

# Hoofbeats

October 2024

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



## The Prez Sez



October is nomination time for Twain Harte Horsemen. We have three positions open—President, Secretary and one board member. If you haven't received one already, please expect a call from the nominating committee to see if perhaps you want to be part of the club's inner workings. It's a great experience and helps

keep the club robust with new ideas! Hope you'll be able to consider it.

Please mark your calendars for the Twain Harte Horsemen Christmas dinner taking place on December 20th. We will install our new board and officers at that time.

October is also a beautiful time in the mountains, or anywhere for that matter! Hope you are able to get out on your horse or take a drive up to the pass before the roads close.

Hope to see you on the trail or at the next meeting!

Linda

Visit our Twain Harte Horsemen website at:  
[twainhartehorsemen.org](http://twainhartehorsemen.org)

### Next Monthly Meeting

Tuesday, November 5  
Board meeting: 6:00 p.m.  
General meeting: 6:30 p.m.

**Location:** Mounted Posse Grounds,  
19130 Rawhide Road

## Officers

### President:

Linda Post  
209.206.8375

### Vice President:

Lance LaMons  
209.770.1407

### Secretary:

Kris Jordan  
209.768.9419

### Treasurer:

Helga Zuber  
209.581.1798

### Past President:

Janine Smith  
209.591.3054

## Directors

Myron McCoy (Y3)  
209.206.4043

Chris Mason (Y2)  
209.768.4090

Karen Rosasco (Y1 2024)  
209.743.1788

## Committee Chairs

### Hoofbeats Newsletter:

Colleen Combes  
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### Membership:

Nancy Sheldon  
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### Scholarship:

Janine Smith  
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Diana Moreci  
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## Upcoming Events

**October 26:** We will close Center Camp on Saturday the 26th of October. We welcome helpers. Start time at 9 am. We will be tarping trailers and other winterizing activities. Note, you can still use the arena after the closure, but there will be no water or restrooms.



**December 8:** Christmas season is around the corner. And BCHA will be hosting the All Equestrian Christmas Parade in Columbia. We are looking for riders to represent Twain Harte Horsemen... Will you Ride? Call or text Linda Post asap to confirm so we can put in our application. 209.206.8375



**November 9:** Fahey Cabin ride. An easy, mostly flat ride to Hull Creek for lunch, lasting 2.5 to 3 hours. Please call or text Colleen if you are interested in going. 650-387-5423

It's time again for **electing board members** and positions for 2025. Nancy Broce is leading the committee. We'd love to get more folks involved with helping the club. Expect a call regarding your participation!



Our Christmas Celebration dinner at Posse Grounds will be held **December 20**. Start time at 5:30 pm. Prepare for a festive good time and join us in welcoming the 2025 club board and executives.



Finally the Salvation Arm and Sonora Area Foundation are looking for volunteers to ring the Red Kettle bells. Ringing days will be Nov 29-Dec 24 (Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays.) Time slots will be 10 am-12 pm, 12-2 pm, and 2-4 pm. Places will be: Walmart, lower SaveMart, Twain Harte Market, Grocery Outlet and Price Co at the Junction.

Consider volunteering to spread good will for a good cause while representing our organization. Text Linda at 209.206.8375 if interested, including day, time slot and place.

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## Past Events

### Drill Team Fun Day

Last month six enthusiastic riders learned a new drill. It included previous patterns and some new movements. Once it was perfected in walk they rode it at jog and it looked fantastic! The observers present noted how much the riders improved as the day progressed.

Please join us next year for more equestrian drill fun!

Thank you, Nancy



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### Fall Ride at Kerrick

The Bell Meadow Loop was beautiful with the aspen, cottonwood, and willows turning all shades of yellow and orange. Dennise, Stephanie, Steve, Colleen and Linda were the happy hoofers on this ride. The three-hour loop from Kerrick was somewhat marred by a bout of colic toward the end of the ride. Steve galloped up the road to bring a trailer down to give the hurting horse a lift. Fortunately the horse recovered. Note: It is always good to carry some Banamine to help with light colic if needed.



## Twain Harte Horsemen 2024 Events\*

Date	Event	Event	Participation
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 20	Christmas Installation and Dinner	TBD	Members Only

\* Subject to change



### BEEF FOR SALE

Hamburger and other cuts by the package.

Hamburger, 1 lb packages – \$7 each.

Other cuts range from \$7 to \$22 (approx. 1 lb each)

Contact Helga

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### Saddle Work

**Daniel Xavier**  
(formerly with Ricotti  
Saddlery for 23 years)

209-499-9903  
209-493-9222



### November Birthdays!

Steve Tucker 11/5

David Broce 11/15

Jody Rumsey 11/18

Dennise Davis 11/21

### December Birthdays!

Chris Mason 12/4

Amanda Betzler 12/5

Hal Denton 12/15

Richard Reitz 12/19

Stephanie Stott 12/24

Kris Watts Jordan 12/29

Janine Smith 12/29

Cyndie Wilson Collins 12/31