Mat-Su Copper River 4-H District Horse Council
Meeting Agenda
12/5/2024

I. Call Meeting to order
II. Pledges
III. Roll Call for minutes
IV. Amend/adopt agenda
V. Announcements
VI. Persons to be heard (Must sign up on the sheet before the meeting and is limited to 2 minutes)
VII. Secretary Report
VIII. Treasure Report
IX. Agent Report
X. Club Reports
XI. Unfinished Business
    A. Colony Christmas Parade
        1. When to decorate?
        2. Where to meet?
        3. Have reminder sent out by Samantha
    B. Western Dressage Clinics
        1. Remind Club members to sign up with Signup Genius
XII. New Business
    A. Equine Science Class
        1. Tuesdays 4:30-6:00 (CHS Library)
        2. Class Topic/Instructor
            a) January 7, Stephanie Haase/Introduction to Horse Contest
            b) January 14
            c) January 21, Sarah R/Genetics and Reproduction
            d) January 28
            e) February 4
            f) February 11, Sarah R/Parasites
            g) February 18
    B. District Horse Contest
        1. Where do we want to hold it
            a) Horse Judging/ Silver Legacy
            b) Other parts at CES office or CMS?
        2. Need People to be in charge of….
            a) Public Speaking/Demonstration
                - Secure Judges
            b) Hippology (Sarah R.)

c) Horse Judging
    - Confirm with Debbie to rent and have riders
    - Secure Judging Judge
    - Secure Judges for Oral Reasons
d) Quiz Bowl
e) Awards Dinner
    - Head up food
    - Order cake
    - Order Awards: Sarah R.
        (a)Vote on awards $$ to spend

When do we hold January's Meeting? Sonna and Sarah will be with kids at Nationals on our normal night.

XIII. Comments/questions
XIV. Adjourn

Last year's schedule/registration with dates changed for 2025.....

Mat-Su Copper River 4-H Horse Program

2025 4-H Youth District Horse Competition

February 28th-March 2nd, 2025

2025 4-H Youth District Horse Competition
Equine Science Class Schedule

January 7th: Introduction to all parts of Horse Contest

January 14th:

January 21th: Genetics and Reproduction

January 28st:

February 4th:

February 11th: Parasites

February 18st:

When I Compete...

- I have a performance goal...never a "to only beat someone else" goal.
- I respect and learn from other competitors more skilled than myself.

- I don't criticize other competitors, officials, or judges.
- I will do my best.
- I have fun!

2025 4-H Youth District Horse Competition

Schedule of Events

Friday February 28, 2025

Judging Competition at Aurora Indoor Arena (780 N. Luke St. Wasilla)

5:45-6:00 Check-In & Orientation
6:00-6:45 Confirmation and Performance Judging
6:45-7:15 Preparing Oral Reasoning
7:15-8:00 Oral Reasoning

Saturday March 1, 2025

Public Speaking/Demonstration, Quiz Bowl, & Hippology CES Office

9:00-9:30 Check in
9:30-11:00 Hippology Examination Phase & Station Phase (Seniors)
Demonstration/Public Speaking (Juniors)
11:00-12:00 Team Problem (Juniors & Seniors)
12:00-1:00 Lunch (Provided by Horse Council for participants and judges)
1:00-2:30 Hippology Examination Phase & Station Phase (Juniors)
Demonstration/Public Speaking (Seniors)
2:30-2:45 Break
2:45-5:00 Quiz Bowl
5:00-5:15 Check Out

Sunday March 2, 2025

Dinner and Awards Ceremony at CES Office

6:00-7:30 Dinner and Awards (Soup Bar Potluck for participants and their families. Please bring a pot of soup and a loaf of bread to share. The Horse Council will be providing drinks and dessert.)

Mat-Su Copper River 4-H District Horse Program
Horse Contest 2025 Registration Form

All forms/payments must be be turned into Horse Council by January 21st, 2025

Public Speaking/Demonstration ($20)

Name_____ **Demo / Ill. Talk** or **Public Speaking**
Club_____ Age_____
Team/Ind._____ Team Member_____
Title_____

Hippology ($20)
Examination, Station Phase, Team Problem, Judging Phase

(You can compete as an individual without a team in Examination and Station Phase)

Name_____
Team Members 3-4 per team (if 4 lowest score will be dropped in each phase)
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Judging ($20)

(You can compete as an individual without a team)

Name_____
Division (Please Circle) Junior 8-11 Intermediate 12-14 Senior 15-18
Team Members 3-4 per team (if 4 lowest score will be dropped in each phase)
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Horse Bowl ($20)

(Must be part of a team to compete)

Name_____
Team Members
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_____ (Alternate)