



PERFORMANCE EVALUATION- Driving

A Driving Vanner ready for evaluation has;

- Calmness
- Attention to driver & confidence
- DESIRE to move forward
- Elasticity [spring] of movement
- Ease of movement [freedom]

Driving Pattern

1. Trot into arena at one end, down the centerline. Halt 3-5 seconds at the center.
2. Proceed at a working walk, track left at the top of the arena. Pick up working trot in corner.
3. When you reach the center on the long rail, circle left for the full width of the arena. At the start point of circle rein left proceeding along the rail to the center of the bottom of the arena.
4. Start a working crisp walk, continue to halfway point of long side of the arena.
5. Free walk diagonally to the left corner point of arena.
6. At the corner, rein right, pick up working trot.
7. Proceed at a working trot to the center of the long rail. Circle right for the full width of the arena.
8. At the rail, rein right. Continue the working trot to the centerline of end then rein right down the center at a working trot. At the center point of arena halt (3-5 seconds)
9. BACK 3-5 steps and pause.
10. Walk forward 2-3 steps then halt. Remain standing quietly until motioned forward by the evaluators. Walk to the evaluators for inspection and/or discussion.

The size of arena will determine the size of your circles. Use what you have.

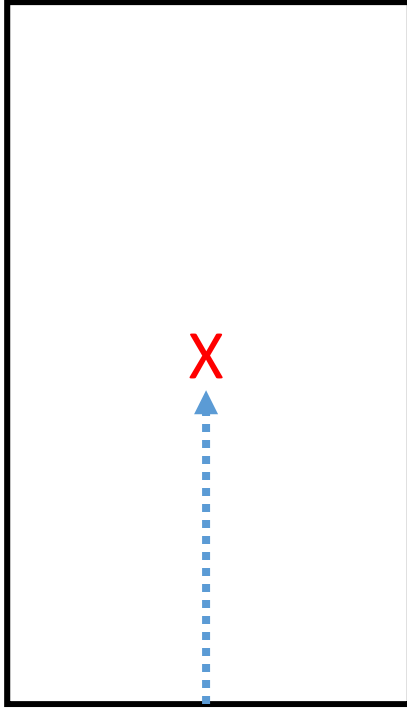
At all times you should feel comfortable and in control. This is to show that your horse has the ability to be a Vanner driving horse. Thank you for bring your horses for evaluation.



