

July 22, 2022 to July 27, 2022

You dont have to be crazy to ride with us,



Five Day Clinic!

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Registration Information

- * Registration is June 13th, 2022 thru July 9th, 2022.
- * REGISTRATIONS ACCEPTED AFTER July 9th_ WILL BE CHARGED A \$10 LATE FEE per person.
- * Online registration <u>CLOSES</u> on JULY 19th, 2022.
- * Please register online-at http://Allegan4h5dayclinic.org
- * Read the registration information and then sign up to register for classes.
- * Clinic is limited to 100 youth participants.
- * SEI/ASTM approved helmets are required for all classes in the arena and while in the round pen.
- * The following youth participants will need to be evaluated PRIOR to clinic: Evaluation information is available on the website.
 - * First-time clinic participants
 - * Those wanting to move up a level
 - * Those that have had a change of horse
 - * First-time driving or jumping participants.
- Youth may register for up to THREE 90 minute riding classes in sessions 1-6. Youth may additionally register for In-hand trail and groundwork and Vaulting.
- * Class fee for Sessions 1-6 (90 minutes): \$60.00 per class (Discount: 3 classes for \$150)
- * Clinic updates will be posted on the Facebook page: Search Allegan County 5 Day Clinic

How to Register

- Register online at http://Allegan4h5dayclinic.org Class sizes are limited and will fill on a first come first serve basis. Half arenas are limited to 8 riders/drivers and full arenas are limited to 12 riders/drivers. Classes will close when they are filled.
- * After you register online; send check Payable to Allegan County Five Day Clinic to:

Mandi Nielson;

3199 5th St.;

Wayland MI 49348.

- Checks are preferred. Cash payments may be made by apt. only. Call Mandi Nielson at 616-446-6722. NO CREDIT/DEBIT CARDS ACCEPTED. NO PayPal. <u>PAYMENT MUST BE RECEIVED WITHIN 7</u> <u>BUSINESS DAYS OR YOUR REGISTRATION WILL BE DELETED AND YOUR CLASS SPACE WILL</u> <u>NOT BE RESERVED.</u>
- * When payment is received you will be emailed a confirmation.
- * Paper Registrations and checks may also be mailed to Mandi Nielson; 3199 5th St.; Wayland MI 49348.
- Reimbursements will be considered by the 5 Day Committee on a case by case basis for extreme extenuating circumstances only. A Doctor's or veterinarian's note may be required.
- * Please mail 4H Incentives with your payment or email to allegan5day@gmail.com
- * Non-Cloverbud participants must be 8 years old by January 1, 2022; or older and should be able to, at a minimum, control their horse/pony at a walk and trot.
- * If you have any questions or concerns, please contact
 - * Mandi Nielson, Clinic Chairperson, at 616-446-6722 or allegan5day@gmail.com
 - * Paul Balgoyen, Clinic Coordinator, at (269) 650-1323 or balgoyenwmpaul@gmail.com

5 Day Enthusiast	0727
0722 camper lane	June 13, 2022
Allegan MI 49080	
Pay to: Allegan County 5 Day Clínic	\$275.00
Two hundred seventy 5 dollars and no/100	
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Stall Information

- Horses/ponies may be stalled at the clinic grounds or trailered in daily (Horses cannot be tied to trailers and left unattended – must use stalls).
- Emergency Contact Stall Card must be stapled to the stall door. Owner and horse's information MUST be clearly printed and include horse's name, rider's name, owner's name and phone number, emergency contact name and phone number, vet's name and phone number, 4H leader's name and phone number, and a campsite number if camping. Stall cards are found in the registration book under the "Things to Bring Checklist".
- Horse and Tack stalls will be assigned by the barn managers and grouped according to 4H clubs. Tack stalls will be shared.

Immunizations Information

- For the protection of your horse/pony, all animals must receive Flu, Tetanus, WEE and EEE shots. Also a current negative Coggins test is REQUIRED and the original copy must be available in case of inspection. West Nile Virus, VEE, Strangles, Rhino and PHF vaccines are strongly recommended, but not required. All immunizations should be given 3-4 weeks before the clinic in order to be effective.
- Proof of Immunizations & Coggins must be presented at the time of check-in. A copy of your Coggins
 must be left in the office.

