

A NEW CONCEPT

FREEDOM GIRTH



JUMPING



EVENTING STUD PROTECTOR

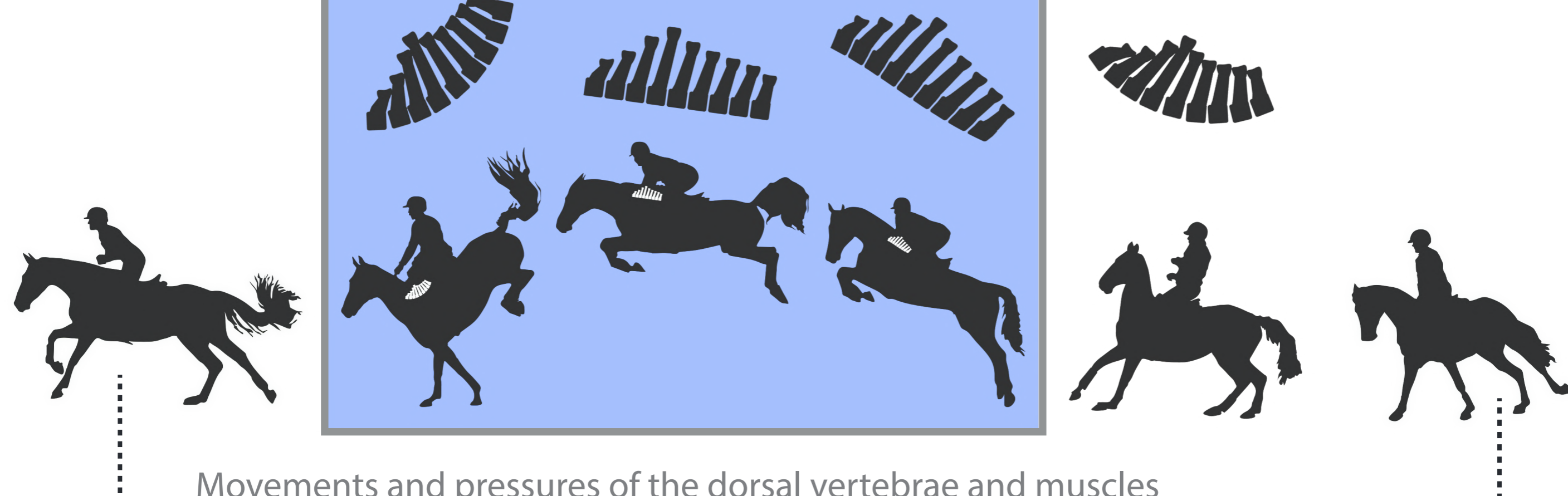


FREE YOUR HORSE

Girths used for jumping have all been designed to secure the saddle to the horse's body. Until now. THE FREEDOM GIRTH HAS BEEN DESIGNED TO JUMP.

