

Ingham County 4-H Horse Project Awards

Outstanding 4-H Horse Member Award

Requirements to	Applicant must be a 4-H Horse or Cloverbud project member in	
apply	good standing for at least one project year.	
Number of awards	Up to five, top score in each category.	
given		
Application process	Compete the Outstanding Horse Member application form and	
	submit to the 4-H office by the County Awards application	
	deadline. Top scores determined by point system.	
Type of award	The Ingham County 4-H Horse Committee will present an award to	
	the top scores in 5 categories.	

Golden Feedbag Award

Requirements to apply	An individual or group who demonstrates outstanding dedication
	to the 4-H Horse Program.
Number of awards	One recipient (may only win this award one time).
given	
Application process Nomination narrations are accepted at the 4-H office by	
	County Awards application deadline. Marked ballots are due at
	the Nov/Dec Horse Committee (one vote per Club).
Type of award	A plaque and name added to the plaque in the 4-H office.

Jr Golden Feedbag Award

Requirements to apply	Ingham County 4-H horse member ages 13-19 who demonstrates outstanding service to the 4-H Horse Program.
Number of awards	One recipient (may only win this award one time).
given	
Application process	Nomination narrations are accepted at the 4-H office by the
	County Awards application deadline. Marked ballots are due at
	the Nov/Dec Horse Committee (one vote per Club).
Type of award	A plaque and name added to the plaque in the 4-H office.

Senior Ceremony

Requirements to apply	4-H members in the horse project who are graduating seniors.	
Number of awards	All 4-H horse project members who are graduating seniors.	
given		
Application process	The high school graduates write a short story, in 3 rd person,	
	sharing their 4-H career and goals for the future. This story must	
	be typed and submitted in advance of the recognition event.	
Type of award	The graduating seniors are honored in a riding ceremony on the 1st	
	Sunday of the Fair, in the 4-H south arena.	

GOLDEN FEEDBAG AWARD

Nominations due by the County Awards deadline

This award, sponsored by Horse Committee, is given to a group or individual who demonstrates "Outstanding dedication to the Ingham County 4-H Horse Program". Nominations are accepted at the 4-H office by the County Awards application deadline. Leaders will receive ballots at the October/November Horse Committee (one vote per club); marked ballots to be returned to the 4-H office by the November/December Horse Committee meeting. The recipient(s) is presented with a plaque at the 4-H Council Banquet, and permanent plaque is displayed in the 4-H office.

Committee meeting. The recipient(s) is presented with a plaque at the 4-H Council Banquet, and permanent plaque is displayed in the 4-H office.
The nominees are honored and the recipient announced at the annual 4-H Awards Banquet.
My nomination for the Golden Feedbag Award is
I feel they deserve this award because:
Submitted by:

Phone #

Name

JUNIOR GOLDEN FEEDBAG AWARD

Nominations due by the County Awards deadline

Each year, recognition is given to a member, ages 13-19, who "Demonstrates outstanding service to the Ingham County 4-H Horse program".

I feel	deserves the Junior Golden
Feedbag Award because	

Phone #

Name



Ingham County



Outstanding 4-H Horse Member Award

THIS AWARD IS INTENDED TO PROMOTE PARTICIPATION IN ALL ASPECTS OF 4-H, AT CLUB, COUNTY AND STATE LEVELS WITH RECOGNITION GIVEN TO COMMUNITY SERVICE, LEADERSHIP, PROMOTING 4-H, RECORDKEEPING AND OVERALL 4-H PARTICIPATION, AS WELL AS PARTICIPATION IN THE 4-H HORSE PROGRAM.

The Ingham County 4-H Horse Committee will present an award to the top scoring project member in each of the following categories:

Cloverbud 4-H Horse member	4-H Ages 5-7
1 year 4-H horse project	4-H Ages 8-19
2-3 years 4-H horse project	4-H Ages 9-19
4-6 years 4-H horse project	4-H Ages 11-19
> 7+ years 4-H horse project	4-H Ages 15-19

Applicant must be a Cloverbud and/or 4-H Horse Project member in good standing for at least one project year (September through August of the year the award is applied for) and 5 - 19 years old (4-H age).

- The current project year is considered from September through August.
- Categories are cumulative unless otherwise indicated-count all activities that are described for all years that the member has been in 4-H.
- Points in every category are not required.
- This form must be reviewed and signed by the Horse project leader.
- 4-H'ers may win this award once in each category.

Members apply for this award by completing this form and turning it into the 4-H office in the fall. This will be based on the County Award forms deadline.

Interviews may be given if the point spread is five or less among high point individuals or at the discretion of the selection committee.



