



SSHBEA Youth Council

Spring 2017 Newsletter

Who Are We? SSHBEA Youth Council is for ALL youth who want to promote our Spotted Horse Breed Association and have fun with other YC members! Friends are welcome and members DON'T have to own a horse. You DON'T have to live in Tennessee or come to every SSHBEA event; Just support and promote SSHBEA activities and horses wherever you live! Keep track of your SSHBEA activities — these are worth points and awards at end of year!

TENTATIVE List of SSHBEA & YC Events for 2017 Spring thru early-Summer:

- Feb thru May SSHBEA Youth Council Signup & Planning for Year, Officer Campaigns
- March 4 SSHBEA Sport Horse Pot-Luck Auction @ Deason Community Center
- March 24 thru 25 SSHBEA Trail Ride @ Mammoth Cave, KY
- April 15 SSHBEA Sport Horse Spring Roundup @ Pleasant Valley Farm, Shelbyville
- April 22 SSHBEA Sport Horse Obstacle Practice @ Hagewood Arena in Shelbyvillle
- SSHBEA YC Spring Fund-Raiser Yeti Cooler or YC Activity (Trail Ride, etc???)
- First week in May SSHBEA Spring Show YC Pizza Party & Officer Elections
- May 12 thru 14 SSHBEA Trail Ride @ Seven Springs in Tuscombia, AL
- June 3 SSHBEA Youth Council Event @ Pikeville SSHBEA YC Show or Judging Clinic

What you need to do:

- SIGN UP to be a 2017 Youth Council Member!
- **Submit ideas for 2017 Activities!** What do you want to do? Judging clinic, trail ride or equitation clinic? More Raffles to raise money? Get your ideas in NOW!
- Contact Ms Lisa if any questions on how to get involved

For Information:

Contact SSHBEA Office @ 931-684-7496
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HIGH-LEVEL LIST OF YC Activities to earn points – NOT a complete list, but hope this helps!

Helping at Horse Shows/Events

- Ribbons, running paperwork, working center ring, selling t-shirts, helping Ladies Aux., gate, etc
- Setup / Cleanup You are there early/the day before, or you stay late DOUBLE POINTS

Collecting Sponsorships for any SSHBEA committee

Selling Fundraising Tickets for any committee

Similar Service points for S.S.H.B.E.A. sanctioned events (Trail rides, Fund-Raisers, etc)

Similar Service for SSH State/Area clubs and events (ETSSHC, SSHAK, BlueGrass, etc)

Participating in Any S.S.H.B.E.A. Youth Council Activity

- Including meetings, trail ride, Horse show, fun activity, etc.
- Contributing to an event with food, supplies, sponsorship, etc.

Recruiting help from Adult Volunteers at any YC Event

Helping to set up an informational booth for YC

Carrying the Flag at any S.S.H.B.E.A. sanctioned event

Participating in Loose Change Drive at shows

Recruiting members

Showing in any S.S.H.B.E.A. Sanctioned Show or Event

Showing in any 4-H or Saddle Club Show

Participating in a clinic with your SSH
Participating in Organized trail ride on your SSH

- *** Must wear a SSH Shirt and take a photo to count for points
- *** Must be an organized ride such as a benefit day ride or an organized ride Such as Buffalo River, "Sunday" rides you organize do not count.