



Call for Decorated Baskets for the 2010 Maryland Horsemen's Party



Maryland 4-H needs your help! Please join the Maryland State 4-H Horse Program in our efforts to send our 4-H'ers to the 2010 Eastern National Horse Round Up and have fun while doing it!

We are asking each 4-H Horse Club in the State of Maryland to donate one filled and decorated basket to the Maryland Horsemen's Party to be held on Sunday, September 26th. Baskets will be auctioned off at the event to support this effort.

Sounds great! How can my 4-H Horse Club get involved?

It's easy. The first step is to decide on a basket theme.

Be creative! Themes can be equine-related or they can be non-equine. We have presented a list of themes for you to choose or your Club can create their own theme.

Then what do we do? Purchase a basket or a container to put the items in. You might want to add some type of decorative filler inside. Ask Club members to bring in newly purchased theme items. Then place your themed items within the basket.

Do we need to tag the basket? Yes, please write neatly on a 3x5 card the basket theme, the name of your Club, your county, and an approximate value of the basket. Attach the card to the front of your finished basket.

How do we deliver the basket? You can deliver the basket to Kristen Wilson at Horse Jamboree or bring it to your County Extension Office. We will arrange for pickup. All baskets must be delivered by September 10th.

Basket Theme Ideas

Equine Themes:

- Grooming Fun
- Bringing Up Baby
- Fly Protection
- Horse Lovers
- Equine Snacks
- Equine Spa
- Lets Learn About Horses!

Non Equine Themes:

- Family Fun
- Lets Read!
- Disney
- Sports
- Cars, Trucks, and Things That Go
- Scrapbooking Mania
- Cat Lovers
- Spa Delight
- I Scream for Ice Cream
- Lets Get Crafty
- The Great Outdoors
- Kids in the Kitchen
- That's Italian
- Fun in the Sun
- A Blast in Baltimore!
- Peace Out
- Gardening
- Chinese
- Mexican Fiesta
- BFF Forever
- Fishing