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Please check the website regularly for time and date changes. Sometimes things change and we have to reschedule or cancel. www.hdhorsemen.org or call the contact number listed for the event

Thursday, Jul 8th - Board & General Membership Meeting at Round Table Pizza in Dayton, 6:30 pm. Contact April 691-4019.

Sunday, Jul 11th - Formation Riding Clinic 101, rescheduled from 5/22, 9:00 a.m., Dayton Rodeo Arena, 500 Schaad Lane. This clinic will strengthen the skills of both you and your horse, and make trail riding with a group safer and easier. We will learn to ride in columns of 2, 4, and 8, and move into and out of a wedge at a walk and a trot. Cost is \$15 and it is open to the public. Please RSVP by July 5th to Linda - 775-629-0817 or llmulkey@yahoo.com.

Sunday, Jul 18th - Charity Valley Ride, 10:00 a.m. Contact: Anne 629-9368. **Check website—location is changed.**

Sunday, Jul 25th - Formation Riding Clinic 102, rescheduled from 6/13, 9:00 a.m., Dayton Rodeo Arena, 500 Schaad Lane. We will expand on what was learned in the July 11th clinic Cost is \$15 and it is open to the public. Please RSVP by July 20th to Linda - 775-629-0817 or llmulkey@yahoo.com.

Saturday, Jul 31st - Poker Ride. 9:30 a.m. - sign in and 10:00 a.m. ride out. Washoe Lake State Park equestrian area. Cost will be \$20 adult and \$15 age 17 & under. Each additional hand will be \$5. Lunch available for \$5. Top 3 highest hands from both open and junior divisions will receive a prize! Contact Teresa at 775-220-9916 or teresa_cash@yahoo.com. Registration form and flyer available at www.hdhorsemen.org.

Sat - Sun, Aug 7th - 8th Silver Lake Ride (and campout), 10:00 a.m. Contact: Ken 266-3473. **Check website—location is changed.**

Saturday, Aug 21st - Moonlight Ride. 6:00 pm Potluck Dinner, 8:00 pm rideout. 8355 Tahoe Drive, Stagecoach. HTAP Ride. HDH members only. Contact: Sandy 629-9752.

Saturday, Aug 28th - Spooner-Marlette Ride, 10:00 a.m. Contact: Linda 629-0817.

Thursday, Sep 9th - Board & General Membership Meeting at Round Table Pizza in Dayton, 6:30 pm.

Saturday, Sep 11th 3rd Annual Trail Trial. 9:00 am registration, 10:00 am ride out, Fort Churchill State Historic Park Scout Camp. Engraved headstalls—high point in 3 Divisions - Novice, Intermediate, and Advanced. Participation prize for everyone. \$35 adult, \$25 17 & under, \$20 Schooling, Companion \$10 (not judged). Contact: Kelli 629-0865 or for more info or stevanlyon1@juno.com.

Classifieds

Classified Ads are free for all High Desert Horsemen members. To submit an ad, email:

llmulkey@yahoo.com



I have an awesome 2 year old gelding that I do not have time for. He ties, bathes, clips, trailers, ponies, been under saddle, takes bit very well, gentle, tame, comes right to you and puts his head in the halter, has passed several despooring clinics with no problems. (rifles, Fireworks, bull whips, tarps, vacuum, plastic bags). He wants to be loved all the time, and I just don't have the time anymore for him because I'm going to college full time. He has been shown in APHA shows. He will continued to be worked with from now on the more training he gets the higher his price will go. Get him now at a great price. Awesome starter horse for young adult to get started in APHA showing. Dam: Page An Angel, Sire: Zan Parr Bars Summer

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Thank You!

Recently, the Dayton Food Bank was presented with an assortment of canned goods collected from our rides so far this year. They were extremely appreciative that we had thought of them. With our help as well as other groups, individuals and clubs who donate, the Food Bank can continue to provide for the needs of the community in these difficult times.

THANK YOU to everyone who has donated this year.

Anne Martins

Happy Independence Day

A recipe for Poultice

Recently, my mustang mare, Calamity Jane had a mishap and got tangled up with a panel. As she struggled to get back up, she scraped her front legs and suffered a mild abrasion on the side of her knee. Upon close examination, nothing looked too serious but she started to limp as I led her back to her pen. Her shoulder was sore from the fall so I hosed down both shoulders, chest and front legs with cool water and gently massaged her. I treated her scrapes with Schreiner's Herbal Solution, applied Wonder Dust to her abraded knee and gave her some Bute. Then I called my vet to make sure I hadn't missed anything. The vet felt the same way I did about her shoulder - that she was sore from the fall. When she started putting weight on her sore leg the next day, I knew she'd be okay.

I continued hosing down her leg, cleaning the wound with Povodine and applying Schreiner's and Furazone for the next week but the abrasion on the side of her knee began to deepen from her laying down and getting up and I could see that despite daily cleaning, an infection was starting to develop. The wound not only looked nasty at this point but Jane wanted to be left alone because her leg was sore and tender. Luckily, I had some

SMZ's on hand and decided to start her on a treatment but knowing she needed a deeper cleaning without hurting her, I called upon my good friend, Shirley Allen, whom I always trust with horse First Aid. Shirley gave me a wonderful recipe for a Poultice and I had all the necessary ingredients right in my kitchen. I must warn you, however, that your kitchen will smell like garlic but at least it will keep the vampires away! So with permission from Shirley, here is the recipe:

2 Green Tea bags (Green Tea is the best but you can also use regular black tea)
1 Tablespoon Garlic Powder
1 teaspoon Neosporine

Steep the tea bags in 1 cup of very hot water for about 5 minutes until it's very strong.

Pour the tea into a glass jar that has a lid and squeeze the excess moisture from the teabags into the jar. Discard the teabags.