2022 5 Day Clinic Rules

- 1. Clinic hours are from 8am to 9:30pm.
- 2. All youth will participate in their scheduled activities. Please be on time and prepared to participate.
- 3. Be prepared for sun, heat, or rain.
- 4. All participants must obey safety procedures and rules given by the instructors and as outlined in these rules.
- 5. Do not enter assigned areas until told to do so by instructor.
- 6. Our clinic is limited to a given area on the fairgrounds. Participants must not wander into other areas.
- 7. Those youth participants staying with a leader should have a signed parent emergency release form.
- 8. Horse and ponies are to be under control at all times.
- 9. Horses and ponies will not be ridden outside of class unless participating in a supervised activity.
- 10. Horses and ponies will be ridden in full tack at all times unless directed by an instructor.
- 11. All equipment used must be well-fitting and of safe quality.
- 12. Grooming equipment and tack will be stored in trailers or empty stalls if available.
- 13. NO electronic devices or ear buds while in class.
- 14. For safety reasons instant obedience is a must. "Freeze" is a command to be given when a hazardous or potentially hazardous situation develops. It means stop all activity immediately and look around to see what's wrong.
- 15. Safety and courtesy are to be practiced at all times.
- 16. SEI/ASIEM approved Helmets will be worn by all students while in the arena and round pens.
- 17. The Clinic Coordinator, Instructors, Barn Managers, Health Officer, Five-Day Clinic Committee Members and Volunteer Leaders must be obeyed at all times.
- 18. Health & Release forms need to be completed and the release policy followed.
- 19. No dogs or bikes.

Barn Rules

- 1. Stall doors are to be kept closed when not in use.
- 2. Wheelbarrows and all tools are to be kept in trailers or tack stalls if available
- 3. Emergency Contact Stall Card must be stapled to the stall door. Owner and horse's information MUST be clearly printed and include horse's name, rider's name, owner's name and phone number, emergency contact name and phone number, vet's name and phone number, 4H leader's name and phone number, and an campsite number if camping. Stall cards are found on the next page under the "Things to Bring Checklist".
- 4. Horses are expected to have 2 buckets of water during hot weather.
- 5. Horses may not be tied to the outside of the stalls.
- 6. Closed shoes or boots worn at all times around horses.
- 7. No loud noises and "horse play" or water fights around horses.
- 8. Manure is to be placed in designated areas only.
- 9. Youth are to stay away from barns from 10:30pm until 6:30am unless authorized by a Barn Manager or there is an emergency. Quiet time begins at 11:00pm. Please be considerate of sleeping horses.

Behavioral Expectation of 4-H Leaders/Members/Parents

Living in a new environment away from home (i.e. trips, camps, exchanges) can be exciting new learning experiences because there are so many opportunities for building new friendships and participating in new adventures which will enrich 4-H member's lives. 4-H Horse leaders and members when participating or acting on behalf of the Allegan County 4-H Youth Program are expected to conduct themselves in accordance with accepted standards of social behavior, to respect the rights of others, and to refrain from any conduct which may be injurious to the program. It is expected that 4-H Leaders and members will conduct themselves according to the code of conduct they signed as part of their 4-H enrollment in 4HOnline.

Contests and Awards

Stall Decorating Contest: NEW THIS YEAR! Our 5 day theme is "Horses around the World." 4-H Clubs are encouraged to decorate their stall doors incorporating this year's theme. The 5 Day committee and instructors will vote and the top 2 clubs will get a \$50 Pizza Hut Gift Card. Participants that are coming without a 4-H group can join another group or do their own decorations as open participants. Staple guns will be provided but remember all the staples have to be removed by the end of clinic.

Jamie Reurink Smilely Award - This award is for an individual that has maintained a positive attitude during the entire clinic and has demonstrated our 4H values. Youth and adults can vote for this individual via a secret ballot.

<u>The Ripple Effect Award</u> is generously donated by Tracy Fox for youth who have demonstrated 4-H values and have been seen helping and teaching the next generation.

Door prizes are given out throughout the clinic.

<u>Golden nuggets</u> are given to those with the cleanest stalls and full buckets of water. Nuggets are given out every night and can be traded in for a bag of horse treats and candy!

Allegan County 4-H Five Day Horse Clinic 'Things to Bring' Checklist

- _____Horse or Pony which is up to date with the farrier.
- ____SEI/ASTM approved helmet
- ____Riding boots or footwear with a heel
- ____Proof of your horse/pony's immunizations
- _____Proof of your horse/pony's negative coggins (original copy)
- ____Copy of your horse/pony's negative coggins to leave in the office
- _____Tack (saddle, bridle, blankets, etc.)
- Equipment (grooming tools, buckets, stall fork, wheelbarrow, etc.)
- ____Feed (hay, grain, etc,)
- ____Bedding (straw, sawdust or shavings, etc.)
- _____Trailer to store feed and equipment
- _____An open mind and good attitude about learning new things
- ____Emergency Contact Stall Card-see below

Allegan County 5 Day Clinic Emergency Contact Stall Card Please staple this card to your horse or pony's stall.

