



April—May 2010

## Lily Glen Campout and Events

### July 2-4, 2010

*Mark your calendars to join in on this annual event that is open to the public.*

This event has been done in one form or another for over 30 years!! In the past 10 years it has been the leading fundraiser for the club.

Betty Moore and family along with Dawn & Tommy Rucker, Scott Doubleday, and Karen & Bruce House are putting the event on again this year. They are planning to make it even bigger and better!!

They are planning a Gymkhana, Trail Horse Trials, LINGO Ride, little Horse Show, Horse Games, BBQ Rib Cook-off and MORE!!!

This event takes a lot of planning and coordination AND help. They need trail judges, event scorekeepers, help flagging and setting up the trail rides, etc. Please call Betty at 541-951-0949.

The flyer with the pre-registration form is enclosed in this newsletter. Be sure to note that to get the discount you must have it postmarked by June 21st.

**PLEASE CONSIDER JOINING THE FUN AND ALSO LENDING A HELPING HAND!!**

### GYMKHANA RECAP

On April 24th, under beautiful clear sky, we had 38 riders attend our annual fundraising Gymkhana at the fairgrounds. It was one of the best gymkhanas we have held in two years. We made just over \$400 profit.

Thank you to all the members who lent a hand in making this a profitable fundraiser!!

### PEAR BLOSSOM PARADE RECAP

Congratulations!! The club took 1st Place in the mounted division in the 2010 parade!! There were 11 riders this year. Thank you to all members who participated.

Special thanks to Betty Moore for keeping this tradition alive.

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#### Upcoming JCHA Events

- June 13—Horse Show
- July 2-4—Lily Glen Campout & Events
- July 16-18—Willow Prairie Campout

# What's Happening ~

## Monthly Meeting Notice

**Date:** June 9, 2010

**Time:** 7:00pm

**Place:** I.O.O.F. Hall

1129 Hazel Street, Central Point

**Refreshments provided by:**  
Robin Mishler and Carmelita Hussey

**Door Prize provided by:**

Karen House

## JCHA Family Fun Horse Show

This fundraiser will be held on Sunday, June 13th at Estremado's Arena in Gold Hill. Betty Moore and Carol Dombrowsky are chairing the event this year.

All members who enjoy showing are encouraged to attend. There are classes for members only along with the standard classes.

They do need help running the show. Gate keepers, office staff to sign in riders and tabulate the scores and someone to hand out the ribbons. They are also looking for someone to judge the Trail Classes outside the arena. Please call Betty at 541-951-0949 to volunteer some time for this event.

We are also seeking sponsors for the show. If you would like to sponsor a High Point Award for \$50 or a class award for \$10, please send a check to JCHA, PO Box 765, Medford, OR 97501.

A flyer and sponsor sheet are available on the website at [www.ridejcha.com](http://www.ridejcha.com)

# Trail Boss Report -

Karen and Debbie elected to not schedule any rides through May due to the weather, horse shoes, etc. Hopefully, we will have some better days coming soon.

The club needs another Trail Boss to lead some rides for members only. Debbie has limited time on weekends through the summer and will not be able to lead more than one or two rides this year.

The Trail Boss duties include: planning where to ride, setting a meeting place, making sure all riders are accounted for on the rides, and waiting for the last rider to be loaded in the trailer and ready to head home.

If you would be willing to lead a ride or two PLEASE contact Debbie (541-890-6091) or Karen (541-245-8511).

## WANTED: Breakfast Cook for the Lily Glen Campout...

In the early years of this fun event we served a breakfast on Saturday morning that was very popular. It normally was scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, hash browns and pancakes. We charged \$3.50 per person to pay for the food.

Betty Moore and crew would like to do the breakfast again this year, BUT they need someone who is willing to take it on. Someone who can buy the food, get it organized, prepare the breakfast (there's always extra help doing the actual cooking), and then clean up after the breakfast while the crew gets the Trail Horse Trial and LINGO Ride underway.

If you are the **MAN** (or **WOMAN!**) that can do this yummy part of the Lily Glen Campout then please call Betty Moore right away at 541-951-0949 so we can advertize the breakfast too.



