

Wheel to Wheel

Newsletter for the HUB



2014

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A current negative Coggins must be on file with the club secretary in order to participate in any HUB Club event

The HUB Club:
Education &
Camaderie



From the Editor

As your editor, I ask that you send me photos and anything else that you would like to see in the newsletter. I am more than happy to use anything you want in the newsletter, as it is **YOUR** newsletter. If you want to continue to have an informative newsletter, I need material from the membership. You can send them to me directly at briarpatcheast@aol.com by the 20th of each month. Kris Breyer

From the Webmaster:

Please submit items for web page. Include pictures of all our members. Please send names of driver, passengers, horse(s), and description of what you are doing, and where.

Prez' message:

The HUB Club will be hosting an international CDE with ADS Intermediate Level and FEI Advanced Level next year! Not really, but I got your attention! Actually we held a very low-key meeting at Sue West's this past Saturday, with a few people bringing their horses and ponies to "play" in her dressage ring, cones, and hazards. Some things we did decide:

- Donate to the ADS Fund
- List new library items in each newsletter
- Start an "Ask HUB Club" column in the newsletter

I'm very excited about this last idea that came from VP and Membership Committee Chairperson MaryAnn Carter. She and her crew can tell you more about it, but basically it's an opportunity for members to send in questions and, depending on the topic, have another member respond. So if it's a health question, maybe one of us veterinarians will jump in. If it's a legal question, perhaps our attorney members would be willing? And if we get a Morgan question, here's hoping Kris or Al will be all over it! The next meeting is at their place on Saturday, September 20, and we WILL be starting to plan for 2015 so if you have something you want to see happen next year, let's hear it!

Yours Truly, **Dr. Lydia**



2014 DRIVING RELATED EVENTS CALENDAR

DIRTY HARNESS DAY August 23, 2014 FVSA, Hampshire, IL.
Precision ring classes, obstacle classes & cross country. **STAY FOR
NEXT DAY!!!** Kris Breyer briarpatcheast@aol.com (a HUB Club driving show)
(see flyer further on)

***FVSA OPEN SHOW** August 24, 2014 **EIGHT DRIVING CLASSES**. Driving starts at noon with driving judge. www.fvsa.org (see flyer further on)

INDIANA COMBINED DRIVING EVENT August, 29 – 31, 2014, Edinburgh, IN

VILLA LOUIS CARRIAGE CLASSIC September, 5 – 7, 2014, Prairie Du, Chien Wisconsin. For more information: info@carriageclassic.com or 608-326-4436

Hermitage Classic September 13-15, 2014, 10500 W. Highway 42, Goshen, Kentucky

MEETING: September 20th at Al & Kris Breyer's in Wauconda, IL.

***FVSA OPEN SHOW** September 21, 2014 **EIGHT DRIVING CLASSES**. Driving starts at noon with driving judge. www.fvsa.org (see flyer further on)

National Drive October 7-12, 2014, Kentucky Horse Park, Lexington, KY

*** indicates a HUB Club sponsored show..PLEASE support them with your attendance!!!!**

<https://www.dropbox.com/s/iu9f3hc8iem169k/HUBClubLibraryUpdated.xlsx>



This is the link to the updated Hub Club Library – out on Dropbox. For those unfamiliar, Dropbox is a free computer app. that allows files to be shared on the internet. Anyone clicking on this link will get the excel spreadsheet with the most updated library on it.

I would like to remind everyone that we now have a mail out and back program. If you want to check something out from the library you contact Leslye Sandberg lsandberg@permatron.com and include your mailing address. The item will be mailed to you. We ask that you return the item in

a timely manner in the preaddressed envelope that will come with it. You will have to pay the return postage.

In upcoming issues I will be showcasing some of the new additions. And again I ask for your suggestions for items to add to the library. Note that any horsey movies or videos you have that you no longer want or need can be donated to the library as well.

Here is a 10 minute video – old footing of real life horse use in England. Wonderful video Our Friend the Horse 1920-1939 good shots of cart horses in England.

http://youtu.be/99CSrIDFr_U

THE HUB CLUB

JULY 26, 2014 MEETING AT SUE AND JOHN WEST'S FARM, WOODSTOCK, IL

12 Noon Potluck

Meeting called to order 1:10 PM. Those in attendance: Cheyenne Byard, Sheri Haviza, Theresa Adams, Leslye Sandberg, Don Hayes, MaryAnn Carter, Emily Berendt, Sue West, Lydia Gray, Renee Enright and Ann McCombs.

Minutes were approved from the last meeting (Sue made motion, Theresa 2nded)

Treasurer's report: we have \$5320.00 after the trailer expense (\$3280.00 for a 6' x 12'), a few minor expenses will still be required for locks, wiring harness. It will be stored at Kandi Kline's house

Website: webmaster not in attendance but we decided that the web page needs to be updated and the current newsletters need to be posted

Facebook: MaryAnn asked for favorite photos

Membership: MaryAnn and Nancy Baker, will highlight member(s) with a series of questions and answers will be posted in the newsletter.

Librarian: a current list has been made including new acquisitions highlighted in blue and a list of possible new purchases. This list is available on our webpage. 1990's VHS tapes are available for anyone to take, Sheri Haviza said she would convert some of them over winter, club wants to have new acquisitions listed in the newsletter monthly

Sponsorship: all money earmarked for 2014 has been allocated, we did not donate to Villa Louis. We have received thanks from several of the shows that we sent money. These will be in the newsletter. Next year we should consider more promotional value by posting our banner at shows that we have contributed

MaryAnn reported that she and her husband Chris looked at our sound system and we need to use a larger speaker and amp so that auditors can hear. The drop out problem is caused by interference and we have a hard wired rechargeable battery system that could be modified for regular batteries. Maryann has an outdoor system that she may donate for the next clinic

Old Business: HUB Club equipment will be transferred today from Sue West's barn into our new trailer.

