

Virginia Tech Western Team

Ride the Pattern 4-H Qualifying Clinic

When? March 31, 2018

Where? Alphin – Stuart Livestock Arena – 500 Plantation Road,
Blacksburg VA 24061

What? An in-depth discussion and instruction on the pattern classes of showmanship, horsemanship, equitation and trail. The discussions topics will cover pattern breakdown, discussion of scoring and what judges are looking for. Instruction will consist of riding patterns and how to perfect maneuvers. All skill levels welcome! Limited spaces available.

This will serve as a 4-H qualifying clinic for youth showing at the Virginia State 4-H Horse Show but is open to all youth ages 9 – 19!

Horsemanship Skills Testing also available!

Cost: \$20/session or \$50/3 sessions

Audit Only: \$10

Limited stalls available at \$25

Lunch available for \$10

Instruction provided by VT Team coaches and riders

Schedule

9:00 – Check In

10:00 – Showmanship Class Discussion

10:45 – Showmanship Clinic

11:45 – Lunch Break

Lunch provided by VT Block and Bridle

12:30 – Horsemanship Class Discussion

1:00 – Horsemanship Clinic

2:30 – Trail Class Discussion

2:30 – Equitation Class Discussion

3:15- Trail Clinic

3:15 – Equitation Clinic

4:30 Wrap Up/Horsemanship Skills Testing

VT Western Team

Ride the Pattern Clinic Registration Form

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

DOB _____

Horse Name _____

4-H Member? _____ yes _____ no

Check clinics you wish to participate in (\$20/individual sessions or \$50/3 sessions)

_____ Showmanship

_____ Equitation

_____ Horsemanship

_____ Audit Only

_____ Trail

Would you like lunch (\$10)? _____ yes _____ no

Will you need a stall (\$25 - limited number of stalls, first come first serve – no tack stalls) _____ yes _____ no

Please bring a current, negative coggins and signed 4-H Equine Waiver

All riders must bring a responsible adult/chaperone and are required to wear a helmet when mounted

Deadline to register is March 20, 2018

Please return **with payment (made to Treasurer at VT)** to Leona Ransdell at
388 Litton Reaves - Virginia Tech
Blacksburg, VA 24061