## \$\$ CLASSIFIED AD \$\$

**FOR SALE:** 3 year old APHA palomino paint gelding. Ties, trailers, bathes, shoes and clips. 4-Trax knows his leads and moves off your seat and legs. As I use my hands as a last resort, he is very light in both a bosal and snaffle. His haunch and forehand turn are solid and we are getting there with the sidepass. At this time, he's had limited outside riding. Prefers a field to a stall. He doesn't kick walls, but can get aggressive if he wants out of his stall. \$2,500.00 OBO or trade for cattle. Call Debra at 541-482-6885

# Meeting Minutes ~ April 14, 2010

Submitted By Debbie Davenport

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Meeting called to order at 7:00pm by President Betty Moore. Roll call showed all board members present. She thanked the refreshment donors and welcomed our newest members and guests.

Minutes from March were approved. Gina gave the treasurers report. We have \$3913.92 in checking, \$4491.56 in savings, \$42.56 in petty cash and \$1885.00 in the JP Trail Enhancement Fund. Report was approved.

Karen Matheny gave a Sunshine Report. She sent cards to Tari Ryan who broke her wrist, Jeani King for broken shoulder, and will send a card to Dawn Rucker who was in the hospital a couple days.

Mereena Anderson reported the Crater FFA Pass The Pig event netted around \$6500 and the Alumni Auction get around \$6700. Awards banquet for Trail Dust is on April 22<sup>nd</sup>. There are several gymkhanas coming up in the next few months too.

Karen and Debbie discussed trail rides and are not ready to start due to weather and shoes.

Scott Doubleday reported there was not much news on trail maintenance on the Greenway. Bog is holding well. The bike trail is still in the works but has not gone to bid yet. Tal said the Upper Rogue Solutions Team didn't meet this month. RVETA had a booth at the Equifair and it was well attended. RVETA meetings are the last Tues of each month at Elmer's at 6:30pm.

Scott passed on an announcement for Tari Ryan. She is considering holding a training clinic with a trainer who works with police officers in California on bomb proofing horses. The dates are not set, would probably be 2 full day for around \$200, maybe a 3<sup>rd</sup> day for self defense too. She is just trying to ascertain how many would be interested at this point. Please call Tari at 541-955-9377 if you would like more information.

Colleen Low checked with the Eagles Lodge about our Christmas Party. She said they were willing to do it – the room is \$150 and the meal would be \$14-\$16 each. They have a full bar and room for a band too. Debbie said she called the Elk's and someone is going to move into the restaurant but not sure when. Karen House checked on Ed's Oasis and he wants \$300 to rent the room and we would have to provide the food. Motion was made and approved to proceed with the reservation at the Eagle's Lodge.

Betty said the club won 1<sup>st</sup> Place in the mounted division at the Pear Blossom Parade. There were 11 riders. Karen House was the volunteer Pooper Scooper and did a wonderful job!

Reminder of the Gymkhana on April 24<sup>th</sup>. Still need some help so call Debbie or Betty to volunteer.

Debbie said a lady, Lin Bernhart, has been hired by the Jackson/Josephine counties to put together an Emergency Response Plan for disasters (wild fire mainly). She would like the club to do a survey to determine who could help respond to move horses in the event of a fire. She will come to our June meeting to give a presentation.

Debbie announced the annual work party at Willow Prairie Horse Camp is on May 15-16. She will find out more in the coming weeks as to weather conditions. We will mostly work on trail clearing so bring your horse, hand saws, gloves, etc. There will be a Bring Your Own Meat potluck on Saturday night. Call Debbie if you wish to attend the work party.

Betty reminded everyone of the fundraising Horse Show on June 13<sup>th</sup>. There are member only classes too. Call her to sign up to help that day.

Betty talked about the plans underway for Lily Glen Campout. She is looking for more help so call her if you would be willing to assist. Discussion about weed free hay at Lily Glen – Debbie will call the county and find out.

Bill Ryan said he had been to a meeting recently and the county is discussing allowing horses in Gibbon Park again. This is an undeveloped area along the river off Agate Road. They are talking about horse trails that would connect to Denman and even Bear Creek. Bill will stay in contact with the county and attend the meetings. (Tal Thoms is also attending these meetings for RVETA).

Debbie announced there will be public meetings on May 13 for the Soda Mountain Wilderness Management Plan. It is important that equestrians have some say in what the plan entails. Please try to attend one of the meetings that day.

Scott Doubleday won the door prize. The Buckaroo Drawing was for \$60 and the names drawn were Linda Strickland, then Ed Kupillas, then Donna Adams, but none were present. Next month it will be worth \$80.

Meeting adjourned at 8:10pm.