St. James Farm Day: MaryAnn reported that she, Kelly Chuman and Tim Palloni drove and Chris Carter, Tammy Carlo, Mike Chuman and Ann McCombs helped to man the info booth and set up for the cones demonstration. The large audience really liked the competition.

Dirty Harness Day: FVSA Aug 23 is coming along. Still need volunteers for set up Friday evening. Dr. Ann McCombs will judge the ring classes and MaryAnn Carter will judge the cross country, most volunteer positions have been filled but you can still come and lend a hand. Renee and Leslye will help.

Lamplight Equestrian Center: Lydia is still trying to get something started

Hickory Knoll: John Freiburger would like to have a HUB Club/ Dairyland Driving collaborative effort for some driving event. He again suggested having Oktoberfest at Hickory Knoll. He sent out an email to recent competitors requesting interested organizers.

Bull Valley: Emily suggested that since our annual drive there is not well attended and the weather can be bad, we could set something up like a trace pace there during the time normally used for Oktoberfest.

We will have a **new ADS regional representative**, Lynn Simpson from Indiana

Lydia reported that **we are now a CAA chapter member**

We had a box of flyers returned to us so we will not need to edit the flyer for the next printing yet

Lydia suggested that we have polo shirts made with the club logo. Sheri Haviza offered to make them over the winter

The ADS has solicited donations for the Annual Meetings silent auction, no suggestions were made

John Freiburger has encouraged the club to donate money to the ADS Fund as our club has benefitted from grants from the Fund. MaryAnn made a motion to give \$100.00, Leslye 2nded the motion, so moved.

Meeting adjourned 1:50PM

Respectfully submitted, Ann McCombs, sec

Skunk River HDT

Just found that Phinn finished 4th in his debut at Skunk River HDT. I'm very pleased with him. Just spent two great days at Dr. Jen T's gorgeous farm in Wisconsin. Super time learning more about driving from Bill Lower. Off to Notara for a mini event with Phinn. Hope he will want to go in the trailer. **THERESA ADAMS**



MICHAEL CHUMAN June 26: Loading and getting gassed up to head out to the Skunk River HDT tomorrow. My goals for the weekend... Not to launch



my mother in law off the back of my carriage.

June 27: The cones course. If I could pick one word to describe this so far it would be Hella-muddy.



June 28: I was in 2nd after dressage...then the cones course happened and apparently my horse forgot how to turn. Still, I'm so grateful for the support I get from horse wranglers, gators, people who make sure my tie is on right and Kelly Brock Chuman who got me into the sport, pushes me every day and will always sew me a new apron. And the random volunteers who give up a weekend so that people they don't know can play with their horses.

A fun, if rain shorted marathon course. Pretty sure that red ball is about to be dislodged.

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HUB CLUB MEMBER RESULTS FROM SKUNK RIVER DRIVING TRIAL.

Training Horse Group 1: Mike Chuman and Gimme Some Sugar (Sugar), 3rd place; Theresa Adams and Phinn, 4th place.

Training Horse Group 2: Kelly Brock Chuman and Burning the Midnight Oil (Bert) 3rd place. Ann McCombs and Tevis withdrew.

Training Pony, Group 1: MaryAnn Carter and Coyote Genius, 1st place, and Reserve Champion Training level.

Prelim Horse: Debbie Bevan and Mindy, second place and Best Dressage score of the day!

Congratulations to all!



Notara Farm Horse Driving Trial

Thanks so much to Deb Bevan, TD; Debbie Banfield, judge; for being such great officials at the Notara Farm HDT this past weekend. And to the other volunteers who helped the show run smoothly as Donna Thomas, show secretary; Cathy Thomas, safety check; Howard Kietzke, cones steward; Carol Pasbrig, cones scribe; Ruth Domack, volunteer coordinator; Glenn Hovde, scorer; Jeannine Desautels and Mary Van Hout, food committee; Kevin Welton, grounds committee chairman; the Dahlberg Family, parking; Frank and Toni Pabon, grounds and sponsorship and webpage

AND Brittany Nesbit for helping start the takedown of the course - all y'all and many others helped make this happen. Thanks Paul Patenaude and Susan Titus for your help too.

And a HUGE thank you to our sponsors for without them this wouldn't happen - see them on our web page www.NotaraFarm.com - thank them and utilize their services for they are grand people!

MARY RUTH MARKS



Just a quick shout out to thank you and all your volunteers and helpers for making Notara Farm HDT a wonderful event. Great officials, Debbie Bevan, TD and Debbie Banfield, Judge, awesome dressage ring, cones course and marathon! Hopefully you get some rest this week!! THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU!! **DONNA CROSSMAN**

The Notara Farm driving trial, held today at Mary Ruth Mark's farm was a beautiful event with perfect weather. Debbie Banfield and Debbie Bevin officiated. The cones course was challenging but fun, and there were FIVE obstacles on the marathon. Definitely a good event to put on your calendar. The Hub Club was a sponsor of the show and club members Lydia Gray, Carolyn Sluiter, Donna Crossman, Theresa Adams, and MaryAnn Carter competed. Other club members volunteered, but I will probably miss someone--Leslye Sandberg, Terry Delke are the ones for sure. Former member, [Amanda Lehning](#) (many of the photos in this piece were taken by Amanda) was a cones and hazard timer volunteer. A big thanks to Mary Ruth for all her work to let us come and play! Events like these are so valuable.

[Mary Ruth Marks](#) Thank you Hub Club for your support and encouragement. That helps too!

[Ann McCombs](#) Way to have fun and promote driving.



MICHAEL CHUMAN

Getting ready to gator for Kelly at Notara Farms HDT. KM times are on the arm.



