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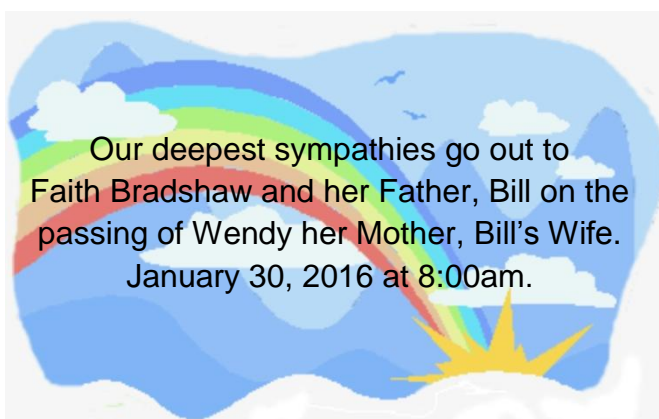
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HEAD WHIP'S CORNER



Our deepest sympathies go out to Faith Bradshaw and her Father, Bill on the passing of Wendy her Mother, Bill's Wife. January 30, 2016 at 8:00am.

NEW YEAR'S DAY JAN 3RD DRIVE/RIDE

With a VERY chilling morning and a lot of frost on the pumpkins, we had 17 brave people and 6 horses show up for our First Annual New Year's Day Dessert Drive. Nancy and Faith had bags of goodies scattered out on the trail for us to find. We didn't know how many bags to find or where they were since we were told to just go out and drive or ride, but be back in ONE Hour or we would be penalized for every minute we were late getting back. 1st place went to Jeff, Jackie, Precious and I who found 8 items out of 9. 2nd went to Jessie, Aryn and Ben Smid who found 7. Jessie riding Prince and Ben driving Blaze with Aryn as navigator. 4th went to Woody and Charlotte who found 3 items, driving Mark and Mike. Bev just had fun tooling around with Moe. We had a very large assortment of desserts to minch on while Faith figured up the results of our scavenger hunt.

Afterwards Faith held a short meeting. She thinks we should make this drive an annual thing for New Year's day since most of us don't go out and party.

She asked each of us what each of us would like to see the club do this year. The consensus seems to be Cones and Cross Country, but we also would like to see clinicians and maybe some dressage, which, ties into the TREC where precision, and control is more important than speed. (We all could use this and learning how to pace our gaits.)

Woody talked about "pulling contests" which he is starting to get into with Mike and Mark. He is going to let us know when he is going to compete so we can come out and cheer him on!

We also talked about having more WWDC shirts, hats, sweatshirts made by Penny Godbey. It would be nice if we were attending an outside event if we all wore something with our logo on it. Penny will bring more info to our General meeting on January 24th.

Faith had to move her February Chili Cook off/Drive from the 20th to the 13th, Nancy will be out of town on the 20th. PLEASE RSVP to Faith if you plan to be a Chili Chef contestant. (she needs to figure prizes)

Dues are due,

If you have a 15 on your e-mail or Snail Mail address, it is time to renew!

Welcome New Members:

Families:

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Bonnies2013@yahoo.com

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CHANGES to the membership list passed out at the General Meeting 1/31/2016

Delete Bev Duval's Pager # and Penny Godbey's work # has changed to 704-639-7574

Congratulations Woody on your new "pulling" pair Mark and Mike. I hope that we can come support you at some of your pulling contests.

GENERAL MEETING

January 31, 2016 @ the Sagebrush in Mocksville 207pm

In attendance were:

Tricia & Jeff Hardy, Tony & Cindy Dalton, Linda Ward, Bev Duval, Woody Woodall, Rita Sr & Jr Lewandowski (new Members) Polly Hixson, Bobbette Hyde (new Member), Marilyn Colvin, Jim & Penny Godbey, Chris Peckham and Nancy Faller.

Treasurer Report

Beginning balance \$1,705.63
End of Year 12/30/2015 Balance \$1794.35

2016 events discussed

January 3rd 2016 1st Annual Dessert Drive at Paradox

February 13th Chili Cook off & "Tea Towel" Event If you are planning to make Chili PLEASE RSVP to Faith so she can figure awards ALSO to know about parking at the barns, if we don't have a large turnout with horses. If it looks like more than 4 or 5 are bringing horses we will have to park in the back instead of up near the barns. If it rains, the drive is off BUT the Chili Cook-off will still happen in the log cabin.

March 19th Tricia will host at TLC Farm

April (Need to pick date) Woody Woodall & Chris Peckham will host an event **either April 9th OR 23rd**. More info to come as I receive it

May 14th Cindy Dalton picked May 14th to host an event at her farm, again more info as I get it.
HERO Show at TTC May 21st
Mule days at Leatherwood May 5-8th
(CCC HDT May 1st weekend???)

June (Need to pick date, Nancy will pick a date) (Rain date?) Breakfast Drive. Tommy will be our chef (we hope) and we will all need to bring Breakfast Stuff. Drive on the farm after breakfast

July 16th Picnic at Ellis Park. Faith & I will plan. Same shelter behind the Ellis Park Rec Center (we usually hold a Frisbee Golf Tournament before lunch)

August (Need to pick date) Date is OPEN need someone to step up and plan an event

September (Need to pick date, Nancy will let me know) Picnic Basket Drive at Paradox
(CCC Pleasure Show the 30-1?)

October Halloween (Need to pick date with Nancy)

November Fall Event, (Need to pick date with Tommy) Tommy & Karen to host at TLC?

December 3rd, 2016 Christmas Party, (first Sunday) at Paradox

January ? 2017 General Meeting at Sagebrush

January 1st 2017 2nd Annual Dessert Drive at Paradox

CHILI COOK OFF

Chili should be in crock-pots if you have them, Bring serving utensils & Condiments you want to go with your Chili

Will give tickets out to vote for best chili. Cook-off will happen rain or shine.

