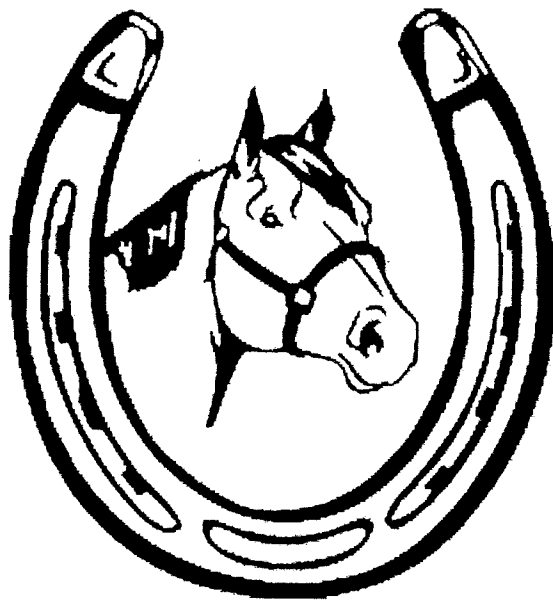


Mecosta County 4H

Horse and Pony

Project Book

Pee Wee 4 & Under



Name: _____ 4H age: _____

Horses Name: _____

Club: _____

Number of Years in 4H Horse and Pony Project: _____

Leaders Signature: _____

Year: 2026

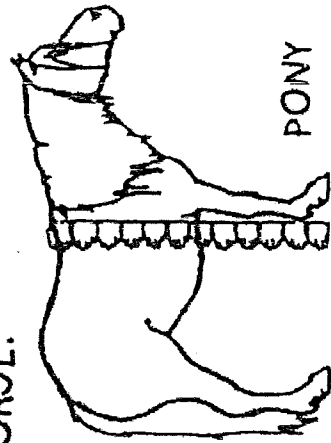
COUNT THE NUMBER OF HANDS ON EACH HORSE.

Horses are many different sizes. The size of a horse is measured from the top of his withers to the ground.

Years ago, men used their hands to measure horses. The average man's hand was 4" so this became the standard measurement when buying a horse. Today we still use the "hand" to measure a horse.

PONY

_____ hands



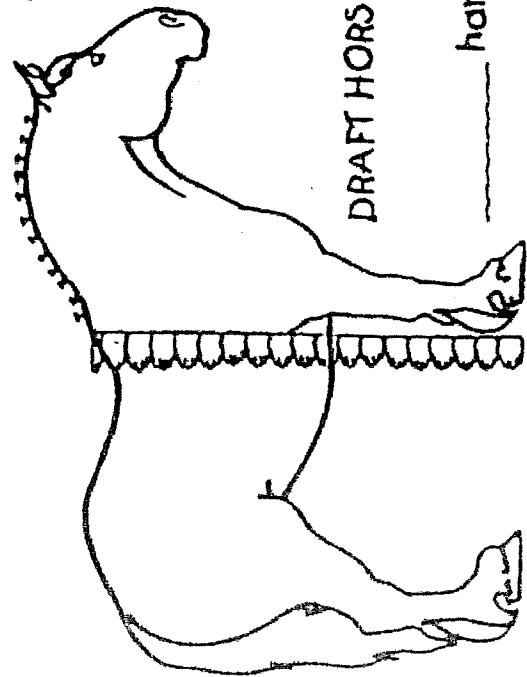
Ponies Under 42 hands
Light Horses 42 to 46.2 hands
Draft Horses 46 to 48.2 hands

Under 56"
58" to 66"
64" to 72"

300 - 800 pounds
800 - 1200 pounds
1400 - 2300 pounds

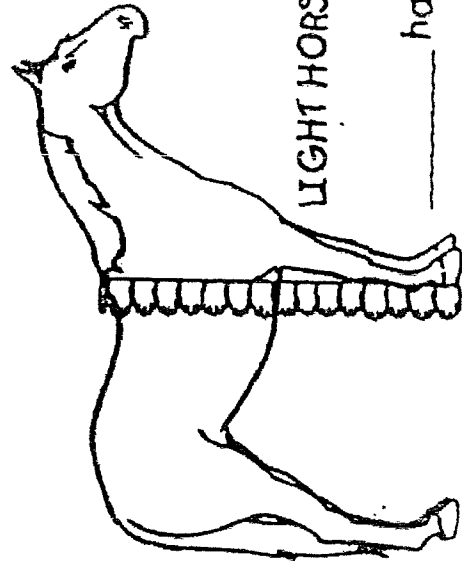
DRAFT HORSE

_____ hands



LIGHT HORSE

_____ hands



BRIDLE PARTS- DRAW A LINE TO:

Then Color the horse's Bridle

CROWN PIECE

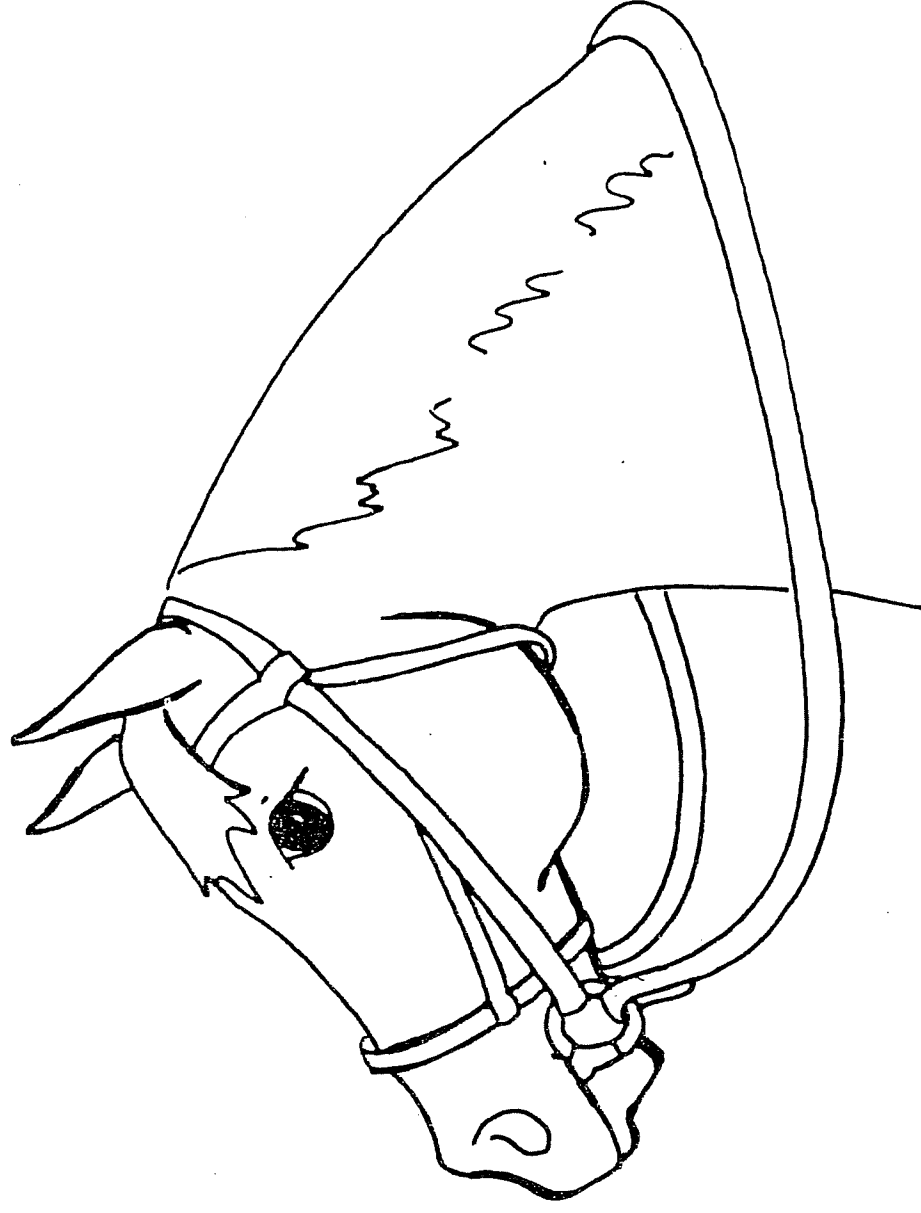
BROW BAND