Ingham County 4-H Outstanding Member Horse Award Application

Name	:		
Addre	ess:		
Phone	e:	Club:	
Birthdate:Age as of January 1, current year:			nt year:
Years	as Cloverbud:	Years in 4-H Horse Project:	Years in 4-H:
Which	n Award are you app	lying for?	
	Cloverbud 4-H Ho	rse member, ages 5-7	
	1 year 4-H horse p	roject, ages 8-19	
	2-3 years 4-H hors	e project, ages 9-19	
	4-6 years 4-H hors	e project, ages 11-19	
	7+ vears 4-H horse	e project, ages 15-19	

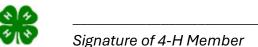
QUESTIONS	ANSWER	Points Per Year or Project	Total Points
What percentage of horse project club meetings did you attend this	Percentage		
4-H year? How many horse project club meetings did your club have this 4-H year? CLUB YOU Business meetings: Riding meetings: Special club events:		25-49%-10pts 50-74%-25pts 75-89%-35pts 90-100%-50pts	
TOTAL And Total A	Club Officer # of years	5 points per every year.	
3. How many monthly County Horse Committee meetings have you attended this project year?	# HC meetings	5 points per meeting.	
4. How many years have you used the 4-H Member Personal Record Book? (must be brought to an interview if required)	Years record book	10 points per year	

QUESTION		ANSWER	Points Per	Total
_	Have many consists to the constant	# of years	Year or Project	Points
5.	How many years have you participated in the Cloverbud	" of yours	5 points per	
	•		year.	
	Horse or 4-H Horse project at the Ingham Co. Fair?			
	(Note: you do not have to show a horse to			
	qualify for points in the category, if you went to			
	the fair and participated in the 4-H horse project by doing barn duty, working gates, etc.,			
	you may include that here.			
6.	List the years that you have	Years of Camp	2 points per	
	participated as a rider or helper at		year	
	the Ingham Co. 4-H Horse Camp.			
7.	List the years that you have shown	Years at Leaders Show	2 points per	
	or worked at the Ingham Co. 4-H		year	
	Leaders Show.			
8.	List the years that you have	Years at 4-H food booth	2 points per	
	worked at the 4-H food booth		year	
	during the Fair.			
9.	List the years that you have	Years Award Banquet	2 points per	
	volunteered at the 4-H Awards		year	
	Banquet.			
10	. How many years have you	Judging Team:	5 points per	
	completed a county-level related	Skill-a-thon:	year	
	project such as horse judging,	Other:		
	skill-a-thon, etc?	Other:		
11	. How many times have you given a	List of activities, when & where	2 points each,	
	speech demonstration or other		max 30 points	
	presentation or written a paper			
	(composition, theme or term paper)			
	that was related to your 4-H horse			
	project (for example, club and/or Fair			
	demonstrations, speaking school or other service club, etc.)?			
12	. List your involvement in any	List of activities, when & where	5 points each,	
	community service programs like:		max 50 points	
	Proud Equestrian Program (PEP), 4-H			
	club community service projects (TSC			
	paper clovers, etc.), Church service			
	groups, charity organizations etc.			
	Briefly describe what you have			
	done:			

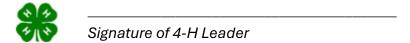
QUESTION	ANSWER	Points Per Year or Project	Total Points
13. List state level 4-H events related	Provide the Year/Activity or event and your role:	5 points each	
to your 4-H horse project that you			
have participated in (for example:			
State Show as a helper or delegate,			
State 4-H Trail ride, Exploration Days.)			
14. List national level events, related	List event and role:	5 points each	
to your 4-H Horse project, that you			
have qualified for and or			
participated in (for example, Horse			
Judging Nationals, hippology, etc)			
15. List your participation in any other	Year Activity	2 points each,	
(non 4-H) horse related		max 30 points	
educational /promotional			
activities, not including exhibiting			
(for example, MIHA, breed clinics, MI			
Horse Expo, seminars, equine classes,			
parades, working breed shows, contests)	List year and award:	E mainte man	
16. Have you ever submitted a County	List your and award.	5 points per	
medal, Head and Heart or State		award per year	
award nomination application in		submitted	
any 4-H project areas?			

Remember to attach extra pages as needed.

Member's Statement: I have filled out my application and believe it to be correct.



Leader's Statement: I have reviewed this member's application and believe it to be correct to the best of my knowledge. I would recommend this member for the Ingham County Outstanding Horse Member Award:



This application must be submitted to the 4-H office by the designated County Award deadline.