Hoofbeats

September 2024

P.O. Box 1326, Twain Harte, CA 95383



The Prez Sez



September 2024. The kids are back in school, there's less folks visiting from out of town, and the mountains are ours again! This is the best time to visit our local lakes and tourist spots and there are plenty to choose from. I hope you get out there and soak up some of the great outdoors.

We've had some pretty cool events for both our members and the general public recently. Hope you've had a chance to partake. We had drill team practice and a Ranch Agility event this last month.

Coming up, we have another drill team practice, a ride at White Pines, a ride at Kerrick to Bell Meadows, and closing of Center Camp.

Hope to see you on the trail or at one of these events. See you in the trail,

Linda

Visit our Twain Harte Horsemen website at: twainhartehorsemen.org

Next Monthly Meeting

Tuesday, October 1 Board meeting: 6:00 p.m. General meeting: 6:30 p.m.

Location Change: Mounted Posse Grounds, 19130 Rawhide Road

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Upcoming Events



Drill Team Play Day

Saturday, September 21@ Center Camp. Start time: 10 a.m.

Join us for our final Drill Play Day of the year!

It is a great way improve your riding skills and train your horse. Riders learn speed control, proper spacing and geometric precision. New moves and patterns will be introduced.

The day starts with riders practicing each movement before riding through the whole drill and by the end everyone is riding smoothly and evenly and having fun.

For a fun day of riding, join us at our Drill play date. Please call or text Nancy Broce at: 831-818-5558 to reserve a spot.

Peoria Fall Ride

Diana Moreci will lead a 3-4 hour ride at Peoria on Saturday, October 19. Lots of single track trails, great views and maybe some fall color.



Contact Diana to let her know you are coming or with questions at 209-533-8511.

Kerrick Corrals Ride

Linda Post will host a 3-hour day ride at Kerrick Corrals on Sunday, October 13. The Aspen along Bell Meadow should be dressed in



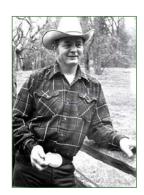
brilliant fall colors by then. Start time: 10 am.

Contact Linda to let her know you are coming or to ask questions at 209.206.8375.

Chuck Knowles to You in Paint: A Mountain Cowboy's Life in Perspective

Chuck Knowles is a well-known Tuolumne County farrier and cowboy artist. Over 50 paintings are being exhibited at Columbia College until mid December in the Manzanita Building. Each painting tells a story. Many people will recognize the places in the Emigrant Wilderness where we ride.

By the way, Chuck was the person who negotiated with the Forest Service (for \$1.00) to get the Center Camp lease for our club.



The exhibit is open to the public during regular business hours: Monday - Friday 9:00 - 6:00. There will be a reception Thursday October 3rd from 3:00 - 4:30.

Any questions, call Earlene Smith 209-533-2599.



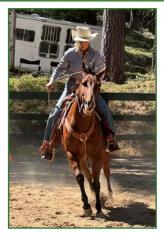
Past Events—Ranch Agility

Everyone was a winner at the 2nd Annual Ranch Agility event! The activities started on Saturday Sept, 7 at Center Camp with practice rounds in the morning, then a trail ride with Myron in the afternoon. In the evening, we had a wonderful tri-tip dinner served by B-Bites and great music by the Randy Mandy band. The competition was held on Sunday with a wide variety of obstacles from carrying trash, grabbing a bell out of a mail box and ringing it, dragging an elk hide, and asking the horse to walk straddling a pole. Chris M. Worked hard to set up this successful event, many thanks to her and the three judges, announcer, Steve, and everyone who helped everything run smoothly, from parking to signing up participants, helping with the obstacles, and manning the gate. Also, we were grateful B-Bites was there each day serving delicious breakfasts and lunches.

















Past Events—Ranch Agility continued















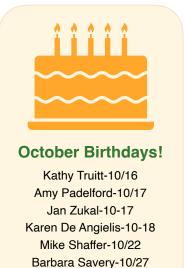
Twain Harte Horsemen 2024 Events*

| Date | Event | Event | Participation |
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| September 21 | Drill Team @ Center Camp | Nancy Broce | Members Only |
| October 12 | Kerrick Corral Day Ride | Linda Post | Members Only |
| October 19 | Peoria Ride | Diana Moreci | Members Only |
| October 26 | Center Camp Closing | Lance LaMons | Members Only |
| November 9 | Fahey Cabin Ride | Colleen Combes | Members Only |
| December 8 | BCHC Columbia Parade | Linda Post | Public |
| December 13 | Christmas Installation and Dinner | TBD | Members Only |

^{*} Subject to change







Gina Oliveira-10/30

Colleen Combes-10/31