# TEXAS A&M SUMMER HORSEMANSHIP SCHOOL PROGRAM IN OKLAHOMA!

Date: June 25 and 25

Time and Location: 8-5 pm at Totusek Arena

Note: The Animal Science outdoor arena may be used as well

Cost: \$100 for 2 days instruction

Included snacks, beverages and lunch

Stalling: \$20/night if needed. Stalls are available at the OSU Rodeo Facility, approximately 1.5 miles from Totusek Arena. Please reserve stalls when sending in registration form. We do not provide shavings, so please bring your own.

Camp enrollment: Camp enrollment is limited to 20 riders to ensure maximal working time.

Requirements – Two-day camp for *enrolled* Oklahoma 4-H members. Youth must be able to mount and control their horses independently. Horses must be able to be tied when not working.

Instructors: The instructors for this camp are undergraduates enrolled at Texas A&M. Instructors receive professional training in the camp curriculum at TAMU, and then travel across Texas and Oklahoma conducting camps. This is the 50<sup>th</sup> year of the highly successful program.

#### Topics:

- Tack and equipment
- Safety
- Rider position and strengthening
- Using the natural aids
- Working at all gaits
- Leads
- Showmanship/halter
- Part control of the horse
- Lateral movements of the horse
- Achieving collection

- How the horse learns
- And more!

WHAT TO BRING: All equipment normally used with your horse, water buckets, hay nets/hay bags, fly spray, sunscreen, halters and lead ropes. If stalling overnight, bring shavings and all feed necessary for your horse.

Horses will need to be tied during breaks, as stalling is not available at Totusek Arena. Be prepared to tie to your trailer or to designated areas in the arena.

Attire: Long pants, jeans and short sleeve shirts are appropriate. Boots must be worn while working with the horses and while in the arena. Riders without appropriate footwear will not be able to participate.

Chaperones: Please indicate on the enrollment form if you will be attending with your youth, and/or willing to serve as a chaperone. We will have one adult present for every 5 camp participants. If you will not be attending with your youth, the 4-H medical/health form must be on file.

Overnight accommodations: We are **not arranging** housing for this camp. There are a number of hotels in the Stillwater area. Horses and youth are expected to leave Totusek Arena at the conclusion of the days work.

Please send completed registration, accompanying participation forms, copy of Coggins for the horse attending. Make checks payable to Animal and Food Science and send to:

**Dr. Kris Hiney** 

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**Oklahoma State University** 

Stillwater OK, 74078

#### **REGISTRATION**

### **SUMMER HORSEMANSHIP CAMPS**

## JUNE 24 & 25, 2022

NAME OF ATTENDEE:
NAME OF PARENT/GUARDIAN:
I will be attending with my youth
☐I am willing to serve as a chaperone
☐ I will not be attending with my youth
ADDRESS:
PHONE #:
EMAIL :
DIETARY RESTRICTIONS/NEEDS:
AGE OF YOUTH REGISTRANT
Cost:  Full 2 day program \$100
(includes lunch, beverages and snacks)
☐ Stalling Friday evening \$20
(OSU Rodeo Arena)
Previous riding experience:
Years
Showing: At what level? County District District
Riding events of interest (ie speed, ranch, English)