

OAKLAND COUNTY 4-H YOUTH DEVELOPMENT
Four Day Instructional Horse Camp

June 19 – June 22, 2023



Name _____ Email _____

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Street _____ City _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Emergency Phone _____ Age as of 1/1/23 _____

Enrolled in 4-H? _____ 4-H Club Name (if applicable) _____

Parents must volunteer at least 3 hours during camp and are required to complete the 4-H Volunteer Selection Process. Days and times available to volunteer:

Please circle type of snack can bring to camp: **Fruit** **Veggie** **Snack** **Dessert**

Campers will attend 4 classes per day. **Please select your 3 preferred tracks (first choice-1, second choice-2 and third choice-3) below.** All efforts will be made to accommodate track choice.

- Track 1: _____ Centered Riding, English, F/S, Western
Track 2: _____ Bareback, F/S, Ranch Riding, Trail
Track 3: _____ Dressage, English, Jumping, Trail
Track 4: _____ Bareback, Western, Eng/West Pattern, Gymkhana
Track 5: _____ Gymkhana, Ranch Riding, Trail, Eng/West Pattern
Track 6: _____ In-Hand Jumping, In-Hand Trail, In-Hand Games, F/S (mini horse)

Complimentary adult size t-shirt for each youth camper will be provided. Please circle size:

S M L XL

To purchase **additional** t-shirts (\$15) OR hoodies (\$30) please indicate quantity & size below and include additional payment with registration: _____S _____M _____L _____XL

Requirements/Information

- 1) All campers must be 4-H age 9-19 and enrolled in 4-H by 6/1 at <https://v2.4honline.com/>
- 2) \$225 registration includes breakfast, lunch, and dinner. Camping is not included. **See separate registration form for overnight camping at Springfield Oaks County Park.**
- 3) **Mandatory meeting Sunday, 6/18 at 9pm in Springfield Oaks Activity Center.**
- 4) Must provide project horse (with proof of negative Coggins test), feed, bedding, & appropriate tack.
- 5) Campers must wear appropriate riding clothing, boots and SEI helmet when riding.
- 6) **Refunds will only be issued if request is received prior to 6/9.**
- 7) Bottled water and snacks will be provided each day for all participants

Camper Signature _____ Date _____

Parent's signature _____ Date _____

Forms and payment payable to Oakland County 4-H Horse Camp must be mailed by 5/15 to:

Debbie Morgan, MSU Tollgate Farm, 28115 Meadowbrook Rd., Novi, MI 48377

Email morga194@msu.edu for more information.

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2023 Oakland County 4-H Horse Camp Rules and Safety Guidelines

1. No flip flops, slippers or sandals in the barn – adults included!!
2. A negative Coggins test is required for all horses brought to camp.
3. No dogs in the barn. Dogs must be on leash at a safe distance from horses at all times!
4. Do not **ride** horses on the blacktop.
5. No cell phone usage while riding. PLEASE limit use of cell phone during activities.
6. No horses on the concrete aisle in the barn. Exit at end of aisleway.
7. Lead your horse to and from all classes.
8. ASTM/SEI approved headgear must be worn when riding at all times.
9. No bareback (except in Bareback Class), racing, or riding double.
10. Never walk directly behind any horse. Keep a safe distance!
11. No stall guards on stall doors. No hay nets in stalls.
12. All horses should be fed at least half hour prior to classes.
13. Water must be kept in the stalls at all times. Two buckets are recommended.
14. Stalls must be kept clean. Bring appropriate cleaning equipment (pitchfork & muck bucket).
15. **Stalls must be cleaned and checked before leaving on Thursday.**
16. Be respectful and follow instructions given by your instructor(s).
17. Be a good sport, courteous and respectful to fellow campers and all adults.
18. Any problems or concerns contact a 4-H staff, camp director or any adult.
19. No smoking, alcoholic beverages or unprescribed drugs allowed on premises.
20. All 4-H rules apply at horse camp. Campers offending these rules will be asked to leave camp immediately!
21. Please do not bring valuable items to camp. 4-H will not be responsible for lost or stolen items.
22. Visitors (outside of parents, grandparents or guardians) are not allowed at camp.

