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Track rider Trainer

Location: Track or Tracks where used	Orange - riding arenas, enclosed yards. Beginner riders
Riding occasion Tick all boxes where used.	<input type="checkbox"/> Metropolitan race. <input type="checkbox"/> Country race <input type="checkbox"/> Track work in metropolitan area <input type="checkbox"/> Track work in country area
Date(s) How often used	Day..... <u>17</u>Days.....weeks..... No of times used..... Date-Months & Year used.....
Weather	<input type="checkbox"/> Cold x <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Warm x <input type="checkbox"/> Hot
Track condition	<input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor

What I liked about the Toe Stoppers
 Students gained confidence as not required to concentrate on keeping foot in stirrup. Put learner riders in a very balanced position making learning to ride much quicker and easier. Instructors did not have to worry about constantly stopping riders so they could put there foot in the position correctly

What I didn't like about the Toe Stoppers

Other: Do you believe if the Track Toe Stoppers were made compulsory they could prevent riders from being hooked up and dragged, therefore reducing injuries and deaths? yes **X** no

Other: Would you use the Race Toe Stoppers in races if you were given a weight allowance incentive? yes no

Other: Should jockeys be given a Toe Stopper weight allowance if it could save them from being hooked up or dragged causing serious injuries or death yes no

Other: If available would you wear the Toe Stoppers every time you ride? yes no