October 2025

JACKSON COUNTY HORSEMAN'S ASSOCIATION

Fence Talk

JCHA Ta-Ta Trot Benefit Schooling Show

Sunday, October 18, 2025
Jackson Co Expo—Barker & Krause Barns, Central Point

It's back… with Arena & Haunted Halloween Trail Classes, Stick Horse & Dollar Bill Races, the Infamous Ta-Ta Trot Breast Cancer Awareness Costume Class, Halloween Costume Classes and more!!!!
This is a very special show dedicated to breast cancer awareness so please share with your horse friends and family.

PROCEEDS FROM THIS SHOW WILL BE DONATED TO A NON-PROFIT CANCER CHARITY FUND.

This benefit horse show is open to the public so please share with your horse friends and family! Come on down to participate even if it's to ride in a couple of classes, help out or to cheer on the riders of all ages.

Another way you can help the club raise money for a Cancer Charity is to sponsor a High Point Award or Class Award. For as little as $10 or as much as $50 you can be a sponsor!! Your name/business will be acknowledged for donating announced in the club newsletter, on the website and on our Facebook page.

Corrine's Café Truck will be there to fill you up for breakfast, lunch & snack needs!

Give Sabina Martin a call at 541–621-8773 for more information and to help out.

Show flyer, entry form, and sponsorship form are available on the club website at www.ridejcha.com Hope to see you there!

~IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES FOR 2026~

Nominations for 2026 Board of Directors will be accepted at the December 10th meeting with the election at the January 14, 2026 meeting.

Please consider running for a position on the board as there will be 3 vacancies on the board .

- **The Board of Directors will present the 2026 Budget to the membership at the December 10, 2025 meeting.**
- **Any changes to the Bylaws must be provided, in writing to the member's no less than 10 days prior to the membership meeting on December 10, 2025 then will be voted on at the Annual Meeting of the Membership, January 14, 2026**
- **Youth Sponsorship Program is open for applications from January 1 to April 1, 2026.**
- **The Annual Meeting of the Membership is January 14, 2026.**
- **Membership dues for 2026 are due and payable till the February 11, 2026 meeting.**

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~Upcoming JCHA Events~

- *TaTa Trot Benefit Schooling Show, Oct 18, Expo, Central Point*
- *Annual Club Christmas Party, Dec 6, The Eagles, Medford*

~What's Happening ~

Monthly Meeting Notice

Date: Nov 12, 2025
Doors Open 6:30pm
Meeting 7:00pm

Place: I.O.O.F. Hall
1130 Hazel Street, Central Point

Refreshments Provided By:
Dawn Cavanaugh

Door Prizes Provided By:
Dawn Cavanaugh

JACKSON COUNTY HORSEMAN'S ASSOCIATION 2025 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Sandi Humphfres	President	541-415-1230
Debbie Walker	V. President	541-890-6091
Karen House	Secretary	541-538-9393
Bruce House	Treasurer	541-690-6375
Carol Dombrowsky	Sunshine	541-821-2914
Dawn Cavanaugh	Hospitality	541-821-7865
Sharon M. Davis	At Large	541-879-8669
	Junior	

Reminder… Set your clocks back one hour on November 2nd.

JCHA Board Meeting

There will be a board meeting on Thursday, November 6th, 6:00pm. Location TBD.

ANNUAL JCHA CHRISTMAS PARTY

When: Saturday, December 6, 2025
Where: Eagle's Lodge
2000 Table Rock Rd, Medford
5:00pm Doors Open,
6:00pm Dinner, 7:00pm Gift Exchange

Dinner: Choice of Prime Rib **or** Chicken Breast, dinner prices TBD

- All JCHA members and personal guests are welcome
- Please bring a dessert or hors d'oeuvre to share
- If you would like to participate in the gift exchange, bring a unisex wrapped gift valued at $15 or more (appropriate for all ages)
- A no-host full service bar will be available
- Please bring canned foods and/or new unwrapped toys for the Christmas Donation Drive

Call Debbie Walker at 541-890-6091 for info.

2026 Calendar of Events

At the November 12th membership meeting we will draft the calendar of events for 2026.

So be sure to attend and bring your event ideas, dates and places you would like to see on the club event calendar, as it will be voted on at the December 10th membership meeting.

~OHSET Fundraiser~

Heaven Ireland is a 1st year member with the Crater OHSET Team and is selling fresh green wreaths in two sizes, table top centerpieces, garlands and door swags to help cover costs. Orders are due by October 27th with delivery around Thanksgiving. Please call Heaven & Kendra for more info and to order. 541-301-4504 Maddie Bowers is also selling in this fundraiser, please call her at 541-951-9176

JCHA Monthly Meeting Minutes - October 8, 2025 Submitted by Secretary, Karen House

President, Sandi Humphfres called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

Roll call of Board- Present were President Sandi Humphfres, Vice President Debbie Walker, Secretary Karen House, Treasurer Bruce House, Hospitality Dawn Cavanaugh, Sunshine Carol Dombrowsky. Member at Large Sharon Davis was absent.

