



MQHA
BOOT
CAMP

4-H'ers please join us for 3 intense days of knowledge.

JUNE 17, 18 & 19 (2014)

R & J Arena - Verndale, MN

PLUS.... JOIN US FOR AN ALL BREED FUN SHOW JUNE 20

The following trainers will be your drill sergeants in these events:

Showmanship - Anne Anderman

Trail - Jenna Mickelson

Equitation - Stephanie Lynn

Western Pleasure - Jay Barnett

Horsemanship - Bill Bormes (Castle rock, CO)

Hunter Under Saddle - LeeAnn Harrison-DeMars (Laurel, MT)

Games - Mary Fradenburgh

There will also be a halter demonstration presented by Don Gunderson
as well as the Instructors from NDSU

Additional Boot camp information & Registration form available on MQHA website - mqha.com

Also, come and test drive your newly acquired skills and join us for an

ALL NOVICE QUARTER HORSE SHOW JUNE 21 & 22

(Cost is \$200. Includes all clinics, stall and 3 bags of bedding)

All meals and snacks included. For additional information, please contact
Laurie Schommer 763-444-6085 (home) 763-438-0624 (cell) or Laurie.schommer@gmail.com

Note: Boot Camp Clinic is ONLY open to youth enrolled in 4-H.

Note: This is a non-chaperoned event, youth will need supervision.
Refunds only for medical/veterinary reasons with letter. Refer to registration sheet for more detailed information.

Supervision Release form

Please check one of the following options.

I _____ (parent/legal guardian) will be at the 2014 Boot camp. I will be responsible for my child/children listed below and I am aware boot camp is not responsible for supervising my child/children.

I _____ (parent/legal guardian), will not be at the 2014 Boot camp. I have arranged for my child/children to be under the care of (legal adult) and I am aware that boot camp is not responsible for supervising my child/children in my absence.

- Information on legal adult in charge of watching my child/children:

- Name: _____
Relationship _____
(county leader/family friend/relative)

Home phone: _____ Cell: _____

My Child/Children attending boot camp:

Legal Guardian

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Legal guardians contact information:

Home phone: _____ Cell: _____

Address: _____

This form must be on file at time of boot camp, send with registration. Questions can be directed to Laurie Schommer contact information on registration form.

Boot camp information sheet.

Basic camp information:

- Check in times anytime after Monday 1pm
- Need to show a current coggins when checking in.
- IT is HIGHLY recommended to purchase additional shavings for your stalls, additional shavings must be purchased through R&J arena only and at the front desk when you check in. (3 bales will already be in your stall which is included in the \$200.00 registration fee)
- Check out times either after clinic on Thursday or Friday's small fun show around 11am.
- Food for youth is included in the registration fee. Other family members may purchase meal tickets in advanced (on registration form)
- CLINIC IS NOT CHAPERONED.
- All youth registering must be signed up in 4-H, out of state youth must provide 2014 state 4H health forms.
- Counties will be stalled together as they would at state 4-H horse show.
- Youth will need to bring; hay, grain, water buckets, manure buckets forks ext.
- Tack; should have appropriate tack for clinics BUT not required, if you want to try English and do not have an English saddle try to have a proper bit.
- Helmets, boots, jeans REQUIRED or you don't ride.
- Local bar/restaurant within walking distance that offers great food.
- Clinic space is limited first come, first serve – no deadline to sign up however earlier is better for everyone and there is an additional \$50.00 late fee if postmarked after June 1st.
- When you arrive, stop in the office to find out where your stalls are located and where you need to park, then go and unload
- Clinic days are typically
 - 6-7am feed horses clean stalls
 - 7-7:45am breakfast served
 - 7:45 quick meeting in arena
 - 8am clinics starts
 - End of clinics determined by rain or shine.

Camping:

- Electrical units are available at a daily fee of around \$25.00 per night and you reserve your electrical spots through Carla @ Cblaha@wcta.net * Electrical SPACE IS LIMITED RSVP early.
- There is no cost or fee for camping if you do not need electrical hook ups, you may sleep in tents, and there are areas to pop tents and space to park trailers/campers that does not require electrical hook up. If it looks like bad weather/rain campers in tents can move tents into out buildings for shelter.
- We will have people on Monday to help people park trailers/campers.

Refunds:

- Only available for medical reasons for youth attending or horse related injuries / sickness. MUST provide a letter from either the youths' DR. or the Veterinary stating reason they cannot attend. Also letter needs to be on medical provider's letterhead.

