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Newsletter – May 2008

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CLUB MEETING ~ May 13, 2008

Read the minutes from the last meeting

Committee's reports:

Parade Committee Update provided by Walter Chitwood



Caseyville
New Baden
St. Jacob
Mascoutah

June 2nd

June 14th

July 18-19

August 2nd & 3rd

Walter thinks he might have a person to do the pooper scooping for the club. Linda asked if we want to throw candy and have the club set a specific amount to pay for the candy for each parade. The club decided that if you want to throw candy to bring the candy you would like to throw.

Trail Ride Committee Update provided by Sharon Kincaid

First 2008 Lincoln Trail Rider's Trail Ride

June 21st at Greensfelder Park for 10:00 AM and a lunch afterward.

Andy offered to donate the meat, and he will help cook if he is not working that day. Please bring a side dish and any drink that you want.

Please let Sharon know if you would like to go to the trail ride so we know how much food we will need. Sharon will have a sign up sheet, Contact Sharon for more information at 618-397-5018.

The second trail ride is on Oct 25 at Ramsey Park, if interested please contact Sharon for additional details for this one also.

Sharon will be checking into an overnight trail ride and bring up at the next meeting.



New Business:

Tom & Mike went and got two loads of sand to get the arena in shape. A big THANK YOU goes out to Tom for only charging the club for the reimbursement related to the cost of the sand and the gas to pick up and deliver the sand to the arena. Tom also used his tractor to smooth the new sand out in the areas that were the lowest so we could be ready for the first show. There was a lot of rain before the first show however, with the addition of the new sand we were able to have the first show and the arena was in great shape for it. Mike disked the arena for the second show. Robby did wood chips/mulch under the bleachers and cut the grass. Jim Brierly did the weed eating for both the shows. Mike & Tom put new lights up for the ones that had burned out. And bought a new table for the announcers stand. THANKS TO ALL!!!!



Anyone needing gravel, lime, sawdust or sand please call Tom Freeman @ (314) 267-6134 for a price quote.

Imagine riding your horse whether it is pouring down rain, snowing, hailing or sleeting.



Well you can do this if you come to Tom and Linda's new barn. They are in the process of building a new boarding and riding facility, which will include a 200x80 indoor riding arena that will allow you to ride when it is pouring down rain, snowing heavily or hailing outside. If interested in hearing additional details, please contact Tom or Linda. The barn should be ready to take boarders starting October 2008.

Old Business:

Linda wanted to thank the club for letting Michelle use the LTR Show Arena for a fundraiser to support the Collinsville Teepee Youth Center. The horse demonstrations, rides and BBQ raised \$475 which 100% went to support the Center. It turned out to be a fun day for all that attended. Thanks to those that performed the horse demonstrations and a special thanks to Jan Corvallis for doing such a great job announcing and Rosalind Holloway for helping making the event such a huge success.

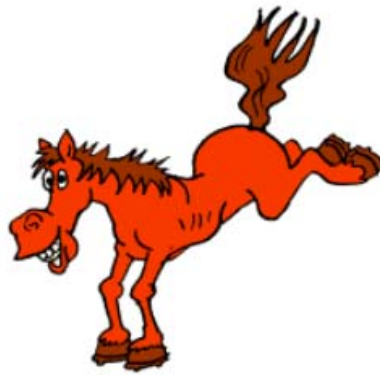
TREASURERS REPORT:

March

Beg/End	Ck #	Paid To	Withdrawals	Deposits	Balance	Description
Beg Bal					3882.46	
	1114	Ameren IP	-29.00			Electric
	1115	Tom Freeman	-62.56			Newsletter supplies Postage
				465.00		Sponsors & Memberships
Subtotal			(91.56)	465.00		
Ending Totals					4255.90	
APRIL						
Beg/End	Ck #	Paid To	Withdrawals	Deposits	Balance	Description
Beg Bal					4255.90	
				260.00		Sponsors 225.00 Members 35.00
	116	Angie Fleming	-14.76			Postage Stamps
	117	Ameren IP	-28.63			Electric
	1118	Tom Freeman	-511.33			Sand & Fuel Arena
	1119	Tom freeman	-1471.66			Ribbons & Medallions
	120	Cash	-110.00			Cash Box
	121	Angie Fleming	-291.76			Allegra printing showbills
				180.00		
Subtotal			2428.14	440.00		
Ending Totals					2267.76	

Lincoln Trail Riders 2008 Show Dates

PLEASURE	SPEED
4/26	6/7
5/17	7/19
6/14	8/16
7/26	8/30
8/23	10/11
Rain Date 09/20	
Rain Date 09/27	
Rain Date 10/18	



If you want something included in the newsletter you must present it to Rosalind Holloway at a monthly meeting for the upcoming newsletter or email rholloway@empirecomfort.com

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