

2026 March Hibernation Hiatus



Pattern Book



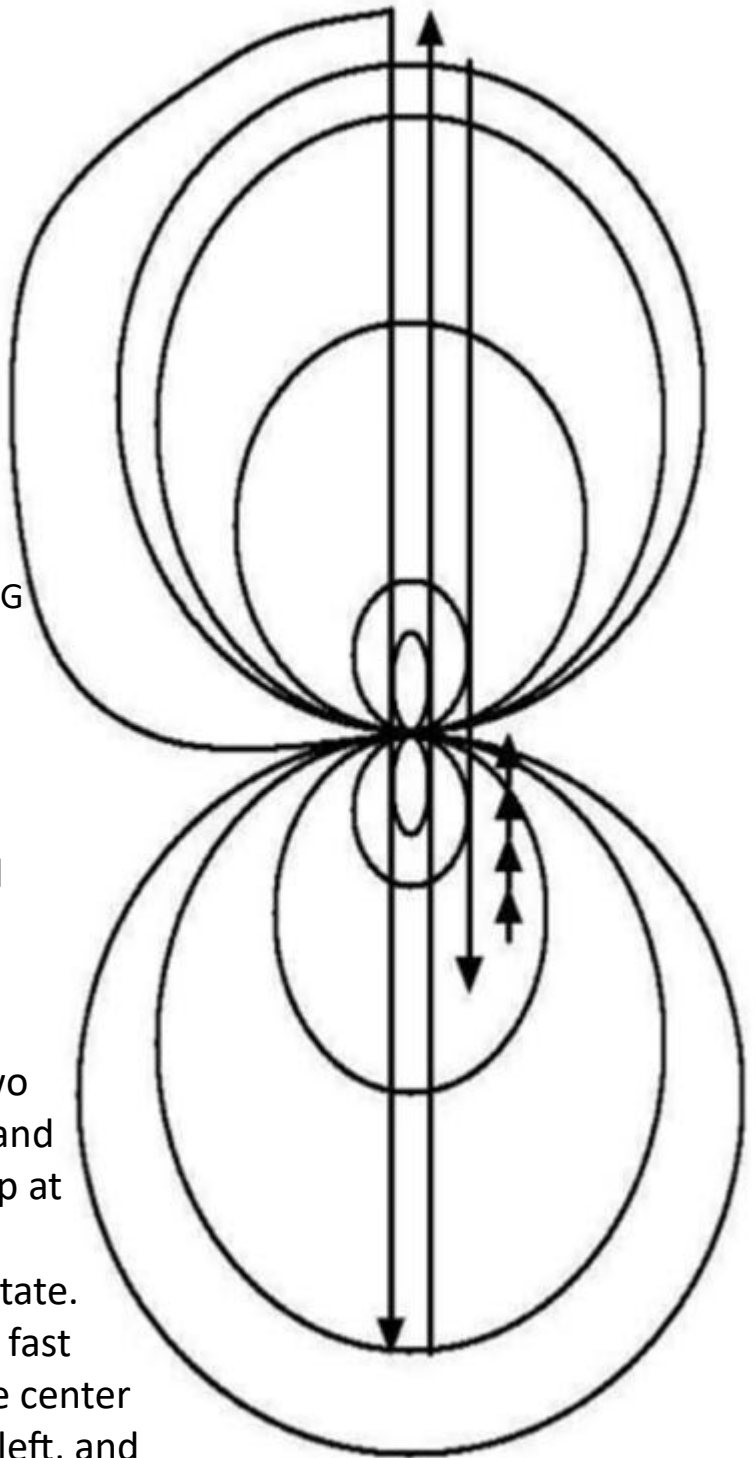
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Ranch Reining Pattern #4

1. Senior Horse
2. Junior Horse
3. Youth
5. Amateur

HORSES MUST TROT TO THE CENTER OF THE ARENA. HORSES MUST STOP PRIOR TO STARTING THE PATTERN BEGINNING AT THE CENTER OF THE ARENA FACING THE ARENA FENCE.

1. Beginning on the right lead, complete two (2) circles to the right, the first circle large and fast, the second circle small and slow. Stop at the center of the arena.
2. Complete two (2) spins to the right. Hesitate.
3. Beginning on the left lead, complete two (2) circles to the left, the first circle large and fast, the second circle small and slow. Stop at center of the arena.
4. Complete two (2) spins to the left. Hesitate.
5. Beginning on the right lead, run a large fast circle to the right, and change leads at the center of the arena, run a large fast circle to the left, and change leads at the center of arena (figure 8).
6. Continue around previous circle to the right. At the top of the circle, run down the middle to the far end of the arena past the end marker and do a right rollback—no hesitation.
7. Run up the middle to the opposite end of the arena past the end marker and do a left rollback - no hesitation.
8. Run past the center marker and do a sliding stop. Back up to the center of the arena or at least 10 feet. Hesitate to demonstrate completion of the pattern.