Refreshments & Door Prize– Refreshments were provided by Karen House, Carol Dombrowsky, Dawn Cavanaugh & Angie Garfinkel. Door prizes were furnished by Laura Woolley, Carol Dombrowsky, Shirley Wade, Dianne Gorman, Angie Garfinkle & Karen House.

Introduction of New Members and Guests– New members attending were Angie & Samantha Garfinkle, they love to camp and be with their horses, they have a ranch with 2 Quarter Horses, & a Friesian 1/4 cross; Charmaine Triplett has a Quarter Horse gelding; Deb Yunkherr has moved back to the valley and has 1 horse, and guests Jessica & Eden Stapp have 5 horses including one mini horse, Eden is in 4-H and OHSET and has an Andalusian Mare . .

September Meeting Minutes– There were no corrections or additions. Motion was made, 2nd and approved to accept the September meeting minutes as written in the newsletter.

Treasurer's Report- Bruce House reported the club had a beginning balance in the checking account- $3,509.33, Income-$350.00, Expenses $703.05, Ending balance in checking $3,156.28, Joann Pool fund $3,586.30, Business Ownership Account $23.62, Cash on Hand $65.00, for total cash assets of $6,831.20. No outstanding club related bills to hand in. Motion was made, 2nd and approved to accept the treasurer's report.

Sunshine Report- Carol Dombrowsky sent cards to: Heather Parker for the loss of her horse, Phyllis Pfaff for recent back surgery, then Carol shared that Ellie Mae Hawkins a lifetime member just celebrated her 100th birthday! If anyone knows of a club member who could use an uplifting card, please contact Carol.

Ride JCHA Report- Karen House explained the program to the new members and guest, then announced an award to Dianne Gorman for reaching her 100 Hours level. Dianne received a 100 hour bar patch and the infamous trail first aid kit with the one band aid. Congrats Dianne!

Event Planning-

TaTa Trot Benefit Horse Show, @The Expo, Oct 18– Sabina Martin

Sabina reported that she has the ribbons and that there will be a new way of doing the trail course, which is a Haunted Halloween theme this year. Riders will have a time limit to do obstacles to do in any order, there will be a sign up board, the trail course and warm up area are in the same arena. Sabina is hoping to set up the obstacles the night before the show. Parking is out on the creek side dirt lot, be sure keep track of classes as it's hard to hear announcements out there. There will be a donation jar for the show judge Melanie Underwood and business's and individuals can also donate for sponsorships towards high point awards and individual classes. Food vendor will available for lunch & snacks and the show is rain or shine.

Annual Christmas Party, The Eagles, Dec 6– Debbie Walker

Start making plans to be at this years Christmas Party that starts at 5pm on Dec 6th. Dinner menu is Prime Rib and Chicken with sides, there's a gift exchange & raffles. Sign up sheet at the November meeting with more info in the November newsletter.

Old Business-

Repayment of Loan to the Joann Pool Fund-

At the May meeting the club was low on funds so borrowed $2,000.00 to help cover operating expenses and it was motioned to be paid back from the next 2 club events. Lily Glen didn't do as well this year and the next event is the TaTa Trot Benefit Schooling Show. It was discussed to see how well the show does then decide how much profit to put back into the Joann Pool Fund. Debbie Walker explained to new members and guests that the fund is in memory of member Joann Pool who was an avid trail rider. The club has received funds from other clubs that are put into the Joann Pool fund to be used for trail/horse camp enhancement and materials. Any time there's a club event $1.00 for every horse attending is put into the fund. Terri Campfield told that it was thru Joann that she learned about JCHA.

Other Old Business

Nothing to report.

New Business-

Apparel Order– Sandi Humphfres

Sandi knows of a new apparel printer we can try, there is no minimum to order and she will have info of colors and styles at the next meeting.

Drafting of the 2026 Events Calendar-

This a reminder that the 2026 events calendar will be drafted at the November meeting so please bring ideas of what events you want to have, attend and help with as the club needs some good fundraisers next year. It was mentioned to start doing gymkhanas /play days again as they are easy to do but we are in need of an arena with ample parking. Jami Butler mentioned talking with Lori Johnson as she has a large out door arena with a good field for truck/trailer parking. Debbie Walker went over the Youth Sponsorship Program and Sandi Humphfres went over the other important upcoming dates.

Other New Business-

OHSET Fundraiser–

Heaven Ireland told about the Christmas fundraiser she is doing for her 1st year with the OHSET Crater Team. She is selling fresh greenery wreaths in two sizes, centerpieces, garlands and door swags to help cover her costs in OHSET this year. Orders are due by October 27th with delivery around Thanksgiving. Give Ireland and Kendra a call to order at 541-301-4504

Door Prize Drawings– Door prizes won by: Samantha Garfinkel, Jessica & Eden Stapp, Heather Parker, Heaven Ireland, Dianne Gorman, Carol Dombrowsky, Glenna VanBuskirk, Terri Campfield, Dawn Cavanaugh & Laura Woolley.

Buckaroo Drawing- Worth $80 this month. Names drawn but not present to win were Dawn DeVlaeminck, Mackenzie Morgan, Don Ferris, Judy Taylor. Next month the drawing is worth $100. **Adjourned Meeting–** The meeting was adjourned at 7:58pm.