

2024 Area IV Young Riders Virtual Teams

The Young Rider Virtual Team Competition encourages the next generation of riders to develop the habit of contributing to the sport of eventing through competition, continuing education, volunteer efforts, and fundraising.

It is a great way to connect with other young riders from Area IV and provides an opportunity for Area IV Young Riders to work together to compete for year-end prizes.

2024 YR Virtual Team Coordinator is Kristin Strehlow.

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YR Virtual Team Rules

- Team members **must** be 2024 current members of the USEA Area IV Young Rider program by joining through the USEA website and declaring as an Area IV Young Rider.
- Competition year will follow the USEA calendar from 12/1/2023 through 11/30/2024.
- Riders choose one (1) horse at the beginning of the year.
 - Riders may change to a different horse once during the competition year with approval. Kristin must be contacted if you will be changing horses.
- Four (4) riders per team
- Riders may only be part of one virtual team.
- Prizes awarded to the top five (5) placing teams.
- **It is the responsibility of each rider to check email for all virtual team communications.**
 - All quarterly activities are submitted via the Google Form
 - Quarterly email with submission form link will be sent at the end of each quarter to all participants for activity submission.
 - **Riders must provide proof of volunteer hours** (i.e., USEA Volunteer system or organizer signature on volunteer form)
 - Activities will be grouped into 4 quarters.
December 2023 – March 2024 (Q1 - 4 months). April – June 2024 (Q2). July – Sept 2024 (Q3). Oct-Nov 2024 (Q4 - 2 months)
- Participants must register for Virtual Teams by February 29, 2024.
- Participants may only register for full 4-person teams after February 29, 2024 – unless there are existing teams with availability.