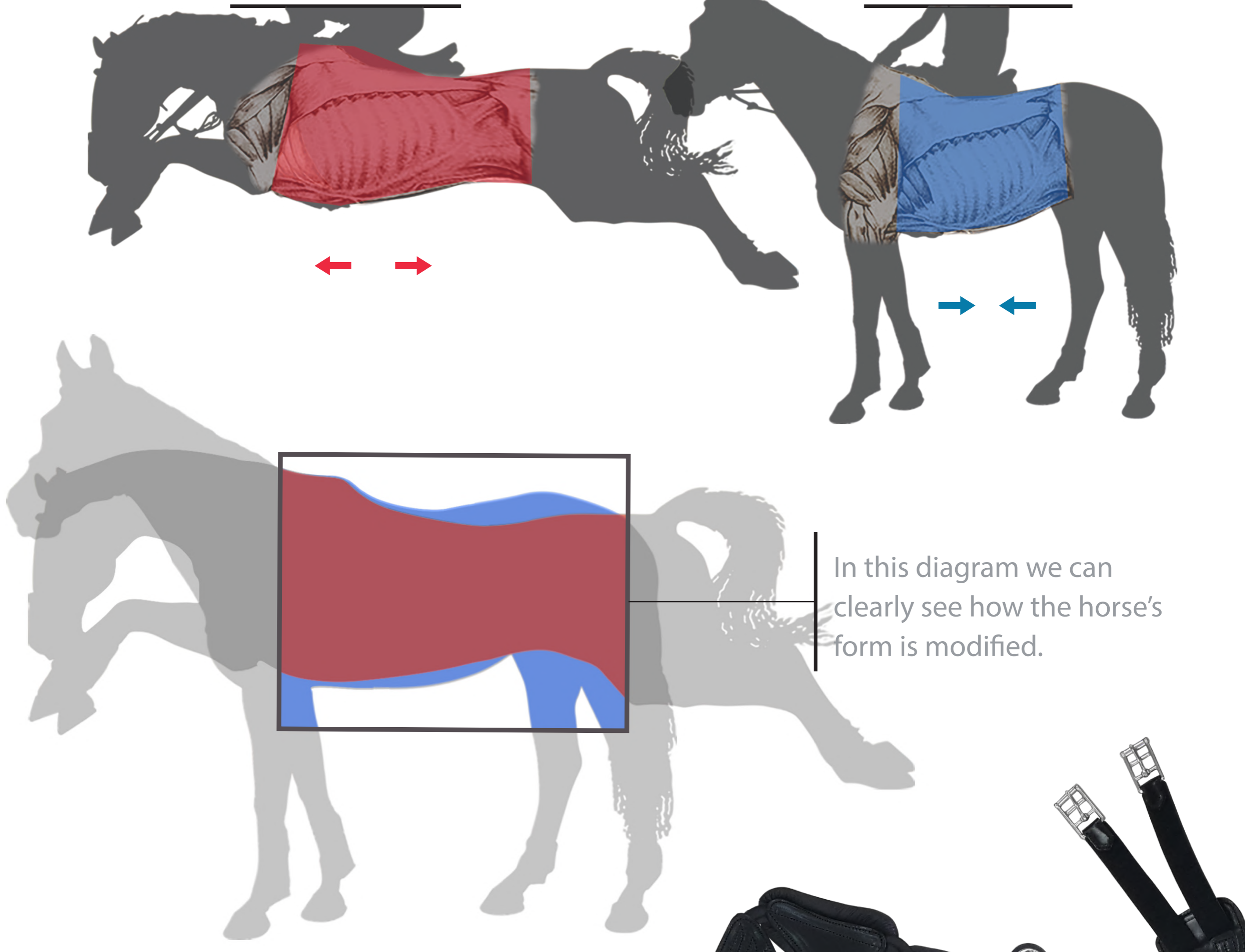
The Freedom Eventing and Jumping girths, retain the benefits of the Freedom Dressage Girth (intramuscular movement, ventilation, sweat management) but the design has been perfected for each discipline. In Jumping, the horse has to approach the fence with good rhythm and balance, with impulsion and fluid movement to tackle the most important thing that defines the competition, THE JUMP! That definitive movement and moment takes less than TWO SECONDS.

LESS THAN TWO SECONDS



Movements and pressures of the dorsal vertebrae and muscles in different positions, before, during and after the jump.

Examples of changes in the anatomy of the horse when jumping.



In this diagram we can clearly see how the horse's form is modified.

