March 18, 2014

Dear Horse Judging Team Members,

We have just two more practices before the Horse Judging Competition on April 10, at Triple P Arena in Scott’s Hill. The weather has really wrecked our practice schedule this year. I want to make sure that everyone has these dates on their calendar so that we can squeeze in as much practice as possible before the competition.

Monday, March 31 at 5:00 p.m.
Monday, April 7 at 5:00 p.m.
As of the date of this letter, these practices will be held at the Extension Office and plan to stay a little later than usual on these dates. Please make plans to attend these meetings. If you are unable to attend practice and plan on attending the contest, you must contact me so that I know how to organize the teams. If you have received this letter, you have attended practice and have expressed your desire to compete.

Thursday, April 10 at 3:00 p.m.
Western Region 4-H Horse Judging Competition at Triple P Arena in Scott’s Hill. We will be leaving the Extension Office at 2:00 p.m. You will need to make plans to be dismissed early from school. We will send your school an excuse for your dismissal. We hope to return to Paris around 9 p.m. We will gladly provide you transportation to and from the contest, but we need to know that you plan on traveling with us in advance. Those traveling with Miss Staci will need a new 600A form on file. If you would like to leave early from the competition, without hearing results, you may do so. Please discuss with your parents about providing you transportation home if you do choose to leave early.
If you are able to view YouTube videos, the University of Nebraska at Lincoln is an excellent resource for study at home. They are very informative. I encourage you to review the videos on confirmation and take a look at Evaluation of Western Pleasure and Hunter Under Saddle. A search for “UNL Horse Judging” on YouTube by Kathy Anderson should bring up what you need.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at 731-642-2941.

Sincerely,

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