Horse/pony's Name	Rider's Name		
Owner's Name (adult)	Owner's (adult) Cell Phone Number		
Emergency Contact	Emergency Contact Cell Phone #		
Veterinarian Name	Veterinarian Phone #		
4H Leader's Name	4H Leaders phone #		
Camping at fair? YES NO If yes, Campsite	#		
Special Notes:			

Horsemaster Level Evaluation Information

The following youth MUST be evaluated prior to clinic in order to participate:

- * All first-time participants regardless of level
- * Any past participant wishing to move up in level
- * Any past participant riding a new horse.
- * A youth who has never been in a Jumping class at clinic must be evaluated in jumping prior to clinic

Prior to Five-Day Horse Clinic, a participant and his/her horse or pony may need to be evaluated. This will help place rider and horse into appropriate classes with riders of similar ability. At each level, a "4-H Horsemaster Mounted Skills Evaluation" form is used. **Only the Mounted Skills section will be used for the clinic evaluations**. Completion of the other sections of the 4-H Horsemaster Program (writen test booklets) is highly encouraged but not necessary for clinic. Please refer to the different levels' Mounted Skills Evaluation forms link at https://www.canr.msu.edu/allegan/allegan_county_4_h/equine1 to determine what level a rider will attempt at the evaluation dates. **A participant may sign up under their existing Horsemaster level without an evaluation.** Cloverbuds do not need to complete an official evaluation but are requested to demonstrate to their 4H leader prior to clinic that the horse/rider pairing is a safe one.

Level 1: These classes are designed for young riders or those with little riding experience. Riders must be able to walk, steer and stop their horse or pony before joining a class.

Level 2/3: These classes are designed for riders with intermediate riding skills. Riders must know basic aids, hand and body position and be able to walk, jog/trot, lope/canter their horse or pony with some consistency.

Level 4/5: These classes are designed for riders with advanced riding skills. Riders must have good hand and body position, be able to use riding aids effectively and to be able to walk, jog/trot on the correct diagonal, lope/canter their horse or pony on the correct lead consistently.

Virtual Horsemaster "Mounted Skills Evaluations"

The "Mounted Skills Evaluation" may now be done virtually. Email a video of your mounted test to any approved evaluator.

The email must include the following:

1. Subject Line: Horsemaster Evaluation for _____ (rider's name).

2. In the body of the email, please include the riders name, age, 4H club, and level they are testing for. **Video Requirements:**

- 1. Follow instructions in the respective Horsemaster Level Written Test.
- 2. The video must be taken in landscape mode.
- 3. The video must be taken from the outside of the arena along side the rail OR from the center of the arena.
- 4. Please do not zoom in closely, the evaluator needs to be able to see a portion of the arena.
- 5. The video should be one continuous flow with no splicing or editing of video segments.
- 6. If not specified, the maneuver or gait asked for should be continued for half of the arena to give the evaluator ample time to critique the maneuver. (ie: Right lead canter, Trot to the left, etc.)

7..Only 1 rider in the arena at time of filming.

8. Keep background noise to a minimum, if possible.

Qualified Horsemaster Evaluators for 2022:

Nora Balgoyen-Williams, 269-686-2153, nbalgoyen@itctransco.com Age Groups: 9-19 Program Levels: 1-5 Seats: Western, English, Gymkhana A/B, Trail, Jumping

Paul Balgoyen, 269-650-1323, balgoyenwmpaul@gmail.com Age Groups: cloverbud,9-19 Program Levels: 1-5 Seats: Western, English, Dressage, Trail, Jumping

Jodie Brenner, 269-793-3020, Jodie.brenner@martinpublicschools.org Age Groups: Cloverbud, 9-19 Program Levels: 1-5 Seats: Western, English, Trail

Tracy Fox, 269-330-2144, Tracyfox.1980@yahoo.com Age groups: 9-19 Program Levels: 1-5 Seats: English, Dressage, Jumping

Heather Maurer, 269-720-6613 Hmaurer84@hotmail.com Age Groups: Cloverbuds, 9-19 Program Levels: 1-5 Seats: Western, English, Trail, Jumping, Gymkhana A/B

Pam McGill, 269-509-2141, <u>freshfurrowfarm@gmail.com</u> Driving all levels

Shannan Dorman 616-520-5589 dormanshannan@gmail.com Age Groups: Cloverbud, 9-19 Program Levels: 1-5 Seats: Western, English

Kim Lerch, 517-881-8700, avosequine@gmail.com Age Groups: Cloverbud, 9-19 Program Levels: 1-5 Seats: Western, English, Jumping

Tara Beilby, 616-485-7722, <u>tarabeilby@aol.com</u> Age Groups: 9-19 Program Levels: 1-5 Seats: Gymkana

All evaluations should be completed prior to clinic registration!

