



NC 4-H Horse Program Newsletter

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NC State 4-H Horse Show High Point Winners

Division	Award	Exhibitor & Horse's Name	County
Adaptive	L3 Ch.	Willow Gatewood & Razzle Dazzle	Rockingham
	L 1A Ch.	Riley Weatherman & Dakota	Rockingham
	L 1A Res.	Caroline Ray & Razzle Dazzle	Rockingham
	L 1B Ch.	Riley Paul & Santana	Rockingham
	L 1B Res.	Gryffin Conkle & Dakota	Rockingham
Sr. Speed Events	Ch.	Kayla Boyd & Dream Catcher	Currituck
	Res. Ch.	Emily Eskridge & Tempy	Camden
Jr. Speed Events	Ch.	Kathleen Slade & I See Classy Credentials	Beaufort
	Res. Ch.	Tiffin Jacobs & Hope	Rowan
Little Britches	Ch.	Hannah Mennig & Caliente Cowgirl	Nash
	Res. Ch.	Madison Blanton & Dixie Chip	Pitt
Short Stirrup	Ch.	Madison Mays & Strawberry Wine	Rockingham
	Res. Ch.	Izzy Cruz-Cobb & Storm Warning	Wayne
Jr. Hunter Pony	Ch.	Emma Weinfurt & Northwind Maradona	Orange
	Res. Ch.	J.W. Lynch & Monkey Boy	Wayne
Sr. Hunter Pony	Ch.	Kaitlyn Johnson & Wynbrooke April Frost	Duplin
	Res. Ch.	Reva Dandrow & Free N Easy	Union
Jr. Hunter	Ch.	Avery Johnson & Sweet Escape	Duplin
	Res. Ch.	Hannah Williams & Notorious Gangster	Union
Sr. Hunter	Ch.	Kaitlyn Johnson & Iron I Stellar	Duplin
	Res. Ch.	Kristin Keeler & Boe Brady	Orange
Jr. Non-Trotting	Ch.	Jaysa Causby & Belleza De Straight Arrow	Rowan
	Res. Ch.	Brinkley Dew & Jose Double Trouble	Edgecombe
Sr. Non-Trotting	Ch.	Micah Furr & Natasha de la Piedra	Rowan
	Res. Ch.	Hannah Barringer & Estrellita De Ora	Rowan
Saddle Seat	Ch.	Shelby Unks & TOA Shahqira	McDowell
	Res. Ch.	Eva Pool & Legacy's Jackpot	McDowell
Jr. Western	Ch.	Emerson Madonia & RL A Sudden Charm	Lincoln
	Res. Ch.	Savannah Wells & Eightball	Johnston
Sr. Western	Ch.	Michaela Vick & Magik Mike	Nash
	Res. Ch.	Gracie Haynes & Dynamic Story Kid	Cabarrus
Western Pony	Ch.	Raegan Shepherd & Miss Catolenas Starlight	Johnston
	Res. Ch.	Amanda Quarles & Cattins Miss Priss	Forsyth
Combined Training	Ch.	Grace Law & Vintage Merlot	Cabarrus
	Res. Ch.	Alyssa McCoy & Madden	Duplin
Dressage	Ch.	Alyssa McCoy & Madden	Duplin
	Res. Ch.	Grace Law & Vintage Merlot	Cabarrus
Intro Level	High Ride	Jessica Sprague & Cadbury	Rockingham
Training Level	High ride	Alyssa McCoy & Madden	Duplin
1st Level	High Ride	Gretchen Hughes & Braveheart	Alexander
Non-Trotting	High Ride	Leah Haithcock & Queen's Waking Princess	McDowell
Sr. Versatility	Ch.	Kellianne Lunny & HLF Zip This Hit	Wake
Jr. Versatility	Ch.	Emerson Madonia & RL A Sudden Charm	Lincoln

Upcoming Events:

- **October 12-22** — NC State Fair
- **October 28-29** — NCSU Horse Judging Short Course
- **November 4** — Eastern National 4-H Horse Round Up
- **November 13** — State 4-H Horse Advisory Council Meeting
- **November 18-19** — NC Open Horse Show Judge's Certification Clinic
- **November 24-28** — National 4-H Congress
- **January 13** — Horse Judging, Hippology, Horsebowl Youth Clinic

