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National HBPA
January 2014



2013 Classes

- ▶ Groom Elite 101/201 – Gulfstream Park
- ▶ Basic Grooming 099/101 – Prairie Meadows
- ▶ Groom Elite 201 – Canterbury Park
- ▶ Groom Elite 101 – Fairgrounds New Orleans
- ▶ Safe Handling Clinic – Northshore Community College – Greensburg, La
- ▶ High School Groom Elite – Opelousas, La
- ▶ Second Chances Groom Elite – South Carolina, Virginia and Vandalia (new)



2013 Trainer Elite 301

Trainers Exam Prep Class

- ▶ Lone Star Park (6)
- ▶ Gulfstream Park (8)
- ▶ Santa Anita (5)
- ▶ Colonial (27)
- ▶ Penn National (11)



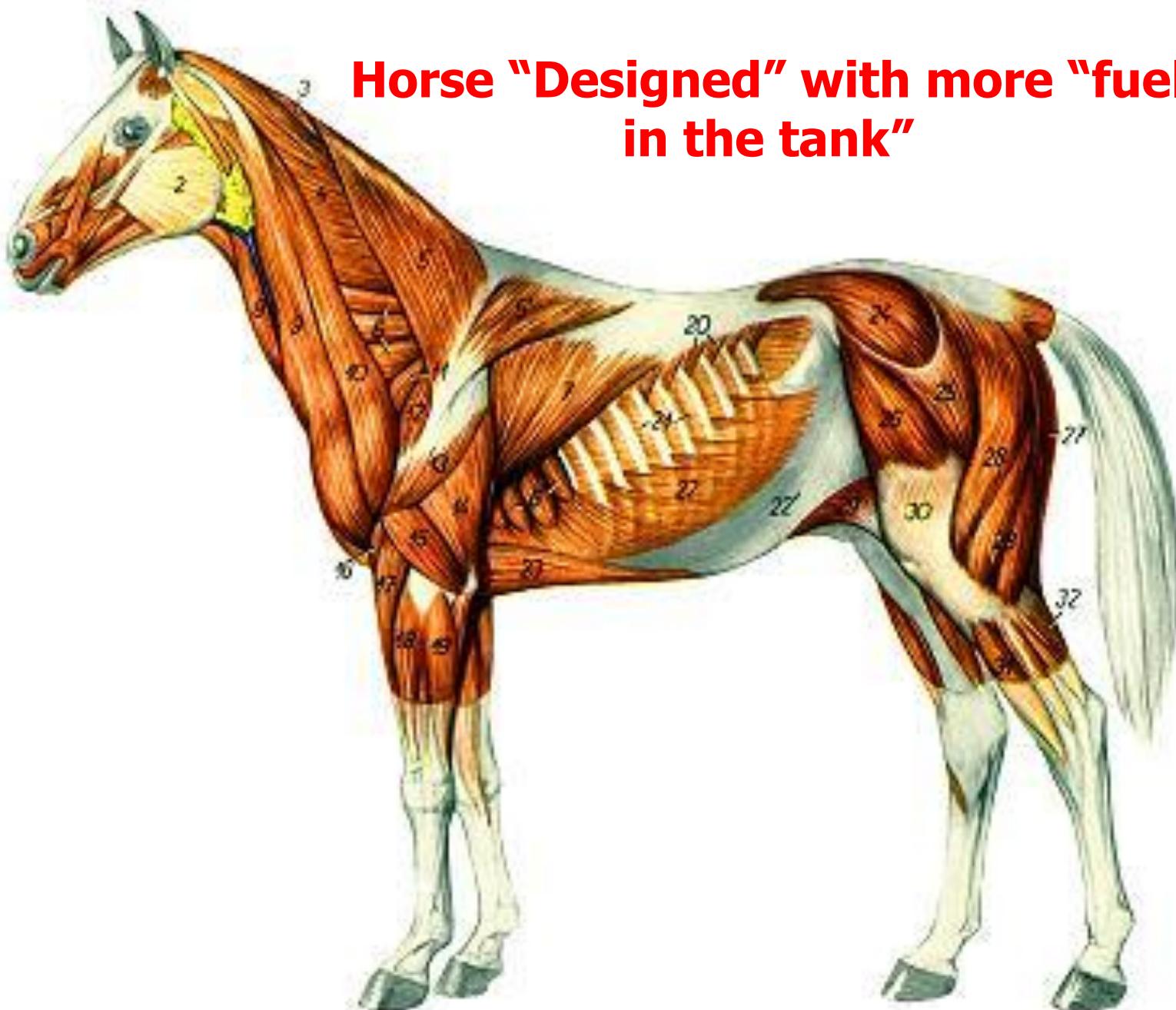
2013-14 Developments

- ▶ New Adult SCGE at Vandalia, IL (12 certified)
- ▶ Northshore Tech CC, Greensburg, La
 - ▶ 'Sanctions' Groom Elite non-credit class
 - ▶ Develop residential program
 - ▶ Develop organization for LJJ program
- ▶ Louisiana Juvenile Justice
 - ▶ 600 acres committed to retirement facility
 - ▶ SCHSGE approved as vocational program
 - ▶ Second Chances Louisiana organization