Following weekends novice show:

- Must have a registered QH to show at the novice show.
- Must hold MNQHA & QH memberships to show and they can be purchased at the novice show
- Must have registration papers with to show.
- Novice show will have two clinics that are FREE to any horse/rider combination regardless of breed. You may stay to participate in the clinics and not show, however you will need to pay the facility the additional weekend stalling fee & contact Carla if needing electrical hook up for Novice show also.

2014 4-H BOOT CAMP REGISTRATION

June 17, 18, 19 & 20th at R&J Arena Verndale MN

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____ Age of youth: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip _____

County: _____ Email Address: _____ (MUST PRINT CLEARLY)
(This will be how you will receive any and all information) Please check here if you do not have email _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Parent Name: _____ T-Shirt Size _____

Please indicate which you will participate in at boot camp (circle one): Games Pleasure Both (If both are you bringing two horses) _____
If doing both on which horse which is your preferred (circle one): Games Pleasure

Please fill out the following skill level survey so we can best fill group levels accordingly (circle your appropriate level)

English Pleasure: Beginner Intermediate Advanced Showmanship: Beginner Intermediate Advanced
English Equitation: Beginner Intermediate Advanced Trail: Beginner Intermediate Advanced
Western Pleasure: Beginner Intermediate Advanced Games: Beginner Intermediate Advanced
W. Horsemanship: Beginner Intermediate Advanced

Are you planning on staying for the MQHA All Quarter Horse show? (circle one) Yes No

If you could improve or fix one problem what would that be? (Examples are: pivots/forehand turn, stopping, speed, collection, control) _____

Entries will fill by first come, first serve & space is limited!

- Entries accepted after June 1st (postmarked) will be charged an additional \$50.00 late entry, *THIS WILL BE ENFORCED IN 2014.
- All participants must be enrolled in 4H; we will check all MN youth & out of state 4H youth must provide their counties current 2014 health forms (please get from your county extension office and mail with registration paperwork/payment).
- Participation is limited to 125 youth, recommended to register early to guarantee a spot.
- Refunds ONLY for medical/veterinary reasons & you must provide a letter from Dr. /Vet on letterhead for refund – No Exceptions.
- You may bring an additional horse for an additional fee of \$110.00, but you may only ride in one group during the week, this is for Those who have pleasure and game horses, the \$110.00 fee does include 3 bales of shavings.
- Clinic days are June 17, 18, 19th and a small fun show Friday morning June 20th.
- Block of rooms will be held at the Americinn in Wadena until May 17th at a reduced rate (\$86.00 night)
 - Americinn – 800-634-3444 under 'Boot Camp' prior to May 17th.
 - There is also a hotel in Staples MN.
- Camping at R&J Arena: Camping is free except if you need electrical hook up, which is available but limited.
 - To Reserve electrical, contact Carla Blaha ONLY if you are needing electrical hook ups @ 218-445-5269
 - All other camping (tent or trailers with generators is free & you do not need to reserve a spot.
- ALL FORMS (Registration & Supervision) need to be sent with full payment at the time of registration to save a spot.
- Fee for the clinic includes, stall for horse, food for participating youth & 3 bales of shavings.
 - It is recommended you purchase additional shavings for your stalls to keep horses sound.
 - Additional shavings must be purchased through R&J arena at the time you check in.
- Additional food wrist band can be purchased for other family members not participating in the clinic,
 - See additional food payment in registration fee box. (Includes: Breakfast/lunch/dinner)
 - Bakery Rolls will be available to all Friday morning of fun show.

Payments/Checks made payable to: MQHA (Minnesota Quarter Horse Assn.)

Mailed to: Laurie Schommer/MQHA
27800 Apollo St.NE
Isanti, MN 55040

Questions about boot camp can be directed to:

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Entry fee \$200.00 _____ X \$200.00 = \$ _____
Additional horse fee _____ X \$110.00 = \$ _____
Additional meal bands:
Tuesday _____ X \$15.00 = \$ _____
Wednesday _____ X \$15.00 = \$ _____
Thursday _____ X \$15.00 = \$ _____
Total Due = \$ _____

Office recording only below dotted line.

Date payment/registration was received: _____
Payment amount received: _____
Check Number: _____

PLEASE NOTE: This is a non-chaperoned event. Participating youth must have adult supervision during the camp! Attached supervision form **MUST** be returned for all youth with this registration form and payment.