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Now the starting signal can be given again, and this time the horses are off! The players must ride as fast as they can to the pile of boots at the other end of the arena. There they must slow to a stop and dismount. Each player has to fish his or her own boot out of the pile—while remaining in control of the horse. If your horse pulls away, you lose! Everyone puts their boots on as quickly as possible, and then it's time to head back to the start line, as fast as you can.



*Rushing too much won't help you, if your hurry disturbs your horse! You can only win if you hold your horse calmly while retrieving your boot.*