I had a wonderful time at the [Notara Farm Horse Driving Trial](#) yesterday. Mary Ruth's farm is beautiful. I had a great time doing the obstacles, and the cones course was fun, even though I brought 2 balls down. I am thankful for a place to play that is so close to home. Thanks, [Mary Ruth Marks](#)!! Thanks, [Tammy Carlo](#) for the braiding, and navigating, and photos!

MARYANN CARTER



Dr. Lydia Gray & Newman at Notara Farm HDT



Rockin' JK at Notara Farm HDT



Dr. Jennifer Thompson at Notara Farm HDT



John Freiburger at Notara Farm HDT

Thanks to Mary Ruth Marks for hosting Notara year #2. Ponies went well in first preliminary outing, fifth time off farm for the gelding. Very forward and in the bridle in cones for a clear round and good in the four obstacles where the driver had a drivable route. Downhill turning in #2 not a good idea before B so had to loop it. Did #3 in 38 seconds, mostly at a run. Dressage was decent with a 50 but could have been a 44 with a better back and more precision. **JOHN FREIBERGER**

Theresa Adams, Demi & Phinn at Notara Farms HDT

I had a wonderful time at Mary Ruth Marks' Notara Farm. Great day spent with friends and family. I truly love this sport and the people who make it so special. Very Pleased to



report that Phinn finished second in a class of seven. He has a good future-----soon as he learns how to willingly go into the trailer.



HUB CLUB MEMBER RESULTS FROM THE NOTARA FARM HDT:

Training Horse: 2nd place, Theresa Adams, Phinn; 3rd place, Karen Arkebauer, Ty; 5th place, Kelly Chuman, Bert. Carolyn Sluiter brought her horse General, but was eliminated when she went backwards through a cone. She says she is hooked on CDE, now anyway!

Training Pony: 3rd place, MaryAnn Carter and Coyote; 4th place Lori Schoofs and Laura Lee.

Prelim Horse: 1st place, Lydia Gray and Newman. Lydia also had the best prelim dressage score.

Prelim VSE: 1st place, Donna Crossman and Bella.

Congratulations to everyone!

Carol Sluiter at Notara Farm HDT



BOONE COUNTY 4H OPEN DRIVING SHOW

From: **ANN OLUTIC**

I attended the Boone County 4H Open Driving Show on July 5th at the Boone County Fairgrounds. No pictures. But I was driving all 3 of my cart ponies.

Hampton - Welsh pony

Robin - 31" mini

Flower - Shetland pony

Here are my placings:

Flower: Open Senior Equine - 3rd ; Open Shetland/Welsh - 1st; Stakes Class, All other breeds - 1st; Open Single Pleasure Draft Harness - 2nd

Robin: Open Jr. Jr. equine - 2nd; Open Mini 38" and under - 6th; Stakes Class, Mini - 3rd

Hampton: Open Roadster - 1st; Open Single Pleasure Senior Driver - 2nd
Stakes Class, Mini - 3rd

H.A.M.E AMHR RATED MINIATURE HORSE SHOW

From: **ANN OLUTIC**

Just wanted to provide with some more results from the show I attended on July 19 and 20th at the Boone County fairgrounds. It was the H.A.M.E AMHR rated Miniature Horse Show. All of the results are for my mini "Shades of Blues Robin"

Model Mare, 2 & Older, under - 4th

Aged Mare, 3 & older, Over 30" to 32" - 4th

Amateur Halter Mare - 5th

Multi-Color Mare, under - 3rd

Amateur Showmanship, under - 2nd

Adult Costume - 4th

Open Country Pleasure Driving, under - 3rd

Amateur Country Pleasure Driving, under - 3rd

Country Pleasure Driving Stakes, under - 3rd

Single Draft Hitch - 1st

Hickory Knolls CDE July 20, 2014 – photos



Single trotting towards Hazard 3



Lonnie and Judy working at Hazard 3 – Stormin' Norman!



Hazard 3 –
Stormin'
Norman, gates
intertwining
around an old
oak tree.



Hazard 1 –
Arborvitae –
loops around
the gardens.



Sharp turn to get to Hazard #3



One driving towards Obstacle 1 other towards obstacle 3!



Teri Delke



Theresa Adams & Demiree Lyn Busch



Hickory Knoll CDE out did itself this year. Weather was picture perfect, and it was the smoothest running event I have ever attended !!! Betsy and John, The Raymonds, Mc Gibbons and flocks did a wonderful job.....thank you, thank you , thank you for all that you did for the event !!! Definitely worthy of a National Singles Champion facility! I was 6th, Theresa was 7th. Donna Crossman was second.

SHERI AND RICHARD HAVIZA

Sheri, Richard & Sami



Columbus Horse and Carriage Festival.



Chet Thomas enjoyed driving Norwegian Fjord mare Trina with his "new" 1895 antique village cart at the Columbus Horse and Carriage Festival. Chet placed in all Single Horse Open classes except one where,



alas, he eliminated due to momentary memory glitch during Your Route, My Route. He did earn blue in the other two obstacle classes, thus somewhat redeeming himself. He also was first in the Progressive Cones Challenge, a special noontime competition organized by Susie Koos Acker to raise money for the historic Fireman's Pavilion restoration. Groom and wife Donna drove in the Antique Carriage class--lots of fun! Thanks!

DONNA THOMAS

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Lynn Simpson ADS Central Regional Director Nominee

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself as Regional Director of the Central Region. I have been an ADS member for several years since 2001.

I am married to my wonderful husband, Clark for 39 years and we have 3 wonderful children and 4 grandchildren. I am also thankful and proud that my grandchildren share our love horses and our oldest granddaughter, Kasey, wants to learn to drive. Professionally, I am a Registered Nurse, having worked in Intensive Care and Emergency Department for many years. I am a graduate from Indiana University with a Bachelor's Degree in Nursing and presently work as a Medical Case Manager and Legal Nurse Consultant.

