



May 2025

~Trail Ride to Benefit Shriners Hospital for Children~

Sunday, June 22nd, 10:00am Willow Prairie Day Use Area

Come join us for a fun day riding your horse for a great cause on the trails around Willow Prairie!! The marked trail will be about 3 hours long, but you can ride as long as your wish!

Again this year, the ride is benefiting Shriners Hospitals for Children®, as they provide all aspects of care for children with orthopedic conditions, spinal cord injuries, burns, cleft lip and palate, regardless of the families’ ability to pay. Your donations will directly support the patients of Shriners Hospitals for Children locations across the United States. Locally, there is a Shriners Hospital for Children in Portland and there is a clinic for patients right here in Medford! 100% of all monies collected at this benefit ride go directly to Shriners Hospitals for Children, there is no minimum donation to participate, so please invite your friends.

Contact Terri Campfield at 541-840-9578 for more information. Club Rules & Oregon Inherent Risk Law applies. No stallions or dogs on the ride, riders 17 years of age and younger must wear a safety helmet.

43rd Annual Lily Glen Campout & Lingo/Poker Ride

Friday, July 4th– Camping Begins, Campfire Socials

Saturday, July 5th - LINGO/Poker Ride

BBQ Potluck, Raffles, Silent Auctions

Invite Your Horse Friends & Family!

Friday afternoon camping begins after 2pm and later that evening there’s socializing around the campfires.

Saturday is filled with the Lingo/Poker ride on the trails around the lake and thru the trees on a pre-marked trail route, raffles & silent auctions to bid on all day.

After the rides on Saturday is a group potluck with BBQ burgers supplied by the club, lots of good food, great company, fun and socializing too! Bring a side dish, salad, desert to share, a chair & your favorite drink. Then afterwards is the awards presentation for the Lingo/Poker ride and the raffle & silent auction winners.

Items are being collected for the fun raffles and silent auctions! Items can be horse related, homemade, craft, kid items, a service or gift certificates from your favorite business. We also need volunteers to be out on the trail for poker dealers, you can ride or walk out to the station and still play the games. A flyer and registration form are on the website at www.ridejcha.com. Club members receive a 20% discount & non-members 10% off camping & the Lingo/Poker ride, **forms must be received before June 26th to receive the discount.** For more info, to help out or donate to the raffles/silent auction please call Sandi Humphres 541-415-1230 or Karen House 541-538-9393

~Upcoming JCHA Events~

- *Willow Prairie Horse Camp Work Days, May 17, 18 & 19 Willow Prairie Horse Camp*
- *Trail Ride to Benefit Shriners Hospitals for Children, June 22, Willow Prairie Horse Camp Day Use Area*
- *Lily Glen Campout, Lingo/Poker Ride, July 4-5, Lily Glen Horse Park*
- *End of Summer Lingo/Poker Ride, Sept 6, Willow Prairie Horse Camp Day Use Area*
- *TaTa Trot Schooling Horse Show, Oct 18, The Expo*

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JACKSON COUNTY HORSEMAN'S ASSOCIATION

Fence Talk

~What's Happening ~

Monthly Meeting Notice

Date: June 11, 2025

Doors Open 6:30pm

Meeting 7:00pm

Place: I.O.O.F. Hall

1130 Hazel Street, Central Point

Refreshments provided by:
Carol Dombrowsky & Dawn Cavanaugh

Door Prize provided by:
Dawn Cavanaugh



**JACKSON COUNTY
HORSEMAN'S ASSOCIATION
2025 BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Sandi Humphres	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 Davis	At Large	541-879-8669
Maddie Bowers	Junior	541-326-9274

~JCHA Ball Caps for Sale~

Embroidered on the front with the club logo.

Assorted Colors Available

\$22.00 each.

You can buy one at a club meeting or event!

Karen House at 541-538-9393

JCHA Board Meeting

The next board meeting will be on Thursday, June 5th, 6:30pm at Mountain Mike's Pizza, 2201 Owen Dr, Medford. All current JCHA members are welcome to attend.

