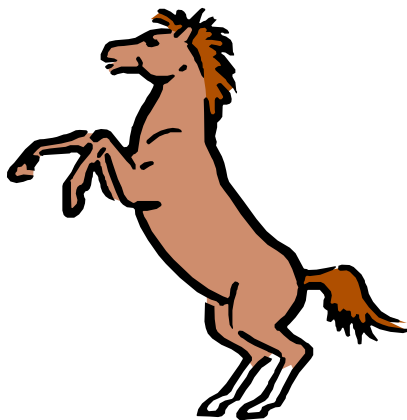


MEETINGS

Rough Riders have business meetings run by the members using proper parliamentary procedures. During this meeting past events are discussed and new events, learning opportunities, and fundraisers are scheduled.

The second portion of the meeting is a workshop. This is dedicated to the teaching and learning of our members from local horse people, professionals, and each other.

Throughout the months of March to October, the club also has mounted events. Sometimes members compete against each other, other times they just learn among their fellow club members.



WANT TO JOIN?

Anyone who is interested in the Rough Riders 4H Horse and Pony Club can attend one of our meetings or workshops. Our meetings are held every first Thursday of the month at 6:30 p.m. at Refton BIC Church. If you would like more information, feel free to contact Jen Landis (4H Leader) at 717-572-2340 or roughridershorseclub@gmail.com.

At present, the Rough Riders primarily serves children in the southern end of Lancaster County. Solanco, Penn Manor, L-S, and home schoolers are those currently represented in the club.

The Rough Riders 4H Horse and Pony Club
is currently welcoming
new members.
Come and give us a look!

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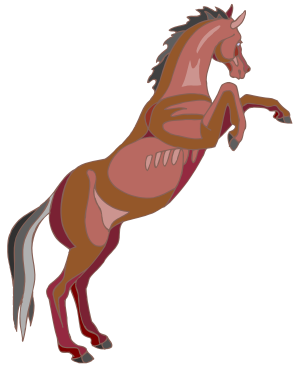
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WHAT WE'RE ALL ABOUT

Just like the front cover said, the Rough Riders' mission statement is "To Make the Best Better." Many of our members do this while with horses, on horses, and around horses.



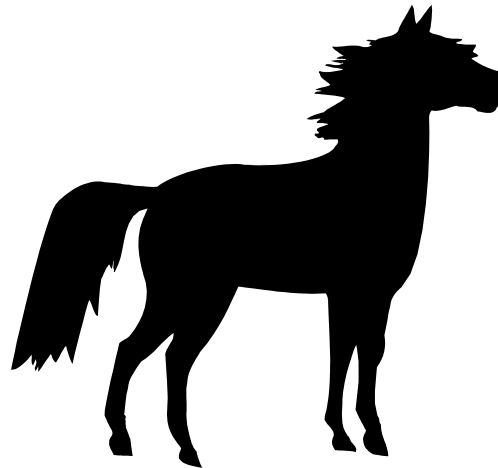
Don't have a horse? A horse is not needed to join our club. While some members do have their own horses, it is not a necessity. We have what is called a horseless member as well. With or without a horse, all members are sure to learn copious quantities of information about horses!

Club leaders emphasize proper horse care with responsible horsemanship. All skills learned around horses are also related to valuable life skills.

BACKGROUND

The Rough Riders 4H Horse and Pony Club is a nonprofit organization running strong for over 50 years. We are comprised of children from the ages 8 – 18 as of January 1st. The parents of the members are also involved, whether through leadership in the club or the general support of the kids in the club.

Some members of the Rough Riders 4-H have started at the club level and have gone on to state and nationwide shows. These experiences have enabled members to meet new people from across the country. Opportunities don't stop here with Rough Riders you can go anywhere.



ACTIVITIES

4-H Rough Riders is not only involved on the club level, but also the community. In the past we have donated money to the Lancaster City Mounted Police, the Lancaster County Therapeutic Riding Program, and to the Lancaster County 4-H Club. We establish this money through fund raisers such as pony rides and a chicken BBQ, and also by the donations to the club.



The club holds its own shows twice a year. It holds a campout during the summer, and a few trail rides and mounted clinics over the course of the year.