2022 Allegan County 4-H Five-Day Horse Clinic Class Descriptions

*Patterns, gaits, and all activities will be at discretion of the instructor and may very in order to maintain safety.

when registering please be sure that your horse and you fit the criteria for the class

Cloverbud: This is a class for 5-7year old participants as of January 1, 2022.. Riders will work on correct riding position and controlling their horse/pony at the walk and trot while having fun! All 5yr old participants must remain on a leadline with an adult at all times in this class. All 6 and 7 year old participants must have available a side walker of at least 14 years of age. All 6yr old participants must be on a leadline while trotting. The first 45 minutes will be under saddle, the last 45 minutes will be an activity. Parents are asked to put horses/ponies away and then come back if the instructor would like help with the activity.

English 1: Participants in this class will work on skills like leading, tying, mounting and dismounting, hand and body position, balancing and steering, walking and trotting with control and backing. Participants may canter if the instructor feels they are ready.

English 2: The goal of this riding class is to improve hand and body position, balance, precise steering, and communication with horse/pony. Participants will work on their walk, trot, and canter with control and learning smooth transitions between all gaits. Participants begin learning 20 meter circles and figure eights and may work to understand diagonals, leads and two-point position.

English 3: Participants in this class will further work on abilities listed above by doing more work off the rail. Participants begin to bend and flex their horse/pony, establish better control, rhythm, and balance with their horse. Participants will also practice various equitation patterns including 20 meter circles, figure eights, serpentines, etc.

English 4/5: Participants in this class will further work on abilities listed above by working mostly off the rail. Riders will work to develop an independent seat and hands and utilize bending and flexing in equitation patterns. Participants will focus on fine tuning details in order to show in upper level English Equitation classes.

Western 1: Participants in this class will work on skills like leading, tying, mounting and dismounting, hand and body position, balancing and steering, walking and trotting with control and backing. Participants may lope if the instructor feels they are ready.

Western 2: The goal of this riding class is to improve hand and body position, balance, precise steering, and communication with their horse/pony. Participants will work on their walk, trot, and canter with control and learning smooth transitions between all gaits. Participants begin circle work and understanding/feeling leads.

Western 3: Participants in this class will further work on abilities listed above by doing more work off the rail. Participants begin to bend and flex their horse/pony, establish better control, rhythm, and balance with their horse. Horsemanship patterns used will be determined by the instructor and students but may include circles, figure eights, serpentines, etc.

Gymkhana 1: This class will introduce riders to the basic techniques and patterns of the speed events known as Gymkhana (barrel racing, pole bending, etc.). All skills will be practiced using the Gymkhana events. Participants may lope if the instructor feels they are ready.

Gymkhana 2: This class will introduce more Gymkhana patterns. Participants will work on hand and body positions, their horse's position and develop safety and control at moderate speed. Proper technique of patterns will be emphasized before increasing speed. It is strongly recommended that horses be at least 6 years of age for this class.

Gymkhana 3: Participants will work on hand and body positions, their horse's position and develop safety and control with more speed. Proper technique of patterns will be emphasized before increasing speed. It is strongly recommended that horses be at least 6 years of age for this class. Runs will be timed during Tuesday's class.

Gymkhana 4/5: Participants will work on better hand and body position and developing a fully independent seat and hands. Participants will work on Gymkhana pattern technique, their horse's position and control and will increase speed as the instructor sees fit. It is strongly recommended that horses be at least 6 years of age for this class. Runs will be timed during Tuesday's class.

Trail 1/2: Trail is a class that requires riders to perform specific maneuvers to negotiate various obstacles on a course with as much ease as possible. Participants will be introduced to trail maneuvers such as backing, side passing, turns on the haunches and forehand, and ground tying. Participants will also be introduced to trail obstacles, such as ground poles, bridges, gates and more.

Trail 3: Participants will continue working on basic trail maneuvers, such as backing, side passing, turns on the haunches and forehand, and ground tying. Participants will continue working on trail obstacles such as, ground poles, bridges, gates, and more. Complex trail maneuvers may be introduced.

Trail Level 4/5: Participants will work on bettering their trail maneuvers, such as backing, side passing, turns on the haunches and forehand, and ground tying. Participants may also be introduced to more advanced trail obstacles, such as loping over ground poles, tarps, water hazards, small jumps, and more. Time will be spent exploring the sport of extreme trail and will include obstacles such as large flags, water obstacles, turn styles, etc.

Introduction to Jumping 1: This class is an introduction to the techniques and exercises needed to begin jumping. Skills covered may include two-point, riding cues, trotting/cantering over poles, and possibly cross rails. It is strongly recommended that horses/ponies be at least 6 years old for this class.

Jumping 2: This class builds on the skills learned in the intro jumping class. Depending on the skill levels of horses and riders, poles, crossrails and mini courses may be ridden. Participant must successfully complete a jumping evaluation prior to registration.

Jumping 3/4/5: This class builds on the skills learned in the intro jumping class. It digs deeper into the theory and training necessary to jump higher heights and more complex courses. It is strongly recommended that horses/ponies be at least 6 years old for this class. The class is geared to those who would like to possibly compete in Jumping at the Allegan Fair. Participant must successfully complete a jumping evaluation prior to registration.