## \$\$ CLASSIFIED AD \$\$

**FOR SALE:** Foal Watch Test Kit, this kit is brand new, never used. My mare foaled before I got to use it. It has everything you need for testing your mares milk. The local vet office sell this same kit for over \$80.00! Contains Everything you Need for Testing. Foal Watch comes complete with 20 Test Ampoules, test tube for collecting mare's milk, bottle of distilled water, syringe, sample cup, and complete instructions. \$25.00 Please call Leann at 541-826-3994.

# Meeting Minutes ~ May 12 , 2010

Submitted By Debbie Davenport

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Meeting called to order at 7:00pm by President Betty Moore. Roll call of the Board showed Gina Ryan absent. She had another commitment tonight.

Betty welcomed the guests and new members.

Minutes from the previous meeting were e-mailed to members in lieu of a newsletter. Motion was made and approved to accept the minutes.

Debbie gave the Treasurers Report in Gina's absence. We have \$4189.91 in the checking account, 4491.69 in Money Market, 42.56 in petty cash, and \$1885 in the Joann Pool Equestrian Enhancement Fund. We paid the yearly insurance for \$425.

Karen Matheny gave the Sunshine Report. She sent cards to Dawn Rucker who was in the hospital a few days and a card to Marilyn Rossignol who broke her elbow when she fell at the Gymkhana.

Mereena gave the Jr. Member report. She said this weekend is the big state High School Equestrian Meet at the fairgrounds. Estremado's is starting their gymkhana season on May 23th. Linda, Mereena's Mom, announced that Mereena made the Principal's List at Crater High School and also received a Citizen's Award.

Trail Boss Reports – Karen can't ride yet because her horse doesn't have shoes. Debbie has been very busy and can't lead a ride in May. If anyone would like to volunteer to lead some club rides please contact Debbie or Karen.

Scott Doubleday didn't have anything new to report on any special committees. Mike Lutz said that there is talk going with BLM about possibly putting a trail or two into the 340 acres they own off Gold Ray Road near the 2<sup>nd</sup> railroad crossing. RVETA has been meeting with the county about the Gibbon Park areas too. Forks Park in Cave Junction has about 5 miles of new trail completed.

Colleen announced she had secured the Eagles Lodge for the Christmas Party this year. They have offered a full dinner with prime rib or chicken and all the trimmings for \$14 a plate. We can still bring appetizers and will still have Lance Zimmerman perform.

Debbie said the JCHA Gymkhana on April 24 went very well. We had 38 riders and made just over \$400. Thank you to all the helpers who showed up.

Debbie said the Willow Prairie Horse Camp Work Party is a go for this weekend. You can camp Friday and Sat night free. Work party will begin about 9:00am both days. We will mostly be learning trails so bring your horse, tools, gloves, etc. Sat night there will be a Bring Your Own Meat BBQ. Please call if you plan to attend so we can get a head-count.

Betty talked about the Lily Glen Campout and Events. There was some waffling back and forth about dates of the event. It was agreed that Friday through Sunday would work best because not everyone has Monday off and they can plan ahead to take Friday off if they wish to participate in the Gymkhana that will be Friday afternoon. The Trail Horse Trial and LINGO ride will be on Saturday, and the little Horse Show will be on Sunday morning. We passed around a draft flyer and a couple things were added for clarification. Betty said she still needs lots of helpers – trail trial judges especially.

## NOTE:

Jackson County Parks said Weed Free Hay is NOT NECESSARY at Lily Glen Horse Camp.

Betty also announced we need help at the JCHA Horse Show on June 13<sup>th</sup>. We are desperate for a Judge for the Trail Classes, entry clerks, gate people, ribbon presenters, etc. PLEASE call Betty to volunteer. Helpers should plan to be at the Estremado's Arena in Gold Hill at 7:30am.

Debbie discussed the proposal by the US Forest Service to apply dust abatement to the road around Willow Prairie Horse Camp. They are willing to pay half of the cost of \$1220 if the club will pay the other half. We talked about using the Joann Pool Fund for this, about getting other clubs that use the camp to chip in, or just use club funds. After discussion a motion was made and approved to do the joint project and to pay for it with half from the Joann Pool Fund and the other half from the general fund. Debbie will contact the FS to proceed. They want to do it right after the Memorial Holiday.

Reminder that the meeting for the Soda Mountain Wilderness Management Plan is tomorrow at two different times in Ashland.

Carol D brought a door prize and it was won by Kay Smith. Then we drew the first number for the \$80 Buckaroo Drawing and it was KAY SMITH!! How lucky can she be!?!?

Meeting was adjourned at 7:55pm.

