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DUES

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YOU NEED TO RENEW YOUR DUES OR THIS WILL BE YOUR LAST NEWSLETTER.

HEAD WHIP'S CORNER



"4 WHEEL DRIVE MUDDIN IT!"

Sunday, 3/6/2016



I don't think so! Antonio Diaz is my hero, my knight in shining orange armor!

Jeff and I were at Paradox Sunday 3/6/2016 laying out the trail for our March Madness Practice event for Saturday 3/19/2016. We had marked out the first km and were working on the 2nd km. We went down into some low areas, BIG MISTAKE! Not only were the turns VERY tight for our 4 wheel drive truck, it was VERY MUDDY! Needless to say, we were VERY STUCK! The back wheels were burrowed in at least 14" of very sloppy wet MUD! Antonio came to the rescue with the tractor, but even so, it took almost 2 hours to pull us out of 2 muddy areas and up onto dryer ground. We finally managed to get the trail laid out, AVOIDING the muddy areas!

Antonio I don't know how to thank you enough for rescuing us today!



ACCIDENT

Wishing Cindy Dalton, WWDC Board Member, a very speedy recovery.

I don't have all the details but I was told she stumbled and broke both wrists, her scapula and has bone fragments in her knee (that previously had a knee replacement).

Hi Tricia- I received some beautiful flowers today from the club. I normally hand write my "thank you" notes, but I'm a little tied up right now.

I have broken both wrists, fx scapula and left knee bone fragments in knee that had a total replacement. From reports, I might have to have surg on rt wrist and revision to Lt knee replacement. At this point, I am really afraid to walk outside of the house.

These blooming cast are driving me crazy. I will keep both casts on for 3 weeks and then the surgeons will decide if I need surgery or cast for a longer period. I also have broken bones around left knee where I had total knee replacement. I will probably have to have that redone also. With that being said, I think that I might have to reschedule the clubs drive for up here at the farm. I am so mad at myself for falling. I have just messed up everything. Sorry....please tell everyone thank you for me. Cindy Dalton

PS. Nancy has agreed to host Cindy's May 14th event at Paradox.

UPDATE on Cindy 3/26: As per Bev, Cindy's orthopedic Dr said she does not have broken wrists; scapula or bone chips in her knees. Guess it was hard to read the X-rays with all the swelling. It turns out Cindy is allergic to the knee replacement she

had previously to this fall and there is infection around the knee replacement. Cindy we are all thinking about you and wishing you well.

Another member Marilyn Colvin is having Hip Replacement surgery March 30th.

MARCH MADNESS PRACTICE DAY

Saturday March 19th changed to March 26th

We postponed the practice day from the 19th to the 25th due to rain and COLD. I was really hoping the rain would hold off until the afternoon, but no such luck! Today turned out a much better day, cloudy and moderate temps for all those critters who are out of shape! We had 10 drivers and 2 riders. Not sure if it was because I got to drive while hosting this event or not, but everyone seemed to have a good time doing their own thing whether it was playing in the obstacles or driving the 4km trail or just plain driving or riding. Even going back to pick up the arrows and km markers was fun in the "mule". Nancy, thank you for the use of your property to host this event, and thank you, to all who came out to "play".

NOTE to Nancy: We will try not to get our truck "stuck" again the next time I host an event at the farm!

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.

April 23 & 24th Woody Woodall & Chris Pecham will host an Amy Neary clinic at Woody's farm in Statesville. See events page of the website for more information.

May 14th Cindy Dalton picked May 14th to host an event at her farm. Due to Cindy's accident this event will now be at Paradox

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 The Mule club is going to Blowing Rock no date picked yet.

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. 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)

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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.

WHIPS & WHEELS DRIVING CLUB

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