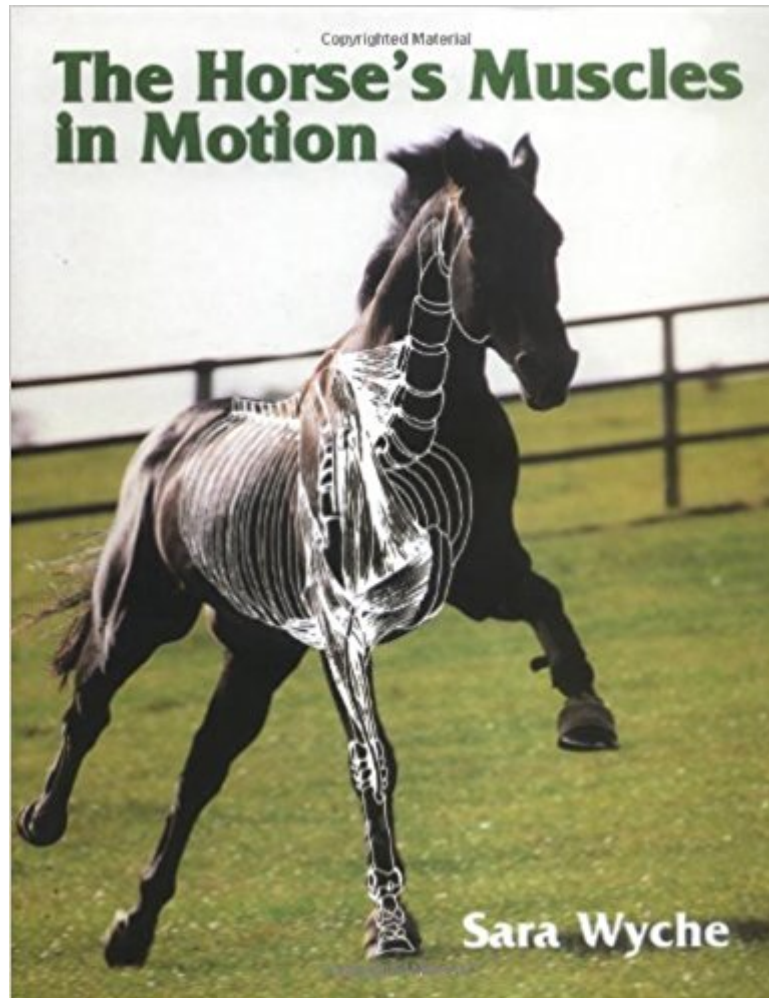




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The Horse's Muscles In Motion



Synopsis

This book aims to show how the horse's muscles work and explains how this knowledge can be put to good use in riding, whether in competition or for recreation. Using her own careful anatomical drawings, Sara Wyche studies the skeleton, the action of the muscles, and the role of the nervous system before applying this information to various riding situations. The demands placed on the horse's systems in dressage, jumping, eventing, racing, and even polo are all examined, with advice on how good riding practice can help avoid problems. With the knowledge of the horse's anatomy gained in this book, the rider will better understand what is being asked of the horse, and how to achieve it with sympathetic riding and horse care, making this an essential manual for all riders.

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Customer Reviews

Sara Wyche is a veterinary surgeon, a horse owner, and an accomplished dressage rider. Her previous books "The Anatomy of Riding" and "The Horses Muscles in Motion," have established her as one of the equestrian world's most respected authors.

I got this book to go along with another one to aide me in studying for an equine massage therapy course I'm about to take. This book not only has fantastic descriptions of exactly why a certain muscle is so important, but also has some really good illustrations and basically breaks down a certain joint and/or muscle in a mechanical way to really show how they work together. Great book

and very decent price.

I haven't gotten to look through it all that much yet, but so far I like what I have read and seen. I do wish the pictures were a little more realistic and not just from the "artists point of view", she has a little side note included on this matter which I appreciate her honesty but I was kind of hoping for better pictures and diagrams as I'm taking a massage course in a month and am using this as study material!

Kind of 'text-booky'. But an excellent add to a serious horse person's collection.

This is an excellent reference book to assist you in helping your horse. I am a massage therapist and many of the muscle in people are also in horses. This make it very easy to follow. I am not sure how easy it would be without this knowledge. If you are interested in massage for horses you should have this book

Very nice book on equine muscles, great for educatingoneself on how horses move and what muscles supporttheir skeletal system.

Awesome book

good book

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