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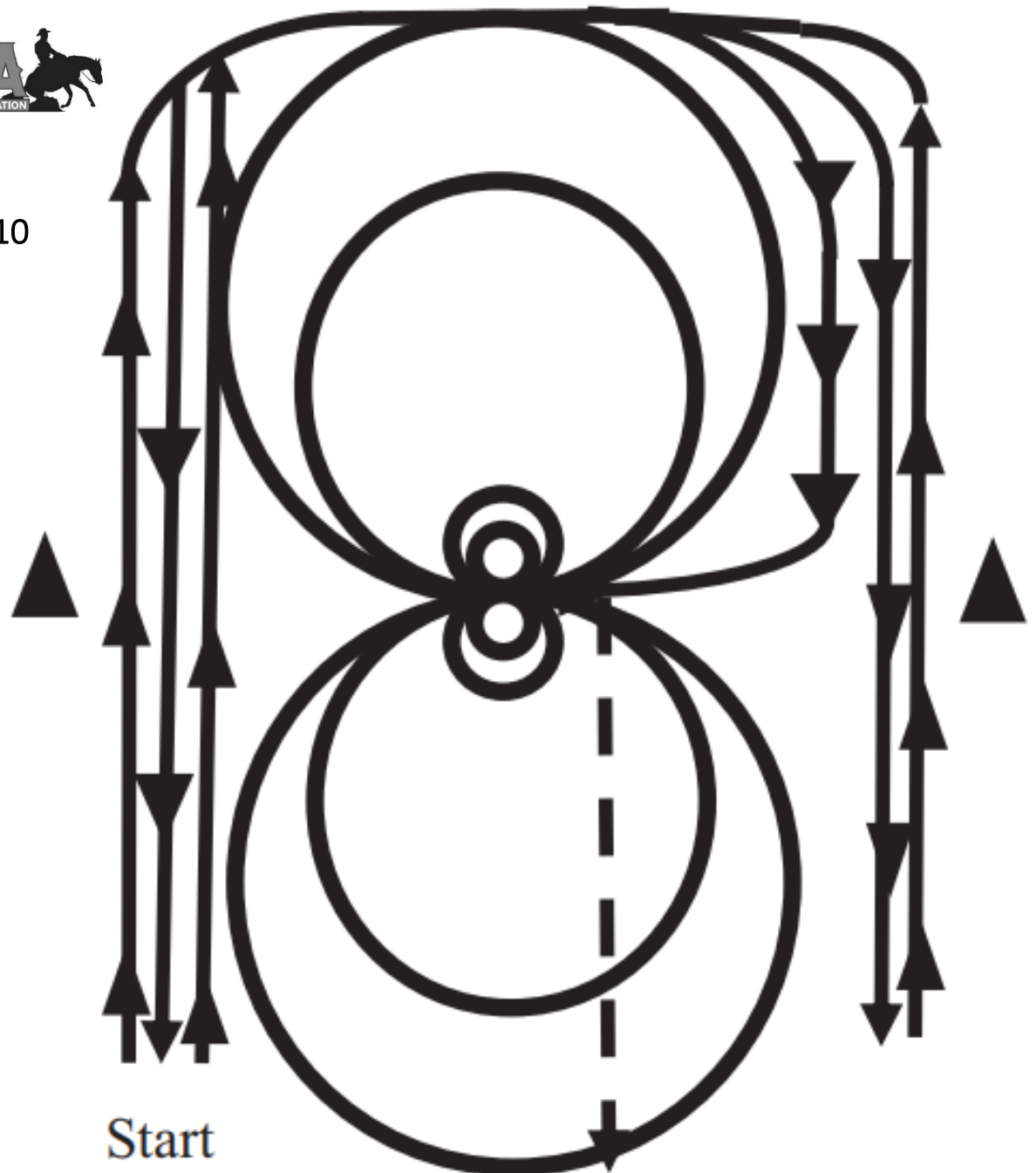
Ranch Reining

Novice Pattern #10

4. Novice Youth

6. Novice Amateur

7. Green As Grass



1. Start on left side of arena, Lope on your right lead around end and run past center marker; Stop. Roll back left.
2. Run past center marker; Stop. Rollback right.
3. Lope back around end at center marker close into right circle.
4. Complete 2 circles on the right lead the first one a small slow, second a large fast; Stop in center. Perform two (2) spins right.
5. On the left lead complete two circles the first large and fast, second small slow; Stop at center.
6. Perform two (2) spins left; Hesitate.
7. Back 8 –10 feet; exit arena at trot.

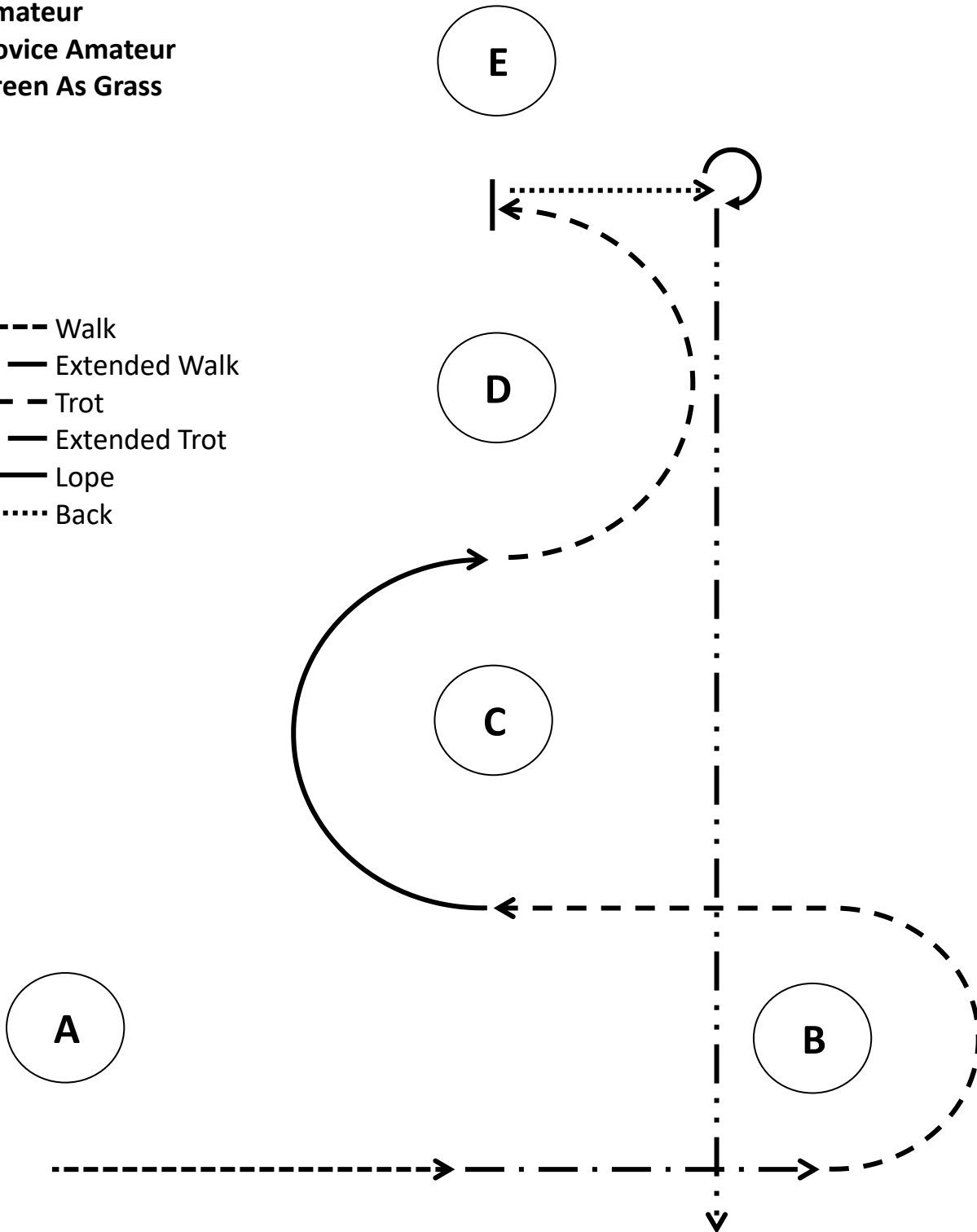


March 2026
 Horsemanship
 8. Youth
 9. Novice Youth
 10. Amateur
 11. Novice Amateur
 12. Green As Grass

Be ready at A.

