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7. Royalty are to appear in professional western attire, to include crown, sashes and buckles, at all official events. Horse Council will be responsible for determining appropriate attire.

8. The Fremont County 4-H Horse Royalty will receive the appropriate tiara, sash, belt buckle or other awards as determined by the Horse Council.

9. Contestant selected as Queen must attend Horse Council meetings and provide a monthly written report of Royalty Activities to the Horse Council secretary. The Queen shall be responsible for all communication between Horse Council and the Royalty court.

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13. Scoring:

A. Modeling

Appearance		
Modeling		
On Stage Question		
Overall Performance		
Interview	TOTAL	100 Points

A. Horsemanship

Rail Work		
Reining Pattern		
Appearance (contestant & horse grooming)		
Salute	TOTAL	100 Points

14. The decision of the judges will be final and not appealable.

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Contestants Signature: _____Date_____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____Date_____

Fremont County 4-H Royalty Contest Pattern

Royalty Pattern

1 to 2 - Lope in a straight line at least 20 feet from fence.

2 to 3 - Stop past center marker - back in straight line to center.

3 - Settle horse for 10 seconds.

4 to 5 - Ride small figure 8 at collected lope. (Figure 8's must be made inside the end marker.)

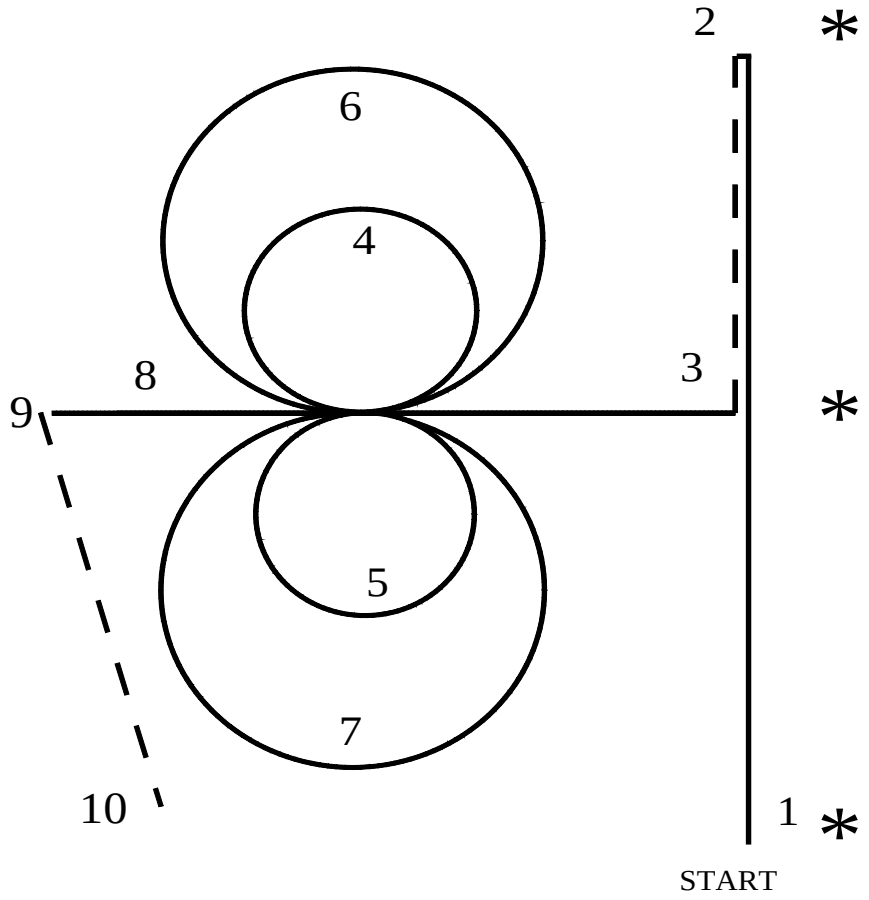
6 to 7 - Ride large figure 8 with speed. (Figure 8's must be made inside the end marker.)

8 - Stop (Juniors DO NOT dismount) (Seniors do dismount)

9 - Walk to judge for inspection.

10 - Ride Rodeo Salute all the way around the arena. Exit arena at walk.

Royalty Contest Pattern



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Fremont Count Extension
615 Macon Ave., LL10
Canon City, CO 81212
719-276-7390

Fremont County Horse ID Form

Member Name_____

Due to Extension Office by 5:00 p.m. April 22, 2022

Turn in completed form one per Horse. Include pictures of the horse front and side views.

Name of Horse: _____

Registered or Grade: _____

Horse or Pony: _____

Tattoo: _____

Sex of Horse: _____

Height of Horse: _____

Breed: _____Other Breed: _____

Color: _____

Describe Color and Markings and other identifiable characteristics: _____

_____

Birthdate (mm/dd/yyyy): _____

Owned or Leased: _____

Premises ID/Location ID #: _____

You may go in through 4HOnline and put this information is going through your family account.

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Keep for your records.

2022-2023 Fremont County 4-H Horse Royalty

Application

Name: _____

Age: (As of December 31, 2022) _____

4-H Club: _____

Years in 4-H: _____

Parents Name: _____

School: _____

Grade: (In the Fall) _____

Main interests or hobbies you have: _____

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What do you feel you can do for your county as Queen, Mr. Horseman, Mr. Wrangler or Princess?

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Contestant Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Return to the Extension Office by July 13, 2022 before 4:00 p.m.