

2010 University of Missouri State Extension 4-H Equine Trip Objectives

Trip 4-Destinations: Colorado, Wyoming, Nebraska



1. Educational Focus

- Breeding Industry - Specialty Breeds
- Entrepreneurship & Small Business
- Equine Assisted Therapy
- Equine Medical Research and Treatment
- Equine Professional Training – Equidae
- Equine Rescue – Social Impact
- Historical perspectives of Western equine use.
- Journalism
- Marketing & Retail Sales
- Professional Rodeo
- Ranch Management-Cattle, Horse & Guest Ranches
- Sustainability of Wild Horse Range
- Trail and Endurance Industry

2. Educational Resources

- Colorado State University
- Colorado State Extension & 4-H

3. Facilities

- Bureau of Land Management
- Cloud Foundation
- Colorado Rescue
- Colorado State Veterinary & Animal Science Departments
- Haythorn Cattle Ranch (Nebraska)
- Overnight stay at authentic “guest ranch”
- Pony Express Museum
- PRAC Hall Of Fame / Cheyenne Frontier Days Museum
- Quarter, Miniatures, Morgan & Mule ranches
- The Western Horseman magazine

4. Individual Benefits

- Networking with Missouri/ Colorado 4-H equestrian teens
- Targeted life skills including financial, communications, social, responsibility, cooperation, analytical & decision making

5. Definitions of Participants

- Missouri 4-H teens, ages 14-18, male and female
- Application and fees due by March 15
- Follow up presentation to home county audiences
- Pre and post survey to assess knowledge

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