Camper's Signature/Date

Parent Signature/Date

Home Phone Number

Emergency Phone Number

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Equine Release, Waiver, and Indemnification

The undersigned participant, and his or her parent or legal guardian if the participant is under the age of 18 years, does/do hereby execute this release, waiver, and indemnification for himself or herself/themselves and his or her/their heirs, successors, representatives, and assigns and, thereby, agree(s) and represents as follows:

To release Oakland County, its members, employees, agents, representatives, subsidiary corporations, and those governmental agencies and other organizations affiliated with this activity from any and all liability, loss, damage, costs, claims, and/or causes of action, including but not limited to all bodily injuries and property damage arising out of participation in the activity, it being specifically understood that said activity includes the handling of equine by the undersigned participant. The undersigned person(s) further agree(s) to indemnify Oakland County, its employees, members, agents, representatives, and those governmental agencies and other organizations affiliated with this project, and hold them harmless for any liability, loss, damage, cost, claim judgment, or settlement which may be brought or entered against them as a result of the undersigned person's participation in said activity. A participant means an individual, whether amateur or professional, engaged in an equine activity, whether or not a fee is paid to participate.

If involved in equine activities pursuant to MCL 691.1661 seq. the undersigned(s) participant(s) execute(s) this waiver of the undersigned(s) rights to sue and agree(s) to assume all risks resulting from the "inherent risk of an equine activity". "Inherent risk of an equine activity" is defined as a danger or condition that is an integral part of an equine activity, including but not limited to any of the following: (i) An equine's propensity to behave in ways that may result in injury, harm, or death to a person on or around it; (ii) the unpredictability of an equine's reaction to things such as sounds, sudden movement, and people other animals or unfamiliar objects; (iii) A hazard such as a surface or subsurface condition; (iv) colliding with another equipment or object.

This waiver shall remain valid unless expressly revoked by the participant or Parent or guardian of a minor. The revocation shall be in writing which shall be delivered to Oakland County and shall become effective thirty (30) days after delivery to the provider.

In the case of school-, college-, and university-sponsored classes and programs, waivers executed by a participant or parent or guardian of a participant shall apply to all equine activities in which the participant is involved in the next succeeding twelve (12) month period unless earlier expressly revoked in writing. The revocation shall become effective thirty (30) days after it is delivered to the provider.

The undersigned(s) should maintain all medical and health insurance needed to cover all risks of any kind in any place in livestock, equine, and/or other activities.

I, the undersigned participant, will wear and use, in accordance with established Oakland County policy and procedure, all safety equipment and to ensure equipment is in good condition at all times.

Printed Name of Participant

Printed Name of Parent or Guardian

Signature of Participant

Signature of Parent or Guardian if participant
is under age 18 yrs.

Date

**Springfield Oaks County Park
Camping Registration**

Date(s) campsite needed: _____

Adult contact for campsite: _____

Type of camper and length _____

Campsites will be first come first serve on Sunday after 12pm. See attached map for reference. Thanks!

Office Use Only:

Campsite #: _____ **Payment Information (amount & check #):** _____

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ENTRANCE

Trailer Parking

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Andersonville Rd

Camp Sites 1-18

Camp Sites 63-68

Camp Sites 37-45

Camp Sites 46-56

Camp Sites 69-73

Camp Sites 57-62

LOWER ARENA

PRACTICE ARENA

RESTROOMS

ANNOUNCER
BOOTH

BLEACHERS

HORSE PAVILION

HORSE BARN

UPPER ARENA

MANURE DUMP

ACTIVITY CENTER

LEGEND



Car/Truck Parking only
NO TRAILERS



Registration Office



Restrooms



Activity Center



Camping Sites



Trailer Parking/Car Parking



Horse Barn



Arena

SPRINGFIELD OAKS COUNTY PARK EQUESTRIAN AREA

12451 Andersonville Road
Davisburg, MI 48350