

## **Pre-course Qualifying Requirements for the May, 2017, Equine Acupressure Level One Course taught by Diana Thompson**

In order to qualify to attend the Equine Acupressure Level One Course scheduled to begin May 13, 2017, you must complete the following three steps. If you have any questions about the requirements call Diana at her office Phone # (707) 542-4646 or e-mail her at: [info@dianathompson.com](mailto:info@dianathompson.com)

### **Step One: Purchase and Complete the E-Book Reading Assignment**

The reading assignment is an E-Book that's available for purchase on Amazon.com for \$7.99. It contains Chapter One of the 550-page text manual that students receive on the first day of the Equine Acupressure Level One course. When Chapter One is printed in its paper format, the text and charts fill almost 60 pages that are 8 ½ by 11 inches in size. The E-book title is: ***Acupressure for Horses Course Manual, Chapter One: Traditional Chinese Medicine Concepts and Language***. You can see the extensive Table of Contents list for Chapter One on pages 2 – 4 of this flier. You can also download a free sample of the E-book from Amazon.com to preview the contents.

Reading Chapter One gives you the opportunity to take a look at the quality and in-depth nature of the information Diana Thompson will be presenting during the Equine Acupressure Level One course. It will also give you examples of the many issues in horses that acupressure can address when it's applied with the depth of knowledge provided by Traditional Chinese Medicine. The definitions, charts and real-horse examples in Chapter One explain many of the core concepts of Traditional Chinese Medicine (TCM) as it applies to acupressure for horses. It also provides an extensive glossary of the words and phrases frequently used in TCM to describe the actions of acupressure points. **Note:** Chapter One does not include any charts or photographs showing the locations of acupressure points.

### **Step Two: Purchase the Level One Pre-Course Quiz Package of Three Quizzes and Send in Your Quiz Question Answers for Grading**

The three quizzes were created to guide you through the Chapter One reading assignment and prepare you for the Level One course. They are made up of multiple choice and True-False questions. You will need to purchase the Pre-course Quiz Package for the Acupressure Level One class in the store section of Diana's website: [www.dianathompson.com](http://www.dianathompson.com) The cost is \$5.00. When you make this purchase, you will be e-mailed the Terms of Use for the quiz materials. Once you agree to the Terms of Use e-mail, you will be e-mailed three quizzes and the Horse-Experience Questionnaire described in Step Three. As you read Chapter One, work through the three quizzes and e-mail or mail the answers to Diana for grading. In order to qualify to take the Equine Acupressure Level One course, you must pass the three quizzes with a score of 75 % or higher.

### **Step Three: Complete the Horse-Experience Questionnaire**

The Pre-Course Quiz package described in Step Two contains a Horse Experience Questionnaire. In order to qualify to attend the Equine Acupressure Level One course, you will need to fill out this questionnaire and e-mail or mail it back to Diana. This form will help her determine if you have the horse skills that are necessary for you to participate safely in this group course.

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**by Diana Thompson**

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