[View our full calendar of events here, with locations and contact information!](#)

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Winners Circle

Artistic Expression Winners

Division	Award	Exhibitor's Name	County
Jr. Craft	Ch.	Ella Holsomback	Granville
	Res. Ch.	Faith Waelz	Gaston
Sr. Craft	Ch.	Evanna Hall	Sampson
	Res. Ch.	Savannah Lindsey	Cumberland
Jr. DE Photo	Ch.	Abigail Joy	Cumberland
	Res. Ch.	Mackenzie Joy	Cumberland
Sr. DE Photo	Ch.	Madison Evans	Union
	Res. Ch.	Jonathan Glover	Granville
Jr. Painting	Ch.	Olivia Mullen	Peruquimans
	Res. Ch.	Madisyn White	Rowan
Sr. Painting	Ch.	Emily Iannuzzi	Granville
	Res. Ch.	Gracie Howell	Rockingham
Jr. Photo	Ch.	Abby Ragen	Cabarrus
	Res. Ch.	Kimberly Lisk	Cabarrus
Sr. Photo	Ch.	Sydney Earp	Wake
	Res. Ch.	Hannah Wolgin	Wake
Jr. Poster	Ch.	Ella Holsomback	Granville
	Res. Ch.	Faith Waelz	Gaston
Sr. Poster	Ch.	Austin Martin	Orange
	Res. Ch.	Abby Holsomback	Granville
Jr. Sewing	Ch.	Faith Waelz	Gaston
	Res. Ch.	Madison Blanton	Pitt
Sr. Sewing	Ch.	Abby Holsomback	Granville
	Res. Ch.	Savannah Lindsey	Cumberland

Creative Writing Winners

Division	Award	Exhibitor's Name	County
Jr. Poetry	Ch.	Elle Nutting	Alexander
	Res. Ch.	Caitlyn Duschel	McDowell
Jr. Short Story	Ch.	Faye Seger	Franklin
	Res. Ch.	Hayli Modlin	Pitt
Jr. Essay	Ch.	Kimberly Lisk	Cabarrus
	Res. Ch.	Kyra Worth	Johnston
Sr. Short Story	Ch.	Alyssa McCoy	Duplin
	Res. Ch.	Emeline Wilson	Wake
Sr. Essay	Ch.	Kaitlyn Johnson	Duplin
	Res. Ch.	Ashlyn Johnson	Cumberland

Communications Contest Winners

Division	Award	Exhibitor's Name	County
9-10 Presentation	Ch.	Kaelee Rushing	Henderson
	Res. Ch.	Darcy Dean	Johnston
11-13 Presenta-tion	Ch.	Avery Johnson	Duplin
	Res. Ch.	Olivia Juergens	Cumberland
14-18 Presenta-tion	Ch.	Emily Worth	Johnston
	Res. Ch.	Erin Dillon	Guilford
11-13 Public Speaking	Ch.	Leah Haithcock	McDowell
14-18 Public Speaking	Ch.	Nicole Worth	Johnston
	Res. Ch.	Rebekah Qurollo	McDowell

2017 4-H Southern Regional Horse Championships

Congratulations to all of our exhibitors! NC is proud to have two riders in the high point placings.

Division	Award	Exhibitor & Horse's Name
Western	Res. Ch.	Kellianne Lunny & HLF Zip This Hit
Non-Trotting	Res. Ch.	Micah Furr & Natasha de la Piedre

2017 Southern Regional 4-H Horse Championships- NC Exhibitor results

NC 4-H'ers also won top honors in several of the educational events. The NC B and NC A Horsebowl teams placed first and second, respectively, and Ruth Huggins was named high individual. The NC B Hippology team placed first and the NC A team placed 4th. Sarah Isley was named the reserve champion overall individual. The NC Horse judging teams placed 2nd and 5th, with Kellianne Lunny winning top overall individual honors. In the communications events, Nicole Worth captured 2nd in Public Speaking, Emily Worth and Erin Dillon were 2nd and 8th, respectively, in the Individual Presentation contest and Abby and Morgan Furr placed 3rd in the Team Presentation event.