1. Walk 5 strides, then extended walk to B.
2. Trot around B to C.
3. At C, lope on the right lead.
4. At D, break to trot.
5. At E, stop and back 8 steps.
6. Complete ¾ turn to the right.
7. Extended trot to exit.

- Walk
- . - Extended Walk
- - - Trot
- . . - Extended Trot
- Lope
- Back



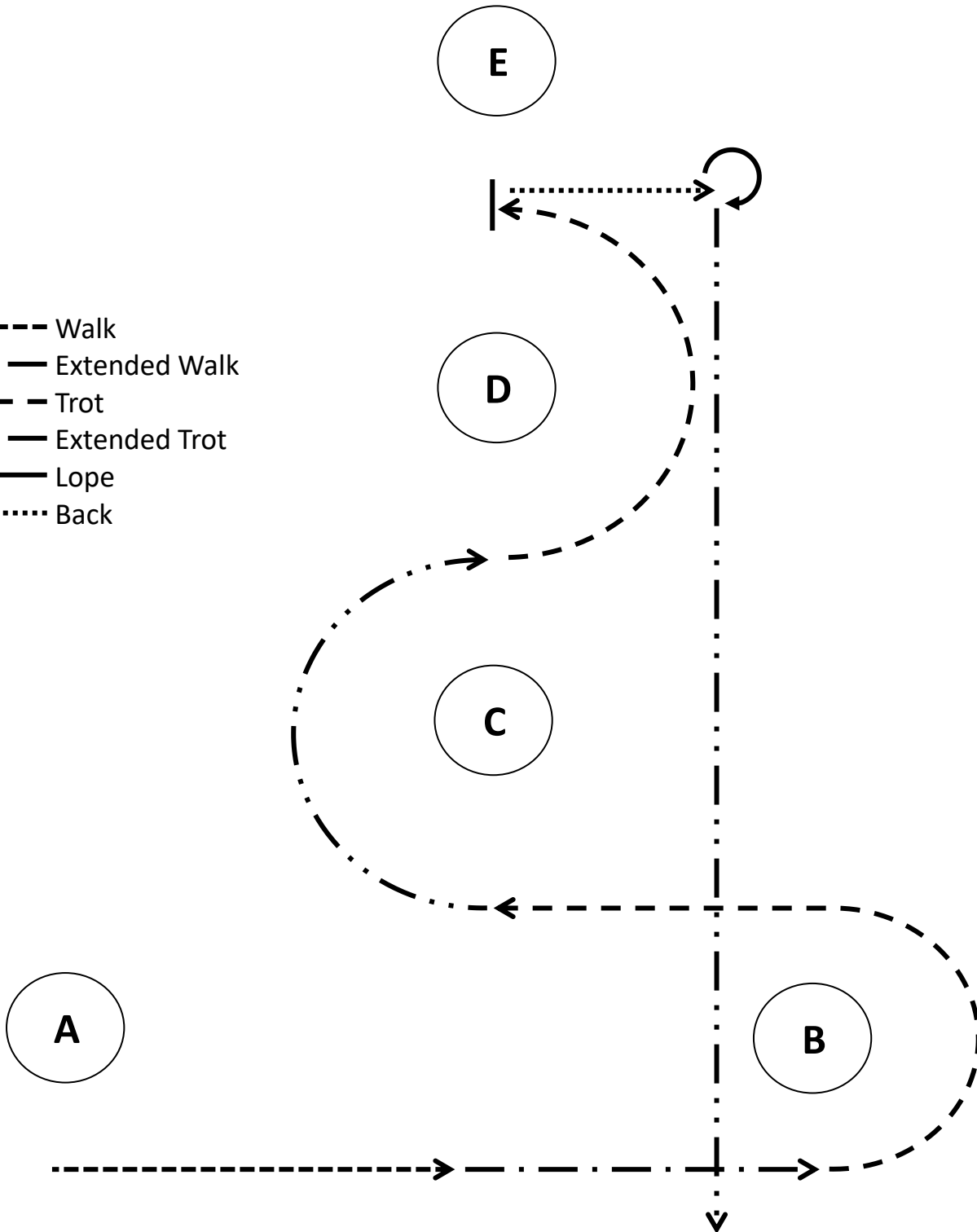


March 2026
Horsemanship
12. Walk/Trot Restricted

Be ready at A.

1. Walk 5 strides, then extended walk to B.
2. Trot around B to C.
3. Extended trot at C.
4. At D, trot.
5. At E, stop and back 8 steps.
6. Complete $\frac{3}{4}$ turn to the right.
7. Extended Trot to exit.

