

Grand Rapids FFA Alumni/ True Grit Saddle Club

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Dear Prospective Sponsor,

The True Grit Saddle Club is a new saddle club established in January of 2021. True Grit Saddle Club works in conjunction with the Grand Rapids FFA Alumni and Supporters. We started the True Grit Scholarship Horse Shows back in 2015 to raise money for a scholarship in honor of a past Grand Rapids FFA member. This Grand Rapids FFA Alumnus has not been able to participate in equine activities due to a traumatic brain injury. He was instrumental in the success of the first GRFFA Horse team to finish first in the MN State FFA Horse Career Development Event (CDE). He is also a former GRFFA president.

Since our first show in 2015, we have been able to give away thousands of dollars in scholarships to graduating seniors of the Grand Rapids FFA chapter who are enrolled in a degree, certificate program, or continuing their education. 100% of the proceeds of our horse show and saddle club go towards these scholarships. Our goal for the future is to be able to award each applying senior a scholarship. This year we will be putting on our 7th and 8th scholarship horse shows and our second ever show series as a recognized WSCA Saddle Club. There are lots of exciting things happening this year.

Our shows rely heavily on volunteers and sponsorships. We are currently looking for sponsors for our 2022 show series. This year's dates are June 10-12th and July 8th-10th. In return for sponsorships, we offer multiple advertising opportunities for all of our sponsors during our show series. Check out the table below for more information on sponsorship levels. Each event includes a barrel race for a local charity and 2-day full WSCA show.

Please consider sponsoring these events. We are extremely grateful for any and all support! Check out the attached sponsorship form for all of the details.

We hope you are able to contribute and we thank you for your time and consideration

Sincerely,

The True Grit Saddle Club and Grand Rapids FFA Alumni and Supporters

For more information visit:

<https://truegritsaddleclub.weebly.com/>

Facebook pages: True Grit Saddle Club, Grand Rapids MN FFA Alumni and Supporters

### **Sponsorship Levels**

	Class	Reserve Highpoint	Highpoint (buckle)
	\$20	\$50	\$100
Class Sponsorship	X	X	X
Name/Business announced during the show	X	X	X
Social Media Mentions (Facebook and our website)	X	X	X
Name/Business on banner/other advertisements		X	X
Sponsor of a buckle			X