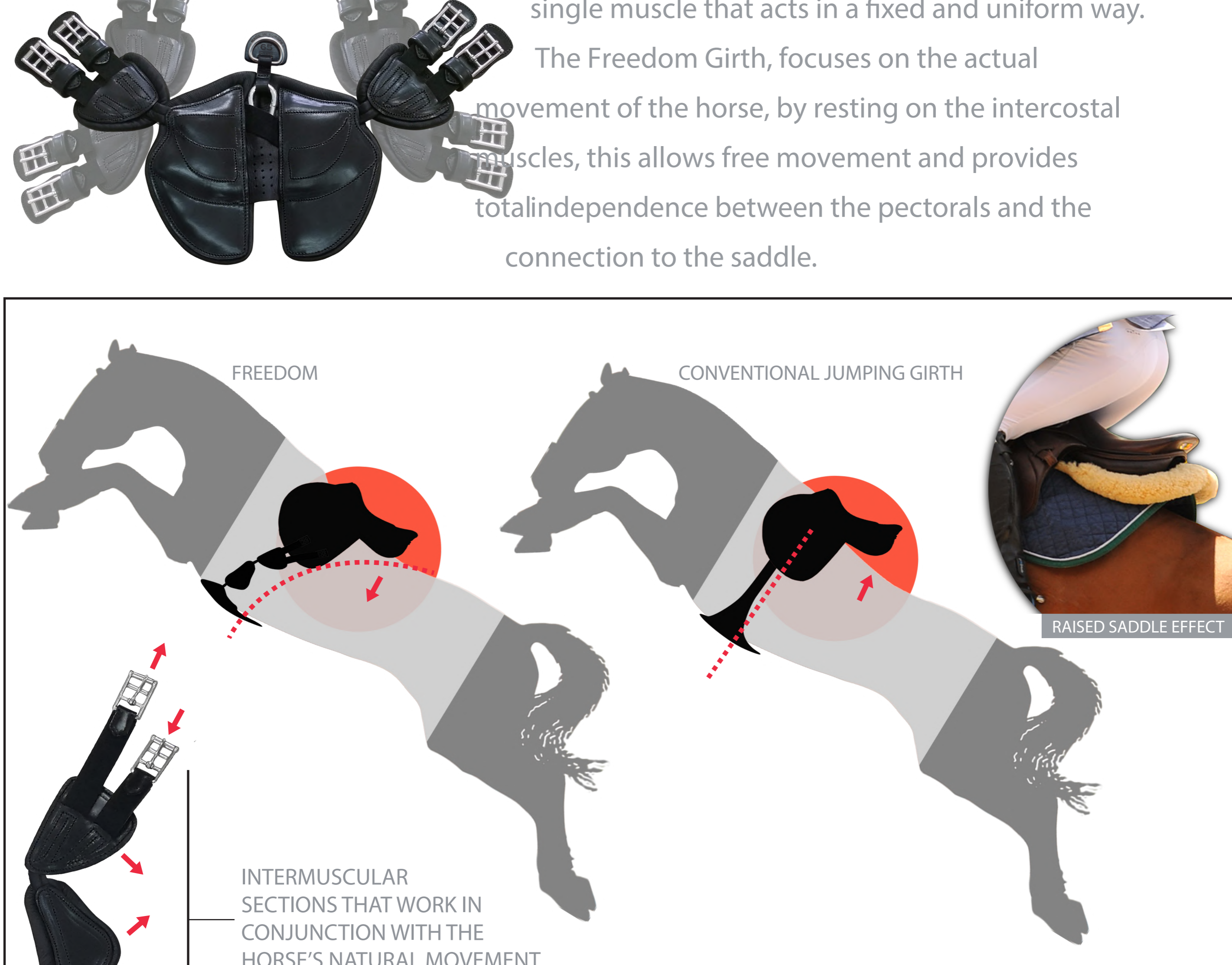
THE PERFECT DESIGN – THE FREEDOM GIRTH

When a horse jumps, its body changes shape. Today, a standard girth is attached to the saddle when the horse is at rest. When a horse jumps the entire body changes shape and this affects both the saddle and the girth.

This change in shape is due to the dorsal intercostals and the pectoral muscles extending independently of each other.

