In memory of LuAnn Long-Vietzke, a nine-year Marion County 4-H Horse Club member, annual grant of $200 each will be awarded to eligible 4-H horse members for the purpose of buying a piece of equipment or tack the member needs. Eligible members are those who have started their second or third year in the horse program.

Members wishing to apply for the grant must **complete the application form and submit it with an essay** of approximately 250 words about their 4-H horse experience and why they need the equipment. Successful applicants will be required to send a thank you note to the Long family.

The successful applicant(s) will be selected by a group of Marion County 4-H Horse Development Committee members on the basis of need, enthusiasm for the 4-H program, and the desire to advance skills. The timeline for the application:

**LuAnn Long-Vietzke Memorial Grant**

*Application due: May 31st, 2013
Awarded by or before June 15th, 2013*

Recipients will be recognized again at the Marion County Fair Horse Awards Ceremony.

Applications should be mailed or delivered to: Marion County Extension Office
Attn: Melanie Mintken
3180 Center Street NE, Room 1361
Salem, Or 97301

**Application**

Member’s name: ___________________________ Phone __________________

Address: ____________________________________________

City: ___________________________ Zip code: __________________

Age: ___________ Grade: ___________ Year in Horse Program: ___________

Parent’s signature of approval: ___________________________

Leader’s statement supporting the application:

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Leaders signature: ____________________________________________

Club: ___________________________ Date: __________________