

## **4-H Horse Lease Agreement**

\*To be kept on hand by members/leaders at all San Diego County 4-H Horse Events, w/ hard copy of Horse ID.

This is an agreement between \_\_\_\_\_, Lessee (owner) of horse/pony, mare/gelding known as \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, Lessor( rider/4-H member)of horse/pony. The following conditions represent the terms of the lease.

The lease will begin \_\_\_\_\_.

During the lease, the horse will be stabled at \_\_\_\_\_.

1. The term of this lease is a \_\_\_\_\_ month minimum and will require \_\_\_\_\_ day's notice by either party to terminate, unless an earlier date is mutually agreed.
2. During the lease, the 4-H Member/lessor will be responsible for the horse's basic comfort, care, exercise and health except as otherwise defined by this agreement. Should any accident, sickness or injury befall the horse while under the lessor's care, it will be the responsibility of the (circle one) lessor or lessee to provide care and to pay for any medical attention necessary. Farrier, Veterinary care, & misc. will be the responsibility of ( circle one): Lessee-Owner or Lessor
3. During the lease, the 4-H Member/lessor will be responsible for cleaning and care of equipment after each use and any and all repairs on the equipment if the equipment is damaged by the lessor.
4. The horse will be used for pleasure riding, lessons & 4-H events in a carefully controlled environment. The horse will be ridden by the lessor \_\_\_\_\_ days per week, \_\_\_\_\_ of those days being lessons.
5. Lessor agrees to pay \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per lesson or \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per month.

Agreed by Horse Owner:

Please print:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ HomePh.#: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell# \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Owner/Lessee: \_\_\_\_\_ date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of or Guardian of Rider/Lessor: \_\_\_\_\_

Print name and all contact info: \_\_\_\_\_

ph. # \_\_\_\_\_ date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of 4-H member/Rider/Lessor: \_\_\_\_\_ date: \_\_\_\_\_

4-H Horse Ownership/Leasing

Horse project members must have owned or leased their project horse for at least 60 days prior to any county competition, 90 days prior to any regional competition and 120 days prior to the opening day of any County Fair or State Fair competition AND have a Horse ID on file with the County office for the horse they are exhibiting prior to any 4-H event. Horse Project members may exhibit no more than two registered project horses at any one 4H horse event at a time, despite being registered with multiple horses. Members who lease horses must have a leader signed copy of the lease agreement/Horse ID with them at any 4H event. Leader must sign and approve horse ID's, as well as submit online.

Printable Horse Id form available [http://ucanr.edu/sites/4HanDiegoCounty/Councils\\_-\\_Advisory\\_Committees\\_-\\_Horse\\_Advisory/](http://ucanr.edu/sites/4HanDiegoCounty/Councils_-_Advisory_Committees_-_Horse_Advisory/)