Introduction to Cross Country 3/4/5: This class is an introduction to the sport of cross country jumping. This class goes beyond show jumping and discusses the rules, skills, and exercises to successfully finish a cross country course. The class will start in the arena and then may move outside of the arena depending on horse and rider abilities. Participants must have been evaluated to jump at a horsemaster level of 3, 4, or 5.

Western Dressage/Classical Dressage 3/4/5: This class builds on the theory and knowledge needed to complete the Western Dressage Association of America (WDAA) tests or United States Dressage Federation (USDF) tests. Riders may choose which discipline they would like to participate in. This class is geared to those who would like to explore the world of dressage and possibly compete in Dressage at the Allegan Fair or MIHA Equestrian Teams.

Western Performance 3/4/5: This class strives to improve a horse and rider's control, athleticism and balance. Participants will practice various riding exercises and patterns (determined by the instructor and students) including but not limited to horsemanship, western riding, and reining. Participants will work on better hand and body position, developing a fully independent seat and hands and smooth transitions between all gaits.

Ranch Riding 3/4/5: This class will focus on teaching beginning reining and ranch riding skills. Participants will practice precise patterns of circles, spins, and stops. May also include roping and sorting on and off horseback. Activities in this class are up to the instructor and may vary in order to maintain safety

Vaulting: This class is open to all participants. No horse is required. Vaulting is best described as gymnastics on and off of a horse in motion. Participants will practice vaulting and maneuvers on a stationary barrel apparatus and take turns doing the same maneuvers onto and off of a horse being longed.

Driving: This class is for level 1 and higher. Participants in this class must provide their own **safe** driving animal and cart. This class will focus on improving driving safety and techniques. Participants may encounter patterns, obstacles and other more advanced driving challenges. **All Driving participants must have available a header of at least fourteen years of age.**

In Hand Trail and groundwork 1-5: In this class participants will work to teach their horse/pony to maneuver obstacles while being lead. Participants will work one on one with their horse to teach ground control. The same obstacles that are commonly seen in regular trail classes will be used. We will focus on respect, attention, spacial understanding, scoring and fluidity on the course. These lessons will translate to a more willing partner in the saddle or harness. Ponies and minis are encouraged to participate.



New! Arena E Round Pen Posse Barn C D Δ R Office

Friday, July 22 to Wednesday, July 27

Class Schedule 2022

*Classes and instructors are subject to change

Session 1 8:00-9:30am A) Western 1 (Vali Virgo Caperton) C) Western 3 (Tara Beilby)

Session 2 10:00-11:30 A)English 1 (Kayla Jager-Smith) C) Western 2 (Vali Virgo Caperton)

Session 3 12:00-1:30pm

C) Intro to cross country 3/4/5 (Tracy Fox) D) Trail 3 (Kerisa Desimone) Posse Barn)Vaulting (Grace Peterson)

Session 4 2:00-3:30pm A) Cloverbuds 5-7 yr olds (Shannan Dorman) 2-2:45 under saddle 2:45-3:30 activity C) Driving (Kim Lerch)

Session 5 4:00-5:30pm A) English 3/4/5 (Kim Lerch)

C) Ranch riding 3/4/5 (Nora Balgoyen)

Session 6 6:00-7:30 A) Gymkhana 4/5 (full arena) (Tara Beilby)

C) Gymkhana 2/3 (full arena) (Emma Holden)

Session 7 8:00-9:30 (Friday-Monday Only) A) Seminars/ClassTBD C) Adult class \$10 at the gate

B) English 2 (Shannan Dorman)

D) Jumping 3/4/5 (Tracy Fox)

- B) Western/Classical Dressage 3/4/5 (Kim Lerch) D) Jumping 2 (Tracy Fox)
- - E) In Hand Trail and Groundwork (Kayla Jager-Smith)

B) Gym 1 (Emma Holden)

D)Trail 4/5 (Heather Maurer)

B) Intro to jumping 1 (Tracy Fox) D) Trail 1/2 (Shannan D)

E) Vaulting (Grace Peterson)

B) D)

Allegan 5 Day Clinic Schedule of Events

Friday, July 22, 2022

✓10am-4pm: Arrival!

✓ Choose a campsite and report your campsite # at the registration office.

✓ Settle horse/pony in stall. Make sure stall card is visible.

✓ Check in with Paul and Health Officer at the office.

✓ Stall decorating begins.

✓4pm-4:30pm: Mandatory Clinic Orientation at announcers booth.

✔6pm-7:30: Session 6

- ✔8pm-9:30: Session 7 Adult Class \$10 per person paid at the gate
- ✔8pm Seminar

Saturday, July 23, 2022

- Tack sale begins in posse barn. Bring your items clearly marked with name, phone #, and price to be displayed.
- ✓8pm Adult Class \$10 per person paid at the gate

✔8pm Seminar....

