



SHIRE HORSE SOCIETY AND ROBINSONS BREWERY LTD

PRESENTS YOUNG HANDLER 'WIN A HORSE' 2018

APPLICATION FORM

Would you like the opportunity to have the use of your own horse for a year, free of charge!? If so, this is the competition for you!

The Shire Horse Society have teamed up with their great friends at Robinsons Brewery and their Shire Horse team to provide one very lucky winner a Shire Horse for a year!

The winner will be required to attend training days with the brewery head horsewoman and Shire Horse Society judges. The winner will learn horsemanship skills, horse care and will learn how to prepare and show a Shire Horse. The winner will be competing at shows around the Country in Young Handler classes, with the aim of qualifying for the Young Handler of the Year held at Midland Foal Show in October 2018!

IF YOU WANT TO APPLY YOU NEED TO FIRST...GET PERMISSION!

- **Make sure you have permission from your parent/guardian before sending us any personal details.**

SECOND...FILL OUT the attached application form

- **We need to find out details about you and why you think you should win the use of a Shire Horse for a year.**
- **The completed application form MUST include the signed consent slip.**

THIRD... POST us your application form

- **The closing date for applications to be received by is 3rd January 2018.**
- **Send it to:**

YOUNG HANDLERS 'WIN A HORSE'

C/O SHIRE HORSE SOCIETY

SHIRE FARM

UPPINGHAM ROAD

ROCKINGHAM

LE16 8TP

OR EMAIL TO : info@shire-horse.org.uk

PARENTAL CONSENT FORM

To the Parent or Guardian:

Your child would like to take part in 'Win a horse for a year' in conjunction with the Shire Horse Society and Robinsons Brewery Ltd.

The competition will give the winner the right to compete a Shire Horse at shows around the Country in Young Handler classes to learn more about the horse that put the Great into Britain.

For the application to be considered, your child needs to complete the attached questionnaire and include a signed parental consent form. This should be sent to the address above.

For the application to be considered, your child must be aged between 13 and 17 on 1st January 2018.

Your child must be available for interview and be able to attend training days ran by the Brewery and the Society to ensure that your child is comfortable with handling a Shire Horse.

The closing date for applications is 3rd January 2018, so please make sure you get your application to us before then.

The applicants we wish to consider further will be contacted by 10th January 2018.

If successful, we will call to speak to you, then hold a telephone interview with your child for selection to the next stage. The winning child will need to sign a waiver stating that they have their own insurance to cover attendance at the training days and shows. The Shire Horse Society and Robinsons Brewery Ltd complies with all provisions of the Data Protection Act 1998 and all information supplied in your child's application will only be used in connection with your child's participation in the competition. All connected staff at the Shire Horse Society and Robinsons Brewery are DBS checked.

Please fill out all sections on the following pages:-

ARE THERE ANY DATES WHICH YOUR CHILD WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE FOR IN 2018? (i.e. family holidays already booked)

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DOES YOUR CHILD HAVE ANY MEDICAL CONDITIONS (e.g. asthma, allergies, diabetes, epilepsy etc) THAT WE SHOULD BE MADE AWARE OF?

(this does not necessarily preclude your child from the competition) YES [] NO []

IF YES PLEASE GIVE DETAILS:

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PLEASE DECLARE IF YOU OR YOUR CHILD IS A CLOSE RELATIVE OF A SHIRE HORSE SOCIETY OR ROBINSONS BREWERY EMPLOYEE:

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I CONFIRM THAT I HAE GIVEN CONSENT FOR THIS APPLICATION TO BE CONSIDERED. I AM THE CHILDS PARENT/GUARDIAN (delete as appropriate)

SIGNED:..... DATE:.....

ADDRESS:.....

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POST CODE:.....

TELEPHONE:.....

MOBILE:.....

EMAIL ADDRESS:.....

ABOUT YOU:

FILL IN ALL THE SECTIONS. You can use an EXTRA PAGE IF you need.

Your Full Name:	
Do you have a nickname?:	
Date of Birth:	
Age:	
Parents/Guardians Names:	
Parents/Guardians contact telephone number:	
What school do you attend?	

- **What three words best describe you?**

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- **Who is your favourite equestrian personality?**

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- **Why should we pick you?**

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- **Have you had any previous experience of working with horses and ponies?**

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- **Have you ever been to a show and seen shire horses be shown in hand?**

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- **Are you prepared to travel to shows and training on dates agreed?**

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- **Would you say that you are enthusiastic and ready to put in the work that will be needed for this very special opportunity?**

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