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Our deepest sympathies go out to
Bobbette Hyde on the passing of her
Mother.

HEAD WHIP'S CORNER

Do I dare think Spring is on its way. The blue birds are checking out the nesting box. With three events done this year maybe the weather is on our side.

We have a great line up for this year. Hope to see you at the [March 19](#) event. Thanks to everyone who cooked chili and attended the cook off. It was a great success. Thanks.

TEA TOWEL CHILI-COOK-OFF

February 13, 2016

5 drivers and 1 rider braved the 30 degree, windy weather for Faith's Tea Towel Event! Cudos to our newest members, Rita Sr. driving Pistol & Rita Jr. driving Paisley. Ben & Jessica Smid driving Blaze and Jessie Smid Riding Prince. Our diehard members, Nancy Faller driving Cobalt with Antonia as navigator and Tricia & Jeff driving Precious, with 2 more new members, Marybeth & Collin Helenek/Wiedel as passengers. (So sorry you guys had to get off going up the hills, Precious is really out of shape! There were 7 tea towels out on the trail. We had to answer questions related to things found on the Tea Towels. Nancy & Antonio won answering the most questions correctly, Tricia & Jeff were second, Ben & Jessica were third, Rita Sr. & Rita Jr. were fourth.

The Chili Cook-off was a BIG Success, we had 8 different pots of Chili (even Jeff!!!! made a pot, he has only ever tried to cook ONCE in 33 years of marriage!). We had everything from very mild to one that was pretty spicy and one that had a secret ingredient (tequila!). A total of 20 people were there for the taste testing, then lunch with some really good desserts, brought by members. The winner of the cook-off was Marilyn Colvin, (recipe follows) with Charlotte Woodall second and Pat Granzyk in third place. It was tough picking, they were all really good!

Faith asked for feedback on our events and what we want especially asking our youngest members to participate in deciding. Someone asked if we could do a dessert cook-off at our next event. By all means bring a dessert, we seem to be a very food oriented group and want to socialize after driving or riding. If it hadn't been so cold I am sure some of us would have gone back out on the trails after eating. Faith talked about doing some spur of the moment drives where someone decides they want to drive or ride and we send out an e-mail to the membership to join us. Faith, Marilyn, Nancy and I

have been doing this on and off over the past year. Nancy says we are ALWAYS welcome to come to Paradox even if she is not there, JUST be courteous and make sure you text (she prefers texts) or call her to let her know you want to come and when. We are thinking next weekend would be a good day, Sat or Sunday 2/20 or 21. If anyone wants to try spur of the minute drives, call or e-mail me and I can send an e-mail to the membership inviting them to come too.

Polly had a suggestion about safety. She thinks we should ALL carry some kind of identification on our person, with emergency #'s (Just In Case). WE have enough new members that if something happened we might not know who to contact in an emergency. Having an ICE # in your phone is a good idea too. **ICE = In Case of Emergency** EMT's would look for that in your phone. Jeff & I wear a Road ID bracelet that if an EMT needed to they could go on-line and get any medical information (that we put there) by using a pin # on the back side of the metal bar on the bracelet. You can get 2 kinds of ID's. One is the original information only on the band like your name & contact in an emergency info OR you can get an interactive band Like Jeff & I have where the EMT's can access your info for \$9.99 per year. The web site is: www.roadid.com. Another option is to print out any info you would want responders to know and laminate it and keep it on you when you ride or drive. Another good place to keep this info is in the drivers side door of your vehicle in case of a car accident.

Faith had the January/February 2016 magazine that had an article about the TREK we went on last fall. The article follows this story as another attachment. *Scanned & reprinted with permission from Ann Pringle, Driving Digest. Appearing on pages 40-41*

Last but not least, Faith presented Nancy with her member of the year award.

Thank You Faith for the event and Nancy for the use of your farm.



WINNING CHILI RECIPE:

Smokehouse Chili

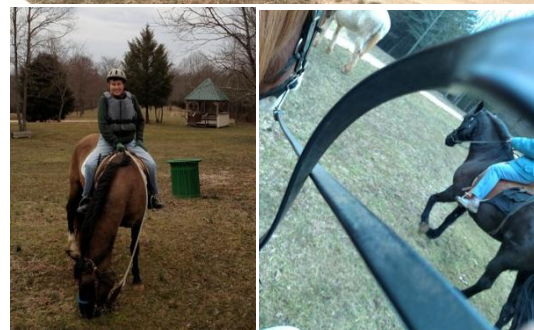
2 lbs. ground beef
 1 lb. bacon
 1 c. chopped onion
 1 28 oz. can Bush's Homestyle Baked Beans
 1 15 oz. can red kidney beans, drained
 1 15 oz. can baby butter beans, drained
 1 1/4 c. ketchup
 1/2 c. brown sugar
 1 1/2 T liquid smoke flavoring
 4 T white vinegar
 1 tsp. salt
 pepper
 Brown beef and onion, drain off the fat, put in the crock pot.
 Brown bacon, drain off the fat, break into pieces, put in the crock pot.
 Add remaining ingredients, stir well.
 Cover and cook on low 4 to 6 hours.





IMPROMPTU RIDE & DRIVE

Saturday, February 20th Faith Bradshaw, Tricia Hardy, Tommy Cope, Marilyn Colvin, Laura Powers, Pat Granzky and Kathy & JC Dill held an impromptu Ride & Drive at Paradox, Nancy was off skiing! The weather was a bit warmer than for our Tea Towel Event! 2 carriages and 4 riders enjoyed a leisurely trek around the property, showing off the farm to our newest members the Dill's



Other newest members the Lewandowski's, (who couldn't make this drive because of a bent wheel) told me about a carriage superstore! Don't know if anyone else knew about this, but I plan to check it out the next time Jeff & I go down to Greer SC to visit family. It really looks HUGE!