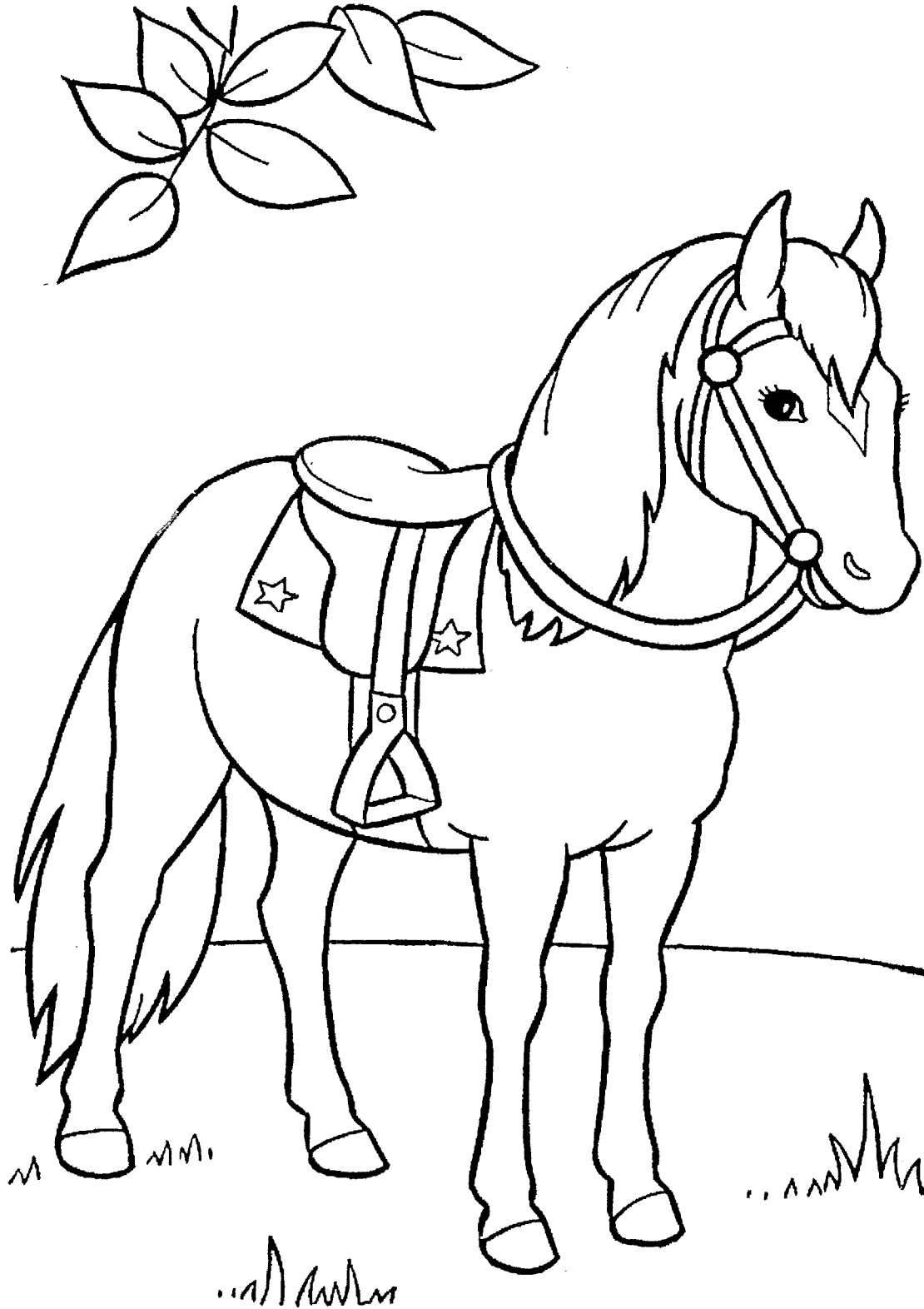
THROAT LATCH

NOSE BAND

SNaffle BIT

REINS





Color The Picture