2017 Southern Regionals Results for NC Educational Teams



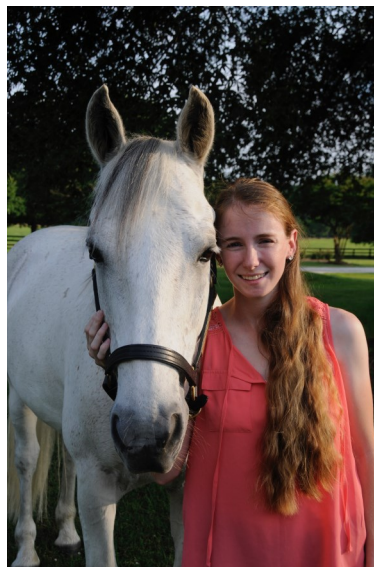
4-H Spotlight

The NC 4-H Scholarship and Awards Reception was held during 4-H Congress in July. These outstanding 4-H'ers and active participants in the NC 4-H Horse Program were recognized for their academic achievements and awarded with the following scholarships

Scholarship	Recipient	County
Edmund & Elizabeth Aycock 4-H Scholarship	Ruth Huggins	Wake
Preston, Marsha, & Brooke Cornelius 4-H Beef Scholarship	Michaela Vick	Nash
Lyman B. Dixon, Sr. 4-H Scholarship	Michaela Vick	Nash
Rudolph Carl Ellis 4-H Scholarship	Kasey Boger	Catawba
NC 4-H Horse Program Scholarship	Michaela Vick Ruth Huggins	Nash Wake



Michaela Vick is the daughter of Don and Sandi Vick. She is a freshman at NC State and is majoring in Animal Science. Michaela's career goal is to become a DVM specializing in large animals with a concentration in equine dentistry and equine lameness. Michaela has been highly active in the North Carolina 4-H Program in both livestock and equine. Michaela represented the North Carolina 4-H Horse Program at Eastern Nationals in horse judging 2015, horsebowl in 2016, and will be competing in the hippology contest this fall. Additionally, Michaela is invested in training and competing her quarter horse in western events and has successfully competed in the North Carolina 4-H State Horse Show and has been a North Carolina delegate for the Southern Regional 4-H Horse Championships. Michaela is also dedicated to her county program, being named Nash County 4-H'er of the Year 2015 and Nash County Ag Award 2016, and has shown effort to apply herself in leadership and community service and received the Commissioner of Ag trophy at the 2017 4-H Congress.



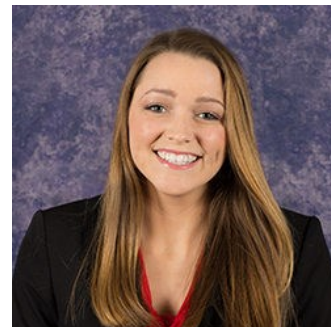
Ruth Huggins is the daughter of Robert and Angela Huggins. She is a freshman at NC State and is currently majoring in Animal Science with a possibility of adding a business minor. Ruth's plan is to apply and be accepted into the veterinary program to become a DVM specializing in equine rehabilitation and sports medicine. Ruth has been actively involved with the North Carolina 4-H Horse Program in areas such as

horsebowl, Hippology, horse judging, and horse showing. Ruth represented North Carolina at Eastern Nationals in hippology in 2015, placing 10th overall, and will be representing again as a horsebowl team member this fall. Ruth has been dedicated to her riding and training over her 4-H years competing in various events such as dressage, ranch riding, and eventing. She has competed successfully at the 4-H State Horse Show and has been a North Carolina delegate at the Southern Regional 4-H Horse Championships. Not only has Ruth proved to be invested in the horse program, but she has shined in her county as well, being awarded 2016 Wake County 4-H Horseman of the Year and 2017 Wake County 4-H Super Senior Award.

We would also like to Congratulate **Micah Furr** for being selected as Park Scholar at NC State and **Aurora Myers** for being selected as a Goodnight Scholar at NC State. Both have represented North Carolina at Eastern Nationals and will both be majoring in biology.



