

Equine Reproduction 185 Second Year Study Guide

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Interview judging will be held in July at West Holmes High School. All horse exhibitors are required to attend judging in order to exhibit their animal at the Holmes County Fair. If a member cannot attend the judging, they need to speak with their advisor about attending one of two prejudging dates. Members are not eligible for the outstanding award if they do not attend interview judging at WHHS.

Please dress appropriately for the interview. The dress code can be found in your 4H newsletter and on the Holmes County OSU extension website

Members are required to bring a completed record book for each project. See record book guidelines for your age group.

Record book, Attitude & appearance (20 points total)

Interview questions (40 points total)

Give 3 reasons why artificial Insemination become more popular in recent years? (2 points each for a total of 6 possible)

Name disadvantages of Artificial Insemination (2 points each for a total of 4 possible)

What is an artificial vagina used for? (2 points)

What are antibiotics sometimes added to semen? (2 points)

What is the biggest problem with cooled semen? (2 points)

What is a Phantom mare? (2 points)

What is teasing? Why do we do it? (2 points each for a total of 4 possible)

How do you prepare (clean) the mare for breeding? (4 points)

How do you prepare (clean) the stallion for breeding? (2 points)

Name 2 things that would prevent you from wanting to breed a mare on foal heat. (4 points)

What is a normal gestation period for a mare? (2 points)

What is waxing? (2 points)

After the foal is born, how long should you wait for the placenta to pass before giving oxytocin? (2 points)

What can happen if a placenta is retained for more than 24 hours? (4 points)

Skillathon:

Know breed traits

Know how to read a medication label

Reproductive system of mare

Reproductive system of stallion