✓8:15pm Trail ride HM levels 4/5

Sunday, July 24, 2022

✓8pm Adult Class \$10 per person paid at the gate

- ✓8pm Ice Cream Social "Potluck Style!" Bring a topping to share! Ice Cream and Cones will be provided. You may bring your own bowl!
- ✔8:15pm Trail ride HM levels 2/3
- ✓Finish stall decorations

Monday, July 25, 2022

- ✓ Voting for stall decorating contest begins in the morning.
- ✓8pm Adult Class \$10 per person paid at the gate
- ✓8pm Seminar
- ✓8:15pm Trail Ride HM levels 2-5.

<u>Tuesday, July 26, 2022</u>

- ✓ Voting for the Jamie Reurink Smilely award begins
- ✓Evaluations available online
- ✓6pm-Timers will be set up for Gymkhana runs for session 6
- ✔8pm-Talent show, vaulting, and awards ceremony .
- ✓ Shaving cream fight after awards ceremony. Bring goggles!!!

<u>Wednesday, July 27, 2022</u>-Clinic ends after Session 5-*Good Bye 'till we see you in 2023!* At the end of your LAST CLASS (Tues. or Wed.)

- * Clean horse/pony's stall. Nothing can be left in or on the stall walls.
- * Check out with a Barn Manager.
- * Check out with the Health Officer.

2022 Allegan County 4-H Five Day Horse Clinic Registration Form

Use only if Online Registration is not possible

Participant's Name:					Age as	of Jan	1, 20	22	
Address:					City:				
County:	Zip code:		Hor	se/Pon	y's Name:				
Parent/Guardian					Phone	#			
4-H Member:(circle one) Yes	or No If Yes, 4-H Hor	se Club:							
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Extra T-Shirts \$15 each. Yth.	S Yth M Yth .I	.SM	L XL	XXL					
Horsemaster Level	_Evaluated by:				on (mor	nth/year)		
Sessions 1-6 (90minutes class Choice 1 Choice 2 Choice 3	· · ·				·				
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2. Camping \$25/night. # of nig									
3. Camping Thursday July 21s	•						_		
4. If registering after July 12th									
5. Extra T shirts \$15 each		••••••	•••••	•••••	••••••	То	tal \$_		
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Mail checks to: Mandi Niels payment or email to allegan	on; 3199 5 th St.; Wayl		18. Inclu	ude any	v earned inc	centives	s with	ı your	
Consent Statement: I give Clinic at the Allegan County regulations.	Fairgrounds. My child	and I also a	agree to	abide l	oy all 4-H a	nd clini	c rule	es and	b
I give my permission for my	child to stay overhight	with the follo	owing 4	-H Lead	ber:				
Participant's Signature	Par	ent/Guardia	n's Sign	ature					
Phone#	Email:								
Please make sure vour medi	a release and medical t	reatment aut	horizati	on is u	o to date on	4-H On	line -	- The	office

Please make sure your media release and medical treatment authorization is up to date on 4-H Online – The office will print these forms for you.

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2022 5-DAY HORSE CLINIC CAMPING AGREEMENT FORM

(This form to be completed by parents/guardians)

I(WE) AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING TERMS IN ORDER TO CAMP AT THE ALLEGAN COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS DURING 5-DAY HORSE CLINC:

- 1. Overnight camping at the Allegan County Fairgrounds during the 4-H Five-Day Horse Clinic is available for participant families and club leaders on a first come first serve basis. Parents wanting to have their children stay with an unrelated adult at campgrounds must give written permission below.
- 2. The fee for camping will be \$25.00 per night per campsite. Fee includes electric and water hookup. **Camping fees are due with registration**.
- Campers must be brought in AFTER10am FRIDAY MORNING and must be removed from the campgrounds at the end of clinic on Wednesday, Aug. 4th. Please no horse trailers in camping sites unless camping in said trailer.
- 4. Youth may camp at the fairgrounds only with their parent(s), legal guardian(s) or club leader. That adult assumes full responsibility during overnight stays and other times the youth is not involved in clinic activities. A signed permission form is required if a 4H Chaperone (VSP screened) is responsible for the attending youth. NOTE: If your child is not staying with a parent or legal guardian it is the parents responsibility to make sure their child is staying with a 4H Chaperone (VSP screened) AND one other youth.
- 5. The Allegan County 4-H program, 4-H Horse Leaders Association, 4-H Five Day Horse Clinic and the Allegan County Fair will not be responsible for loss or damage of horses, tack, feed or vehicles.
- 6. No camp fires of any kind are allowed. However, grills may be used for cooking.
- 7. Due to past problems there will be no dogs or bikes allowed at clinic.
- 8. Youth are to stay away from barns from 10:30pm until 6:30am unless authorized by a Barn Manager or there is an emergency. Quiet time begins at 11:00pm Please be considerate of other campers that need to sleep prior to 11:00pm.
- 9. Horses are not allowed in the camping area.
- 10. Anyone not following rules and/or caught in the act of theft, vandalism, possession of drugs or alcohol, shall immediately be told to leave the fairgrounds or if the offense warrants it, the offender may be turned over to the proper authorities. No refund will be given.
- 11. No dogs or bikes.