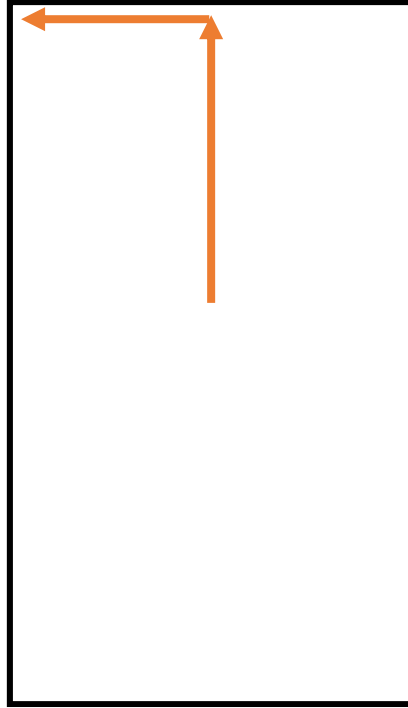
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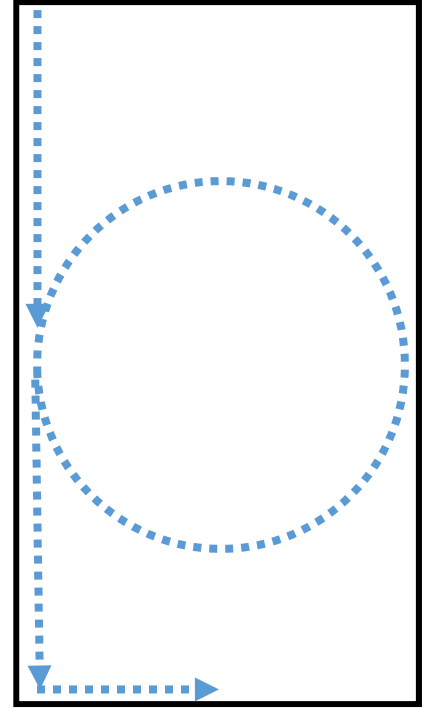
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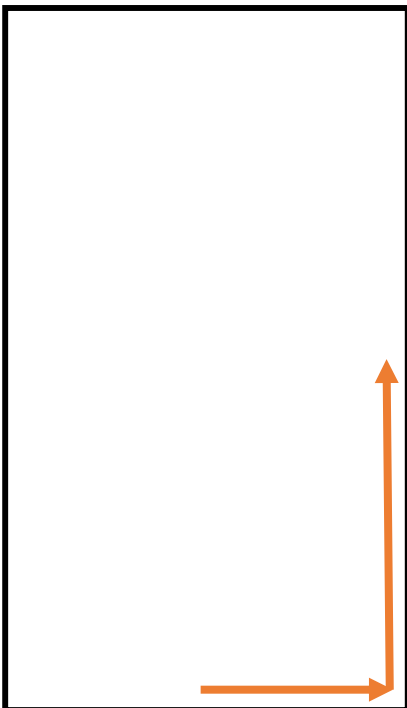
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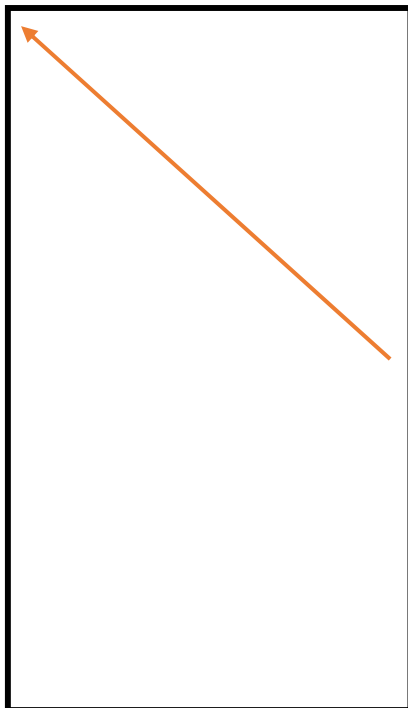
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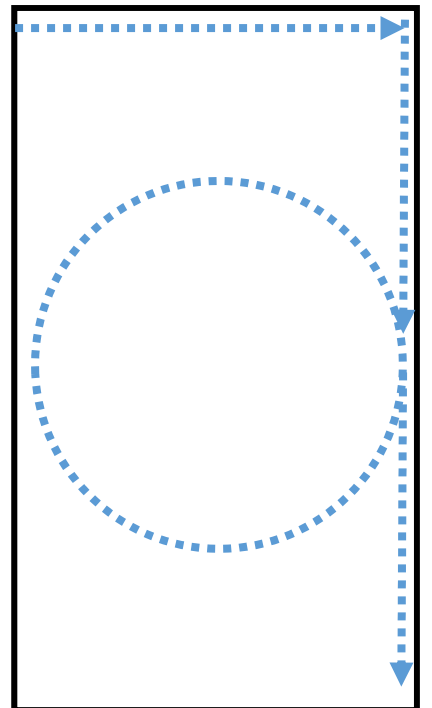
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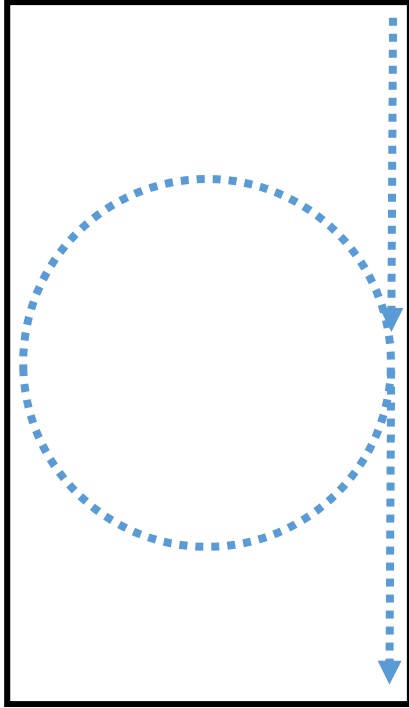
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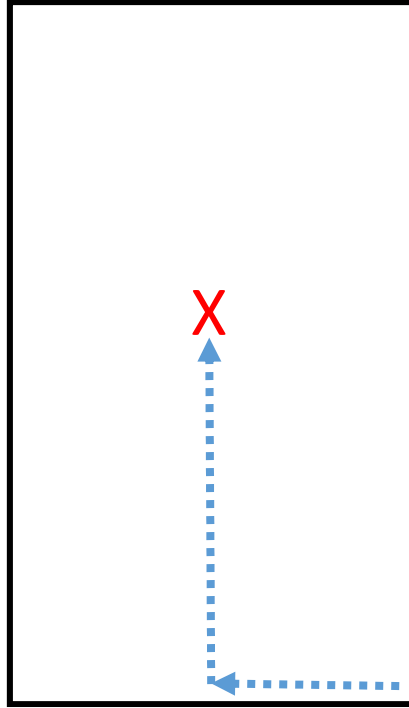
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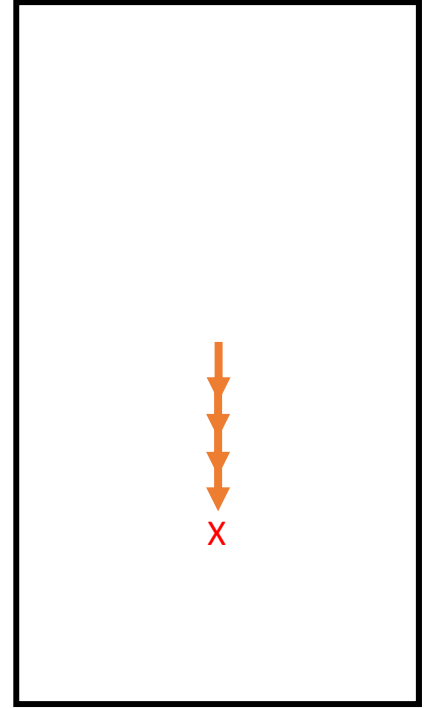
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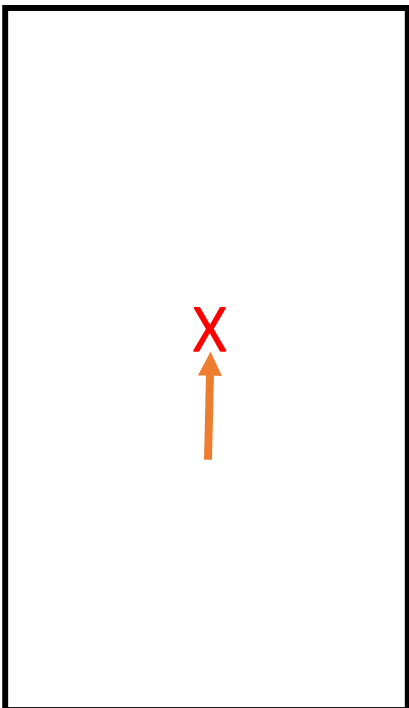
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