I have always loved horses, having grown up on a livestock and grain farm in Armstrong, Illinois near Danville. I was very active in 4-H showing my Morgan gelding. I first learned to drive under the guidance of my father, who shared my passion for horses. We trained an Arabian mare to drive and later I showed her in pleasure shows and parades. After high school, horses were put on hold as I obtained my education.

After college, I married, had our family and moved to Indiana. We purchased and moved onto an 80 acre farm in 1997. We soon bought our first Morgan horse. It was at this time I realized I wanted to know more about driving and was introduced to the sport of Pleasure and Combined Driving by my mentor and friend, Lynna Spence. Lynna and I had many common interests – Morgan's and driving. I assisted Lynna in shows like Walnut Hill and learned of the many details and newoneses about showing and too 'keep polishing that brass'! Lynna introduced me to Debbie Banfield and Gayla Driving Center, where I have taken many driving lessons from Debbie. I owe both Lynna and Debbie a lot for their friendship and hours of driving instruction.

We now breed and raise Morgan Sport horses, having about 11 horses on the farm. We stand our own stallion which we have raised, Slyfork Statesman's Legacy, 'Reggie' who is very typical of the Government and sport Morgan breeding. I compete with our horses primarily at CDE's and some Pleasure shows with our region.

I am active in our local driving club, Indiana Whips and Wheels, serving as secretary and also organizer of our CDE show, Indiana CDE held annually over Labor Day weekend.

I also volunteer at area shows and speak at club events. We also enjoy hosting club activities and drives at our farm.

I will be honored to serve the ADS membership as Regional Director of the Central Region and look forward to the continue promotion of carriage driving.

Columbus Horse and Carriage Festival Partial Results

(Results were incomplete and very late on the ADS website)

Back #	Participant	division	Turnout	Working	Reins	Pick Route	Fault & out	Your/My
20	Delke, Terri	Novice A	3	5	2	5	4	1
24	Nowicki, Sandra	Novice A		6				
25	Renda, Laurie	Novice A	1	3	3	2	5	5
3	Helmboldt, Jane	Novice B	1	1	2	1	3	3
43	Santamaria, Lana	Open Horse	3	4	6	6		4
44	Thomas, Chet	Open Horse	4	5	4	1	1	
51	Arkebauer, Karen	Open Large Pony	3	2	4	5	4	3

Hickory Knoll CDE 19-20Jul14

President of Jury: Sara Schmitt

Judges: Sue Mott, Mary Ann Boyden

Technical Delegate: Ken Mott

Total Number of Entries: 57

Division: Training Pony

Name of Driver/Owner Name of Horse(s) Dressage Marathon Cones Final Score

2 Holahan, Claire The Dixie Chick 61.13 0.00 0.00 61.13

Division: Training Horse

Name of Driver/Owner Name of Horse(s)

2 Arkebauer, Karen Heza Unique Trquest 56.77 0.00 6.00 62.77

6 Thompson, Jennifer Finnominial 56.40 20.00 3.00 79.40

Division: Preliminary VSE

Name of Driver/Owner Name of Horse(s) Dressage Marathon Cones Final Score

2 Crossman, Donna Miss Bella 51.61 46.54 0.00 98.15

Division: Preliminary Pony

Name of Driver/Owner Name of Horse(s) Dressage Marathon Cones Final Score

3 Palloni, Timothy Windwalzer RVRW 48.44 39.40 9.00 96.84

4 Thomas, Donna Lexy 57.45 51.07 0.00 108.52

Division: Preliminary Horse

Name of Driver/Owner Name of Horse(s) Dressage Marathon Cones Final Score

6 Adams, Theresa Bar Nothig Acic 63.12 61.60 9.00 133.71

Division: Intermediate Horse

Name of Driver/Owner Name of Horse(s) Dressage Marathon Cones Final Score

1 Marks, Mary Ruth Adesko 64.12 51.71 3.00 118.83

2 Thomas, Cathy Trade Fair 51.61 59.72 14.00 125.33

3 Thomas, Chet Trina 63.79 79.95 23.00 166.73

Dirty Harness Day!! August 23, 2014

A day of driving Fun and games!!!!!!

NO need to clean your harness!

(Stay over for the FVSA OPEN SHOW August 24, 2014. **EIGHT DRIVING CLASSES** including the **cross country again!** Driving starts at noon with driving judge. www.fvsa.org)

Entry fees: \$10 per class

PRIZES: Trophies and Ribbons to six places. High Point AMHA Morgan Award. Champion and Reserve Horse and Pony/VSE ribbons

Office fee: \$5 per Turnout

Stall Fees: \$30 per stall (No shavings included)

Showing Out of Trailer: \$15 per exhibitor

Starting time: 10 am (lunch break time announced during show. Caterer on the grounds)

Location: Fox Valley Saddle Association grounds, Hampshire, IL (44W300 Rohrson Road, Rohrson and Tower Roads)

Negative Coggins test dated within one year is required for each equine.

All dogs must be on a leash attached to a human or tied up. No alcoholic beverages.

ADS/USEF Rules shall apply where applicable. ***Contact organizer for rules of non ADS classes.** ADS pleasure driving Attire and harness rules shall apply. Hat, driving gloves, apron and appropriate whip in hand are required. **Helmets are strongly encouraged.** Pneumatic tired vehicles and Marathon vehicles are allowed. Turnouts will be checked for safety. Removal of bridle from horse while hitched to the vehicle will be grounds for dismissal from grounds.

