

Alleghany's Happy Trails 4-H Horse Camp 2013

The Alleghany 4-H Horse Camp will be held August 6-9th, 2013 at the Alleghany County Fairgrounds located in Sparta.

Campers will enjoy improving their horsemanship skills while having fun with other 4-H'ers. Special activities include speakers, clinicians, and trail ride, training, and other traditional camp activities. The nonrefundable camp fee is \$100.00 per camper. This fee and all forms are due by July 21st to reserve slot. Camper spaces are limited and will be filled based on the following application.

Attendance for camp is open to youth that are certified North Carolina 4-H members and have access to a sound horse. The camper must supply his/her own horse, equipment, feed and transportation to and from the camp. Each camper will be solely responsible for the care and feeding of his/her mount. Camp leaders will supervise camper's duties daily.

If accepted, campers must bring a horse that is free of disease and in good health. **Horses are required to have a current negative Coggins test. No exceptions will be made!** Horses exhibiting lameness or behavior problems will be sent home. Camper will be allowed to exchange horses or continue to stay without a horse.

There are openings for Junior Leaders that are registered 4-H'ers. They must be 16- 19 years old. Junior Leaders will be assisting the group with camp activities, duties, fixing meals and helping with Cloverbuds. Junior leaders will be considered a camper and will be responsible for forms, etc. Junior leaders will not be charged.

Timeline for Camp:

Application due by July 21st

Applicants will be notified of acceptance by July 28th

Entire Camp Fee and forms are due by July 31st

Camp begins August 6th

Please mail completed application to:

Donna Hash

9747 Hwy 113

Piney Creek, NC 28663

Required Forms:

4-H Enrollment Form

4-H Medical Information and Informed Consent for Treatment

NC 4-H Camps Consent Form

NC Dept. of 4-H Youth Dev. Health History and Custody Release

NC 4-H and Alleghany Co 4-H Photographic, Video & Audio Optional Publicity Release

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Application Form

(Please print clearly. Fill out a separate form for each camper)

I am applying as

_____ a Camper with Horse

_____ a Junior Leader

_____ a Cloverbud

1. Camper's Name: _____

Age: _____ DOB _____ Gender: _____

Address: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____

Home Phone #: _____ Work Phone #: _____

Are you currently a 4-H Member? _____

T-shirt Size _____

Continue if Attending with a Horse

2. Is your horse's health and condition suitable to complete a rigorous week of camp? Yes _____

No _____

3. How long have you been riding the horse you are bringing to the camp? _____

4. What clinics would you like offered at camp? What activities would you like offered at camp?

5. Have you had any previous riding instruction? Yes _____ No _____ Explain.

6. Fill out this information about your horse: Sex: _____ Age _____ Breed _____
Name _____

7. How experienced is your horse? Not very, not been off the farm, very much experienced, has traveled a lot, etc Explain

8. What type of riding do you mostly do? Check all that apply. Western _____ English _____
Showing _____ Trail Riding _____ Rodeo _____ Other, explain _____

9. What type of behavior problems does your horse have? Check all that apply. Biting _____
Kicking _____ Setting Back _____ Standing Still _____ Leading _____ Shying _____
Rearing _____ Bucking _____

Backing _____ Loading _____

Other, explain _____

10. Describe your personality and your horse's personality.

11. What would you hope to gain or accomplish at this camp?

12. What apprehensions, worries to you have about attending camp?

13. If chosen to be a camper will you need financial help in paying the fee? _____

14. Will a guardian be attending the camp with you? If yes, explain?

15. Do they wish to bring a horse if stalls are available?

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____