- Walk
- . - Extended Walk
- - - Trot
- . . - Extended Trot
- Lope
- Back





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Working Ranch Horse

Pattern # 2

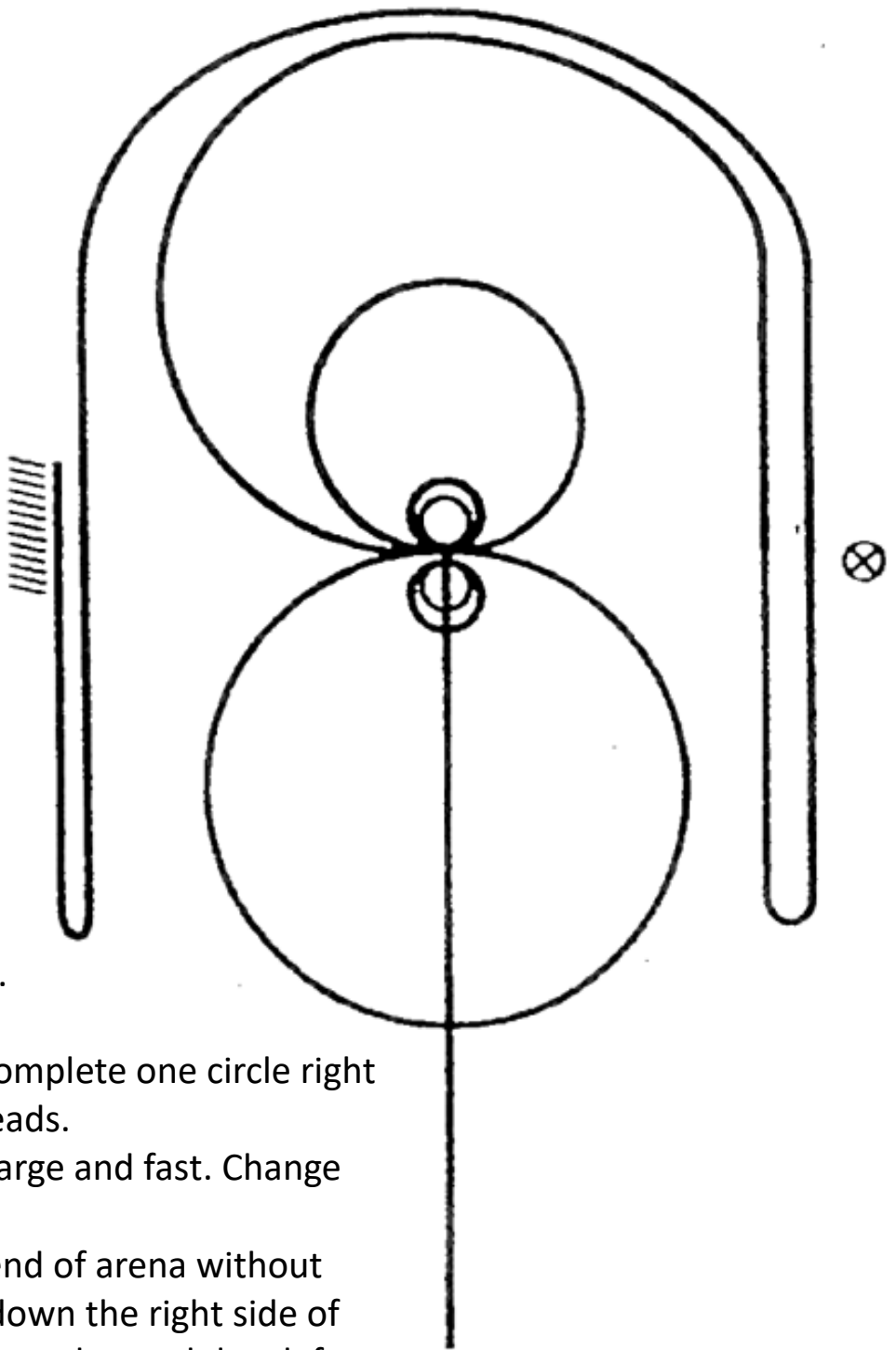
19. All Age

20. Youth

21. Amateur

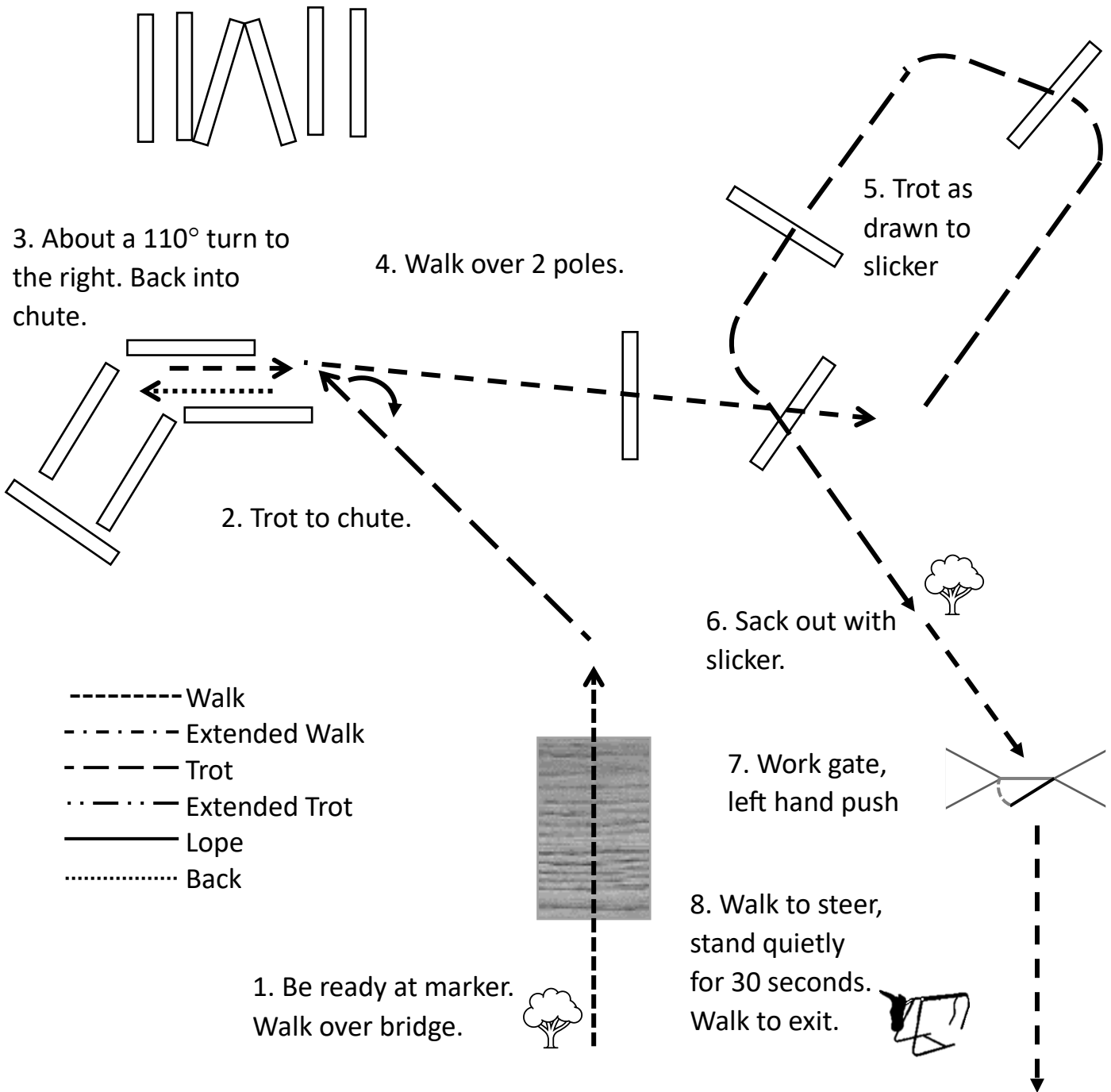
MANDATORY MARKERS
ALONG FENCE OR WALL.
RIDE PATTERN AS FOLLOWS:

1. Start at end of arena.
Run down middle to center marker to a square sliding stop.
2. Complete 2 spins to right.
3. Complete 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ spins left.
4. Begin on right lead and complete one circle right small and slow. Change leads.
5. Complete one circle left large and fast. Change leads.
6. Continue loping around end of arena without breaking gait. Run strait down the right side of the arena past the center marker and do a left rollback.
7. Continue back around the previous circle but do not close this circle. Run down the left side of the arena past the center marker and do a right rollback.
8. Continue past center marker and do a sliding stop.
9. Back at least 10 feet in a straight line.
10. Hesitate to complete pattern.



