



June 2008

JCHA Family Fun Horse Show

This popular fundraiser will be held on Sunday, June 22nd at Estremado Arena in Gold Hill. Carol Dombrowsky is chairing the event again this year. All members who enjoy showing are encouraged to attend. There are classes just for members only along with the standard classes. You do not need to re-register so just show up on Sunday. Call Carol at 541-821-2914 for more information.

Thank you to Stephanie Snyder and Karen Matheny for volunteering their time to judge this event. And special thanks to the following for sponsoring a High Point Award and/or Class Awards:

Joe Hardcastle - Hardcastle Trailer Sales

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Carol Murray

Lily Glen Campout and Events!!

The Lily Glen Horse Campout kicks off on July 3rd at 12:00. We have reserved both A and B group camps for this event. Camping is \$16 per night per rig.

On Friday, July 4th, we will hold the Trail Horse Trial and the LINGO ride concurrently. You may participate in one or both. It is \$10 per person for the Trail Trials and LINGO cards are \$5 each or 3 for \$12.

On Saturday, July 5th, is the Gymkhana in the meadow. This is always a fun event that draws a lot of spectators as well as participants. Cost is \$20 for 5 events. We will also have a potluck on Saturday night so plan to bring something to share. Also bring your own table service and beverage.

Scott Doubleday has been working on getting some great raffle prizes too! Tickets are \$5 an arm length. And, if you have a GPS bring it along and test your skill at finding the hidden caches.

We all head home on Sunday after a long weekend of fun, camaraderie, horses and riding.

A flyer can be downloaded from our website at www.ridejcha.com. The pre-registration has already ended but you can sign up and pay at the event.

For more information call Debbie Davenport at 541-890-6091 (cell).

JACKSON COUNTY HORSEMAN'S ASSOCIATION

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Upcoming JCHA Events

- June 22.....Horse Show
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- Aug 29 - Sept 1 Coast Campout

What's Happening ~

July Meeting Notice

Date: July 9, 2008

Time: 7:00pm

Place: I.O.O.F. Hall

1129 Hazel Street, Central Point

Refreshments provided by: Carol Dombrowsky & Dave Doran, Linda Carlson, and Carol Murray

Door Prize provided by:

Carol D. and Dave D.

Upcoming Rides -

Because of the busy month there are no club rides planned, but...

Debbie Davenport will be going to Lily Glen on Saturday, June 28 to scout and pre-flag the trail for the Trail Horse Trial and invites any member **WHO IS NOT PARTICIPATING IN THE TRAIL TRIALS** to come along. Meet at Lily Glen at 9:30am. Be prepared to pay the \$5 parking fee to the Park. Also, please bring some hand clippers and gloves in case we need to do some trimming. Call Debbie at 890-6091 if you plan to go.

NOTE FROM KAREN: The annual Crazy Cowgirls Campout on July 18-20 has been changed from Four Mile Horse Camp to Crescent City at Orman's Guest Ranch. Call Karen at 245-8511 for more information and to make a reservation.

NO August Meeting!!

At the June meeting it was voted to not have an August club meeting. There is not much going on except for the Coast Campout which is listed below.

After July, the next meeting will be on September 10th.

LINGO Ride Recap

On June 14th, in Chiloquin, Dawn and Tommy Rucker hosted the LINGO Ride at Happy Trails Cowboy Campground.

There were about 30 riders that participated in the LINGO ride. It was a great day and everyone had a good time.

THANK YOU Dawn and Tommy for all your work on the event!!!

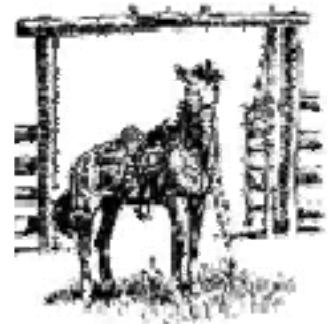
Crescent City Coast Campout ~ Aug 29 - Sept 1

This popular club member and personal guest campout is on Labor Day weekend again. Each year Karen Matheny chairs this great event and this year will be no exception. We have reserved several paddocks and sites at Orman's Guest Ranch in south Crescent City. Rides will be in the redwoods and on the beach. Note: you do have to trailer each day from the campsite to the trailheads. On Saturday night we will have dinner out at the Chart Room on the harbor.