Jackson County Horseman's Association Presents:

End Of Summer.....



LINGO & Poker Ride

Saturday, September 6, 2025

Willow Prairie Day Use Area

Ride begins at 10:00am with last rider out by 11:00am

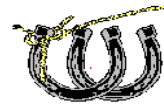
Come join the fun and ride your horse on a leisurely trail ride thru the beautiful Rogue River National Forest. Invite your friends and family along too! Play LINGO and/or Poker games along the pre-marked trail route. Potluck Saturday afternoon about 3:00pm, so please bring something to share, a chair, and a drink!

LINGO Cards

\$5 each / 3 for \$12

POKER Hands

\$5 each / 3 for \$12



Camping

Reservations for Willow Prairie Horse Camp can be made on www.recreation.gov

Directions: From Hwy 62 in White City, go east on Hwy 140 for about 28 miles. Turn left on Butte Falls /Willow Lake Rd. About 1 mile, turn left on F5 Rd 373B. Go about 1 mile and turn left, go across cattle guard, go another 300 yards, turn left up the hill to the large day use area. (No need to pull through the horse camp on the right.)

Rules: Club rules apply. No stallions at the event, no dogs on the trail ride. Dogs must be leashed at all times for your dogs safety and to others or kept tied at camp. Riders 17 yrs of age and younger must wear an approved safety helmet while riding. Riders under 18 yrs of age must be accompanied by a responsible adult rider. Heeled boots required for all riders.

For more information call Sabina Martin at 541-621-8773
Or visit the club website at www.ridejcha.com

Community Equestrian Events & Happenings...

Grayback Brushriders Gymkhana Series— at Grayback Brushriders Arena, May 10, June 22, & July 20, you must attend 2 out of 3 dates to qualify for daily high points and year end prizes. For further info check out their Facebook page or contact Juliana Evans at 541-787-5925

Pacific Crest Endurance Ride & Camping— at Lily Glen Horse Park, June 20 is Trail/Into Ride, Ride & Tie, June 21 is Trail Ride, 35, 50, & 75 Mile Rides. Contact ride manager Joy Trevey Lowell at joytrevey-lowell@gmail.com Website: Pacificcrestendurance.com

Barn Mountain Equine & Supply has just opened at 6006 Crater Lake Ave, Central Point. Their hours are 9am-6pm Monday-Thursday, Friday 9am-2pm, closed Sat/Sun. They stock Showtime Feeds for livestock, horse feed, dog & cat food, shavings, bedding and more. 541-810-8839 So check them out...

JCHA Monthly Meeting Minutes– May 14, 2025 Submitted by Secretary, Karen House

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

Roll call of Board- President, Sandi Humphres; Vice President, Debbie Walker; Secretary, Karen House; Treasurer, Bruce House; Sunshine, Carol Dombrowsky; Hospitality, Dawn Cavanaugh were all present. Member at Large, Sharon Davis & Junior Board Member, Maddie Bowers were both absent.

Refreshments & Door Prize- Thanks went to Carol Dombrowsky, Dawn Cavanaugh for refreshments and to Judy Klein, Shirley Wade & Dawn Cavanaugh for furnishing the door prizes.

Introduction of New Members and Guests– None present.

April Meeting Minutes– Motion was made, 2nd and approved to accept the April meeting minutes as written in the newsletter with a correction for Judy Klein's phone number.

Treasurer's Report- Bruce House reported the club had a beginning balance in the checking account- \$2,992.31; expenses \$1,920.00; income \$127.00; ending balance in checking \$1,199.31; Joann Pool fund \$5,550.47; cash on hand \$25.00; business ownership account \$20.23 for total cash assets of \$6,795.10. No outstanding club related bills to hand in. Motion was made, 2nd and approved to accept the treasurers report. Bruce explained about upcoming expenses such as club insurance, balance owed on reserving Lily Glen Horse Park. Carol Dombrowsky asked if we could borrow from the Joann Pool fund to deposit into the regular account. Debbie Walker stated there is nothing that says in the bylaws that we can't borrow money from the Joann Pool fund. Motion was made, 2nd and approved to borrow \$2,000.00 to deposit into the regular account then reimburse it over the next couple of events.