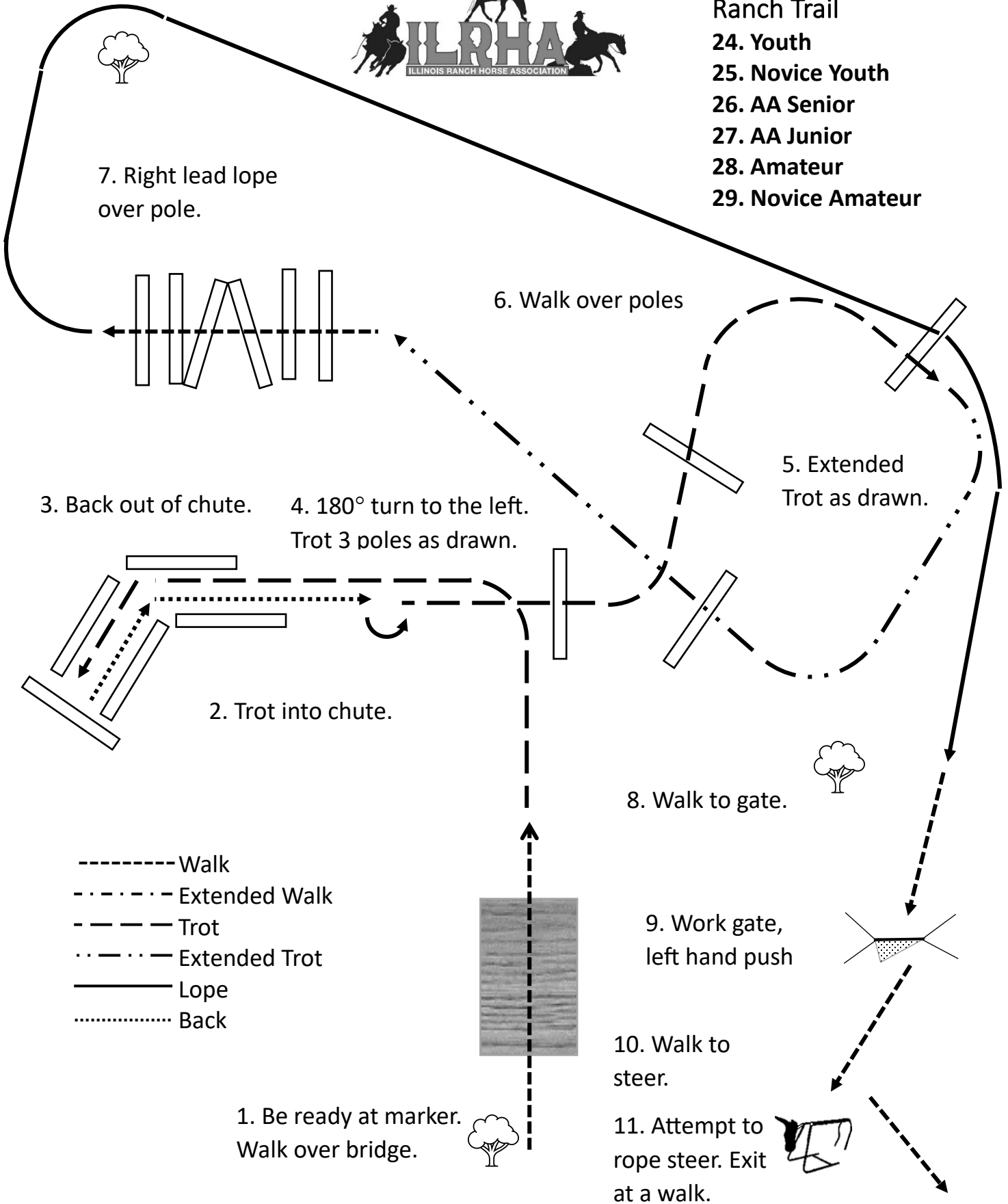


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 Ranch Trail
 22 Yearling In-hand
 23. 2-year-old In-hand



