

Indiana 4-H Horse of the Year-2010

Have a horse from your club become the model for a Stone Model Horse!!! If you aren't familiar with Stone Model horses, go to their website: www.stonehorses.com

2009 Winner- Klavohn's Charlie Horse Owned By: Keith Brown, Boone Co.



Each county in Indiana can nominate one horse for selection as the Indiana 4-H Horse of the Year. The horse must have participated in the 4-H program in 2009. Previous nominees that have not received the award can be re-nominated.

Nomination packet must include (the packet is considered incomplete and will be returned if it is missing any of the following:

1. Cover letter with name of horse, name of 4-H member, name of club, county of membership and address and phone number of 4-H member.
2. Four full color pictures of the horse; front, back, left and right side. The pictures will be used to make the model look like the horse, so they must be clear and of good quality.
3. A letter from a 4-H Horse and Pony leader supporting the horse's nomination as Indiana 4-H Horse of the Year.
4. An essay, maximum 1000 words from the 4-H member owning the horse justifying why the horse should be the Horse of the Year. Nominees will be selected based on how well the essay addresses the following topic:

My horse has made my life, and the lives of others, better because...

Note: Lists of awards won will not contribute toward selection. The focus of this award is a horse that has contributed to the development of life skills.

Nominations are due in the State 4-H Office by **December 1, 2009** and the owner of the winning horse or pony will be presented with a model of their horse at the 2010 Hoosier Horse Fair and Expo.

Mail completed packet to:

Indiana 4-H Horse of the Year/ Dept. Youth Dev. Ag Education/615 W. State Street/West Lafayette, In 47907