

Equestrian

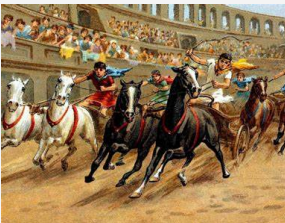
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Equestrian sports date back to ancient civilizations when horses were used for transportation and competition. The Greeks introduced chariot racing into the early Olympics, and medieval knights developed jousting and dressage. By the 19th century equestrian events like fox hunting and jumping started to become more popular in Europe, Equestrian sport was first introduced in the 1912 Olympic Games.

Chariot racing



Jousting



Dressage



Fox hunting



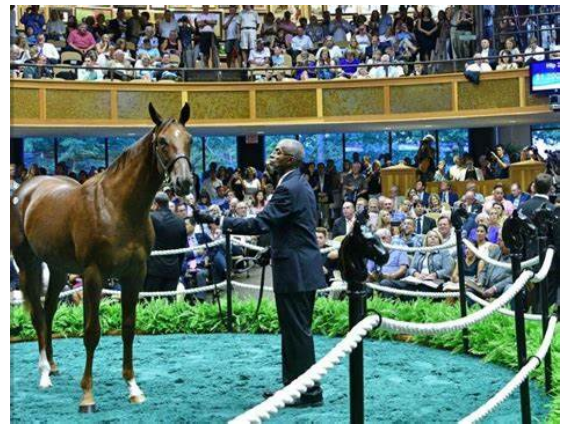
Taking care of a horse

To take care of a horse requires a lot of dedication and hard work. Proper horse care includes feeding quality hay, fresh water, and grain, along with regular grooming and hoof care. Daily exercise, regular vet check-ups and vaccinations are all very important. Also one must provide a clean and safe shelter for the horse.



Horse pricing

Horse prices depend on breed, age, training, and purpose. Well-trained or pedigreed horses cost more, while untrained ones are cheaper. Prices range from hundreds to millions, influenced by health, temperament and discipline



Equestrian sports emphasize the close bond between horse and rider. Proper care of the horse and reasonable pricing are necessary for ownership. With understanding and dedication, riders can have a rewarding and successful equestrian experience.



