Jackson County 4-H Equine Lease Agreement

(Due at the May Horse Check-In)

Lessee (4-H Member) reason for leasing equine:

Lessor (Owner) must be willing to:
Relinquish all rights to train, handle and care for the equine in order for the youth to complete the requirement of a 4-H Equine project. Potential owners should not lease equine they want to ride or show on a regular basis during the term of the lease.

Owner cannot take back the equine prior to the end of the lease unless the 4-H youth agrees to return the horse.

The lease can be terminated by the Extension Educator if Lessee or Lessor is found to be violation of any expectations in the Ohio 4-H Program Guideline for leasing a 4-H Horse Project.

Additional specifications or limitations:
Can be added by Lessor or Lessee, before lease is signed).
Example(s): Preferred veterinarian, preferred feed, etc.
I (Lessor): Name: ____________________________

Street Address/P.O. Box: ____________________________

City: ____________________________ State: ______ Zip: ____________

Home phone: ____________________________ Cell phone: ____________________________

Agree to lease:
(Equine name, registration number-if registered)

To (lessee):

4-HMember Name: ____________________________

Street Address/P.O. Box: ____________________________

City: ____________________________ State: ______ Zip: ____________

Home phone: ____________________________ Cell phone: ____________________________

Parent/Guardian: ____________________________

Lease start date: ___/___/____ Lease end Date: ___/___/____

• In the event of death of equine:

  Who is responsible for the value of the equine in the event of the death of the Equine?
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  If the Lessee is responsible, how much? (Value) $ ____________________________

  Is this covered by insurance? ____________________________

• In the event of permanent injury of equine:

  Who is responsible in the event of the equine being permanently injured so it cannot be
  used for show purposes? ____________________________

  If the Lessee is responsible, how much? (Value) $ ____________________________

  Who keeps the equine? ____________________________

• In the event the equine is injured by a curable injury:

  Who nurses the animal back to health in the event the equine is injured by a curable injury?
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  Who pays vet bills? ____________________________

  If lessee, what would be the maximum amount expected for Lessee to pay? $ _________

• Where will the equine be housed?
Address: ________________________________

City: __________________ State: ______ Zip: ____________

If this is not the Lessee's address, why?

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• Who is responsible for the daily care of the equine, to include feed, health care (i.e. worming, vaccinations, etc.), footcare, and/or special stabling requirements made by owner?

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• List the purpose(s) for which the equine will be used:

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The equine may be transported, at the Lessee's (4-H member) discretion, to equine shows and other equine activities.

The Lessor (owner) cannot use the equine for any purpose that would violate any rule in the current Uniform Rules for 4-H Horse Shows (4-H Circular 179).

The maximum number of shows that the Lessor (owner) may show the leased animal during the term of the lease is: ________________________________

The Lessor (owner) will be relieved of liability in case of property damage, injury to the Lessee (member) or a third party while the equine is under the Lessee's (member) supervision.

Signatures

Lessor (owner): ________________________________ Date: ___/___/___

Lessee (member): ________________________________ Date: ___/___/___

Member’s Parent/Guardian: ________________________________ Date: ___/___/___

4-H Club Head Advisor ________________________________ Date: ___/___/___

Copy to be given to Lessor (member) & Club Head Advisor.

Original will be kept on file at the Extension Office during the current 4-H year.

Please attach current color picture of equine showing any distinctive face and leg markings.