

Saddle fitting still gives me a buzz...



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I consider saddle fitting more of a vocation than just a job and after fitting for over 25 years it still gives me a buzz! There are many elements to the role which I enjoy:

Problem solving - no two horses are the same, the principles of saddle fitting are seemingly straightforward the reality of the job is the daily challenges

Being around horses - I've had horses in my life from a very young age, whilst I no longer ride due to time, bravery and a lack of skill (I like to do things correctly or not at all!!) I just adore time around these amazing creatures, they can teach us so much and I love to the interaction I see between owners and their horses and the willingness of them to work alongside us

Progression - walking away from a fitting knowing you've made a difference to the horse and the horse rider's experience is a wonderful feeling. One small change can make a big difference. Tears of happiness are not uncommon.....