<http://www.carolinacarriagesuperstore.com/>

For those who are interested, here is the
CCC's Club calendar:

February

9 Windsor Driving Derby, Windsor, SC
21 FENCE Hunter pace...Need Volunteers to earn credit, contact Sue morganponydriver@yahoo.com
 21 ADC Audbon Drive, Aiken Driving Club
 24-28 Live Oak International CDE, FL
27 CCC River Road Clean Up...need volunteers contact [Laurel cantabriafarms@aol.com](mailto:Laurel.cantabriafarms@aol.com)

March

4-6 Black Prong CDE, FL
5 CCC Quarterly Meeting at 6 PM and Board Meeting at 5 PM
11-12 Janelle Marshall Clinic at Foxbrier Farm, contact Shannon msf2dresg@aol.com
 13 Windsor Driving Derby, Windsor, SC
19 Windridge Farm FUN PLAY HDT contact Price p_story@bellsouth.net
 23-26 Windsor Trace CDE and CT see American Driving Society Omnibus

April

2 Gilcrest Garm CT, Windsor, SC
 3 Windsor Driving Derby, Windsor, SC
9 Foxbrier Farm ADT contact Carol Ann cabooh@aol.com
12 CCC Board Meeting 7 PM contact Carol Ann cabooh@aol.com
 15-17 Southern Pines CDE, NC see American Driving Society Omnibus
16-17 FENCE HT... Need Volunteers to earn credit, contact Sue morganponydriver@yahoo.com
23 Knoxhaven Games Day contact Karen kpayne88@hotmail.com
 29-30 Martins Carriage Auction, PA

May

6-7 Janelle Marshall Clinic at Foxbrier Farm, contact Shannon msf2dresg@aol.com
7 Blockhouse Steeple Chase, Tryon, NC
10 CCC Board Meeting 7 PM contact Carol Ann cabooh@aol.com
21-22 CCC HDT and CT at Windridge Farms contact cccshowsecretary@gmail.com

June

4 Foxbrier TREC contact Carol Ann cabooh@aol.com
11 CCC Introduction to Driving Clinic for Foothills Riding Club members contact Sue morganponydriver@yahoo.com
18 Quarterly Meeting at Deb's with Board meeting an hour before contact Deb bouvhuqs@gmail.com

July

12 CCC Board Meeting 7 PM contact Carol Ann cabooh@aol.com
16 Pool Party contact Karen kpayne88@hotmail.com
 27-31 USPC National Championships at Tryon International Equestrian Center

August

9 CCC Board Meeting 7 PM contact Carol Ann cabooh@aol.com
27 Greta's Fun Day contact Carol at cgreata@windstream.net

September

3 Quarterly Meeting at Laurel's with Board meeting an hour before contact Laurel cantabriafarms@aol.com
 17 Windridge Farm HDT and CT

October

9-10 CCC Pleasure Show at FENCE contact cccshowsecretary@gmail.com

11 CCC Board Meeting 7 PM contact Carol Ann

cabooh@aol.com

11-16 National Drive, KY

14-15 Martins Carriage Auction, PA

22-23 CCC BIG Weekend contact Carol Ann

cabooh@aol.com

November

3-6 Katydid CDE, Windsor SC see American Driving Society Omnibus

8 CCC Board Meeting 7 PM contact Carol Ann

cabooh@aol.com

December

3 CCC Quarterly Meeting at 6 PM and Board Meeting at 5 PM

SCHEDULE FOR 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.

March 19th Tricia will host at Paradox Farm. A full day of Practice/Play. Flier on event page and included with this newsletter

April (Need to pick date) Woody Woodall & Chris Pecham 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 Penny Godbey & I will be vendors.

(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 1st 2017, 2nd Annual Dessert Drive at
Paradox**

January ? 2017 General Meeting at Sagebrush

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.
Shadowofcarolina.com



MARCH MADNESS

PRACTICE!

March 19th, 2016

Come and do as you please PRACTICE Day!

Paradox Farm Mocksville, NC

RSVP to: Tricia@whipsandwheelsdrivingclub.org 336-751-0786

Gates open at 9:00 Practice/Play ALL Day!

Members \$15.00 per Turnout or Rider Non-Members \$20.00

Spectators & Volunteers FREE

Bring your Own Lunch & Chairs, No set time for Lunch.

I will have a trail marked out 5-7 km long. Each km will be posted. You can practice timing yourself as if doing an HDT cross country, where you have a specific time frame to complete the course OR you can practice different gaits to determine your speed as if doing a TREK. **You will need a stopwatch** for either. I MIGHT even try to make you read a compass to find the trail, *if I add this you will need a compass or your phone app?!*

I will also have obstacles set up that can be practiced either at speed or for precision (as in a TREK).

If you do not know what an HDT or TREK is, just come out to drive or ride and enjoy the farm. If you want to learn there will be people there who can help you.

I plan on driving myself, so this will be a do it on your own day to practice on a farm that "Has it ALL!"

Directions: Paradox Farm, Nancy Fuller Mocksville NC 27028 336-284-6581

From I-85 take Jake Alexander Blvd exit, go left stay on Jake Alexander Blvd until it T's with Hwy 601, go left stay on 601. About 12 miles you will see signs to Paradox Farm. The farm is on the left, trailer entry will be at the bottom of the hill.

From I-40 take the Farmington Road exit, left over ramp to end, go right on Hwy 158, through Mocksville about 4 miles south you will come to the intersection of 801 & 601. Go straight about 2 miles. The farm will be on your right, go past the farm to the bottom of the hill. Signs will be there for the trailer entrance on the right.



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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