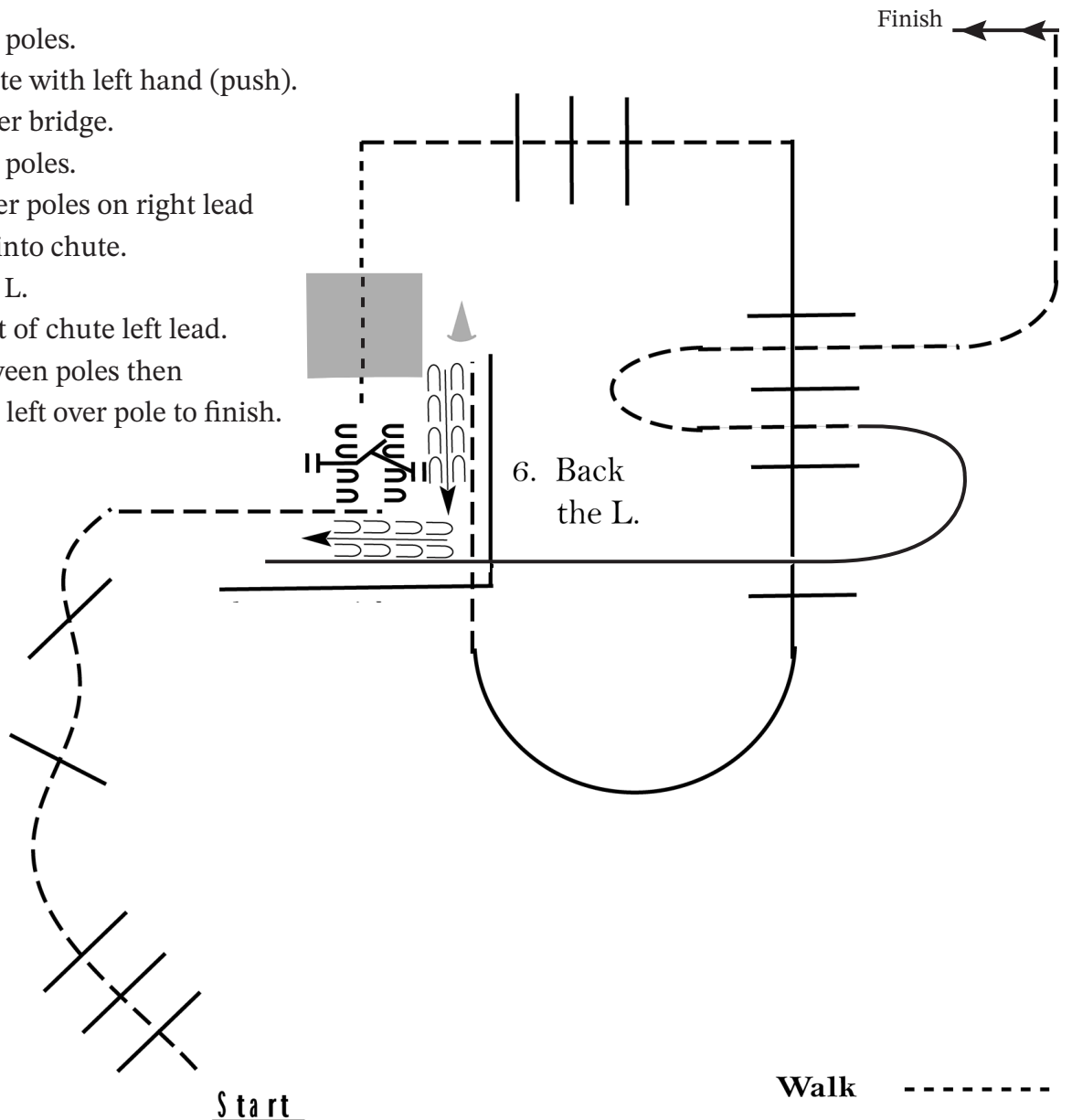
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Trail (A, B, C, D Divisions)

Show Date: 10-02-2026 to 10-04-2026

1. Jog over poles.
2. Work gate with left hand (push).
3. Walk over bridge.
4. Jog over poles.
5. Lope over poles on right lead and jog into chute.
6. Back on L.
7. Lope out of chute left lead.
8. Jog between poles then sidepass left over pole to finish.



Walk	-----
Jog	- - - - -
Lope	—————
Back	←←←←←
Marker	▲
Sidepass	←-----→

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