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Horse trainer and instructor Cherry Hill believes that every human/horse relationship benefits from a greater human understanding of what motivates horses, how they experience the world, what makes them happy, and what worries them. Journey through the equine mind with Hill as she explores what makes a horse tick. How do his basic needs dictate his behavior and mood? What touches and tastes appeal to his senses? How does his “flight or fight” instinct dictate his response to sudden movements? If horses are treated respectfully with methods they understand, everyone involved — animal and human — will be happier, safer, and more productive.

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## **From Reader Review How to Think Like a Horse: The Essential Handbook for Understanding Why Horses Do What They Do for online ebook**

### **Jaroslav says**

Very informative book for me as a beginner horseman, just little too broad scoped for me at the moment as it covers not only explaining behavior, but also covers some horse care and training topics, meaning I can't fully appreciate it for now. Hats off to explaining what to do and what not to do from horse's perspective. Loved the clear, informative full color drawings and photos, even in the Kindle edition. It just screams to me to get a printed book as this is probably one I'll be consulting again and again...

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### **Marjorie says**

This is a book full of information backed by excellent pictures. This book focuses on how to keep out of trouble with your horse[s] and how to have a good relationship with horses. It also covers care and feeding of horses. This will be an excellent review for many and a new way of thinking for others.

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### **Lori Peters says**

This book is just truly amazing! Such extensive coverage, hundreds of tips, a world of wisdom! This one will definitely be a staple on my book shelf!

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### **Dana says**

good book

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### **Michelle says**

This book was informative, but will be more useful if you have 2+ acres. I have 1 acre and will not be able to fit most of what they talked about in this book, such as barns and riding arenas or any kind of pasture. It still helped me get ideas for what I can do with my small space, though.

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### **Emma J. says**

I really liked it, though it isn't my favorite of these kinds of books. I would definitely recommend it, though. It gives some good tips, and I was able to apply these to my horse. It was easy to understand, and well

organized.

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### **Vanessa says**

Very informative without being dull, and really helps see things from the horse's perspective.

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### **Meghan says**

This was as useful as it sounds- especially for a beginning rider like myself.

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### **Simone says**

A compact and easy overview of horse language and how to deal with and train horses. Nothing too specific, but a good starting point.

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### **Gina Tamayo says**

Very interesting, easy to read and informative.

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### **Pete says**

I can't believe I haven't critiqued this book since I have 6 copies on my bookshelf.

For those of us who love our horses, and those who would like to gain a larger understanding of their equine friends and methods to become closer to them, this is an awesome resource.

I gave one away for Christmas to a neighbor's child.

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### **Lindsey says**

Wonderful - lots of good info and illustrations/pictures.

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### **Spiros Antonapoulos says**

I used to wanna be a horse trainer when I was younger....To be succinct, this book is full of invaluable

information not just for horse trainers, but, for the general horse enthusiast.

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### **Vanessa Wright says**

The better you understand your horse, the better horse-person and rider you'll be. In *How to Think Like a Horse*, you'll see the world through a horse's eyes and find out what you can do in your horse-keeping, handling, and riding to make any horse happier and safer to be around, to help every horse reach his or her potential, and to truly be your horse's best friend.

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### **Zein Kayali says**

I LOVED this book ... especially because I love horses and everything related to them. I am not a beginner rider but I found this book extremely informative and essential to everyone working with horses, riding, handling ... etc. Plus the writer's style and way of portraying the information is really helpful and interesting.

In experience I must say that I have learned a lot and have practiced a lot of what I read which made many of the processes handling or riding my horse more efficient.

What I liked the most is that the writer adds her own experience with horses which makes it easier to understand and passes us her expertise as well.

All in all, it is an important book that will give you a lot of knowledge to absorb, to help you become a better horsekeeper, rider ... etc.

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