Class list as follows (Horse and pony/ VSE divisions for each):

1. a. Horse: b. Pony/VSE Super Reinsmanship, Pattern #2 (ADS article 225)
2. a. Horse: b. Pony/VSE Precision driving, Pattern #1*
3. a. Horse: b. Pony/VSE Fault and Out (ADS article 249.1)
4. a. Horse: b. Pony/VSE Pleasure Cross Country (ADS article 250)
5. a. Horse: b. Pony/VSE Driving Pole Bending*
6. a. Horse: b. Pony/VSE Driving Barrel Race*
7. a. Horse: b. Pony/VSE Rainbow Cones (a timed cones class)*
8. a. Horse: b. Pony/VS Driving Figure "8" Stake Race*

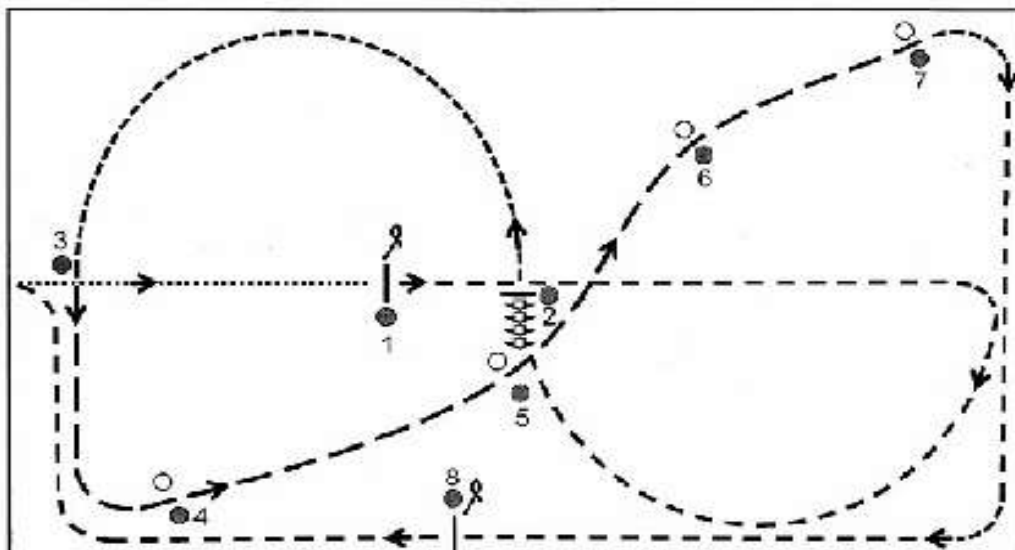
Contact: Kris Breyer briarpatcheast@aol.com, 847-526-3012

Super Reinsmanship Pattern for Dirty Harness Day...Class 1a & b

AD&S article 225

E. Super Reinsmanship Test #2

Pleasure Driving



Elements

1. Enter at Working Walk. At Marker 1, Halt. Salute.
2. Proceed at Working Trot, tracking right at the rail. Half circle to the right to Marker 2
3. At Marker 2, Halt
4. At Marker 2, Rein Back 4 steps, walk forward to Marker 2.
5. At Marker 2, develop Slow Trot, continue half circle to the left to Marker 3.
6. At Marker 3, develop Strong Trot and continue through Gates 4, 5, 6 and 7.
7. After passing through Gate 7, develop Working Trot and continue on the rail to Marker 8.
8. At Marker 8, Halt, Salute. Leave arena on the rail at a Working Trot.
9. Overall Impression of the turnout on the condition and fit of the harness and vehicle, neatness of attire.
10. General Impression of the driver on posture, relaxation, confidence and effectiveness.

Each element will receive a numerical score of 0-10. Perfect Score = 100.

Scale of marks:

10 - Excellent 9 - Very Good 8 - Good 7 - Fairly Good 6 - Satisfactory
5 - Marginal 4 - Insufficient 3 - Fairly Bad 2 - Bad 1 - Very Bad 0 - Not Executed

Note: This test is designed for a 40m x 80m dressage ring. Organizers may adjust the test accordingly for different size and shape areas.

Precision Driving Pattern for Dirty Harness Day.. Class 2 a & b

Precision Driving,

Class Procedure:

This competition tests the skill of the driver, the obedience and handiness of the animal, and the accuracy with which the course is driven.

Faults:

First and second refusal, displacing marker, hoof and wheel outside marker, and breaking gait.

Elimination:

Three (3) accumulated refusals, receiving outside assistance, showing an obstacle to the horse, taking an obstacle out of order (off course).

Judging is based on performance, manner, and appropriateness of entry.

Competitors will be required to drive over a course consisting of six (6) to eight (8) obstacles

The course will be irregular, necessitating changes of direction. Markers indicating obstacles will be at least 12 inches wider than the outside hub of the wheels of each vehicle. Markers indicating obstacles will be at least 12 inches high. (Traffic cones with tennis balls on top work well – see Figure 4). Lanes may be defined by rails at least three (3) inches in diameter.

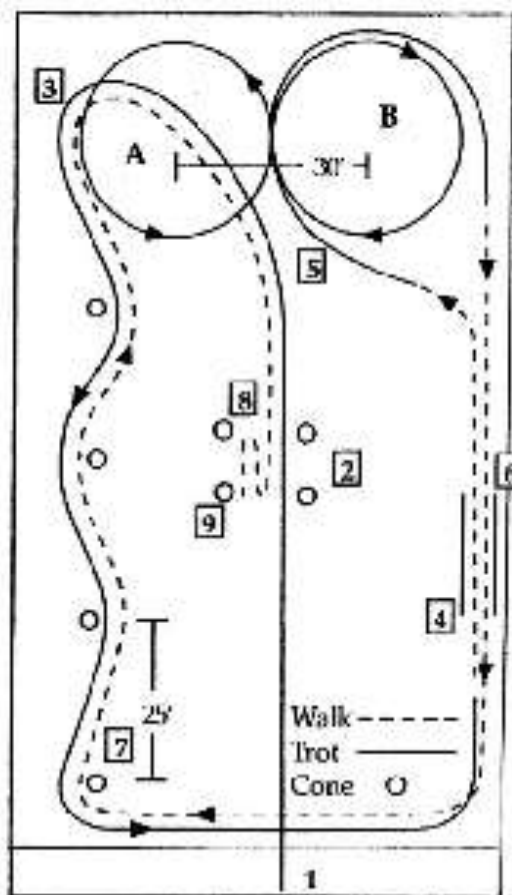
Basis of Judging:

The purpose of the competition is to test the skill of the driver and the obedience and handiness of the animal.

