Senior On-Line Written Test

Circle all that apply, could be any combo of answers, or just one.

- 1. An outcome-based lesson is:
 - a) Started on easy terrain
 - b) Experiential learning
 - c) Formulated from questions and answers
 - d) Not important in skiing
- 2. The most important motivation for Senior skiers:
 - a) People
 - b) Travel
 - c) Outdoors
 - d) Exercise
- 3. What must a Senior overcome to improve:
 - a) Fear
 - b) Excessive rotary moves
 - c) Mindset
 - d) Embarrassment
- 4. What is a hard thing to change with a Senior skier:
 - a) Judgment and decision strategies
 - b) Stance
 - c) Physical limitations
 - d) Utilizing harder terrain
- 5. The affective atmosphere of a lesson is created by:
 - a) Peer group
 - b) Weather
 - c) Instructor
 - d) The ski resort
- 6. Fear in Seniors is a function of:
 - a) Less confidence
 - b) Speed and terrain
 - c) Poor instruction
 - d) Outdated equipment
- 7. Thru positive affirmation, an instructor builds:
 - a) Good tips
 - b) Faster lesson progress
 - c) Trust
 - d) Repeat business
- 8. An important question asked a Senior client:
 - a) How long have you been skiing?
 - b) Do you have any physical limitations?
 - c) When was your last lesson?

- d) How many times a year do you ski?
- 9. An important instructor decision would be:
 - a) Terrain choice
 - b) Length of lesson
 - c) Group size
 - d) Appropriate clothing
- 10. Two footed means:
 - a) Stepping
 - b) Foot to foot
 - c) Balance
 - d) Tracking on both skis
- 11. An important aspect of a long Senior Clinic is:
 - a) Pacing
 - b) Keep the lesson moving
 - c) Less talk
 - d) Interactive games
- 12. Proper pole technique should be:
 - a) During extension
 - b) During flexion
 - c) In time with the downhill flow
 - d) Quick and aggressive
- 13. One element important to Senior Skier's technique is:
 - a) Low impact
 - b) Consistent steering
 - c) Tall stance
 - d) Learning carving turns
- 14. An acceptable movement for a Senior with knee issues would be:
 - a) Angulation
 - b) Banking
 - c) Upper body rotation
 - d) Wedge Christies
- 15. Equipment considerations for Seniors should be:
 - a) Stiffer forward flex boots
 - b) Slight negative canting
 - c) 17-meter turning radius skis
 - d) Forward position with higher ramp angle
- 16. Rusty Crook classifies Senior Skiers into 4 groups. They are:
 - a) Based on 4 age groups
 - b) Green, blue, black, double black
 - c) Rippers, explorers, cruisers, rookies

- d) First-timers, rookies, MVPs, advanced
- 17. Basic drills for an intermediate zone skier would be, except:
 - a) Falling leaf
 - b) Short radius and entry-level bumps
 - c) Fan progression Christies
 - d) Patience turns
- 18. Scarving is blending a carve and a skid:
 - a) True
 - b) False
- 19. Is the social aspect important in a Senior Program:
 - a) True
 - b) False
- 20. Seniors tend to grasp all the details instead of the Big Picture:
 - a) True
 - b) False
- 21. At your Mountain, a Senior Program should offer:
 - a) Consistent meeting place
 - b) Reasonable cost
 - c) Travel events
 - d) Saturday and Sunday clinics
- 22. A blending of the skills is less important with Seniors:
 - a) True
 - b) False
- 23. Static positions are defined as:
 - a) Park and ride
 - b) Smooth and flowing
 - c) Skill blending
 - d) Flowing downhill

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