



March 21, 2024

Dear Horse and Pony Coach:

Enclosed is the judging contest schedule and pre-registration information for the 2024 State 4-H/FFA Horse Judging Contest to be held on Saturday, May 4th.

NEW REGISTRATION PROCESS:

Coaches registering a 4-H team/individual must do so using their 4-H Online account.

<https://2024horseCDE.4honline.com>

Coaches registering a FFA team/individual must do so using their FFA chapter account.

<https://inffa.org/connect/admin/registration/>

Any adult coaching both 4-H and FFA teams/individuals will need to use both online systems.

Please send your registration fees of **\$30**, per contestant, to the State 4-H Office. Check should be made payable to **Purdue University**. Registration deadline is **April 19th the registration will shut off at 5:00 pm EST. Pre-registration is required.** Any registered contestant who is a no-show must still pay the registration fee no refunds will be given. Registration fees may be sent **to the State 4-H Office, 615 Mitch Daniels Blvd., West Lafayette, IN 47907 or paid the day of the event. Please refer to Ag Judging late payment policy.**

*****NO ON-SITE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED!**

- The Contest will be in Danville, Indiana, at the Hendricks County 4-H Fairgrounds and Conference Complex. All vehicles should be parked in the large parking lot at the Conference Center.
1. We will be using a Scantrons!
 2. Coaches, team members, and individuals must assume responsibility to Horse Judging CDE rules on the Indiana 4-H and FFA Horse Judging CDE website.
 3. All individuals and/or teams are eligible for the state judging contest, but 4-H teams must be approved by the respective county's 4-H Extension Educator and FFA Teams must be registered the FFA website and deriving from the same FFA Chapter. Teams/Individuals must make a complete payment to "Purdue University" at the time of registration. The entry fee for the 2024 State Horse and Pony contest is **\$30 per contestant**, which includes lunch.
 4. The contest location, registration time and schedule of events are outlined on the enclosed sheets.

I look forward to seeing you on May 4th.

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