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Jackson County Horseman's Association presents:



# JCHA FAMILY FUN SCHOOLING SHOW

Sunday, June 13, 2010 – 9:00am

Estremado Arena, 2672 Galls Cr. Rd, Gold Hill, OR



Judges: Cory Resh and Karen Matheny

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| 1. Halter Mares 2 & under                            | →LUNCH BREAK ←                         |
| 2. Halter Mares 3 & Over                             |  |
| 3. Halter Geldings 2 & Under                         | 27. Western Pleasure Walk Trot Open    |
| 4. Halter Geldings 3 & Over                          | 28. Western Pleasure W/T Novice Rider  |
| 5. Halter Stallions 2 & Under                        | 29. Western Pleasure W/T Green Equine  |
| 6. Halter Stallions 3 & Over                         | 30. Western Pleasure W/T JCHA Member** |
| Halter Championship                                  | 31. Western Pleasure 13 & under        |
| (1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> from Classes 1-6) | 32. Western Pleasure 14-17             |
| 7. Showmanship 13 & under                            | 33. Western Pleasure 18-38             |
| 8. Showmanship 14-17                                 | 34. Western Pleasure 39 & over         |
| 9. Showmanship 18-38                                 | 35. Western Pleasure JCHA Member**     |
| 10. Showmanship 39 & over                            | 36. Western Equitation Open            |
| 11. Showmanship JCHA Member**                        | 37. Reining Novice Rider               |
| 12. English Pleasure Walk Trot Open                  | 38. Reining Green Equine               |
| 13. English Pleasure W/T Novice Rider                | 39. Reining Youth Rider                |
| 14. English Pleasure W/T Green Equine                | 40. Reining Open                       |
| 15. English Pleasure W/T JCHA Member**               | 41. Reining JCHA Member**              |
| 16. English Pleasure 13 & under                      |  |
| 17. English Pleasure 14-17                           | 42. Trail 13 & under                   |
| 18. English Pleasure 18-38                           | 43. Trail 14-17                        |
| 19. English Pleasure 39 & over                       | 44. Trail 18-38                        |
| 20. English Pleasure JCHA Member**                   | 45. Trail 39 & over                    |
| 21. English Equitation Open                          | 46. Trail JCHA Member**                |
| 22. Pony Driving Barrel Race                         | 47. Trail Green Equine                 |
| 23. Pony Driving Pole Bending                        | 48. Trail Novice Rider                 |
| 24. Pony Driving Open                                | 49. Trail Pony In Hand                 |
| 25. Pony Driving Versatility                         | 50. Trail In Hand 1 year & under*      |
| 26. Lead Line 7 & under*                             | 51. Trail In Hand 2 year old*          |

\* No cross entry into any performance class

\*\* Must be a JCHA Member at least one month prior to show

**Green Equine:** Any age equine that has not been shown prior to January 1, 2010

**Novice Rider:** Any rider that has not won three blue ribbons prior to January 1, 2010

**High Point:** One equine, one rider combination excluding halter and equitation

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High Point Awards: English, Western, Reining and Trail  
Special High Point Morgan Horse Award – (registration papers required)

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All humane training aides allowed – No mechanical hackamores allowed

Boots are required – Show clothes optional

Trail Classes will run concurrently from 9:00am to 3:00pm

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For more information contact Betty Moore at 541-951-0949

Or visit the website at [www.rideJCHA.com](http://www.rideJCHA.com)



Approved Show

Jackson County Horseman's Association  
Fence Talk  
PO Box 765  
Medford, OR 97501

Spring has SPRUNG!!!

Don't forget West Nile  
Shots and worming for  
your ponies!!

They will LOVE  
you for it....



**JACKSON COUNTY  
HORSEMAN'S ASSOCIATION  
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**We're on the web  
[www.rideJCHA.com](http://www.rideJCHA.com)**

## Community Equestrian Event Calendar

Does anyone know of upcoming events outside of JCHA??  
Send an email to [info@ridejcha.com](mailto:info@ridejcha.com) to see them listed here and on  
the website calendar too!!

## **ARE YOU PLANNING TO CAMP IN OREGON NATIONAL FORESTS THIS SUMMER??**

If you are, then be sure and take CERTIFIED WEED FREE HAY for your critters. The Forest Service will start writing tickets this year if they find you with non-certified hay.

Weed Free Hay is baled with special colored twine that sets it apart from other hay. There is no paperwork to go with it; they only look for the colored twine.

In the Rogue Valley the only person we know with Certified Weed Free Hay is Steve Evans in White City. His phone number is 541-826-7165.