EVENT/SIGN IN SHEETS

To be eligible for End of Year Prizes, YOU are responsible to make sure you have filled out your entry form or signed the sign in sheet. Have a tally board at July Picnic?

Possible End of Yr prizes ???

- Driver of the year
- Navigator of the year
- Rider of the year
- Passenger/Attended/Spectator of the year
- Youth of the year
- Volunteer of the year
- Horse of the year

Bev has agreed to take over handling the Club's Insurance. Letting them know if we cancel or add events etc, I will still handle the bill paying. This year's bill has arrived (\$500.00)

Possible Events for this year?

August Dinner Cruise on Lake Norman
Barn Dinner Theater
Canoeing on the Dan River or at the lake in Hanging Rock State Park

Present Member of the Year Award: Nancy Faller is the winner of the Member of the Year award, but Faith will have to get it to her later since she was unable to attend the meeting.

Apparel with our Logo: Penny Godbey had samples of our logo stitched on hats, insulated lunch bags and sweatshirts, which sold like hotcakes! She will take orders, call her at 704-278-9112 or e-mail her pcgodbey@bellsouth.net
NOTE: it would be nice if when we all go to an outside event like Woody's pulling contests to all have shirts, hats or whatever with our club logo. It was mentioned to "Come in Clothes"! I'm sure this person meant we should wear our stuff with logos on it

Meeting adjourned at 2:35

SCHEDULE FOR 2015/2016:

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

Event Fees: Members \$15.00 per Turnout or Rider, Non-members \$20.00 per Turnout or Rider, Spectators FREE.

See agenda above on page 2.

CLASSIFIEDS

1/16 DREAMCOACH Trailer 2+1 Aluminum Straight load Sliver Edition. 2005 All aluminum gooseneck trailer with 4' tack compartment which includes saddle rack, and custom closet. 7'6" tall and 19' on the floor with loading ramp in rear and a 59" side ramp. Excellent condition. \$16995. For pictures and information including specification sheet please call Linda Ward 336-972-3903. Shadowofcariolina.com



Whips & Wheels Driving Club Membership Application/Waiver

Membership will run from January 1st through December 31st.

Please print out form below & fill out then:

Make Checks payable to: Whips & Wheels Driving Club or WWDC Mail to: Tricia Hardy 547 John Crotts Road Mocksville, NC 27028

___ Family Membership full year \$25.00 (Family Membership 2 or more people up to 4. voting privileges 18 years or older)

___ Single Membership full year \$15.00 (1 person)

___ New After June 30th will be prorated: 1/2 year \$12.00 Family \$7.50 Single (remainder of the year.)

___ New & Renewing Memberships AFTER November 1st run through the following year.

Dues are due the first of January each year.

Total \$ Enclosed \$ _____ Please provide the following contact information For our Membership/Business directory

Name: _____ Farm Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Business: _____ Web Site: _____

SHORT Description: _____

Work or Cell Phone: _____

Date Received: _____ (Office Use)

Please read and sign the WAIVER below & send with your application: *Print a copy to keep*



1st Adult/Parent/Guardian _____



2nd Adult/Parent/Guardian _____



1st minor (under 18 years) _____

2nd minor (under 18 years) _____ Date: _____

Whips & Wheels Driving Club Equine Release, Waiver and Indemnification

The undersigned participant, and his or her parent or legal guardian if under the age of 18 years, does/do hereby execute this release waiver, and indemnification for himself/themselves and his or her/their heirs, successors, representatives and assigns and, thereby agree(s) and represents as follows:

To release Whips and Wheels Driving Club, it's members, agents and representatives affiliated with this activity from any liability, loss, damage, costs, claims and/or causes of action, including but not limited to all bodily injuries and property damage arising out of participation in the activity, it being specifically understood that said activity includes the handling of equine by the undersigned participant. The undersigned person(s) further agree(s) to indemnify Whips and Wheels Driving Club, it's members, agents and representatives affiliated with this project, and hold them harmless for any loss, damage, cost, claim judgment, or settlement which may be brought or entered against them as a result of the undersigned person's participation in said activity.

If involved in equine activities pursuant to NC Chapter 99E of NC General Statutes, the undersigned(s) executes(s) this waiver of the undersigned(s) right to sue and agree(s) to assume all risks resulting from the "intrinsic dangers of equine activities". "Intrinsic dangers of equine activities" is defined as those dangers or conditions that are an integral part of equine activities, including but not limited to: (i) the propensity of equines to behave in ways that may result in injury, harm, or death to persons on or around them; (ii) the unpredictability of an equine's reaction to such things as sounds, sudden movement, and unfamiliar objects, persons or other animals; (iii) certain hazards such as surface and subsurface conditions; (iv) collisions with other animals or objects; and (vi) the potential of a participant acting in a negligent manner that may contribute to injury to the participant or others, such as failing to maintain control over the equine or not acting within the participant's ability.

This waiver shall remain valid unless expressly revoked by the participant or Parent or guardian of a minor. The revocation shall be in writing, which shall be addressed to the provider and shall become effective thirty (30) days after delivery to the provider.

The undersigned(s) should maintain all medical and health insurance to cover all risks of any kind in any place in livestock, equine, and/or other activities.

I the undersigned participant will ensure equipment is in good condition at all times, wear and use all safety equipment. Minors (under the age of 18) MUST wear helmets and be accompanied by an experienced driver when in the carts/carriages.

WARNING: Under North Carolina law, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for an injury to or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting exclusively from the inherent risks of equine activities. Chapter 99E of the North Carolina general statutes.

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