Special note: Those camping at the July 21st speed show may pay for Thursday night along with their 5 day registration. Any camper on the grounds on Thursday night will be charged \$25.

Name of Participating Youth _____

My child will be camping with a parent/legal guardian or related adult? YES or NO OR My Child will be camping with a 4H Chaperone (VSP screened)? YES or NO
If Yes, Name of 4H leader?
Name of other youth staying with 4H leader?
Total nights= X \$25.00 =Total Amount for camping

Parent/legal guardian signature

ALLEGAN COUNTY 4-H HORSEMASTER LEVEL ONE MOUNTED SKILLS EVALUATION

(Choice of Seat Optional)

Scoring System – 75% passing (with a minimum of 5 on each movement)

*1-3 Unsafe – difficulty maintaining control

*3-5 Attempt to perform movement, but below requirements (example: lead uncorrected)

*5-8 Movement performed with errors, but corrected (example: leads, diagonals)

*8-10 Movement performed correctly to exceptionally well

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Lead your horse or pony to evaluator, perform tack check	10	
Mount your horse or pony (may be assisted)	10	
Walk on rail	10	
Circle at a walk	10	
Trot/jog balancing two-point posisiton	10	
Halt from a walk (pausing for 10 seconds)	10	
Trot on rail	10	
Two point at a trot	10	
Circle at a trot	10	
Halt from a trot	10	
Back 4 steps	10	
Reverse on the haunches (pivot 180 degree turn)	10	

Additional Scoring

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Possible Score....160 Total

General comments of overall ride:_____

Evaluator's Signature

ALLEGAN COUNTY 4-H HORSEMASTER LEVEL TWO MOUNTED SKILLS EVALUATION

(Choice of seat optional)

Scoring System – 75% passing (with a minimum of 5 on each movement)

*1-3 Unsafe – difficulty maintaining control

*3-5 Attempt to perform movement, but below requirements (example: lead uncorrected)

*5-8 Movement performed with errors, but corrected (example: leads, diagonals)

*8-10 Movements performed correctly to exceptionally well

	Possible Score	Actual Score
Lead your horse or pony to evaluator, perform tack check	10	
Mount your horse or pony (may be assisted) Walk along rail	10	
Trot/jog along rail	10	
Circle at a trot/jog	10	
Trot/jog balancing two-point position	10	
Halt from a trot/jog (pausing for 10 seconds)	10	
Lope/canter left lead	10	
Break to a walk	10	
Reverse on the haunches (180 degree turn) continue to walk	10	
Trot/jog figure eight	10	
Lope/canter right lead	10	
Stop back 5 steps along rail	10	
Weave at a trot through 4 cones	10	
Trot over 4 ground poles	10	

Additional Scoring:

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Subtle use of aids	10	
Submission of horse to rider	10	
Correctness of position	10	
Balance and collection	10	
Overall safety awareness	10	

Possible Score....190....

Total

General comments of overall ride:

LEVEL THREE MOUNTED SKILLS EVALUATION (Choice of seat is optional)

Scoring System – 75% passing (with a minimum of 5 on each movement)

- * 1-3 Unsafe difficulty maintaining control
- * 3-5 Attempt to perform movement, but below requirements (example: lead corrected)
- * 5-8 Movement performed with errors, but corrected (example: leads, diagonals)
- * 8-10 Movements performed correctly to exceptionally well

	Possible Score	Actual Score
Lead your horse or pony to evaluator, perform tack check and explain purpose and proper fit.	10	
Mount your horse or pony (may be assisted) walk along rail	10	
Circle at a trot	10	
Canter left lead down center of ring	10	
Halt, pause 10 seconds	10	
Reverse at the canter, performing a simple lead change (flying lead change acceptable).	10	
Canter right lead, break to trot	10	
Reverse on the haunches (180 degree turn)	10	
Reverse on the forehand (180 degree turn)	10	
Sidepass either way along the rail	10	
Trot over 4 ground polls	10	
Back through 3 cones	10	
Perform English/Western riding pattern at a trot	10	
Ground Tie	10	
Additional Scoring:		
Subtle use of aids	10	
Submission of horse to rider	10	
Correctness of position	10	
Balance and collection	10	
Overall safety awareness	10	
General comments of overall ride:	Possible Score190	Total
Bareback approved on this horse? YI	ES or NO	
Evaluator's Signature	Date	

