

# Rider Skills

## Intermediate 3

### Horse Care

*“The true secret of happiness lies in taking a genuine interest in all the details of daily life.”*  
*William Morris*

At this level, you will find information on saddle fit, basic veterinary procedures, and be able to discuss managing the care of different types of horses.

#### Training Journals Examples

##### **Discuss Management of Three Different Types of Horses**

\*this skill will be built by cumulative knowledge of different topics of horse care

##### **Evaluate Fit of a Saddle**

\*see short course

##### **Apply Standing Wraps and Exercise Wraps**

\*see weekly show

##### **Administer Basic Veterinary Procedures**

Peter: Desensitizing a Needle Shy Horse

Zelli: Giving Oral Medications

Ace: Giving an Eye Medication

Rocky: Clicker Training for Medical Procedures

#### Short Courses or Q&As

Saddle Fitting Short Course

First Aid Short Course

Parasites Short Course

Blanketing Short Course

#### Videos from the Weekly Show

How to Wrap a Horse's Legs

Giving an Eye Medication with Positive Reinforcement

When to Blanket Your Horse

Tips for Administering Dewormer or Other Oral Meds

4 Common Signs Your Saddle Does Not Fit

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