Horses were designed to survive

A photograph of three horses in a pasture. A light-colored horse is on the left, a dark brown horse is in the center, and a black and white horse is on the right. They are standing close together, facing towards the right. In the background, there are white barn buildings and a wooden fence under a clear blue sky.

But were slower than their main competitor



Horse “Designed” with more “fuel
in the tank”

Parts developed to give horse a “Head Start”





In the Wild

Cuando Corrían Libres en las Praderas



Herd animals
Mutual groomers
Depend on each other
Trust each other
Survived by running



"Two Questions"



1. Predator or Herdmate ?



"Second Question"

2. Which one of us is Herd Leader?





Deciding on who leader is “in the wild”

Which can move
the others

“I suggest”

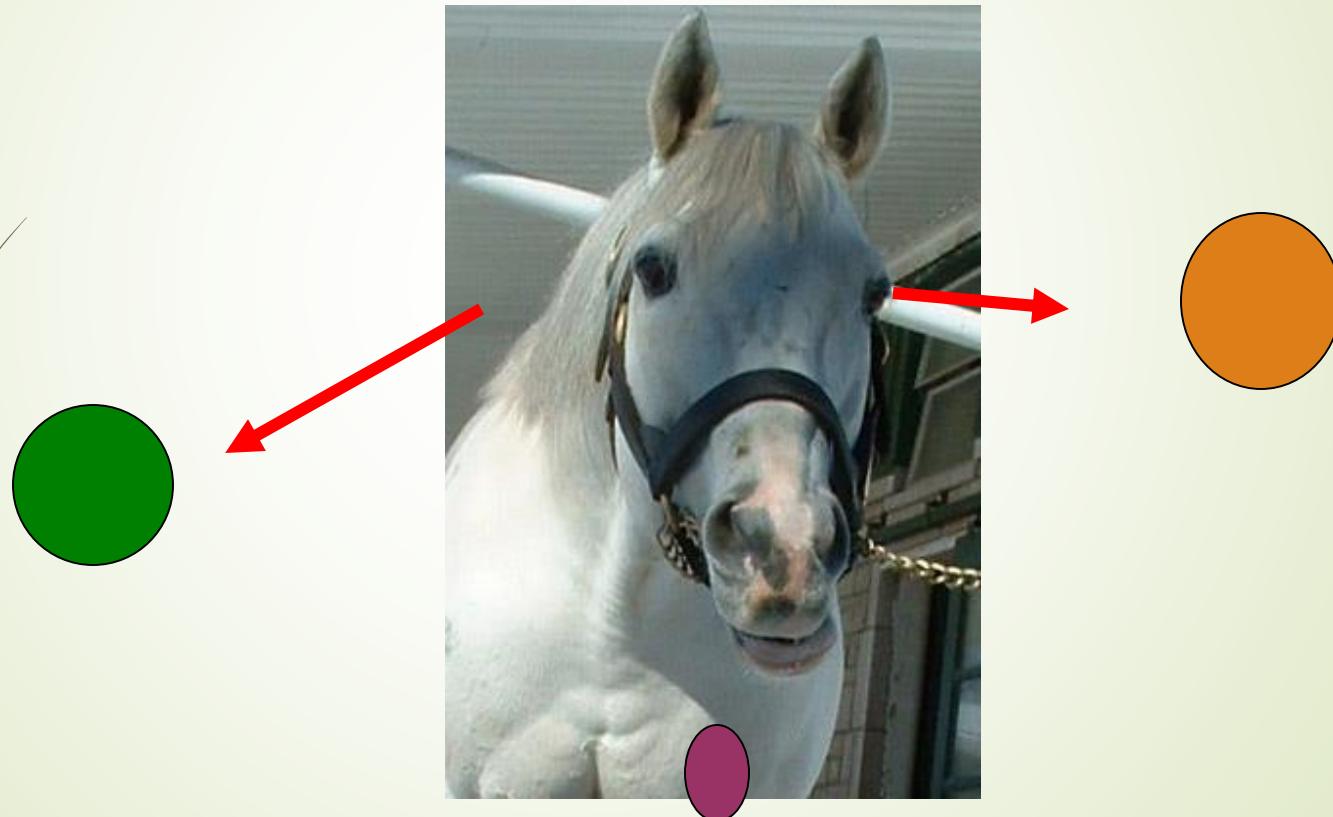
“I’m telling you”

“I TOLD YOU!!”.



