Part 1: Preparing Your Horse For Show

At Home Preparation

Horse show success starts at home.

Here are a few common skills to practice at home. The more you practice at home the more organized and prepared you will feel at the show.

The following six skills will prepare your horse and are easily practiced at home.

- Standing tied for extended periods of time.
- Containment in a box stall
- Riding in show tack
- Riding multiple times a day
- Riding in strange surroundings
- Loading and unloading from a trailer



Preparing for a Horse Show Series

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Part 2: Exhibitor Preparation at Home

Part 3: Organization

Part 4: Horse Show Morning Routine Part 5: Horse Show Warm Up Do's

Part 6: Horse Show Warm Up Don'ts