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## **PRESIDENT'S LETTER**

My first job as president, I want to thank Faith very much for her hard work and countless hours as president of Whips and Wheels Driving Club, and I hope to take on the job (and with Faith's assistance) continue to set up a venue of fun driving for our club. I hope that we can encourage new drivers to join us in our activities that we have enjoyed with our horses and fellow club members. I would like to put on some clinics and events that will be for everyone on all levels to enjoy driving even more.

We will have a board meeting on the February 7th, and at that time we will finalize a little bit more about what we're going to do. We possibly will be putting a derby league together and some clinics, trail rides, and camping trips etc. for everyone to enjoy. I got a chance to speak with Tommy a little bit about the 4-H kids and we are going to get together and try and encourage some of these young people to join us on our Saturday events and some clinics that will be organized. We are looking forward to our Mullet Hall camping trip which should have 30 to 40 people showing up throughout the two-week period of time. I know all of these people and they are a good group of carriage driving friends. In addition to Mullet Hall, we will organize some other drives in Southern Pines, N.C., and Aiken, S.C. Please let me know of any ideas you have for driving venues as we will still be looking for other locations to have drives. Also, we will be going to Blowing Rock, N.C. which will be in August.

In May we will be having a Cinco de Mayo party on High Rock Lake at our house, and we would like to invite all of the Whips and Wheels Club Members to join us for barbecue, fun, and sun by the water. Bring a fishing pole too!

Please keep me informed of any new ideas, and anyway to make our existing events better if need be.

I look forward to seeing you all at our next outing!

Kathy

**REMEMBER 2019 Dues are DUE!**

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## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS:

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## GENERAL MEETING

Sagebrush Mocksville, 1/20<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Meeting called to order by Faith at 2:26pm with 17 in attendance.

Faith welcomed all and gave a special Thanks to me as Secretary/Treasurer for all the years I have served.

We presented the slate of officers and asked if there were any nominations from the floor. (There were none) Pat made a motion to accept the officers as presented Polly seconded and unanimously accepted. Here are your officers for 2019-2020:

**President** Kathy Batchelor,

**Vice President** Bev Duval,

**Secretary/Treasurer** Tricia Hardy.

**Permanent Directors** Nancy Faller & Tommy Cope (who says he is on sabbatical!)

**Directors** Jeff Hardy, Woody Woodall, Marilyn Colvin & Pat Hauser

**Past President** Faith Bradshaw.

Faith then turned the meeting over to Kathy.

Kathy presented Faith with a lovely bouquet of flowers for her service as President.

Kathy would like to try to see new faces, speaking of which Welcome to: Solitaire Kelly from Florida and Don & Judith Hayes from IL. (I will attach an updated Membership list with this newsletter). She would like to see more communication and LOVE to hear new ideas for events.

She went over the list of events already scheduled for this year:

**February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019** Valentine Drive Faith to host

**March 16<sup>th</sup>** Tricia to host an event (St Patty's with the usual GREEN pea soup made from our Xmas ham. Any extra supplied by attendees)  
*Also we are going to try to arrange a FREE Clinic with the money raised at our Silent Auction at the Picnic at Marilyn's this past July. We would like to do this BEFORE the show season starts.*

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**September & October** the Board is going to meet Feb 7<sup>th</sup> at Mad Ceramics to iron out details for a Derby/League which would run for 6 weekends. You would have to attend any 4 to be eligible for any prizes we might decide to give. Also try to plan the Clinic with the Auction \$.

**November?** Pat Hauser? Rivertrail Farm

**December 1<sup>st</sup>** Christmas Party/Dirty Santa (1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month)

**Jan 1st 2020** New Year's Day Hors d' Oeuvre Drive

**Jan ??? 2020** General Meeting usually at the Sagebrush in Mocksville 2:00pm Back room.

(Note we missed talking about the March event which I will handle)

### Possible Clinic with Money from

**Picnic/Silent Auction:** We are going to see if we can arrange for Amy Neary to come for a day or the weekend to do a clinic before the show season starts. This clinic will be FREE to our members. We will set up a schedule of times for each person/group. If you are NOT READY to go at your time slot, the next person/group will move into that time slot. Therefore you MUST be READY to GO at your posted time or you will lose it.

Some of our group is planning to go to **Mullet Hall** for a few days up to 2 weeks? There was confusion as to the actual dates but I think it was decided leaving from Paradox Feb 28- through March 4<sup>th</sup>. Kathy has details about camping & Stabling.

**Treasurers' report:** We have a balance of \$2,522.56 as of 1/16/2019 There was/is a full report available if anyone wanted to see it.

At 2:51 we postponed the meeting to eat then resumed at 3:18pm

The Board will meet at Mad Ceramics Thursday Feb 7<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm

February's 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday drive will be a FREE drive and unmarked cones course at Paradox. Gates open at 11:00am

Other 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday ideas Kathy spoke of are a Gator's Clinic, a "Do Over" dressage clinic & cones coaching clinic. Kathy plans to speak to Bev about getting the 4-Hers to help with some of these clinics.

Meeting adjourned at 3:29pm



*Impressive Carriage horses made of flowers at the Bellagio Hotel in Las Vegas!*



## SCHEDULE FOR 2019

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

**Event Fees:** Members \$15.00 per **Family**, if you have a family membership. Non-members \$20.00 per Turnout or Rider.

**NOTE: If a food event your event fee covers you, if you are ONLY coming for the food the fee is \$5.00 per person. (Christmas Party & General**

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# Whips & Wheels Driving Club Membership Application/Waiver



Membership will run from January 1<sup>st</sup> through December 31<sup>st</sup>.

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

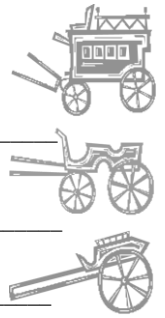
Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Farm Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Work or Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_ (Office Use)

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



1<sup>st</sup> Adult/Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> Adult/Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

1<sup>st</sup> minor (under 18 years) \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> 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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