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LEARN TO DRIVE HORSES

(Lamar, Colorado, January 9, 2008) The Lamar Community College Agriculture Department will offer a unique opportunity for lifelong learners to gain practical skills. Its Horse Driving clinic will teach participants the basics of properly harnessing and driving single and two-horse teams on March 7-9, 2008. Clinic curriculum will include understanding the harness & its parts, harnessing single horse and two-horse teams, driving single horse & two-horse teams, hitching and driving, and safety.

The clinic will occur on Friday and Saturday, March 7 and 8 at 9 a – 5 p and Sunday, March 9 at 9 a – 1 p at LCC's Horse Training Facility in Lamar, Colorado. Additionally, all clinic participants are encouraged to attend an annual Farm Days event, north of La Junta, Colorado, the following weekend at no additional charge.

The registration fee for the three-day clinic is \$375 or \$200 for current LCC students. All harnessing equipment and horses will be supplied. Light & draft horses breeds are used, and all horses are well-trained and gentle.

Instruction is provided by professional horse driving expert, Delbert Jones, and his assistants. All instructors have at a minimum of ten years of experience in driving light to draft horse horses.

For more information or to register, contact LCC Coordinator of Ag Studies Del Chase at 719.336.1629 or ag@lamarcc.edu.