Vision & Learning

Visión y aprender



BODY LANGUAGE LENGUAJE CORPORAL



Photos: Practical Horsemen, Feb 2004

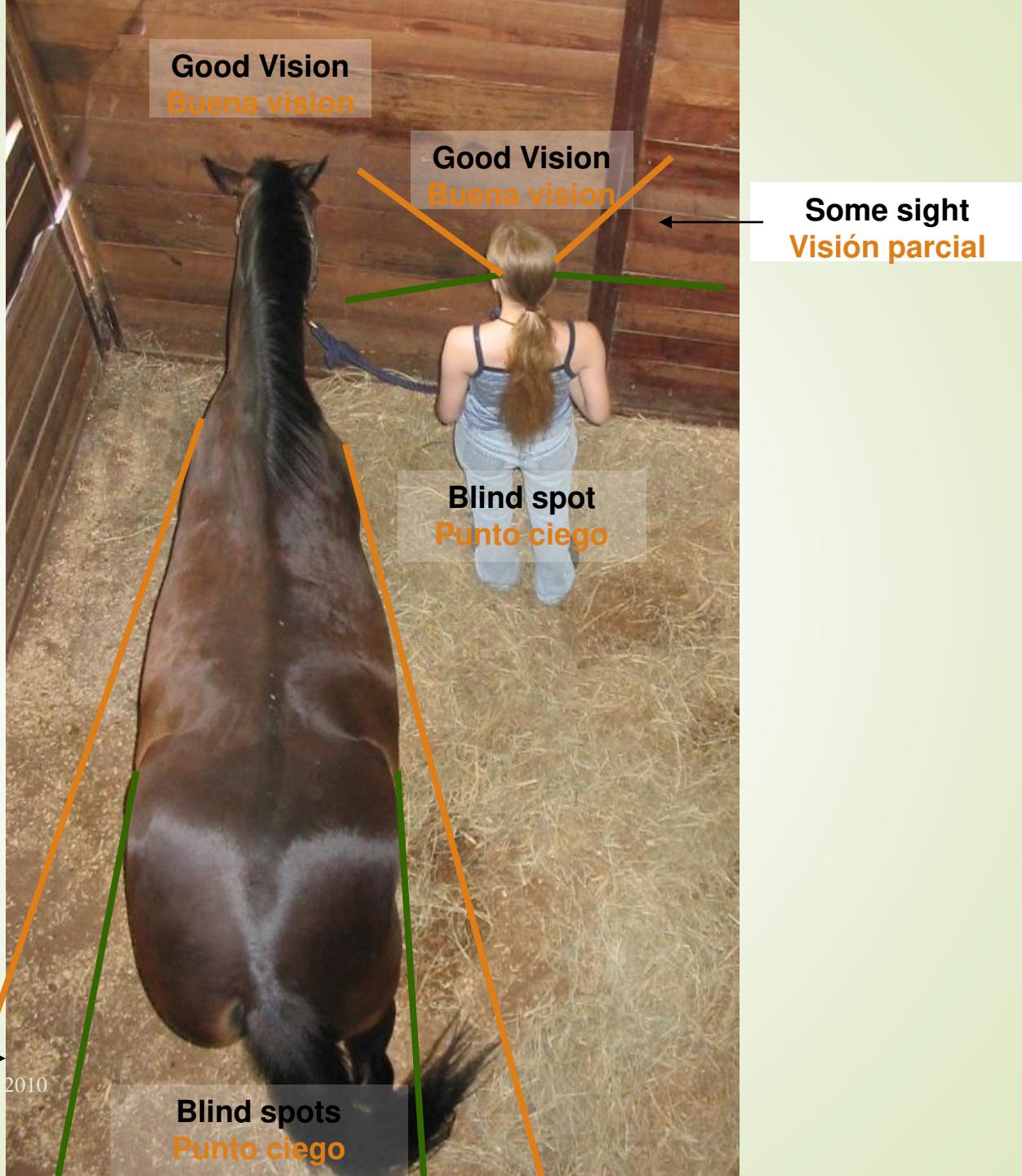
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QUESTIONS? PREGUNTAS?

