Comp 126: Final Project Design Spec Colin Ham

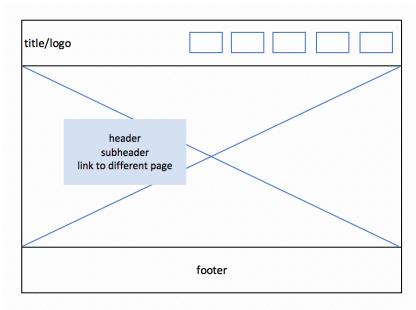
Summary

I am redesigning the website for Cloud 9 Walkers. The current website for Cloud 9 Walkers looks like something I could have designed before stepping foot in this class. Because of this, I am planning to do a complete redesign. With my site, I am hoping to convey a "modern" and "earthy" tone. I picked these tones because I want the site to have a modern feel to give it more credibility as a real site. And I picked the earthy tone because of the rugged, outdoor nature of horseback riding. Additionally, I want the site to feel more like a retail site. The original site felt more like a blog about Cloud 9. With my site, I want it to feel more like an official site where customers can place orders and learn more about the company. Overall, I think that creating a site that feels more "official" with "modern" and "earthy" tones will be the best option. The modern feel makes it seem more contemporary while also establishing a feeling of credibility that helps make the site more credible. And the "earthy" tone helps portray Cloud 9's core values of being close with animals and nature.

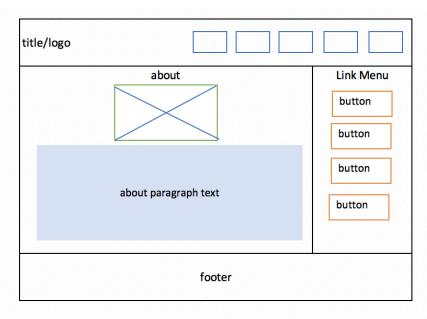
I plan on achieving the modern tone through my layout and color choices and I plan on achieving the earthy tone through my color scheme and picture choices. For the modern tone, I am going to do a simpler white header and footer. Additionally, my nav bar items are also going to be white and then accented with green when hovered. I think that the white nav bar will give a slick, modern feel to my site. For the earthy tone, I am going to use a color palette that contain a lot of brown, tan, black, and white with green accents. The brown and green are typically correlated with nature very often so I think this will help convey the "earthy" vibe. Additionally, I am going to include pictures of horses with lush, natural backgrounds. I want these pictures to be really high definition too so that they can help convey a modern and earthy vibe.

This design spec will be linked in the footer of my site by clicking on the word "design"

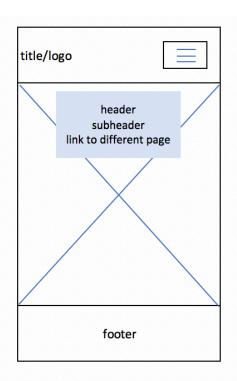
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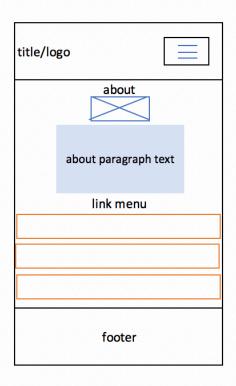
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About Page Desktop View



Home page Mobile View



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Design Palette



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