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AYHC SEEKING NOMINATIONS FOR INAUGURAL PARTNERSHIP AWARD

Strong leadership for young horsemen and women now will ensure a vital horse industry in the future. With that in mind, the American Youth Horse Council (AYHC) is seeking to recognize programs or organized activities that help build strong youth leaders within the horse industry. AYHC is now seeking nominations for the First Annual AYHC Partnership Award. This award has been created to recognize an organization for a program or formal activity that provides leadership and inspiration to young people in accordance with the overall mission of AYHC exemplified by its motto, "Connecting Kids Through Horses." The annual award will be presented along with the AYHC Leader of the Year and AYHC Student Leader of the Year at the National Youth Horse Leaders Symposium, which will be held February 29 through March 2, 2008 in Raleigh, North Carolina.

The awards committee will review and evaluate the nominations and present the findings to the AYHC board for final selection. The final selection will be based on the nominated program's contributions and innovative approach to youth leadership and education within the horse industry in general and the youth horse industry in particular. To receive an application contact AYHC at 719-594-9778 or info@ayhc.com. Nominations will close on January 31, 2008.

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The American Youth Horse Council (AYHC), established in the early 1970's, is the umbrella organization providing encouragement, communication, leadership and resources to serve and promote the youth horse industry. AYHC promotes education through the development and distribution of quality educational materials and by providing ongoing training opportunities to those looking help kids connect through horses!

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