Sunshine Report- Carol Dombrowsky reported that she sent cards to Dian Weiberg for the loss of her horse, Sophia Moore for having the flu, Sooz Waller for back surgery, Heather Parker had shoulder surgery, Dawn Cavanaugh had a 2nd eye surgery, Michelle & Brad Morton for the loss of their dog, and to the family of Joan West for her passing away. If anyone knows of a club member who could use an uplifting card, please contact Carol.

Ride JCHA Report– Karen House said there were no new hour awards this month but weather is looking great so she hopes everyone can get out to ride.

Junior Board Member Report– No report this month.

JCHA Event Planning–

Willow Prairie Horse Camp Work Day, May 18 – Judy Klein

Judy said the work day is open to anyone who wants to help for the work days on May 17, 18 & 19. Trails are pretty clear. There is a large wood chip pile by campsites 7, 8 & 9 that can be used for footing in the stalls. Several trees have been cut down in the campground resulting in less shade and privacy. Karen Matheny & Linda Carlson are changing the route on the Bobcat Trail, the trail gets steep & muddy it's hard to walk up so it will go a different direction and be marked. Judy will move her tractor up on Friday then have her RV up at camp on Sunday or Monday. For all who are coming to the work days, be sure to bring gloves, bug spray, to dress warm and be prepared for wet weather.

Trail Ride to Benefit Shriners Hospitals for Children, June 22, Willow Prairie Horse Camp Day Use Area– Debbie Walker & Terri Campfield. Terri plans to check the trails to use on the ride Friday/Saturday. She mentioned checking out the Eastside Junction 10 trail, it parallels to the 821 road, has many trees down, she hopes to have it cleaned up as it's a pretty ride but it's not used much. Debbie plans on being there early on Sunday to set up a couple of folding tables/chairs and sign up sheets. Judy Klein offered to help at registration. There is a flyer on the club website. Cori Carothers would like a ride for her and her horse to attend this event; she lives off Hwy 140 on Riley Rd, White City. Please contact her if you can help 541-621-6246

Lily Glen Campout, Lingo/Poker Ride, July 4-5, Lily Glen Horse Park– Sandi Humphres

This is the clubs biggest fundraiser! Group Areas A & B are reserved. Friday, July 4 camping begins after 2:00pm with fire side socializing later. Saturday, July 5 Registration opens at 8:00am, Lingo/Poker Ride begins at 10:00 with last rider out at 11:00am. Fun Raffles/Silent Auctions will be all day, in need of donations for both. Around 5:30pm group BBQ potluck, club to provide burgers, buns, condiments. Please bring something to share– a main dish, salads, desserts, chips, etc... Awards ceremony & raffle/silent auction winners announced after potluck. Camp sites/corrals are on a first come first serve basis. Also large meadow for dry camping, bring own portable corrals, high line. See website for info flyer and discounted early bird registration form. Contact Sandi Humphres/Karen House for info and raffle/silent auction donations. We need help for poker dealers at stations out on the trail. Please bring your donated items to the June meeting or up to the event on Saturday. A flyer and early bird registration form is on the calendar page of the club website www.ridejcha.com

End of Summer Lingo/Poker Ride, Sept 6, Willow Prairie Horse Camp- Sabina Martin

Sabina is working on the event, there are flyers on the website and she has campsite #3 reserved. Karen House mentioned that she is still trying to find out the status of the event permit with the USFS, she has requested that they wave the event fee, if not it will cost a minimum of \$140 and a percentage of the proceeds to have the event at Willow Prairie. There has been a recent turnover of USFS personnel so communications have been slow.

TaTa Trot Schooling Horse Show- Oct 18, The Expo- Sabina Martin & Trish Melvin

Sabina and Trish are bringing back the fun schooling horse show, trail classes and showmanship. There's no reining classes this year as participation in those classes have been low. There isn't any driving classes for mini's but they can be entered in the in hand classes and the in hand trail courses. There's 6 high point buckles this year and plenty of opportunity to ride in multiple classes. If you have suggestions, trail obstacles or ideas for show judge let Sabina know.