- 80% on the fault system.
- 20% on manners and smoothness of performance.

Course #1: (see Figure 1)

- (1) Enter at a trot
- (2) Trot through 10-foot square (four [4] cones)
- (3) Trot a serpentine of five (5) cones (25' apart)
- (4) Walk with right wheel(s) between poles (6"–8" apart)
- (5) (a) (b) Trot a figure-eight
- (6) Walk with left wheel(s) between poles
- (7) Walk a serpentine
- (8) Walk into square, stop with wheels (front) between front cones, back four (4) steps, return to forward position
- (9) Stand quietly until dismissed by judge or ringmaster



**Figure 1. Precision Driving.
Standard Course #1.**

Barrel race (Class 5), Pole bending (Class 6) & Figure 8 Stake Race (Class 8) patterns for Dirty Harness Day

Driving Barrel Race (see Figure 5)

Course: Three (3) markers placed in triangular formation 75 feet apart with first and second

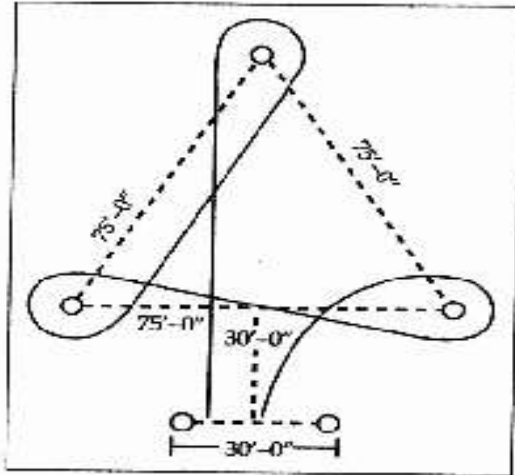


Figure 5. Driving Barrel Race.

markers placed 30 feet out from the start-finish line (see Figure 5). (Alternate course for narrow arena: first and second markers 33 feet out from start-finish line and 60 feet apart; third marker 30 feet from first and second markers.)

Pattern: Course may be driven to the right or to the left.

- **Right:** Driver crosses start-finish line, circles #1 marker to right, crosses to #2 marker, circles it to left, drives to #3 marker, circles it to left and returns across start-finish line.
- **Left:** Driver crosses start-finish line, circles #2 marker to left, crosses to #1 marker, circles it to right, drives to #3 marker, circles it to right and returns across start-finish line.

Driving Pole Bending Race (see Figure 6)

Course: Six (6) markers placed in a straight line, spaced 25 feet apart with the start-finish line 25 feet in front of the first marker (see Figure 6).

Pattern: May be driven in either direction. Driver crosses start-finish line, drives down the right or left side of markers; turns around #6 marker and weaves in and out of the line of markers; turns around #1 marker and weaves in and out of the line of markers again; turns around #6 marker and drives across the start-finish line.

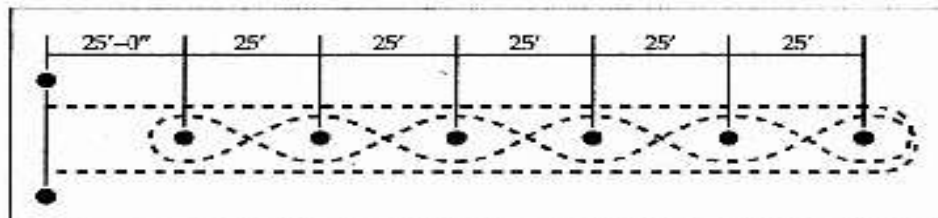


Figure 6. Driving Pole Bending Race.

Driving Figure-Eight Stake Race (see Figure 7)

Course: Two (2) markers placed 120 feet apart with the start-finish line an equal distance (60 feet) between (see Figure 7).

Pattern: Driver may begin in either direction; turns around first marker, recrosses start-finish line, turns around second marker in opposite direction and completes the "8" pattern by passing over the start-finish line.

