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PRESIDENT'S LETTER

(Last month's arrived after publication)

Summers here! Not my most favorite time of year, bugs, heat and humidity. Give me Autumn any time. Next weekend is the picnic which sounds like its going to be fun. Don't forget you items for the Swap meet. We are trying to set us something for August in Blowing Rock. ... On June 25th Nancy, Antonio and myself went to Southern Pines to do their Sunburn CT . We did rather well. Nancy could not compete as her horse was lame so Antonio drove Natira and come in second in SPT and I came in first with Jubilee. We are planning on going back to the next one July 23 as it keeps all of us motivated thru out the summer. Look forward to seeing you all next Saturday. Stay cool.

July's President's Letter

Well, I got my wish cooler weather. Even through it short lived I'll take it. The fall season is coming up and we are planning a Derby for September 30th, Picnic basket drive September 9 and some of us

are going to compete at the Timberland HDT and CT at the Carolina Horse Park in late September. Some of us are already gearing up for the fall by driving and riding to get our equines in sharp. We drive quite often at Paradox and please feel feel to join us any time.

There are about 10 of us going to ride and drive at Blowing Rock August 26 & 27. It should be great fun.

See you all soon I hope. Faith

Breakfast Drive May 10, 2017 Correction to head count at the Breakfast drive NOT 101 more likely 10-11 people. Sorry I guess that was wishful thinking?!

4TH OF JULY!



Hey everyone! A group of us got together on July 4th at Tommy's and drove the water hazard. Tons of pictures on Facebook. Thanks to Austina for coming out to the water and taking

pictures! Polly Hixson, MD

PS, Thank you Faith for putting a lunch together for all of us and the watermelon Karen supplied. The impromptu drives are pretty special! We had a great time thanks Tommy & Karen. Tricia & Jeff

BLOWING ROCK Drive/Rdie Camp out

We have FINALLY made plans for going to Blowing Rock for a camping weekend August 26-27, 2017. Stall and camping information is below:

I need RSVP's for camp sites and stalls if we want to be together. I have called and made the reservations for those of us who have RSVPed already **NOTE: If you want to make reservations on your own or only come up for one day you can do that too, but you might not be camped or stalled with the group.**

PICNIC AT MARILYN & JAY'S

July 8th. HOT, HOT & more HOT! But we endured! We had a rousing game of Frisbee golf, (we could be heard all the way back up to Marilyn's house). Jay was our coach throughout the game. Nancy's team won. We only played 6 holes not all 18.

We moved all the food from the garage area into the house since it was so hot. As usual we had bountiful food, that of course was all delicious.

Thank you, Marilyn & Jay for welcoming us to your home for this picnic.



Note *NOT driving related but is everyone getting prepared for the TOTAL Eclipse of the sun, Monday August 21st?*

I found, the Special Glasses at LOWES HARDWARE. You can get a book "Get Eclipsed" with lots of info in it with 1 pair of glasses or you can just buy the glasses to protect your eyes. Our area will be in the 90% zone sometime between 12:00 & 1:00. We plan on going to visit Jeff's sister in Greer SC where the Eclipse will be TOTAL at about 1:09pm. Get the glasses, be safe when viewing

SCHEDULE FOR 2017:

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,

August 26-27. Moses camping weekend drive. See info above.

September 9th, 3rd Annual Picnic Basket Auction Drive.

October ??? TLC Farm, date **TBA**. (Carriages only) Possible Emergency Equipment clinic & drive.

November 18th **TBA** Tommy will talk to Pat Hauser Riverview Farm.

December 3rd (Sunday) Annual Dirty Santa Christmas Party this time Woody & Charlotte will host.

January 1st, 2018 3rd Annual Dessert Drive @ Paradox

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)

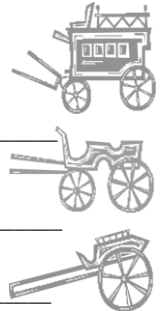
Please read and sign the WAIVER below & send with your application: Print a copy to keep

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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