A bonus this year is the Northwest Trail Riders at holding their annual Poker Ride on the beach and dunes on Sunday, August 31st. Normally this ride is held later in the fall, but because of past weather issues and attendance they decided to hold it while we are all in town!! This is a fun ride with the chance to win money and you get a hot meal too!!

Around August 1st Karen will be taking signups for the campout. There is no limit to the number that can attend, but we do need a headcount for the ranch and dinner. Cost for camping is \$11 per horse and rider per night; and \$3 for non-riders.

So, if you aren't able to do any other camping this year, at least plan to attend this one!!



Meeting Minutes ~ June 11, 2008

Submitted By Debbie Davenport

Meeting called to order at 7:00pm by President Karen Matheny. Roll call showed Kim Samitore absent but with a great excuse! Abigail Eva Samitore was born May 20th at 6:08 am, weighing in at 6 lbs. and 3 oz. 18 inches long!! Amanda Moore, Jr. member, was also absent due to work. Karen thanked the refreshment people and there were no guests. Attendance was very low again this month.

Minutes from May were approved. Gina gave the treasurers report and it was approved. We have \$1830.38 in checking, \$4484.85 in savings, \$42,56 in petty cash and \$1525 in the JO Enhancement Fund.

Carol Lutz, Sunshine, sent cards the Moore's, Denise Snyder, Carol Murray and Kim Samitore. Linda Stockdill said Denise Snyder has terminal cancer and also had a stroke. She is at home with hospice.

Scott Doubleday reported that the jail crew worked very hard for two days clearing all the Bear Creek Equestrian Greenway. He encourages everyone to use the trail to keep it clear and open. Use caution when going under the Upton Bridge area as they are still working in that area. Also, do not hesitate to report transient camps to the County Parks department and they will contact the Sheriff. He also reported that Prescott park has hit a stand-still because the county wants to be involved. He will call the interested people that signed up when he hears about the next meeting date.

Debbie reported that there were 13 riders on her ride at Denman Wildlife Reserve on May 18th. It was a very hot day, but the ride was fun and interesting.

Karen and a couple friends went to Willow Prairie to ride and reported where the trees are down. They were able to get around everything they encountered. They covered all the trails except to the top of the mountain due to snow. Bill Ryan will talk with the FS about clearing the trees. We may have a work party on June 21st.

Debbie gave a LINGO update and reminder that it is on June 14th in Chiloquin.

Carol Dombrowsky reported on the upcoming horse show which will be held June 22. She has checked out the arena and it looks great. She is still seeking sponsors and helpers for the show. Volunteers need to be there at 7:30am. There will be food available for purchase.

Debbie gave a Lily Glen update and reminder. Everything is moving forward. We have enough judges for 7 obstacles. She is going to flag the trail on June 28th if anyone would like to join her. Scott is working on some great raffle prizes.

Karen reported the Crazy Cowgirl campout, scheduled July 17th - July 20 will be at Orman's Guest Ranch in Crescent City.

The Labor Day campout in Crescent City is set for Aug 29-Sept1. Reservations have been made at Orman's Guest Ranch and cost will be \$11 per horse/rider, \$3 for non-rider. They will clean all the manure this year. Dinner reservations have been made at a different restraint, The Chart Room, on the harbor for Saturday night.

Debbie made a motion that we not have an August meeting since it worked out well last year and we don't have much to discuss. It was approved.

Scott Doubleday won the door prize and Carol Dombrowsky won the 50/50. The Buckaroo Drawing was for \$20.00 and it was won by Mary Jo Broomfield!! Next month will be \$20 again.

Adjourned at 7:45pm.



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www.rideJCHA.com**

Community Equestrian Event Calendar

June 21 - Poker Ride at Lake Selmac in Selma 541-597-4383

June 29 - NWTR Cowboy Challenge, Crescent City 707-464-9484

Aug. 31 - NWTR Poker Ride, Crescent City, 707-464-5895

*If you know of equestrian events sponsored
by other clubs please contact*

*Debbie Davenport to have them listed here
and on our website.*

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