

WIN A PAINT HORSE 2008

Eagles Ridge Ranch

In cooperation with the

Minnesota 4-H Horse Association

Eagles Ridge Ranch, River Falls, WI, in cooperation with the **Minnesota 4-H Horse Association** announce the seventh **WIN A PAINT HORSE** competition, open to all Minnesota 4-H members actively involved in or planning to be involved in the 4-H horse project. Eagles Ridge Ranch will donate one weanling horse guaranteed to be sound and correct in conformation, of good disposition and bloodlines, a negative coggins test, and be eligible for registration (non-breeding stock) with the American Paint Horse Association

Contest Rules: Contestants to submit a one page ONLY typed essay on what ownership of this horse would mean to them including how they would provide care, the environment in which the horse would be raised, and any other pertinent and/or human interest information they wish to share. Entries should be sent to the Minnesota 4-H Horse Association between **January 1st to September 3rd, 2008**. A Consent and Release of Liability form, available at www.mn4hhorse.com, must be completed and accompany the essay. Incomplete entries will not be reviewed. Upon receipt entries will be blinded and a review committee, comprised of personnel from Eagles Ridge Ranch and the Minnesota 4-H Horse Association, will select five finalists. The finalists will then be interviewed by phone to select the winner.

The winner will be notified by phone. Transfer of ownership and presentation to the winner will occur at the 2008 Minnesota State 4-H Horse Show. The weanling will be present for viewing for the duration of the show. It is the expectation of Eagles Ridge Ranch and the Minnesota 4-H Horse Association that the winner agrees to bring the properly cared for horse to the 2009 State 4-H Horse Show for exhibit and related special events; successive shows as an option. Previous winners are ineligible.

About the Ranch: Eagles Ridge Ranch has been one of the Midwest's largest breeders of quality paint and quarter horses for over 25 years. Horses from the ranch encompass the United States and abroad. Valued bloodlines, include Doc Bar, Coy's Bonanza, Doc's Lynx, Sir Quincy Dan, Doc O'Lena, Top Moon, Mystic Warrior Magnolia Bar, Two Eyed Jack, QuoVadis, Three Bars – to name a few. For more information check their web site <http://eaglesridgeranch.tripod.com>

TO ENTER:

Mail, fax or e-mail your Essay and Consent and Release of Liability form to:

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Contest Deadline:

Entries will be accepted between January 1st – September 3rd, 2008. A complete entry consists of the essay and completed and signed Consent and Release of Liability form.