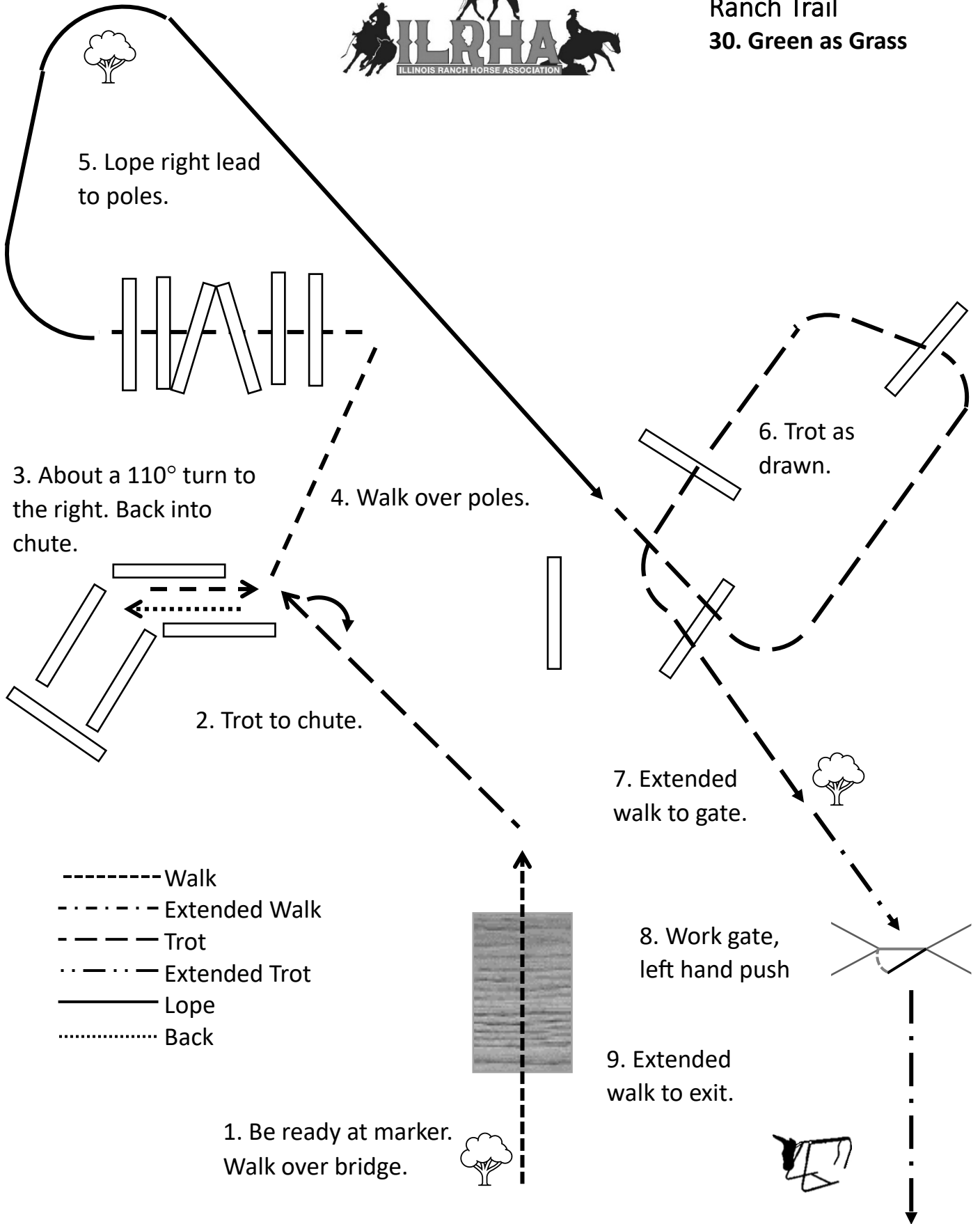


March 2026
 Ranch Trail
 24. Youth
 25. Novice Youth
 26. AA Senior
 27. AA Junior
 28. Amateur
 29. Novice Amateur



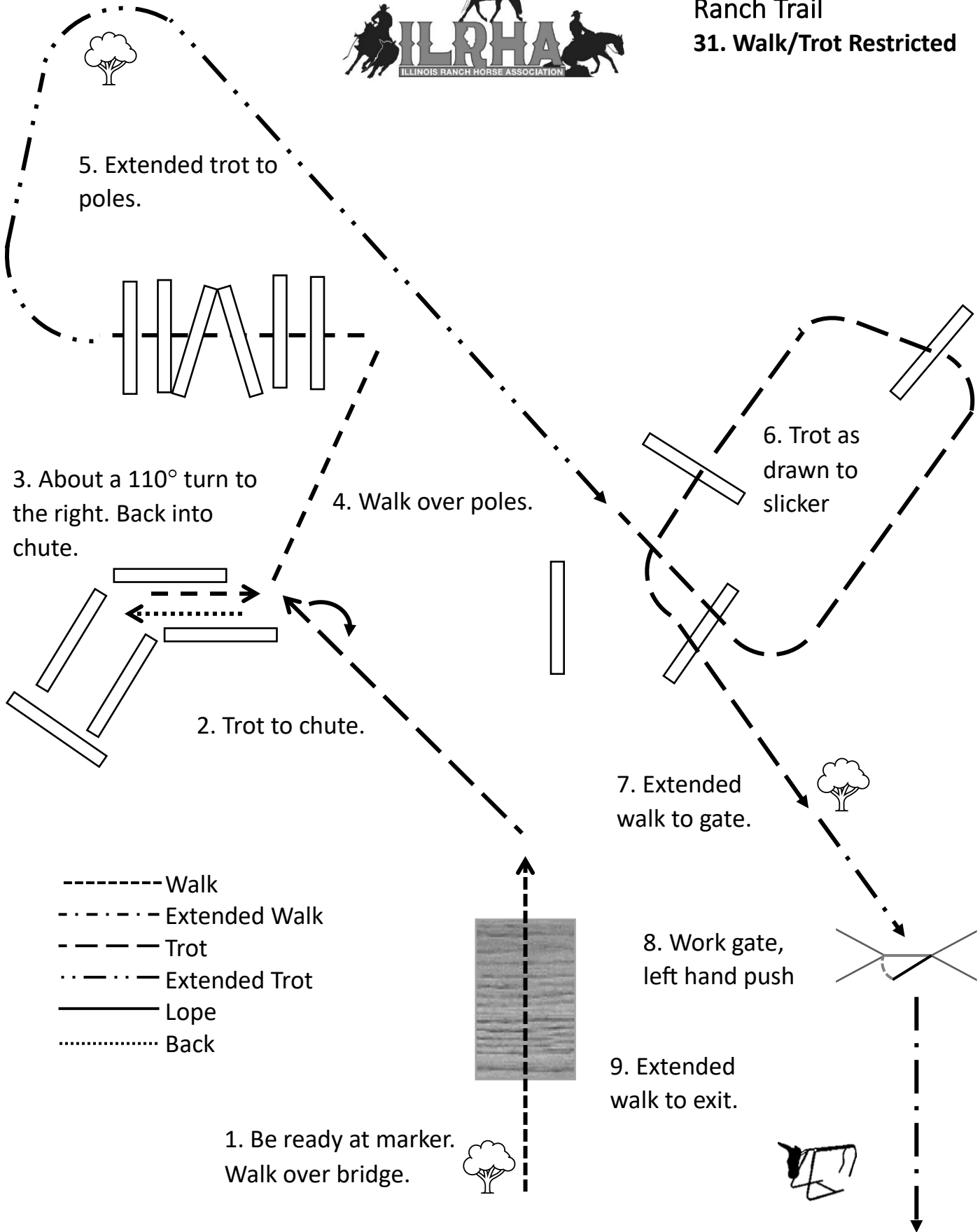


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Ranch Trail
30. Green as Grass





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Ranch Trail
31. Walk/Trot Restricted