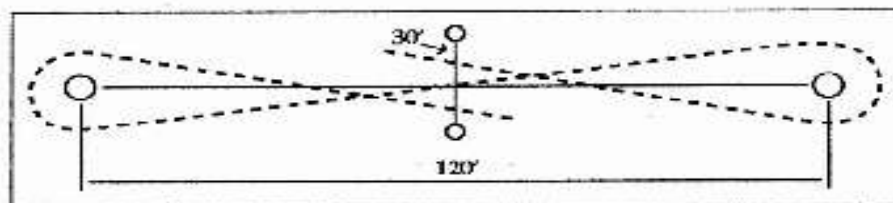


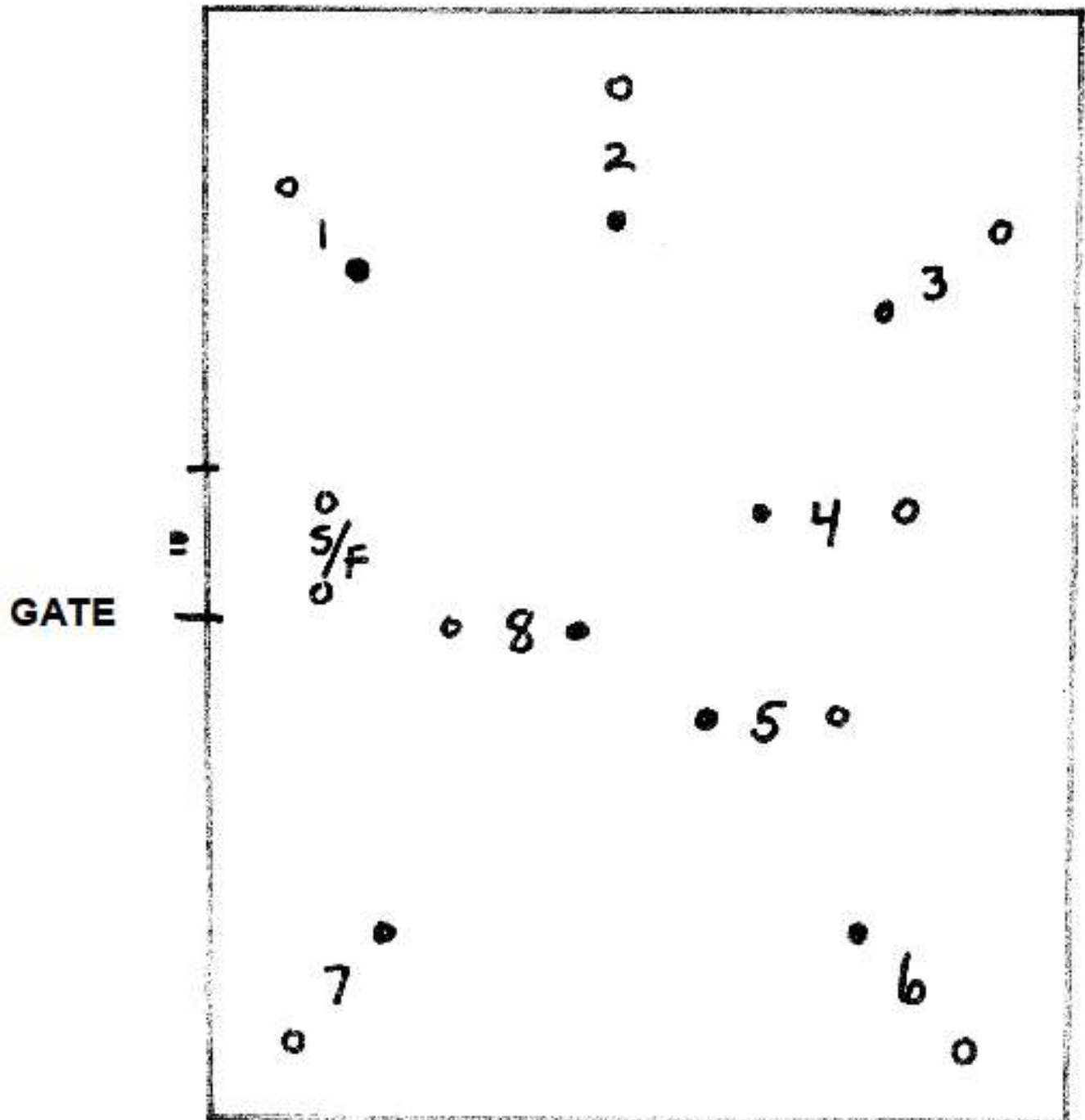
Figure 7. Driving Figure Eight Stake Race.

Dirty Harness Day Class 3 a& b Fault and Out

ADS article 249.1 Fault and Out Obstacles

Clearance of 8" over wheel base

2 minutes time allowed. Drive through course as many times as you can, until the whistle blows, or you dislodge a ball. Then go through next obstacle and head for the out gate.



Fox Valley Saddle Association's 2014

April 27

Joan Harms
Sterling, IL

May 18

Steve Papaeliou
Minooka, IL

June 29

Bob Ross
Grayslake, IL

August 24

Mike Adams
Rochester, IL

Sept. 21

Dana Panella
Hartland, WI

October 12

Dan Grunewald
Jefferson, WI

April 26 Warm-Up Horse Show (different show bill)

Horse Show Series



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1. 3-Year-Old & Under Horse Halter
2. English Horse in Hand
3. Color Breed Halter (judged on 50% color, 50% conformation)
4. Western Horse Halter
5. Pony/Mini Halter
6. **GRAND & RESERVE CHAMPION HALTER** (1st & 2nd from 1-5)
7. **OPEN SHOWMANSHIP AT HALTER PAYBACK CLASS*****
8. Beginner Showmanship Clinic Class ****
9. Pony Showmanship
10. Showmanship at Halter, 40 and over
11. Showmanship at Halter, 19-39
12. Showmanship at Halter, 14-18
13. Showmanship at Halter, 13 & under
14. Lead Line, 8 & under**
15. Walk Trot Pleasure, 12 & under** (not eligible for canter classes)
16. Walk Trot Equitation, 12 & under** (not eligible for canter classes)
17. Open Walk Trot Novice** (No age limit. Not eligible for canter classes)
18. Pony Pleasure
19. Pony Equitation
20. Open Walk Trot English Pleasure (no age limit) ☺
21. **OPEN ENGLISH PLEASURE PAYBACK CLASS*****
22. English Pleasure, 40 & over
23. English Pleasure, 19-39
24. English Pleasure, 14-18
25. English Pleasure, 13 and under
26. Beginner English Equitation Clinic Class ****
27. English Equitation, 40 & over
28. English Equitation, 19-39
29. English Equitation, 14-18
30. English Equitation, 13 & under
31. Open Junior Horse Pleasure (Horse 5 years or under)
32. Open Senior Horse Pleasure (Horse 6 years or over)
33. Open Color Breed Pleasure (Observable color/pedigree on request)
34. Open Walk Trot Western Pleasure (no age limit) ☺
35. **OPEN WESTERN PLEASURE PAYBACK CLASS*****
36. Western Pleasure, 40 & over
37. Western Pleasure, 19-39
38. Western Pleasure, 14-18
39. Western Pleasure, 13 & under
40. Beginner Western Horsemanship Clinic****
41. Western Horsemanship, 40 & over
42. Western Horsemanship, 19-39
43. Western Horsemanship, 14-18
44. Western Horsemanship, 13 & under



Driving classes will start at noon, and run concurrently with the rest of the show, with a separate judge. Classes will be held on the lawn, east of the indoor. In the event of inclement weather, classes will be cancelled. Call the show grounds on the day of the show for a weather update: 847-464-4355.

