**Kent County 4-H State Show Delegate Application**

**Member Information**

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| Member’s Name |  |
| Email Address |  |
| Phone # |  |
| Date of Birth |  |
| Address |  |
| City, Zip Code |  |
| 4-H Club |  |
| 4-H Leader |  |
| 4-H Leader Phone # |  |
| 4-H Leader Email |  |
| KEEP Level |  |

**Description of Project Equine**

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| Registered Name of Equine |       |  Barn name |       |
| Breed |       | Registration # |       |  [ ]  Not Registered |
| Color |       | Year Foaled |  | Sex |       |
| Equine Height |       |  Equine Weight |       | Purchase/Lease Date |  |

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| Physical Equine Description  |       |

**Kent County Requirements**

1) Youth must be enrolled in 4-H by May 1\*

* Must be a Kent County 4-H member in good standing
	+ Age 13-19 as of January 1, Current Year.
	+ Submitted & Paid Declaration Fee to attend KCYF
* Must be KEEP level Novice Advanced or above; Pattern must be dated 6/23/17 or prior.
	+ Previous year’s level of Novice Advanced or above rating can be used.

2) Application Requirements

* + Member and Project Equine Information
	+ Show points – member/project animal.
		- A minimum of 1 show and a maximum of 4 shows must be attended.
		- Any combination of 4 shows (pleasure, contesting, jumping, dressage, equestrian competition) attended between 9/01/2017 and 6/23/2017.
	+ Letter of Recommendation
	+ KEEP Pattern
		- Novice Advanced/Junior/Senior/Horsemaster Level by 6/23/17.
	+ Overall Presentation of Packet
	+ Following Directions and completion of application
	+ Point total ties will be by points earned at the KFNO Shows.
	+ Applications due by Noon, 6/23/17.

**Show Point Requirements**

* 4 shows (pleasure, speed (barrel), jumping, dressage, equestrian meets) between 9/01/2016 thru 6/23/2017.
* Points are based on a member/project equine.
* **Show bill must be included for each show where points are earned**
* **Show bill *MUST BE SIGNED* by Show Manager/Show Secretary to be counted.**
* Placing and number in class must be included on the record sheets below for the points to count.
* Maximum of 4 classes per show count toward points; maximum of 96 points (4 shows) possible.
* Only list classes from approved classes listed below.
* May include multiples of one type of class, i.e. 2 showmanship, 2 saddle seat equitation, etc.
* *Grand & Reserve and Sweepstakes classes do not count.*
* Points will be based on 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 placings.
	+ - **# in class 1ST 2ND 3RD 4TH 5TH 6TH**
		- 6 or more entries 6 5 4 3 2 1
		- 5 entries 5 4 3 2 1
		- 4 entries 4 3 2 1
		- 3 entries 3 2 1
		- 2 entries 2 1
		- 1 entry 1
* Classes that count toward State Show selection:
	+ - * + Equitation and Hunter over Fences/Equitation and Hunter on the Flat/Hunter Hack
				+ Dressage Seat Equitation/Suitable to be a Dressage Horse
				+ Maximum of 4 dressage tests (include copy of complete score sheet)
				+ Showmanship (Hunt Seat, Saddle Seat and/or Western style)
				+ Stock Seat Equitation/Western Horsemanship/Western Pleasure
				+ Hunt Seat/Saddle Seat (English) Equitation/Hunt Seat/Saddle Seat (English) Pleasure
				+ Saddle Seat Pattern (Medal Classes included)
				+ Trail
				+ English/Western Riding/Reining
				+ Pole Bending/Speed and Action/Cloverleaf/Flag/Down and Back/Keyhole
				+ Bareback – any style

*Please place show bills/dressage tests behind the corresponding show points record sheet.*

**Letter of Recommendation:**

A leader, coach, instructor, teacher or boss who has spent a significant amount of time with you and can attest to your character, abilities and sportsmanship.

Please place behind the show bills/dressage tests.

**Insert copy of Current KEEP Level Rating Pattern:**

Please place your most current KEEP pattern behind the letter of recommendation.

I have included the following in my packet. *(Please check included elements)*

Please place information in this order!!!

[ ]  Member and project animal information filled out completely

[ ]  Show points - one horse/one rider team – place behind corresponding record sheet.

[ ]  Letter of Recommendation – place behind show bills/dressage tests (before scoring guide).

[ ]  Copy of Current Level Pattern- place behind the letter of recommendation (before scoring guide).

**All pages of application must be included and in numerical order.**

Do not use a 3-ring binder larger than ½”; a nice simple, small binder is appreciated.

All pages (including show bills, letter of recommendations, etc must be secured tightly in the binder)

Do not use page protectors.

I understand the rules and selection process for State Horse Show Delegates representing Kent County.

4-H Youth Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

4-H Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

As the 4-H leader of this applicant, I attest this member is in good standing. This applicant exemplifies the sportsmanship and Horsemaster qualities of the Kent County 4-H program.

4-H Leader Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Show Points Record Sheets**

Show #1

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| Show Name & Date             Maximum of 4 classes (24 pts maximum per show) – *Place show bill directly behind this page.* |
| Class number and name | # of exhibitors in class | Placing in class | Points Earned |
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| Show total |   |   |       |

\*\*\* Signed show bills must be included for points to count \*\*\*

\*\*\*Only 4 classes per show may be listed.

\*\*\*Only list classes on approved list.

Show #2

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| Show Name & Date             Maximum of 4 classes (24 pts maximum per show) - *Place show bill directly behind this page*. |
| Class number and name | # of exhibitors in class | Placing in class | Points Earned |
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| Show total |   |   |       |

\*\*\* Signed show bills must be included for points to count

\*\*\*Only 4 classes per show may be listed.

\*\*\*Only list classes on approved list.

Show #3

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| Show Name & DateMaximum of 4 classes (24 pts maximum per show) - *Place show bill directly behind this page*. |
| Class number and name | # of exhibitors in class | Placing in class | Points Earned |
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| Show total |   |   |       |

\*\*\* Signed show bills must be included for points to count

\*\*\*Only 4 classes per show may be listed.

\*\*\*Only list classes on approved list.

Show #4

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| Show Name & Date             Maximum of 4 classes (24 pts maximum per show) - *Place show bill directly behind this page*. |
| Class number and name | # of exhibitors in class | Placing in class | Points Earned |
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| Show total |   |   |       |

\*\*\* Signed show bills must be included for points to count

\*\*\*Only 4 classes per show may be listed.

\*\*\*Only list classes on approved list.

**Scoring Guide**

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| **Section/Elements** | **Score Possible** | **Score Achieved** |
| Application – Member Information | 2 |  |
| Project Horse Information | 5 |  |
| Application – Check List | 1 |  |
| Application – Youth and Parent Signatures | 1 |  |
| Application – Leader Signature | 1 |  |
| Show Points –place behind show points record sheets.  | 96 |  |
| Letter of Recommendation-place behind show bills/dressage tests. | 5 |  |
| KEEP level – place behind letter of recommendation.  | 5 |  |
| Presentation of Packet (neatness/appearance/required order) | 10 |  |
| Applications filled out completely and directions followed | 10 |  |
| **Total Points Possible** | **136** |  |

Judge’s Notes/Comments: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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