



Maryland 4-H Horsemen's Party Awards Nomination Form Due February 27, 2023

Awards will be presented at the
Virtual Maryland 4-H Horsemen's Party
to be held virtually on March 18, 2023

Maryland 4-H Horse Program Volunteer of the Year Award:

The nominee is a University of Maryland Extension Volunteer that has made significant contributions to the Maryland 4-H Horse Program in the area of youth development and horsemanship. The nominee displays great initiative, leadership, and dedication to the Maryland 4-H Horse Program with the ability to make a difference in the lives of youth, families and their community.

Maryland 4-H Horse Program Youth Development Professional of the Year Award:

The nominee is a University of Maryland Extension faculty or staff member of outstanding character who has contributed significantly to the development of youth horse interests in the Maryland 4-H Horse Program. Through their positive contributions in helping youth to become competent, caring and responsible individuals, the nominee has inspired others to do likewise.

Maryland 4-H Horse Program Industry Partner of the Year Award:

The nominee is an individual, organization, or business that has made significant contributions to the Maryland 4-H Horse Program in the area of youth development and horsemanship. The nominee displays great initiative, leadership, and dedication to the Maryland 4-H Horse Program with the ability to make a difference in the lives of youth, families and their community.

Please describe the nominee's significant contributions made to the Maryland 4-H Horse program as defined in the award description using the space provided below. Additional pages may be attached if needed. Be sure to list specific qualities about the person that makes them stand out as outstanding individuals. Nominees may not have previously received the award.

Check the award this candidate is being nominated for:

- Maryland 4-H Horse Program Volunteer of the Year Award*
- Maryland 4-H Horse Program Youth Development Professional of the Year Award*
- Maryland 4-H Horse Program Industry Partner of the Year Award*

Nominee Name: _____ County: _____

Nominee Address: _____

Nominee telephone: (_____) _____ Years of service/support _____

Your Name: _____ County: _____

Your Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Please complete the next page

- 1) Please describe the nominee's involvement with the Maryland 4-H Horse program at the *club level*. Please provide examples of notable contributions made to 4-H Horse program at this level.

- 2) Please describe the nominee's involvement with the Maryland 4-H Horse program at the *county or unit level*. Please provide examples of notable contributions made to 4-H Horse program at this level.

- 3) Please describe the nominee's involvement with the Maryland 4-H Horse program at the *state level or above*. Please provide examples of notable contributions made to 4-H Horse program at this level.

- 4) Please use this space to share any other information that would support the nomination of this individual, organization or company for this award.

E-mail this nomination to Rebecca Bittner by February 27, 2023.

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