44. Pony/Mini Pleasure Driving
45. Horse Pleasure Driving
46. Pony/Mini Reinsmanship Driving
47. Horse Reinsmanship Driving
48. Pony/Mini Pleasure Driving Cross Country
49. Horse Pleasure Driving Cross Country
50. Pony/Mini Cones Class (timed, weather permitting)
51. Horse Cones Classes (timed, weather permitting)



TIME: 8:30 a.m. (grounds open at 7 a.m.)
ENTRY FEE: \$7 per class; \$10 Jackpot classes
AWARDS: Ribbons to six places

Stalls on grounds: \$20 per stall, first come, first served
FVSA reserves the right to require stalls in the event of inclement weather.

Food Stand - Rain/Shine - Indoor/Outdoor Arenas

Contact: Judy 847-683-2372 Sandy 815-568-6772

Day of Show Phone: 847-464-4355

LOCATION: 1 mile west of Rt. 47 on Rohrsen Rd. (44W300 Rohrsen Rd.) Location is north of Rt. 64, south of Rt. 20

***WARNING** Under the Equine Activity Liability Act, each participant who engages in an equine activity expressly assumes the risks of engaging in and legal responsibility for injury, loss, or damage to person or property resulting from the risk of equine activities.

HIGH POINT AWARD DIVISIONS

To be eligible for any high point* you must enter in class 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5. Points earned in classes 1, 2, 3, 4, or 5 will not count toward high point. Ties broken by judges discretion.

AGE DIVISION HIGH POINTS BY HORSE/RIDER COMBINATION

13 & under:12, 24, 29, 38, 43
14-18:11, 23, 28, 37, 42
19-39:10, 22, 27, 36, 41
40 & over:9, 21, 26, 35, 40

◆ **Daily High Point Awards** for each age division at each show.

◆ **Year End High Point Awards** for each age division for points accumulated for show.

◆ **Year End Pony/Mini High Point Award** for points accumulated in pony classes for show series (Classes 5, 8, 17, 18, 44, 46, 48, 50)

◆ **Year End Walk Trot High Point Awards***

*Walk-Trot riders do not have to enter a conformation class

**Entries in classes 13, 14, 15 and 16 CANNOT enter in any other riding classes except 19 and 33.

*** **\$10 Entry Fee.** Horse and Rider must enter in at least 2 other non-payback classes to enter a Payback Class. Payback Pay \$50=1st, \$30=2nd, \$20=3rd

****Entry \$0, for true beginners only. Based on RIDER level.

☺ Entry fees from these classes will be used to begin a Fox Valley Scholarship Fund.

GENERAL RULES: No entry fees refunded. Judges decision is final. All stallions must have an adult handler. FVSA is not responsible for any theft, accident or bodily injury. No entry fee for Grand and Reserve halter. No alcoholic beverages on the grounds. All dogs must be on a leash. Children must be under adult supervision. Ages as of Jan. 1 2014. Ponies are 14.2 & under. The show committee reserves the right to combine or cancel any class with less than six entries. AQHA Rules will be followed where applicable. Horse Registration papers may be requested. Announcements made the day of the show take precedence over written show bill. State of Illinois proof of negative Coggins Law abided by. NSF FEE: \$20 for returned checks



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CARRIAGES AT MCCD HORSE TRAIL SITES

All,

At the Peddle, Paddle Saddle event held at Glacial Park this year, we had several riders ask if they could drive their carriages at MCCD Horse Trail sites.

As you can see from the response the answer is yes and they will be monitoring this activity to insure the trails are not torn-up by the carriage wheels. Remember they are to be driven on **HORSE ONLY TRAILS, NOT MULTI USE TRAILS.**

Proper protocol will be for horseback riders to give way to the carriages when passing and carriages should announce themselves when approaching blind spots on the trail.

I would like to thank the MCCD Staff for their quick turnaround on this issue.

Vern Scacci

Vern,

This is confirming that small carriages are an allowed use on the horse trail at Glacial Park, Hickory Grove and Rush Creek. I have confined it to these three sites because these are the larger networks and we can observe the impact, if any.

We are getting this put into our General Use Ordinance so in the future we will have a "policy" rather than just a practice on this use. Once we get it in the ordinance late this summer we will get it incorporated in to our recreational opportunities.

However they are free to begin use with these restrictions:

1. Carriages can be no wider than 5 feet
2. Carriages are drawn by a single horse
3. The District will close the sites to this use should the wheels begin to damage the trail surface.

There may be more restriction once we actually get the ordinance written.

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NAME: _____
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PHONE :(home) _____ (work) _____ (cell) _____
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Please check preference: Newsletter sent via email _____ U.S Postal Service _____
Also member of: _____ ADS _____ CAA, _____ USEF, Local club _____

MEMBERSHIP DESIGNATIONS:

INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP: 18yrs or older, 1 vote per membership

FAMILY MEMBERSHIP: Couple and any underage children (<18), immediate family, 2 votes per membership.

JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP: Child under 18yrs of age, no voting privileges. (Must have an adult member as sponsor).

Also, parent/guardian must sign on application for Junior Members to participate at club events.

I accept the benefits, obligations and responsibilities of membership and agree to abide by the HUB Club bylaws
Signature(s): _____ Date _____

_____ Date _____

_____ Date : _____

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*New memberships received after June 30 will be pro-rated for 6 months

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