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Greetings!

Below is new and updated information from Iowa State University Equine Extension

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NEWS AND EVENTS

[Iowa Horse Judges Directory](#) now available.



[Equine Growth and Development](#)

Online Short Course
Friday, January 22nd
1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

The ISU Equine Growth and Development Short Course are designed to assist equine owners with understanding how young equine grow and develop. Equine owners will gain valuable insight on preventing health problems and maintaining proper development of foals from birth to one year of age



[Horse Breeding Management Workshop](#)

Feb. 13th & 14th

All horse owners, mare and/or stallion managers, foaling attendants, and other breeding farm personnel will benefit from this program. Topics to include Mare management, hormonal patterns & influences on the reproductive tract; Body Condition and Reproductive Efficiency; Estrous cycle and lighting; Control of the Estrous Cycle; Progesterone Assays; Care of the Pregnant Mare; Prefoaling Management of the Mare; Late Term Pregnant Mare Care; Predicting Parturition, Foaling Procedures & Management; Complications of Pregnancy and Foaling; Post-parturient Foal Management; Foal Care; and Advanced technologies in reproduction



Ring Steward Certification Workshop

February 20th, 2010

What are ring steward's responsibilities? Scribing Tips and Techniques. Do you want to be a certified ring steward? Attend the workshop.



4-H and Youth Horse Jamboree

March 27th & 28th

- Hippology, Quiz Bowl, Team Demonstrations, Public Speaking, Drawing, Poster, Photography, Essay, Poetry, Clotheshorse, Model Horse Show
- Silent Auction to benefit 4-H and Youth Endowment, Winning Senior Hippology, Quiz Bowl and Horse Judging Teams. Donated Items Needed.
- Tack Swap
- Saturday Evening Activities at Perfect Games



Block and Bridle Horse Show

April 16th-18th

**New for 2010 – 4-H, Open, Paint, Pinto, and Quarter Horse Show
New Freestyle Class**



Master Equine Manager Level One

April 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th, May 4th, 11th, 14th & 15th

The Iowa State University Extension (ISUE) Master Equine Manager Program consists of six 2-hour sessions which cover the science of horse management. In addition, participants will be required to attend a two-day hands-on skill development session at Iowa State University. Throughout the class sessions, participants will increase their knowledge and skill in equine science, care and training.

Press Release (for immediate release)

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The 1st District IQHA (Iowa Quarter Horse Association) affiliate is pleased to announce Kent Feeds as the major corporate sponsor of the 4-H/FFA Clinic and Open Show to be held Feb 20 and 21, 2010 at the Iowa Equestrian Center at Kirkwood College, Cedar Rapids, IA. The first District of IQHA includes the 12 counties in southeast Iowa which is also the headquarters of Kent Feeds, Inc. The clinic starts at 10:00 a.m. on Feb 20 and features Jackie Carter and Sara Walter as clinicians. Jackie holds judging cards with PtHA, ABRA, IBHA, POAC, 4-H in 4 states. Sara is a national competitor on the barrel racing scene. The link to the clinic is:

http://www.kirkwood.edu/pdf/uploaded/728/4-h_ffa_kent_clinic.pdf

There are also several "mini-clinics" held throughout the day on "Nutrition for Fitting and Performance", Greg Powers, Kent Feeds; "Optimizing Physical Performance", Dr. Christine Woodford, DVM certified in acupuncture and chiropractic; "Dressing for Success", Mikki Hager of the Tack Room; and "Fitting for Success", Jill Voss and Jane Goettsch.

On that same day, ISU in conjunction with the IQHA will be holding a Ring Steward Certification Seminar in a classroom at the Iowa Equestrian Center. This seminar will focus on Ring Steward duties and scribing training. Assisting with this clinic will be Steve Carter, NSBA judge and past NSBA board member who is also carded with PtHA, ABRA, IBHA, POAC, and 4-H in 7 states. The link to the Ring Steward Seminar is:

http://www.kirkwood.edu/pdf/uploaded/728/ring_steward_workshop%282%29.pdf

And finally, on the evening of Feb 20 and Sunday, Feb 21, 2010, the 1st District IQHA and Kent Feeds will be hosting an open show with gaming classes on the evening of Feb 20 which feature two classes that are \$25 entry fee with an 80% jackpot. They are Open Barrels and Open Poles. On Sunday, Feb 21, is an open performance horse show with \$3/class entry fees. There is a special reining class with a \$25 entry fee that has an 80% jackpot. The judge is Steve Carter. The link to the open show is:

http://www.kirkwood.edu/pdf/uploaded/728/kent_feeds_open_show-revised.pdf

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