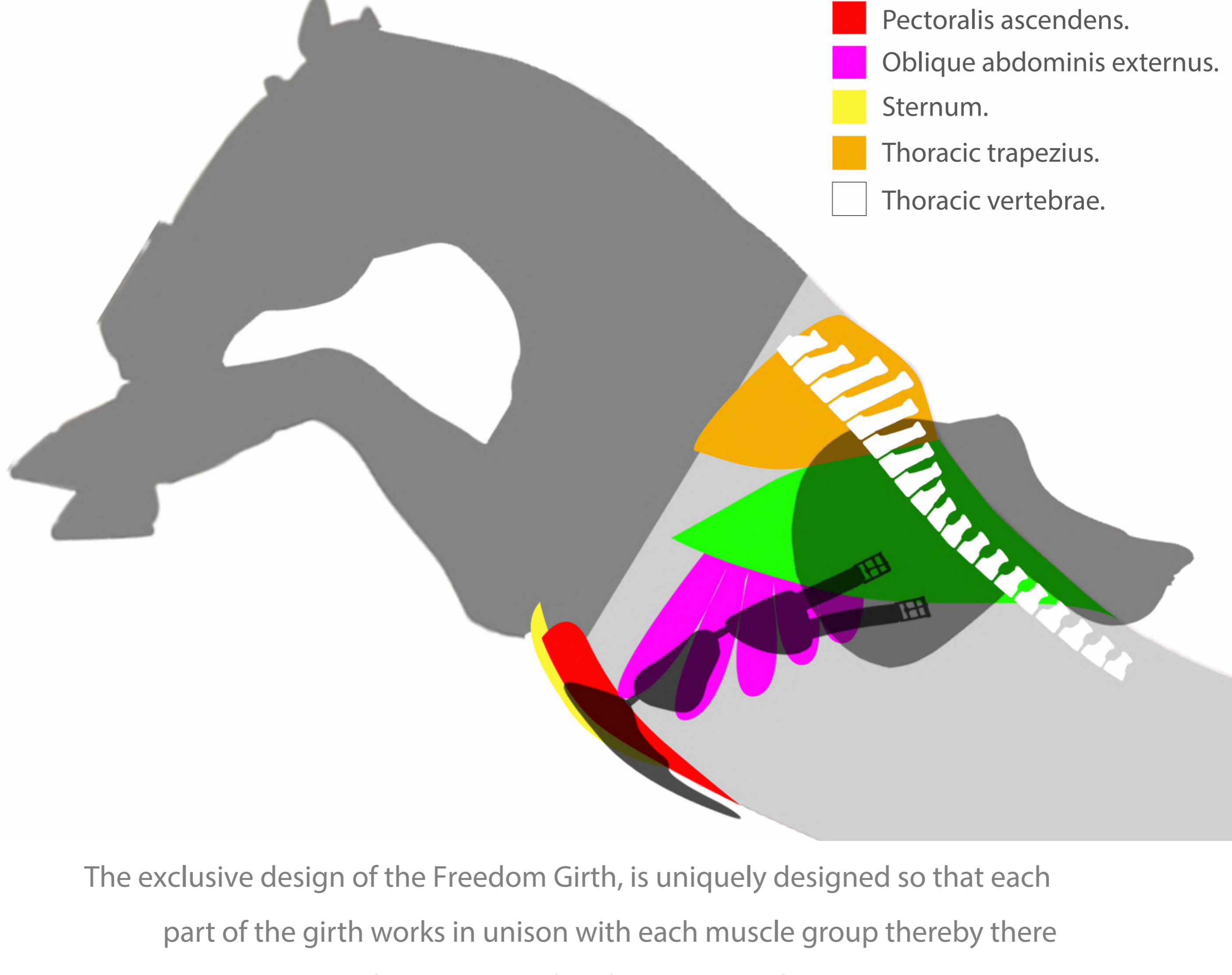
Conventional girths have been designed to try to keep the saddle in place, regardless of the function or location of the muscles involved with the effort.

Conventional girths work as if the horse's rib cage has a single muscle that acts in a fixed and uniform way. The Freedom Girth, focuses on the actual movement of the horse, by resting on the intercostal muscles, this allows free movement and provides total independence between the pectorals and the connection to the saddle.



SUPPORT OF THE MUSCLES, THE HORSES NATURAL MOVEMENT AND THE SADDLE.

At the beginning of the jumping action when the horse lifts its front legs off the ground, the body moves in an upwards direction. Until now conventional girths have been rigid with no movement which generates the effect of the "raised saddle". The conventional girth holds the saddle in a rigid lateral position which blocks the natural movement of the body and increases pressure on the chest muscles. The Freedom Girth, has been carefully designed to compliment the horse's movement allowing the saddle to remain in the correct position through the entirety of the jumping movement of the horse, removing restrictions from the horse. It is the only girth on the market today designed in this way.



The exclusive design of the Freedom Girth, is uniquely designed so that each part of the girth works in unison with each muscle group thereby there is no interference in the free functioning of muscle groups.