Micah Furr



Aurora Myers

Horse Judging Short Course

October 28-29, 2017 NCSU Main Campus

This short course is designed for individuals with limited horse show judging experience, coaches of youth judging teams, FFA instructors and all individuals interested in becoming judges or in attending the Open Horse Show Judge's Certification Clinic. Emphasis will be placed on teaching the judging systems appropriate for judging various classes in the western, hunt seat, saddle seat and non- trotting divisions. Participants will have a unique opportunity to interact one-on-one with experts to improve their judging expertise while learning the judging techniques taught at North Carolina State University, whose 4-H teams have earned numerous national and world judging contest championships. Participants will receive a judging manual and judge a variety of classes on videotape. Participants will also receive in-depth instruction on the judging systems specifically designed to train intercollegiate and youth judging teams and horse show judges.

[NCSU Introductory Level Judging Short Course 2017 Registration Form](#)

The fee for the two-day clinic is \$90.00. Registration must be postmarked by October 5, 2017 to avoid a \$30 late fee. Registration fees are refundable if requested in writing prior to the deadline date. Substitutions for pre-registered participants will be accepted after the deadline date.

Please remit a completed registration form and check payable to **NCSU** and mail along with the form to:
Extension Horse Husbandry

Equine Short Course Series
NCSU Box 7621
Raleigh, NC 27695-7621
Phone: 919-515-5784
Fax: 919-515-8518

20 rooms have been blocked at the [Holiday Inn and Suites Cary](#). To make a reservation, please call 919-851-1220 and request the Introductory Horse Judging Clinic rate of \$79.00 per night.

[Direct link to book online](#)

North Carolina Open Horse Show Judge's Certification Clinic

November 18-19, 2017 NCSU Riddick Hall

Announcing the 33rd Annual North Carolina Open Horse Show Judges' Certification Clinic on North Carolina State University's Main Campus in Raleigh, NC. This clinic is designed to provide individuals who are, or aspire to be, horse show judges with practical "hands on" experience in judging saddle seat, hunt seat, non trotting and western classes. Participating judges will have an opportunity to judge 20-27 conformation and performance classes, complete a required exam and receive certification in these four divisions. A panel of breed recognized professional judges from across the nation will discuss the class placings and present lectures on judging procedures. Individuals completing the clinic will be included on a list of suggested horse show judges that will be annually revised and distributed to open horse show organizations located in North Carolina and surrounding states. Judges receiving an average score of 90% or higher per show division will be certified for that respective division. A minimum of 33% of participating judges will be certified in each division. Certification will be awarded separately for each division. A judging list will be forwarded upon request to breed associations for applicant judges and horse show organizations throughout the United States. Participation in the [NCSU Horse Judging Short Course](#) is highly recommended but not required for individuals new to the judging experience.

For more information, including registration forms and hotel information, please visit the [clinic webpage](#)





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STATE FAIR OF VIRGINIA AT THE MEADOW

Open Miniature Horse Show

October 5th 10:00 am

Open Youth Miniature Horse Show

October 6th 10:00 am

[Please click here for a complete class list and general rulebook](#)

For more information on directions and accommodations please visit
www.statefairva.org

VA / NC 4-H Horse Leaders' Conference

January 20-21, 2018

W.E. Skelton 4-H Educational Conference Center
at Smith Mountain Lake
Wirtz, VA

Come, learn and share ideas about the 4-H Horse Program and take home exciting educational materials to share with your 4-Hers! Enjoy networking with other leaders and meeting new folks who share the same 4-H enthusiasm as you! Watch our [website](#) and [listserv](#) for the sign-up!

\$175 Registration Fee includes:

- all sessions Saturday morning through noon Sunday
- shared double-occupancy lodging for Friday and Saturday night
- all meals (Friday night social, all Saturday meals, Sunday breakfast)
(single occupancy, add \$75)

Stall Decorating Contest Results

The first annual Stall Decorating Contest was held at the 2017 NC State 4-H Horse Show. Eighteen groups, ranging in size of two stalls to thirty-six stalls, decorated their stall area in their own-chosen theme. There were some amazing displays of creativity and the judges were impressed with the level of detail. The Division I category was made up of groups with two to five stalls. First place honors went to the Equestrian Starz from Franklin County. Lincoln County's "Simply Southern" theme captured the top prize in Division II, which consisted of groups with stall numbers ranging from six to ten. The "Red, White and Blue" display of the Blue Ribbon Riders won first place for Division III. Division III was for groups with more than ten stalls. Thank you to all that participated!

