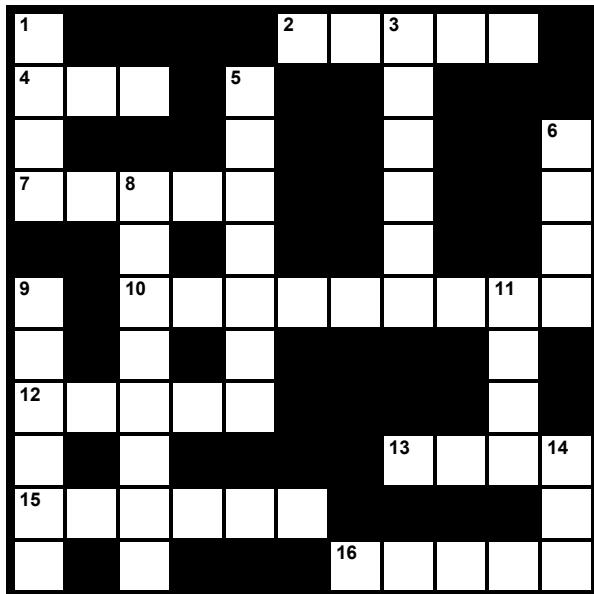


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Across

2 French for the playing strip where a fencing bout occurs; also called a "strip". (5)

4 A prompt that a rider gives a horse, using the hands, legs, voice or body weight. (3)

7 The playing strip where a fencing bout occurs; also called a "piste". (5)

10 To break contact between blades, done by one fencer passing his or her blade under the opponent's blade. (9)

12 The internal diameter of a gun bore. (5)

13 In the riding discipline, the thin strip that defines the boundary of a water jump. (4)

15 The fastest gait of a horse, essentially equivalent to running. (6)

16 A swimmer's intermediate time in a race, registered every 50 metres, to judge the swimmer's space. (5)

Down

1 To thrust or lunge in fencing. (4)

3 A series of shots, normally five or ten. (6)

5 A counterattack by a fencer who

just has blocked an attack by the opponent. (7)

6 The interior diameter of a gun barrel. (4)

8 To attack an opponent a second time in fencing, after the opponent fails to counterattack. (8)

9 To make contact blade-to-blade in fencing. (6)

11 Any of a horse's characteristic motions, including, in order of speed, a walk, trot, canter or gallop. (4)

14 1. A target that has been hit and broken by the shooter. 2. In fencing, a point scored by a

touch with the tip of the blade of a foil or epee or the edge of the blade of a sabre against any part of the opponent's body in the target. (3)