Add the Garlic Powder and Neosporene and mix until the Neosporene is dissolved.

Let the mixture cool.

The idea is to keep the wound as clean as you can so that Proud Flesh won't develop. When I first started this treatment, the wound was as large as a half dollar. Now, it's the size of a dime and healing very nicely. Janie Girl is in no pain now and this is a gentle way to clean an infected wound. She's happy - I'm happy - No Vet Bill!!!!

Thank you Shirley Allen!

Anne Martins

A Funny—by Sandy Blair

Want to hear my latest adventures at my barn? If so, continue.

There was a bombing in my barn with one victim, Two Aces, and the perpetrator, Miss Maria Chick, has been apprehended. It all started this morning after I fed the horses breakfast. I heard Aces snorting and blowing, and I went to check on him. He was outside his stall, peeking in the doorway and refused to come in and eat. Thinking there was a snake or something in his stall, I checked, but there was nothing weird in there. I approached Aces to comfort him and discovered egg yolk dripping down his long silver mane. He was trembling (the big scairdy cat) and looking up at the ceiling. There I discovered the terrorist bomber, identified as Miss Maria Chick, up in the barn rafters, with a smug look on her face as she surveyed her work. She bombed poor Aces while he was eating and hit him with an egg right on his neck. I tried to get her down, but what could I do? Yell at her? Throw stuff at her? Finally, I bribed her down with a pan of cracked corn, but she was unrepentant about the bombing. Aces now checks the rafters before entering his stall. Do you have any idea how difficult it is to get egg yolk out of a horse's mane? It required a bath and shampoo.

Level 2 Horsemanship Clinic 6/26/10

The Level 2 Horsemanship Clinic was great and very well conducted—thank you Tony!

Participants: Nancy Martin, Jennifer Kersten, Jill Ann Stevenson, Mary Jessberger, Ingrid White, Cherokee Tran, Kelly Knapp, Anne Martins, and Deb Denkler.



Jennifer Kersten



Nancy Martin



Jill Ann Stevenson



Mary Jessberger



Ingrid White



Cherokee Tran

Level 2 Horsemanship Clinic 6/26/10



Kelly Knapp



Anne Martins

Washoe Lake Ride May 31, 2010



Holly Smith, Vince Pirozzi, Vince's daughter, Anne Martins, Leah Singleton



Deb Denkler



Jennifer Kersten, Jamie Buettner, Deb Denkler, Trish Clark, Holly Smith, Ken Buettner, Brenda Rogers, Leah Singleton, Vince's daughter, Vince Pirozzi



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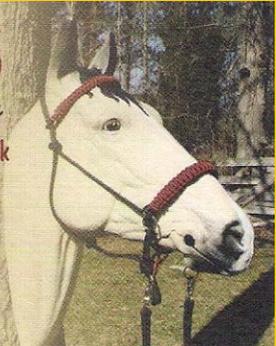
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Washoe Lake Ride – June 19, 2010



Deb Denkler, Ingrid White, Linda Mulkey, April Dziabo, Anne Martins

The ride took us across Eastlake Blvd from the park and up the hill toward Jumbo Grade. We finished the ride down at the lake. It was a nice ride. Riders: Vince Pirozzi, Bonnie Replogle, Anne Martins, April Dziabo, Ingrid White, Deb Denkler, and Linda Mulkey



Bonnie Replogle



Anne Martins, Deb Denkler, Ingrid White, Bonnie Replogle, Linda Mulkey



Deb Denkler



Ingrid White



View from the hill



View of Lake Tahoe

Sorry—the person I selected did not reply to my request for information, so I decided to tell you about myself.

I am Linda Mulkey, HDH President. I was born in South Dakota and raised in Minnesota. I have lived in Florida, South Carolina, and Maine. I like Nevada the best of all the places I have lived—year round riding!!

I have loved horses ever since I was aware of what they were. While growing up I had to be satisfied with riding my friends' horses because my parents did not want any horses. I did not get my first horse until I was in my twenties—an Appaloosa I called Gypsy. I had Gypsy until she was almost 32 yrs. Old (I had her 29 yrs.).

I received an Associates of Applied Science from the Univ. of Minnesota in Light Horse Management. Then I spent 10 years in the Air Force as a jet engine mechanic. Later, I got my B.S. degree in Business Management. Currently, I work for Nevada State Parks as a management analyst and write their contracts.

I have owned Arabians most of the time (the Polish bred ones because they are stockier and a lot calmer).

I am one of the founding members of High Desert Horsemen. We started the club as a means of bringing together horse people for education and fun.

I think HDH is a great club and am happy to be a member. I like the clinics and shows but I must say that trail riding is what I enjoy doing the most.



Vince Pirozzi, Ingrid White, April Dziabo

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High Desert Horsemen Presents:



Poker Ride

Saturday July 31, 2010

Sign in begins at 9:30 am Ride out at 10:00 am



The poker ride will be held at the Washoe Lake State Park, which is located at 4855 Eastlake Blvd. Carson City. The trail is perfect for all riding levels and will start at the equestrian facility located in the state park. Please make sure that you bring water for you and your horses, chairs and sun-block!



Entry Fees:

Open: \$20 per person

Junior* (17 and under): \$15 per person

*Each additional hand will be \$5. Lunch will be offered for additional \$5.

The top three highest hands from both open and junior will receive a prize!

For more information contact Teresa at 775-220-9916 or email at

teresa_csh@yahoo.com

To pre-register please mail entry forms and fees to HDH P.O. Box 2263 Dayton, NV 89403, or email forms to teresa_csh@yahoo.com. Please make checks payable to HDH. Check out the HDH's website at www.hdhorsemen.org.

*All juniors must wear a helmet and ride with an adult.

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