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**Carer notes from our
“A picture house of MY past memories”**

Clip title	The gentle giant Clydesdale horses
Duration	43 minutes 26 seconds
Short description	The clip features the contribution the Clydesdale horse and the horsemen who worked them made for Scottish agriculture.
Our key question at the end of the clip	If you were to make a film what topic would you choose?
Clip introduction by	Dr Don Carney
Suitable for access on	Iphone, Ipad, Laptop, Main frame computer, Sensory table, Smart television

Other related questions that the carer can use to further customise the clip.

1. What farm animal do you like the best?
2. Did your ancestors work in agriculture. If not what did they do?
3. If you were asked to name two Clydesdales what names would you give them?
4. Have you ever visited the Royal highland show. If you have did you see the Clydesdales?
5. The local joiner would make the cart pulled by the Clydesdales. What different trades are in your local district?
6. The Clydesdales feature in Bothy ballads. Do you know any bothy ballads?
7. Aberdeen city used to have Clydesdales working in the city. Would you like to see Clydesdales working in your city. What jobs could they do?
8. Can you think of other animals that work with their handler today?
9. The horseman and his Clydesdales used to walk eleven miles each day when ploughing. What was the longest walk you did in a day?
10. Are there any farms close to you where you could see and meet Clydesdales?

Enjoy speaking about this topic and we are sure you have many more questions that spring to mind about the clip.

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Six stills for your personal photo album

These six stills are taken from the clip called “ **The gentle giant the Clydesdale horses**”. We suggest printing these stills and making an album which can be used during the clip or viewed separately. These can be used in a wider discussion to pick up on or develop any points of significance following the clip.



A bonny white Clydesdale in show harness



A Clydesdale being judged



The Clydesdale and the skilled horseman



Photo of a horseman and his pair 1924



Sam being trained to pull the cart



**The local blacksmith making
Clydesdale shoes**

We hope you enjoy using the clip and the stills as part of our reminiscence therapy intervention.

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If you have any feedback about the clips and how the therapy could be improved please get in contact with us. Your contribution to the success of this therapy is essential. Your views are the ones that will continue to influence how we develop our reminiscence dementia therapy.

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