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An auspicious beginning to the new year...We had to cancel the February 8th drive at Paradox due to all the flooding! But we did hold the Board Meeting.

BOD MEETING

February 8th, 2020 Hops Barn Paradox

Meeting called to order 2:02 pm with Kathy, Bev, Nancy, Faith, Tommy, Pat, Jeff & Tricia in attendance. We wished Nancy a Happy Birthday

Bev updated us on her Club insurance research. Star H will NOT refund the event monies they charged us for events that we did not hold. They claim all the switching and cancelling of dates is the reason. They quoted us a price of \$876.00 for the upcoming year. Bev has been working with 2 other companies and came up with American Reliable Agribusiness as our best option. They gave us a quote for 9 dates (like Star H, comparing apples to apples) of \$598.00. (Million \$ coverage) After much discussion between us AND with the agent Allen Dickerson, the board voted unanimously to go with this company. Faith made the motion, Nancy seconded.

We can add dates or cancel dates even the day of the scheduled event. This insurance will cover property damage, even if caused by a club member, bodily damage to non-members. EX Faith asked about: A member has an accident causing injury to himself, his equine and the property where the event is being held. This insurance covers the damage to the property BUT NOT to the member or his equine UNLESS negligence can be proven by



Christine Zawacki Peckham, lost her husband Kent, February 14th. Chris, our hearts are broken for you and your family, words are no good in this circumstance except to express our love and sympathy.

the property owner/club If the club is sued the commercial liability insurance will cover the cost of defense against the club. There is zero deductible on the liability.

Dates being submitted for events as follows:

March 7th (1st Saturday) Cones schooling. Walk the course at 10:00 1st go at 11:30 with a 2nd go after that.

March 28th Tricia to host at TLC Farm. St Patty theme Pea soup & Croutons supplied

April 4th (1st Saturday) Trivia Drive at Paradox

April 11th Pat to host at Riverview Farm

May 2nd (1st Saturday) Dressage "Fix a Test" at Paradox

June 6th Breakfast Drive at Paradox

July ??? Picnic at Marilyn & Jay's need to pick a date NO horses

NOT CLUB EVENT *July possible Ride at Leatherwood*

August ??? Kathy looking into dates for a weekend at Blowing Rock

NOT CLUB EVENT **Sept 5th (1st Saturday)** Ride somewhere TBA

September 19th 4-H Clinic at TLC Farm

October 3rd (1st Saturday) Practice TREC

October ??? Pat to host at Riverview Farm

November ??? TREC at Paradox TBA

December 6th Christmas Party/Dirty Santa Place TBA

January 1st 2021 (Friday) New Year's Day Desert Drive

January TBA General Meeting at the Sagebrush in Mocksville 2:00pm Back room.

Meeting ended 3:00pm

SCHEDULE FOR 2020

See above BOD insurance dates

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 meetings NO CHARGE

Other dates & items of interest from Faith:

March 15th Smith Farm Benefit Ride at Mt Pleasant

March 14th OR 15th TREC orienteering at Long Leaf Pines. Linda Seul & Mary Haker putting it on.

DON'T FORGET, DUES ARE DUE.

If your dues are not paid by March 15th you will be dropped from the list.



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)

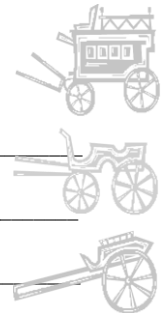
Single Membership full year \$15.00 (1 person)

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: _____

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.

If 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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