

Team Velvet Coloring Page Project

All New Jersey 4-H members are invited to participate in a special service project to help children.

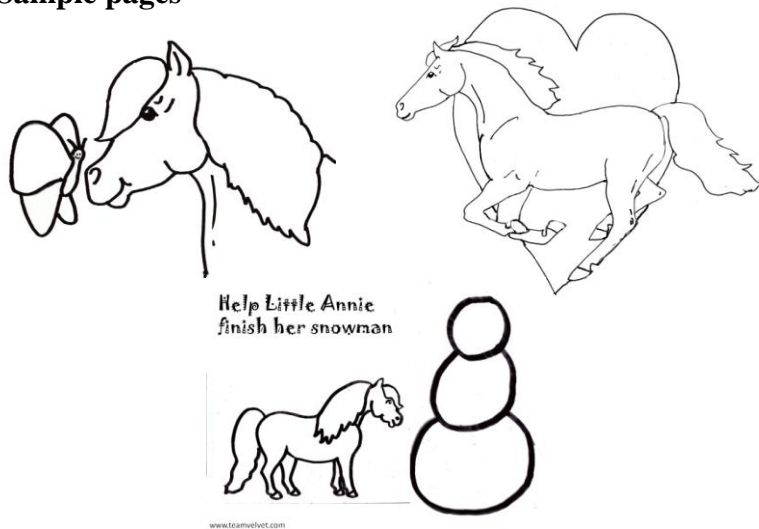
Team Velvet, Inc. helps children overcome trauma with the help of three therapy horses. On its web site is a section “**Fun Stuff For Kids**” which includes printable coloring pages to download and color. Team Velvet would like to expand the selection of coloring pages from a variety of young artists.

Drawings must be simple, black and white line drawings that fit on 8.5 by 11 inch paper, ideal for children ages 5 to 12 to color. The drawings can include one or more of the Team Velvet, Inc. horses, but that is not required. Drawings should fit with the theme of love and happiness but not be religious.

The staff of Team Velvet, Inc. will select several to be displayed on the website in the Fun Stuff for Kids' with credit provided to the artist. All artists who submit a drawing will get a printable certificate of service from the organization. The artist grants permission for Team Velvet, Inc. to use the artwork on its website, for fundraising, as part of a coloring book, and other purposes.

E-mail lrshupe@frontiernet.net with questions.

Sample pages



Here are some ideas:

Silly horses to make you smile; Amazing horses from history; Holiday Horses; Santa's horses; St. Patrick's Day horses, Horse Relatives (zebra, donkey, etc); Land of Imagination (Pegasus, unicorn, striped horses, polka dot horses, etc.); Horses in costumes; My Favorite Horse; Famous horses.

About Team Velvet: Each day there is a child who experiences the death of a loved one, is a witness to violence, is victimized by crime or intense bullying, is disfigured by an accident, or experiences countless other events — all resulting in severe childhood trauma. If left unaddressed, in the extreme, child trauma may cause flashbacks, blackouts, and may result in severe damage. Team Velvet, Inc. (609) 924-4330 provides multi-modal horse therapy for traumatized children ages 5 to 12 years with psychologist Dr. Susan Edwards. Therapy horses may be involved in interactive games, kick a soccer ball, dance or be taught liberty performance. Children do not ride the horses; they interact while working toward goals of increased self-esteem and resiliency.

Team Velvet Coloring Page Project Release Form

Send completed form and artwork by March 31 to: Lillian Shupe, 9648 Riversedge Park, Bangor, PA 18013 or lrshupe@frontiernet.net. Questions? 908-892-3255

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| First Name | | Last Name | | 4-H County | |
| Street Address | | | Phone | | |
| Town | | State | Zip | e-mail | |
| Current Grade | Club Name | | | | |
| Title/Description of Piece | | | | | |
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Attach additional sheets as needed

Media Release:

Participant Name: _____

All submissions must be original work by the artist.

All artwork becomes the property of Team Velvet, Inc. Submission of the artwork grants Team Velvet, Inc. a non-exclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license to publish the 4-H member's artwork in editorial, educational, and promotional print and digital materials, in our promotional and educational posts on social media, and for all other lawful uses—including artwork print sales, allowing visitors to www.teamvelvet.com to download and print the artwork—in furtherance Team Velvet's mission of helping children ages 5 to 12, overcome trauma. All published artwork will be credited to the artist. Information (Name and 4-H County) of the artist may be used in press releases and posted on www.teamvelvet.com.

Participant Signature _____ **Date** _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date** _____

How to create a coloring page



Start sketching on plain white paper.



Don't worry about mistakes or eraser marks.



Use a piece of plexiglass on top of a box, or use a clear storage container. Put a light source underneath



Put the sketch above the light. Place a new piece of plain white paper over your sketch.



Trace the final version using a black, felt-tipped pen.



Scan into the computer. You may edit in the computer to clean it up if needed.

Save as a jpg or pdf at a resolution of 300 dpi.

If you can't scan, send us the original (not folded) and we'll scan it for you. Original artwork will not be returned.

You may add words if you want otherwise we will add them for you.