March 10, 2017

TO: 4-H Members and Leaders in horse projects
   Androscoggin County
   Cumberland County
   Oxford County
   Sagadahoc County
   York County

FROM: Sally Farrell, Southern Maine 4-H Horse Camp Coordinator

I’m pleased to announce the 2017 Southern Maine 4-H Horse Camp being held July 14 – 17, 2017. I’m planning a terrific program this year that will include some exciting new activities for participants.

4-H Horse Camp is a 4-day, overnight event at Fryeburg Fairgrounds. It is open to 4-H members from York, Cumberland, Androscoggin, Sagadahoc and Oxford counties. **Riders must be able to walk, trot, and canter their horses safely. No beginners please.**

Enclosed are **Intent to Participate forms for youth participants and adult volunteers.** The cost is $140 for first camper in a family and $115 for additional camper in the same family. Adult volunteers who can assist with the camp can attend free of charge as long as we have room.

Any Maine 4-H member or adult volunteer who is considering attending should complete the appropriate form. Forms must be completed and returned by the deadline to assure your participation in the program. In late May, a complete registration packet will be mailed to those who have submitted an Intent to Participate form. We are limiting enrollment to 25 4-H members with horses, so please reply promptly if you wish to attend. Youth participants must have a horse in order to attend. If you are not one of the first 25 received, then your name will be put on a waiting list.

Please share this form to all interested 4-H members. Thank you.

**For more information contact:**

Sally Farrell , University of Maine Cooperative Extension
4-H Youth Development Professional, York County
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Phone: 207-324-2814
YOUTH PARTICIPANT

(Please print or type all information below)

This is a 4-day, overnight event at Fryeburg Fairgrounds.

Name: _________________________________________________

Mailing address: _________________________________________

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Phone number: __________________________________________

Email, if available: ________________________________________

___ I intend to participate in Southern Maine 4-H Horse Camp, July 14-17, 2017.

___ I am an enrolled 4-H Member, aged 9-18

___ I will have a horse at camp (required)

Please see the flyer for information on what's being planned for Horse Camp.

If you have any suggestions for additional activities, or other ideas please let us know here:


This form indicates your intent to participate in the 2017 Southern Maine 4-H Horse Camp. Any Maine 4-H member who is considering attending should fill it out.

Mail or Email by MAY 1, 2017 to:

sarah.s.farrell@maine.edu

or

University of Maine Cooperative Extension - York County
21 Bradeen Street, Suite 302
Springvale, ME 04083
Horse Camp depends on adult volunteers. When you volunteer, you are helping our youth have an experience that will teach them valuable new skills and create memories that will last a lifetime. Plus, it's fun for the adults, too!

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___ I intend to volunteer at southern Maine 4-H Horse Camp, July 14-17, 2017.
___ I am VOLT trained
___ I am an enrolled, trained, 4-H leader
___ I am a parent of a participant
___ I am able to volunteer during on following days:
   ___ July 14
   ___ July 15
   ___ July 16
   ___ July 17

I am interested in volunteering for the following (ALL roles help to make camp a success!):

___ General support of the program and pitch in where needed
___ Help out with meal preparation and/or clean-up
___ Overnight chaperone
___ Day chaperone
___ Other (Please indicate below)

Name: __________________________

Child’s name that your are coming to camp with: __________________________

Mailing address: __________________________

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Home Phone number: __________________________

Cell Number: __________________________

Email: __________________________

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Southern Maine 4-H Horse Camp
14th Annual

July 14-17, 2017
Fryeburg Fairgrounds

Join us for four days and three nights of learning, fun & friendship

Program will include:

- Riding instruction
- Horse demos
- Horse show
- Arts & Crafts
- Animal Science
- Building friendships
- Entertainment
- Great food
- Group projects
- Lots of fun

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