

# Whips & Wheels Driving Club

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## February 2011

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## Valentine Drive Feb 19<sup>th</sup> 2011

If I try to list everyone who came, I know I will probably forget someone, so if you were there Thank You for coming and supporting us. We did have at least 30 people, including potential new members! We LOVE to have a cheering section! We had everything from Drafts, Horses, Ponies and a mini Donkey and I think a total of 7 turnouts and 2 or 3 riders! The weather was wonderful but did get a bit breezy after lunch.

Faith had some neat games set up for us. On the Cross Country drive, we had to stop and put a puzzle together. *Some of our navigators were 'a bit challenged' by Whinny the Pooh and couldn't complete the puzzle in the allotted time.* At the next stop, we had a minute to memorize about 14 items on a tray, then write down everything we could remember after the tray was covered. The third stop had the navigator blindfolded with a ball in hand and the whip had to direct the gator to a basket and have him drop the ball in it. Jeff really made up for lost 'puzzle time' at this stop!

After Lunch we drove an obstacle course where we had to back all the way through a set of makers before continuing on to have our gators drive a roofing nail into a board. At the next stop, our gators had some unique ways to put clothing on! The final obstacle was to try to toss a ball into a bucket. Following the obstacle course, we played Red Light Green Light. Faith was VERY impressed with how well our equines behaved, she was sure this one was going to be a tough one for us.....it was tougher on her to disqualify us! Finally, we had to see who could walk the SLOWEST to the finish line without stopping. It was a GREAT Day, Thank

you Faith and all your wonderful volunteers, AND the landowners who allow us to play on their property.

Results:

Cross Country:

1. Nancy Faller/Tonya Barga & Rootbeer
2. Tricia & Jeff Hardy & Precious
3. Polly Hixson/Barbie Black & Charm

Obstacles:

1. Sierra Davis Riding Ellie
2. Leah Jones/Mini Donkey
3. Polly Hixson/Barbie Black & Charm

Red Light Green Light:

1. Nancy Faller/Tonya Barga & Rootbeer
2. Sierra Davis Riding Ellie
3. Polly Hixson/Barbie Black & Charm

## Board of Directors Meeting

Feb 4<sup>th</sup>, 2011 @ MAD Ceramics

Penny called the meeting to order 6:30pm with Penny Godbey, Penny Brandon, Pat Granzky, Tommy Cope, Nancy Faller, Barbie Black and Tricia Hardy in attendance.

The previous BOD minutes were passed out and the treasurer's report updated from the Jan meetings report. We now have \$ in the treasury. Pat gave Penny a check to pay our insurance of \$. We discussed the Fire Safety Clinic and how well those attending, received it. The board thinks we should probably put on another fire safety clinic when it's a bit warmer! We then reviewed the upcoming events (Feb 19<sup>th</sup> Valentine Drive in Salisbury and April 19<sup>th</sup> St Patty Drive at TLC Farm, see web site for more info & directions

<http://www.whipsandwheelsdrivingclub.org/Event%20Flyers.htm>

We went on to plan the rest of the years events as follows:

April 23<sup>rd</sup> Morganton Pleasure Drive

May 21<sup>st</sup> Intro to Driving Clinic @ TLC Farm  
Advance

June 12<sup>th</sup> Possible Continuous Drive @ Paradox  
(NOTE Date has been changed from the Sat 11<sup>th</sup> to Sunday the 12<sup>th</sup>)

July ??? Possible Picnic @ Tanglewood. Tommy will figure out details

August ??? Speakers using the Woodleaf Community center if it is still available, Penny G to follow up. **Possible speakers/topics:**

- Chiropractor (Dr. Karla Christy)
- Harness Claudette Robinson
- Jay Moore vet on driving horses
- A horse council rep
- Debbie Metcalf of the Net Posse

September ??? The Arc in Monroe Penny G to check into

October 22<sup>nd</sup> Halloween at Paradox

November 19<sup>th</sup> Turkey Trot at TLC Farm Advance

December 4<sup>th</sup> Christmas party @ Tuckers

Penny B mentioned the Equestrian sale in Concord the 25-27<sup>th</sup>. Talking about Bylaws was put off until the next meeting. There was discussion about the Lone Hickory Arena in Hamptonville. It has a VERY large covered arena, but is probably to costly for us to rent for an event.

Meeting adjourned at 7:50pm

## CCC Winter Seminar, February 5, 2011

Barbie Black and I (Tricia) attended the CCC winter seminar in Tryon Saturday. There were quite a few people in attendance to listen to Craig Kellogg speak about what the Judge is looking for in the show arena, from the horse and the competitor. Marcie Quist spoke about turnouts Pleasure show versus CDE Presentation. We played a game to pick out the 5 best and worst turnouts from 20 different pictures. There were MANY differing opinions there! An interesting way to see if there is anything that really stands out in your turnout is to take a picture of it then hold it upside down to look at, it is amazing what you see when you look at pictures from a different point of view. Using a mirror to look at things reversed also works, a trick I learned in art classes. Bonnie Hines was there to analyze turnout outfits and make suggestions to make them better, (if you brought them or pictures for her to see). Then Caroline Whittle-McSwain talked about the various types of whips and their uses, besides using them on husbands.....(oooppps, did I say that?). Claudette had a wonderful spread of goodies to snack on and she did a wonderful job organizing this seminar. Thank you, Claudette and

the CCC for organizing & hosting these educational & fun seminars.

