

**APPLICATION FOR A MINNESOTA 4-H JUDGES RECERTIFICATION CARD**

I plan to attend the special session Friday evening: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

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MN 4-H Horse Association web address is [www.mn4horse.com](http://www.mn4horse.com)

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**FOR YOUR INFORMATION: PLEASE READ**

New, 1st time, applicants will be required to be an apprentice judge, under another 4-H Judge, at a 4-H show during the summer, which includes showmanship, performance and game classes, in a county other than their own. They must contact the County and the Judge to get their approval before the show.

This person would be in the arena with you to judge the classes but would not have any input on how the classes are placed. I would suggest that you do not confer with them during the class until your card has been turned in. We ask that you help them learn, answer any questions they may have (during a break in the show) and give them any help and suggestions you think would make them a better 4-H Judge. Examples: Are they dressed appropriately to judge. Would they get a better view of the class if they stood some other place in the arena? Are they too busy writing notes during the class instead of judging? Etc, Etc.

**PLEASE HAVE THE ANNOUNCEMENT MADE THAT THERE IS AN APPRENTICE JUDGE IN THE ARENA, FOR OBSERVATION ONLY, AND THAT ALL THE 4-H'ERS KNOW THAT YOU ARE THE JUDGE THEY SHOULD BE SHOWING TO.**

They will have a letter for you to sign, which they have to send back to me before they will receive their 4-H Judges Certification Card.

Thank you for your cooperation.