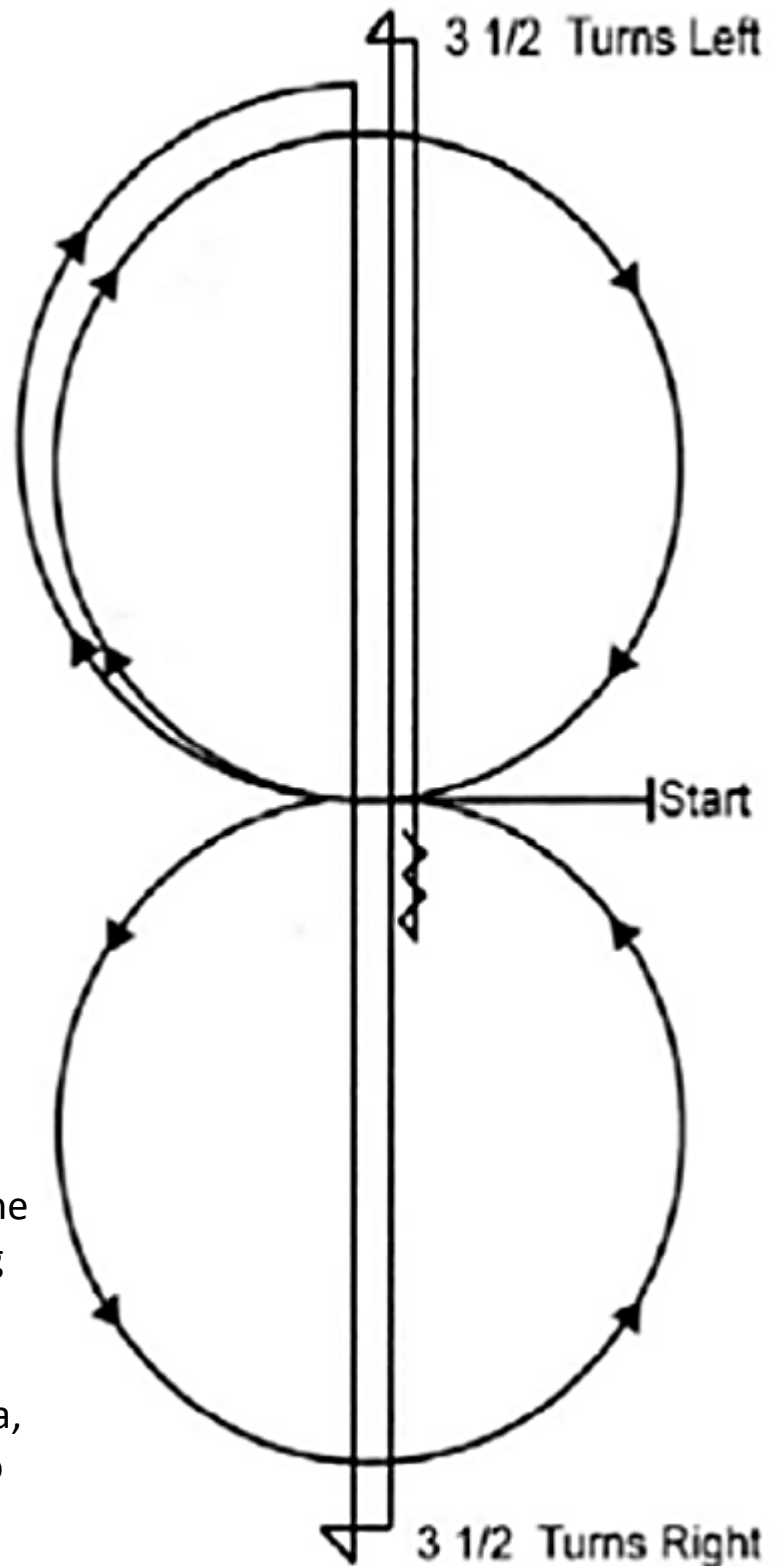




March 2026
Working Cow Horse
Pattern #8
47. All Age
48. Youth
49. Amateur

HORSES MUST TROT TO THE CENTER OF THE ARENA. HORSES MUST STOP PRIOR TO STARTING THE PATTERN BEGINNING THE PATTERN AT THE CENTER OF THE ARENA FACING TOWARDS JUDGE.

1. Beginning on the right lead lope one circle to the right. Change leads to the left.
2. Complete one circle to the left. Change leads to the right and go to the top of the arena.
3. Run down center of arena past the end marker and come to a sliding stop.
4. Complete $3\frac{1}{2}$ spins to the right.
5. Run to the other end of the arena, past the end marker and come to a sliding stop.
6. Complete $3\frac{1}{2}$ spins to the left.
7. Run past the center marker; Stop. Back at least 10 feet.