Old Business-

Pear Blossom Parade Recap- Karen/Bruce House

The group had a great parade, the sun came out and we had a great time, Karen & Bruce carried the club banner, 8 riders: Sandi Humphres & Dawn Cavanaugh carrying the flags, Heather Parker, Sharon & Don Davis, Cori Carothers, Peyton Tartaglia & Mackenzie Morgan, and 3 walkers with the riders: Lisa Carothers, Matt & Kristina Tartaglia. Last but not least: Debbie Walker drove the mule with Shirley Wade pooper scooping. Sandi and Dawn's picture of riding and carrying the flags was on the front page of the Grants Pass Daily Courier newspaper. We placed 3rd this year, thanks to all for participating!

"Members Only" Horse Trailer Inspection Recap- Bruce House

Bruce reported that 5 members had signed up but only 2 attended; Leann Quint & Dianne Gorman. Both trailers looked good with one having some really old tires that needed to be replaced.

"Members Only" Trail Ride Recap- Terri Campfield

Terry said it was rainy and wet for the Butte Falls ride that Saturday, at 3,200 ft in elevation they were in the clouds and didn't get to see Mt McLoughlin, they got a little wet with rain and a fine coast like mist but all were die hards and enjoyed the ride. Members who rode with Terri were: Fred West; Heidi Allmaras & Glenna Van Buskirk.

"Members Only" Bill Richey Defensive Rider Demo Recap- Karen House

Bill Richey, a retired police officer gave a power point presentation on how to protect yourself when out trail riding if you encounter someone who wants to do you harm, just because a place is familiar doesn't mean it's safe. He told the difference between someone who asks you about your horse and if they can pet it to someone who is a predator/bad person that wants to do harm, they do the same thing but keep walking towards you no matter what you say. Being aware of your surroundings such as coming back from a ride and your trailer/area is not as you left it, someone could be hiding in the trailer or under the truck, get into the habit of looking up as you ride to be aware, Bill told of an instance a lady was trail riding, riding down a hill to cross a creek, there was a tree limb over the creek, she happened to look up & see a man on the tree limb dressed in camo, if she hadn't been looking up she wouldn't of saw him and he could of attacked her. Also pay attention to people who seem out of place, like type of clothing, lack of water bottle, back pack for hiking, etc. He also talked about OC & CS Sprays: OC is pepper spray, CS Spray is tear gas which doesn't appear to affect your horse and is more intense than Pepper Spray, both are good distance protection and he recommended wearing where it's accessible like around the neck. Bill then did some mounted horse demos showing how to use your horse to keep someone away from you by riding over them, knocking them over, backing into them and using them as a barrier between you and the bad person. Terri Campfield was one of the demo riders and said the despooring clinic is well worth the cost and she told how to use your horse to your advantage. Sandi Humphres told of her experience of returning to her truck/trailer, she didn't do a walk around and found that someone had disconnected her trailer plug and tossed it in the truck bed. Being aware of your surroundings is very important. 13 members attended.

Other Old Business-

Request to Sponsor Show Buckle-

Sabina Martin who offered to donate the money, has sent a sponsorship of \$125.00 under JCHA's name to the Rogue Valley Reining Club for a show buckle.

New Business-

Other New Business-

Member Classified Ad- Debbie Walker

Pasture for Rent/Dark Hollow Area, Medford- Karen Matheny's neighbor wants to rent their pasture, it has a horse barn and a barn for hay, doesn't know what he wants a month, it would be rented all year. For more info/to view the pasture call Karen 541-245-8511

Drawings-

Door Prize-Winners were Shirley Wade, Heaven Ireland & Dawn Cavanaugh

Buckaroo Drawing- Worth \$80 this month. Names drawn and present to win were Kendra Badillo & Heaven Ireland
Next month is worth \$20

Adjourn Meeting- 8pm