LEVEL FOUR MOUNTED SKILLS EVALUATION (Choice of seat is optional)

Scoring System – 75% passing (with a minimum of 5 on each movement)

- * 1-3 Unsafe- difficulty maintaining control
- * 3-5 Attempt to perform movement, but below requirements (example: lead uncorrected)
- * 5-8 Movement performed with errors, but corrected (example: leads, diagonals)
- * 8-10 Movements performed correctly to exceptionally well

	Possible Score	Actual Score
Lead your horse or pony to evaluator, perform tack check and explain purpose and proper fit.	10	
Mount your horse or pony (may be assisted) walk along rail	10	
Trot/jog along rail	10	
Extend trot/jog	10	
Lope/canter left lead down center of ring stop halfway right lead change to rail.	10	
Reverse at the canter perform a flying lead change	10	
From a canter break to a trot/jog	10	
Perform a posting trot with changes of diagonals through a serpentine	10	
Ride Western/English riding patterns (simple or flying lead changes)	10	
Ride over a bridge	10	
Back horse or pony through a simple and short pattern (L, three cones etc.)	10	
Side pass both directions	10	

Additional Scoring:

Subtle use of aids	10	
Submission of horse to rider	10	
Correctness of position	10	
Balance and collection	10	
Overall safety awareness	10	

Possible Score....170

Total_____

General comments of overall ride:

Bareback approved on this horse? YES or NC	C
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Evaluator's Signature_____

LEVEL FIVE MOUNTED SKILLS EVALUATION (Choice of seat is optional)

Scoring System - 75% passing (with a minimum of 5 on each movement)

- * 1-3 Unsafe- difficulty maintaining control
- * 3-5 Attempt to perform movements, but below requirements (example: lead uncorrected)
- * 5-8 Movement performed with errors, but corrected (examples: leads, diagonals)
- * 8-10 Movements performed correctly to exceptionally well

	Possible Score	Actual Score
Lead your horse to evaluator, do a tack check, explain purpose and proper fit. Mount and trot/jog along rail	10	
Lope/canter left lead	10	
Hand gallop left lead	10	
Reverse at a canter perform flying lead changes to the right	10	
Break to a trot/jog	10	
Perform a figure eight at the trot	10	
Perform a figure eight at lope/ canter	10	
Ride Western/English riding pattern (flying lead changes)	10	
Leg yield trotting (two tracking)	10	
Counter canter	10	
Turn on forehand (360 degrees both directions)	10	
Turn on haunches (360 degrees both directions)	10	
Open and close a gate mounted	10	
Sidepass both directions	10	
Additional Scoring:		
Subtle use of aids	10	
Correctness of position	10	
Balance and collection	10	
Overall safety awareness	10	
	Possible Score200	Total

General comments of overall ride:_____

Bareback approved on this horse? YES or NO

Evaluator's Signature

Date

Gymkhana Division A Mounted Skills Evaluation

In addition to completing the Horsemaster Level Two Mounted Skills Evaluation, the rider should be able to demonstrate the following:

- Yes / No Is the rider familiar with the 4-H Gymkhana rules and patterns?
- Yes / No Is the rider able to control the horse at a walk/trot/lope and stop?
- Yes / No Does the rider strive for a balanced position?

Yes / No Is the rider able to trot and canter a circle(s) and stop without excessive force?

General Comments of overall ride (may make suggestions for improvement)_

Evaluator's Signature

Date

Gymkhana Division B Mounted Skills Evaluation

In addition to completing the Horsemaster Level Four Mounted Skills Evaluation, the rider should be able to demonstrate the following:

- Yes / No Can a rider run a pattern without breaking gait?
- Yes / No Does a rider know their correct leads?
- Yes / No Can the rider perform a figure 8 at the lope with simple or flying lead changes?
- Yes / No Can the rider maintain a balanced seat throughout the pattern?

General Comments of overall ride (may make suggestions for improvement)

Evaluator's Signature

Date

This form is coming soon!

Allegan County 4H Horse Program Driving Evaluation

**Form is to be completed by an approved driving evaluator. New evaluations are required if 4-H Member is changing driving animal. Please email finished evaluation to Rachel Higgins at <u>rrhiggins2014@gmail.com</u> and your 4H leader. If registering for a 5 Day driving class please email a copy to <u>allegan5day@gmail.com</u> too.

-H Club:	
orse/Pony's Name	
Qualified to drive	Not Capable at this time.
Driving equipment/tack is safe and suitable	Driving equipment/tack is NOT safe and or suitable.
eplacements necessary are:	

I have tested or observed the above named 4-H Member and Horse/Pony and found both qualified to drive in a safe and capable manner.

Evaluator's Name

Date

See you soon!!!!

July 22, 2022 to July 27, 2022



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