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Ranchmanship

Pattern #2

32. AA Senior

33. AA Junior

34. Youth

35. Novice Youth

36. Amateur

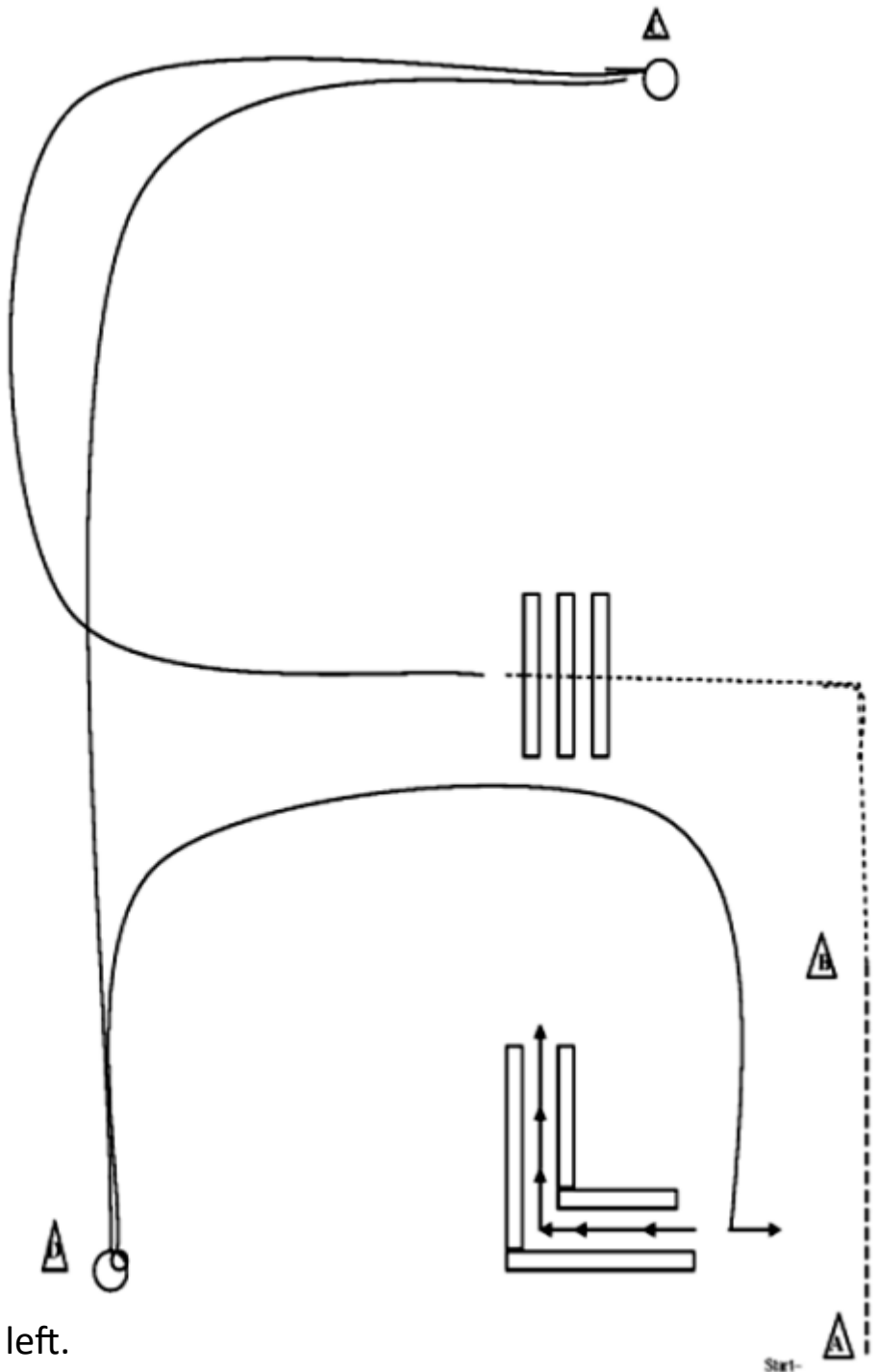
37. Novice Amateur

38. Green as Grass

39. Walk/Trot Restricted

Be Ready at A

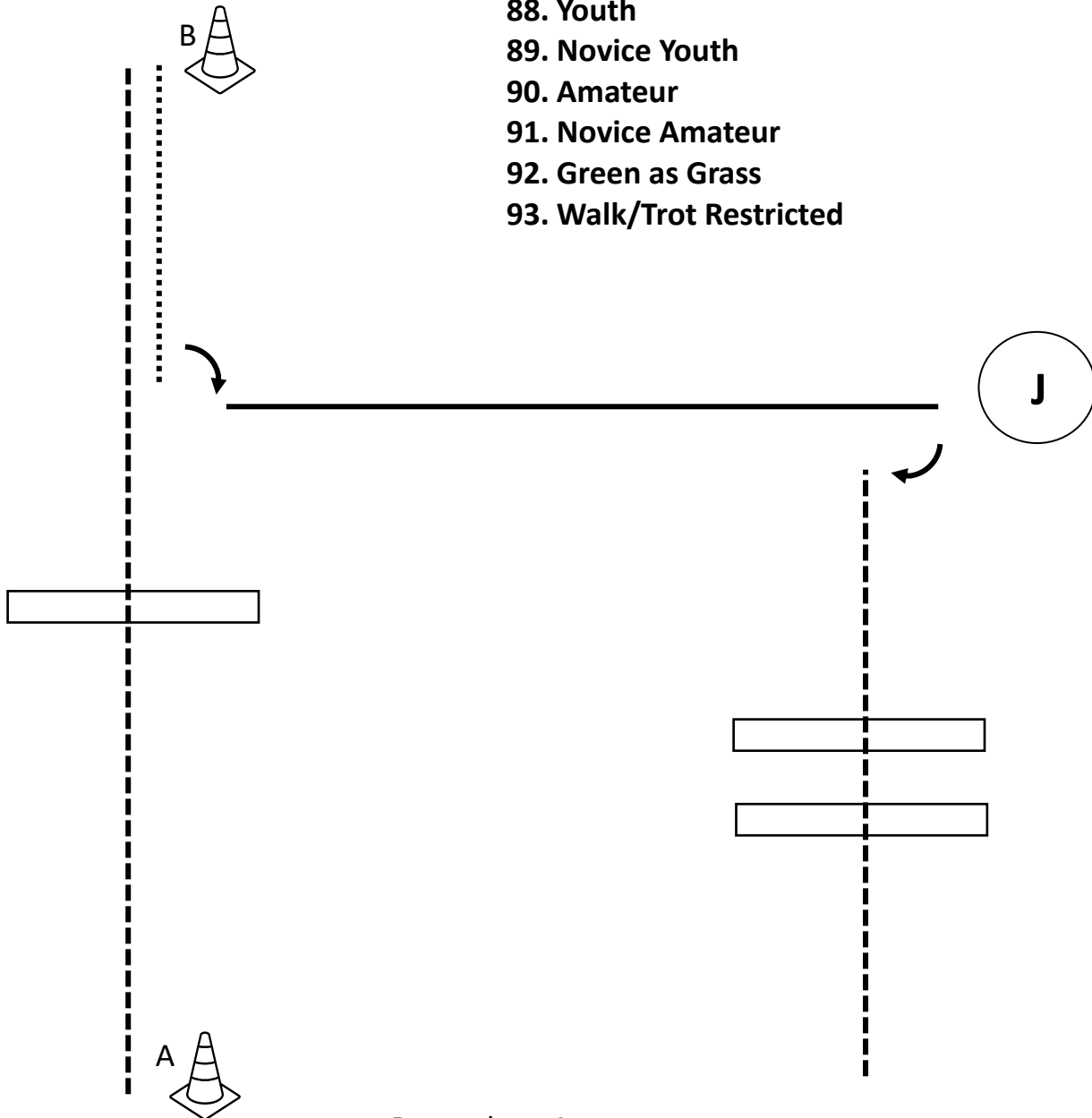
1. Walk A-B.
2. At cone, trot to and over cross poles.
3. After poles are cleared, right lead lope.
4. At Cone; Stop.
5. One and one-half (1½) spin left.
6. Left lead lope to cone; Stop.
7. One and one-half (1½) spins right.
8. Lope right lead to chute; Stop; 90° turn.
9. Back thru Chute.



Walk/Trot Restricted: Extended Trot where the right lead lope is called for. Trot where the left lead is called for.



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 Ranch Showmanship
 88. Youth
 89. Novice Youth
 90. Amateur
 91. Novice Amateur
 92. Green as Grass
 93. Walk/Trot Restricted



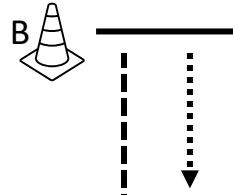
- Walk
- . - Extended Walk
- Trot
- - - - - Extended Trot
- Back

Be ready at A.

1. Walk to B over poles, stop.
2. Back until even with judge.
3. Perform 90° turn to the right. Trot to judge.
4. Stop, set-up for inspection.
5. When dismissed, perform 90° turn to the right.
6. Walk over poles to exit.



March 2026
Walk-Whoa
95. 10 & Under



Helper
Coaching
Area
Option 1

Helper
Coaching
Area
Option 2

Be ready at A

1. Walk to B.
2. Stop.
3. Back 4 steps

Pattern complete. Walk to exit

- Walk
- · — Extended Walk
- Back



Helper Coaching Area
Option 3