## **OPPORTUNITIES FOR VERMONT 4-H MEMBERS**

HORSE								
WHAT	WHEN	WHERE	WHEN TO APPLY	HOW TO APPLY	AGE ON JAN. 1	COST TO 4-H MEMBERS	WHERE TO GET APPLICATION	
EASTERN STATES 4-H HORSE SHOW	September	Eastern States Exposition, W. Springfield, MA	Before May 1	Written application	Must have passed their 14 <sup>th</sup> birthday, but not passed their 19 <sup>th</sup> birthday on January 1 of the current year	Transportation to and from the Exposition	Extension Field Office or on the website	
NEW ENGLAND REGIONAL 4-H HORSE CONTESTS	October	Varies between New England states	N/A	Must be a member of either the Vermont 4-H Quiz Bowl , Judging, Hippology, or Communications Teams or B teams in each	Must have passed their 14 <sup>th</sup> birthday, but not passed their 19 <sup>th</sup> birthday on January 1 of the current year	None (fee is included in the fee for the KY trip); B teams \$80	N/A	
EASTERN NATIONAL 4-H HORSE ROUNDUP	First or second week in November	Louisville, Kentucky	N/A	Must be a member of either the Vermont 4-H Quiz Bowl , Judging, Hippology, or Communications Teams	Must have passed their 14 <sup>th</sup> birthday, but not passed their 19 <sup>th</sup> birthday on January 1 of the current year	Approximately \$600	N/A	
VERMONT 4-H HORSE COUNCIL TEEN REPRESENTATIVE	Twice per year in fall and winter	Berlin Extension Office	By September 1	Contact 4-H Educator to let them know that you are interested in being considered to represent your county on the Council	Must have passed their 14 <sup>th</sup> birthday, but not passed their 19 <sup>th</sup> birthday on January 1 of the current year	None	N/A	
STATE 4-H QUIZ BOWL CONTEST	Second Saturday in March	Rotates around state	N/A	N/A, open to all on the day of the contest	Must have passed their 8 <sup>th</sup> birthday, but not passed their 19 <sup>th</sup> birthday on January 1 of the current year	\$5	N/A	
STATE 4-H HIPPOLOGY CONTEST	First Saturday in April	Rotates around state	N/A	N/A, open to all on the day of the contest	Must have passed their 8 <sup>th</sup> birthday, but not passed their 19 <sup>th</sup> birthday on January 1 of the current year	\$5	N/A	
STATE 4-H JUDGING CONTEST	First weekend in May	Rotates around state	N/A	N/A, open to all on the day of the contest	Must have passed their 8 <sup>th</sup> birthday, but not passed their 19 <sup>th</sup> birthday on January 1 of the current year	\$5	N/A	
STATE 4-H HORSE COMMUNICATIONS CONTEST	June	UVM Campus	Register by June 1	Registration available in the horse packet on the 4-H website	Must have passed their 14 <sup>th</sup> birthday, but not passed their 19 <sup>th</sup> birthday on January 1 of the current year	\$5 plus cost of contest materials, plus cost of Teen Congress, if participating	Website or contact State Livestock Educator	
STATE 4-H HORSE SHOW	Summer	Varies	Deadline as specified on Horse Show application	Obtain an entry form from your 4-H leader, pick one up at State 4-H Horse Judging Contest, or download from the website	Must have passed their 8 <sup>th</sup> birthday, but not passed their 19 <sup>th</sup> birthday on January 1 of the current year	Approximately \$7.00 per class, \$60 per stall, and other costs associated with the show. All costs subject to change.	Local 4-H Leader, , County Educator, Livestock Educator or website	

## FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT ANY OF THESE ACTIVITIES OR 4-H ACTIVITIES AT THE COUNTY/REGIONAL LEVEL, CALL:

Addison County	4-H Educator 802-656-7547	23 Pond Lane, Suite 300 Middlebury, VT 05753
Caledonia & Lamoille	4-H Educator 802-656-7561	374 Emerson Falls Road St Johnsbury, VT 05819-9103
Chittenden County	4-H Educator 802-656-7621	278 S. Main St., Suite 2 Albans, VT 05478-1866
Franklin & Grand Isle County	4-H Educator 802-656-7621	278 S. Main St., Suite 2 Albans, VT 05478-1866
Orange & Washington County	4-H Educator 802-656-4828	327 US Route 302, Suite 1 Barre, VT 05641
Orleans & Essex County	4-H Educator 802-656-7572	316 Main Street Suite 101 Newport, VT 05855-4867
Rutland & Bennington County	4-H Educator 802-656-7586	271 North Main Street, Suite 110 Rutland, VT 05701-2424
Windsor & Windham	4-H Educator 802-656-7539	307 South Street Springfield, VT 05156

For State, Regional, or National levels, call 802-656-7641.

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