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*I had to pass this on for those who do not subscribe to the CD-L, Tricia*

This has gone around for years and thought it was time should go around again because it is too funny!! We've all known horses that would excel on this test.

The Amazing New Dressage Test (For Horses Unsuitable to Become Anything)

-By Joanna MacDonald et al

### The Test

1. A. Enter at ordinary serpentine
  - X. Sprawl. Salute.
  2. C. Stop dead. Stare in horror at judge and shy to the left. Continue at ordinary working gallop.
  3. E. Stagger left 20 or 15 or 22 meters in diameter circle or pear shape or five-pointed star. Avoid excess crossing of legs.
  4. K. Begin halt.
  - Z. Keep trying.
  - F. You can do it.
  - B. Give up. Continue out-of-hand gallop.
  5. H. Regain right stirrup. Continue an ordinary trot, bouncing.
  6. MK. Change rein. Free walk--loose reins.
- Remove horse from judge's luncheon table.
- Ask judge for leg up.
- Jump back into ring.
7. Z. Turn down centerline.
- Halt. Grin. Scratch.
- Burst into tears.
- Leave area at free walk on long reins, loose language.

**Don't forget to renew YOUR membership for 2011.**

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*Get Well wishes go out to Faith Bradshaw's Mother who has been in the hospital.*

### Schedule for 2010:

\*Regardless of the event riders, visitors and spectators are ALWAYS welcome. Please come and check us out! \*

**March 19th** St Patty day drive, Tricia Hardy to host at **T.L.C. Farm, Tommy & Karen Cope** 331 Feedmill Road Advance, NC 27006 336-998-4915

**From I-40 & Hwy 158** take 801 south (approx 5 miles) to Advance, turn right on Feedmill Road. The farm is at the end of the road.

**From Hwy 64** take 801 north (approx 6 miles) to Advance turn left on to Feedmill Road. The farm is at the end of the road.

**April 23rd** Morganton Drive

**Please RSVP to Barbie** For more information call **Barbie Black 864-921-0131**

DIRECTIONS to Dr Keith & Kim Smith's Echo Hill Farm

Kim Smith's cell phone if there are any problems 828-443-9410

Take I-40 west to exit #100 (Morganton & Jamestown Road) Go right towards Morganton on Jamestown Road for 2.6 miles. After you cross highway #70 (Taco Bell is at this intersection) start looking for the large Freedom High School on the right. When you see, the school get over to the left and take the SECOND light to the left onto 126 west and Table Rock Middle School sign. Go on 126 west for 1.9 miles. When you will come to a flat valley and cross over a small cement bridge. Take an IMMEDIATE left after the bridge onto Docastee Road. This long winding gravel road will lead you to the farm because it is also their driveway. As you come down the last hill into the valley there will be a large green utility Building. We will be parking in this area. There are bathrooms and water available at this location. There will be balloons and WWDC signs at every turn you need to make to get to the farm.

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### **Classifieds:**

*NOTE: Ads are FREE to PAID members and will run for 2 months then be deleted unless you request them to be run for another 2 months. Must be horse related, i.e. no washers dryers etc.*

11/04 Full size light oak Meadowbrook cart with wood fenders. Great condition. Always stored in garage of private home. This cart is large and is currently being used by a 16.2 horse and is suitable for parade or show. Asking \$1800. Email for pictures and measurements. Liz Patten 334-414-8526 [lcpatten@herffjones.com](mailto:lcpatten@herffjones.com)

**\*BYOL= Bring Your Own Lunch!**

The following is a list of people to contact if you are interested in just riding on days the club has no scheduled activities.

We are starting a list of people to call. So far we have:

- Barbie Black 864-921-0131
- Faith Bradshaw 704-213-7076  
[faith@salisburyblueprints.com](mailto:faith@salisburyblueprints.com)
- Tricia Hardy 336-751-0786 [tjhardy2@yadtel.net](mailto:tjhardy2@yadtel.net)
- Nancy Faller 336-284-6581  
[paradoxfarm@yadtel.net](mailto:paradoxfarm@yadtel.net)

If you would like to be added to this list, E-mail or call Tricia: [tjhardy2@yadtel.net](mailto:tjhardy2@yadtel.net) or 336-751-0786

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Phone:(\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_ (Home)

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

If you want your business listed in our Directory

Business: \_\_\_\_\_

BRIEF description of Business/Web Address:

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Discount to Members? \_\_\_ YES \_\_\_ NO

(\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_ (Work Phone)

**Office Use, Date Received:** \_\_\_\_\_

Check all that apply: \_\_\_ New Family \_\_\_ New Single \_\_\_ New after June 30<sup>th</sup> \_\_\_ Renewal

NEW & Renewing current Memberships **AFTER November 1st** will run through the next year:

Family Membership (2 or more people) \$25.00      Single Membership (1 person) \$15.00

Total Enclosed \$\_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** Membership will run from January 1<sup>st</sup> through December 31<sup>st</sup>. NEW Memberships joining **AFTER June 30<sup>th</sup>** will be prorated at \$12.00 (Family) & \$7.50 (Single) for the remainder of the year and any one joining or renewing a current membership after November 1st is good for the following year.

Make checks payable to: **Whips & Wheels Driving Club**

Send Form & Check to: **Pat Granzyk 6988 Lanvale Court Clemmons, NC 27012**