Block and Bridle Hippology Contest 2023

Junior Team Problem

****Mark your answers on the TEAM Scantron in the Stations/Identification Section #51-75****

Your team is trying to assist a group of students who are moving to Virginia. These students all have different equine backgrounds and they need your help!

Part 1: Everyone needs a horse! The horses on the trailer have a name/description but the girls don't know which one is theirs! Match the student and their interests to the horse that will best suit them and their interests!

- A. Applejack- 10 yr old Arabian Gelding
- B. Chester- 12 yr old Tennessee Walking Horse Gelding
- C. Beatrice- Yearling Quarter Horse
- D. Alice- 7 yr old Warmblood Mare
- E. Ferguson- 10 year old miniature horse
- F. Butter- 8 year old Belgian Draft Horse
- 51. Bryan: Enjoys horse pulls and pulling competitions
- 52. Hunter: Enjoys pleasure driving
- 53. Katherine: Wants to start endurance riding
- 54. Scott: Wants to train his own horse
- 55. Alex: Enjoys gaited horses and saddleseat riding
- 56. Abigayle: Loves show jumping and dressage

Part 2: Our students want to know more about their horses! Help them to learn what colors each of their horses is!

- A. Applejack- yellow with a white mane and tail.
- B. Chester Light colored coat, almost white, with white mane and tail. There are a lot of black flecks in his coat.
- C. Beatrice Spotted with large brown and white spots.
- D. Alice Brown body with a black mane and tail
- E. Ferguson Red coat with a red mane and tail
- F. Butter- Red coat with a yellow/light colored mane and tail
- 57. Bay
- 58. Palomino
- 59. Fleabitten Grey
- 60. Paint
- 61. Chestnut
- 62. Chestnut with flaxen mane and tail

Part 3: We have to continue teaching our new friends! They sure don't seem to know a lot about horses! Their vet brought them a first-aid kit! Can you help them identify how to use the items in the first aid kit?

- A. Thermometer
- B. Watch
- C. Stethoscope
- D. Betadine
- E. Gauze
- F. Paper and Pencil
- G. Sterile Saline
- H. Antibiotic Ointment
 - 63. Sanitizing a wound
 - 64. Applying Pressure/Stopping any bleeding from a wound
 - 65. Checking the temperature
 - 66. Taking notes for the vet
 - 67. Washing debris out of a wound or flushing an eye
 - 68. Prevention of infection
 - 69. Keep time for measuring respiration
 - 70. Listen for pulse/heartbeat/gut sounds

Part 4: Uh oh! Upon arrival it seems that a lot of these horses might be sick! Help match their systems with the appropriate illness, so they can accurately describe to the vet what is wrong with their horses.

- A. Applejack is kicking at his stomach, rolling violently, and sweating. He appears uncomfortable and agitated, and is not producing a lot of feces.
- B. Chester has a dry cough and appears to be having trouble breathing. His nostrils are flared even when resting and have some clear, watery nasal discharge.
- C. Beatrice has mild lameness. Upon further inspection the cleft of her frog is black and odorous. It appears that this disease is eating away at her frog.
- D. Ferguson seems ok. However, he is carrying a very shaggy hair coat and is quite obese. Upon further inspection, Ferguson appears to be excessively drinking water and seems to lack the muscle tone of the other horses.
- E. Butter is extremely weak and lethargic. She has a fever of 107 and significant nasal discharge. She went off feed, and seems depressed.
- 71. Thrush
- 72. Heaves
- 73. Colic
- 74. Cushing's Disease
- 75. Equine Influenza