



Wednesday December 5, 2018

Greetings!

Question

What advice would you give to a smart, driven riding student about to enter the “real world”? What advice should they ignore?

Answer

The advice that I would give the student is to become as educated as possible in the behaviour of the chosen animals they work with. Once accomplishing that education, I would ask them to believe in themselves, listen to the highest rated performers but always stay true to the education you have completed. The thing that I would most strongly advise them to ignore is that ever present advice from riding instructors, “Just give him a good whack.”

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Monty' in a cursive, flowing script.

**MONTY'S EQUUS ONLINE UNIVERSITY
THIS WEEK'S EPISODE**



In this online video series, Monty works with Diego the wild mustang. Not a student yet? Click on the buttons below to Join-Up with thousands of horse lovers learning Monty's force-free, fun methods.



UPCOMING EVENTS

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| USA | February 15 to 17, 2019: Horse Sense and Healing , Flag Is Up Farms, Solvang, California |
| NORWAY | February 21 to 24, 2019: Monty Roberts at the Norwegian Horse Festival |
| GERMANY | March 14, 2019: Monty Roberts Demonstration at Equitana in Essen, Germany |
| USA | April 29 to 31, 2019: The Movement at Flag Is Up Farms, Solvang, California (coming soon) |

[FULL SCHEDULE HERE](#)

THE MONTY ROBERTS INTERNATIONAL LEARNING CENTER

December 14 to 16, 2018: Horse Sense and Healing workshop

February 1 to 3, 2019: Introductory Course Module 1

February 8 to 10, 2019: Introductory Course Module 2

February 11 to 13, 2019: Long Lining Course

February 15 to 17, 2019: Horse Sense and Healing Workshop

February 19 to 21, 2019: Join-Up Course

February 22 to 24, 2019: Introductory Course Module 3

March 1 to 3, 2019: Prep for Introductory Exams Module 4

March 4 to 6, 2019: Join-Up Course

March 7 to 9, 2019: Long Lining Course

[MORE COURSE INFO HERE, CHECK OUT MORE 2019 COURSES!](#)



DVD: THE MOVEMENT 2018 SYMPOSIUM

7 hours of Demonstrations, Discoveries & Pathway

Save the date! Come and discover what horses have to teach us about lowering stress and building trust at The Movement 2019 to be held at Flag Is Up Farms in Solvang, California, April 29 and 30, 2019. Take a glance at last year's trailer: <https://vimeo.com/ondemand/152412>

People can now request Monty's help with their horses, for which Monty is happy to oblige, carrying on his life's goal to create better lives for horses and people too. Better yet, Monty's team put together the package of The Movement DVD + Online Video on Demand + 1 Hour of Coaching from Monty for \$499 <https://montyrobotsshop.com/collections/dvd/products/dvd-digital-stream-coaching-with-monty-the-movement-2018-symposium>

Individually, The Movement Online Video is available on Demand for \$90 <https://vimeo.com/ondemand/152412>

Runtime: 429 Minutes

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Monty's Books Are Excellent Gifts!

"It's been a long time since I have enjoyed reading [a book like The Horses in My Life!](#) I love and admire Monty Roberts, and the book just proves how right I am. He has a God given talent with the wonderful equine world. Loved every minute of my reading. How very fortunate are the horses that he has spent any time with."

- Beverly H.

"Great read so far! Hope the rest of [From My Hands to Yours](#) is as good as the first three chapters."

- Belinda E.

HOLIDAY SHIPPING CUTOFF DATES

If you're shipping holiday gifts for Hanukkah, Kwanzaa, Christmas, or other holiday traditions, find the USPS[®] and FedEx recommended domestic, international, and military deadlines on the websites listed below:

USPS Delivery Dates: <https://www.usps.com/holiday/holiday-shipping-dates.htm>

Fedex: <https://www.fedex.com/en-us/holiday/last-days-to-ship.html>

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MONTY'S CHALLENGE

Test yourself each week as I challenge you to answer the question below. I mean this. Sit down and write an answer. Don't wait for my answer next week. If you have been reading my Weekly Questions and Answers for the last six months, you should be in a position to do this. Send your answer to my team at: askmonty@montyroberts.com

Why should you bother? Because it will help you focus. There is probably a comparable question in your life that needs answering... or will be. If you can gain insight into how to go about answering a practical question that is loosely related to your problem, this exercise will help you answer your nagging question. Then read my answer. I want all of my students to learn to be better trainers than me. That's good for you and good for horses!

~ Monty

NEXT WEEK'S QUESTION

What are bad recommendations you hear in your profession or area of expertise?

[HORSEMANSHIP RADIO](#)



Holiday Radiothon 2018 Hour 5 (1-2) Horsemanship Radio

HolidayRadiothon.com

Part 1: Radiothon bonus episode with Monty Roberts and Robert Ridland, US Show Jumping Chef d'Equipe Olympics and the World Equestrian Games (WEG): <http://www.horsemanshipradio.com/2018/11/28/corrected-horsemanship-radio-hour-of-the-2018-hrn-holiday-radiothon-by-weatherbeeta/>

Part 2: Zapata Ranchlands, Colorado, we meet Kate Matheson who took a sabbatical from 7 years as photo editor for Glamour Magazine Conde Nast in London to seek her heart's longing for a look at the Wild West! Meet the wranglers - all women!

[EPISODE 124 | LISTEN HERE](#)

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