

**MONROE COUNTY 4-H
REQUIREMENTS TO QUALIFY FOR NY STATE FAIR 4-H HORSE SHOW**

In the interest of providing a well-rounded 4-H experience to the members of the 4-H Horse Program and to prepare them for competition, the following requirements should be met by 4-H members hoping to qualify for New York State Fair 4-H Horse Show. As each requirements is fulfilled, the 4-H member is responsible for obtaining the signature of the organizer of each event.

4-H members who would like to qualify for the NY State Fair 4H Horse Show should complete the following requirements.

A. Attend at least 3 horse knowledge practices/workshops/clinics such as Horse Bowl, Hippology or Horse Judging. It is not necessary to compete in the contests. **OR** Complete a public presentation at the county level. **OR** Earn one of the stars in the Five Star Program.

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

B. Participate in at least one fundraiser or promotional event for Cornell Cooperative Extension OR 4-H, such as the TSC Paper Clover Campaign, Barnes & Noble Book Fair, CCE Chicken Barbeque or 4-H candy sale.

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

C. Participate in at least one community service project.

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

D. Re-enrolling members must submit their enrollment forms by December 1 of the project year. New 4-H members must be enrolled by May 1 of the project year.

E. 4-H Project Horse Forms must be submitted on or before May 1 of the project year. _____

F. 4-H members must have a riding evaluation on file in the 4-H office for the level at which they intend to compete. _____

G. 4-H members must attend at least 2 of the qualifying horse shows from the list determined by the Horse Leaders Committee or the 4-H Office and must show in the same division(s) in which they would like to qualify for the NY State 4-H Horse Show. Entering more than 2 shows is strongly recommended. Keep track of your placings at each show and the number of horses and/or ponies in each class. At the end of the show, ask the show secretary to sign your list of placings.

1. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 4. _____

Requirements must be met by 4-H members. It is not acceptable for parents to complete the requirements for the members. The qualifying period runs from October 1 to September 30 (4-H year.)

Please contact the 4-H office with any questions.

4-H MEMBER NAME _____