

Horsin' Around! Calendar

Horsin' Around! Calendar is a free e-mail calendar for the Bay Area Equestrian community inviting you to learn about area clubs and organizations and their activities. Join a club, find an event or activity, maybe try a new equestrian sport, and at the same time, meet and support your fellow horsemen and women.

JUNE 2018

June 1 to 3 – COW WORKING CLINIC, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. San Mateo Mounted Patrol grounds, [521 Kings Mountain Road, Woodside, CA](#). Cow Working Clinic with Gwynn Turnbull Weaver and Dave Weaver. Focus on the fundamentals of working cattle. Students will learn exercises and schooling tips to get their horses watching a cow with interest. Tuition \$640. Audit fee: \$20/day. Limited to 14 riders. Go to www.thecalifornios.com for descriptions and details or contact Rich Boyd (805) 691-9691 or rboyd3@comcast.net.

June 1 to 3 – WELSH PONY & COB SHOW, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Brookside Equestrian Park, [11120 Bradley Ranch Road, Elk Grove, CA](#). RV space reservations, feed and bedding orders, RV rentals onsite: call Brookside Facility office (916) 682-1403. <http://www.welshpony.org>

June 1 to 3 – SONOMA CDS SHELLY SIEGEL DRESSAGE SHOW, Santa Rosa Equestrian Center, [3184 Guerneville Road, Santa Rosa, CA](#). [Sonoma](#) Chapter CDS Show, Level 2 competition, recognized by USDF, CDS, USE. Judges: Peggy Klump (S) and Brent Hicks (S). Entries close 5/25/18. Afternoon Champagne/wine and cheese Reception under the oaks after last ride on Friday and Saturday. Tracy Underwood (707) 975-2097. Entries:
www.equestrianentries.com
. www.winecountrydressage.org
. <http://www.winecountrydressage.org/2018ShellyPrizeList.pdf>

Saturday, June 2 – CSHA REGION 5 GYMKHANA, 9 a.m. Tri-Cities Horsemen's Assn. Equestrian Arena, Radke Martinez Regional Shoreline Park, end of Joe DiMaggio Drive, Martinez, CA. Registration opens, 8 a.m. Leadline starts, 8:30 a.m. Open to anyone, you don't need to be a member of Tri-Cities or part of Region 5 come out as a competitor or spectator. Bring your horse, yourself, and proper tack and attire, sign up and sign waiver, and sit/ride and enjoy! Helmets required for minors, age 17 and under. Buckle Series for the Region 5 shows on June 16, July 14, July 28 with Region 4 in lone; August 4, August 25. Tri-Cities members, \$8/event, non-members, \$8.50/event. Leadline, \$15 for all events. Pre-register online at: <http://www.tri-citieshorsemen.org/gym/tcgymonlinereg.html>
. Questions, contact: Amy Bleichner (925) 287-1909 or e-mail: bleichners@sbcglobal.net.
Region 5

June 2 & 3 – TRAIL READY WITH KEN & KATHY FAULKNER AUSTRALIAN HORSEMANSHIP, 9 a.m. Rawking Horse Ranch, [1131 Bear Creek Road](#), Martinez, CA. De-sensitizing Clinic. From Colt Starting to Liberty and Bridle-less riding Ken and Kathy bring proven Horsemanship skills to California to help us learn how to ride in the wide-open outback. Trail season is here and what better way to get ready than to work with them on all the Rawking Horse Ranch obstacles: Car wash, water box, bridge, pedestal, gates, tarps, flags, dragging objects, and many more. Work on the ground and in the saddle, round-pen help also available. Bring your babies, your problem ponies, or your steady Eddie and learn how to build a greater partnership for success in outdoor riding. We want to make this weekend about YOU and what you want to work on with your horse. With Ken and Kathy's skills these wonderful teachers can take us where our dreams go. Contact joAnn, (925) 699-3996 or e-mail: rawkinghorseranch@gmail.com. Rawkinghorseranch.com

Saturday, June 2 - MT. DIABLO NATIONAL TRAILS DAY, 8:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Join REI and California State Parks for a service project at Mt. Diablo's Rock City area. Work will consist of grooming and resurfacing trails, pruning overgrown plants and trees, removing nonnative plants, and picking up trash. No prior experience is necessary. Tools will be provided. Anyone under age 18 must be accompanied by a supervising adult. Dress in layers, and wear long pants, long-sleeved shirt, sturdy closed-toe shoes and a hat/visor. Please bring gloves (if you have them), sunscreen, and a water bottle (with water). Advance registration is required. To register, visit www.rei.com/concord.

Saturday, June 2 – CONCORD MT. DIABLO TRAIL RIDE ASSN. POTLUCK, 6:30 p.m. CMDTRA Clubhouse & grounds, [1600 Trail Ride Road, Clayton, CA](#). Bring your own choice of meat/chicken or whatever, to throw on the barbecue, and bring a potluck dish to share with 12 hungry people at the potluck dinner. Wine and spirits will be sold at no host bar. Outside alcohol must be declared and is subject to \$10 corkage fee. For more information, contact Chris Barnhart at (925)787-9229 or e-mail: peteb.chrisb@gmail.com <http://www.cmdtra.org/>

June 2 to 4 – JERRY TINDELL INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED RIDING CLINIC, 9 a.m. Napa Valley Horsemen's Assn. [1200 Foster Road, Napa, CA](#). An upper level of riding focusing on understanding and trusting forward movement with more control, more speed and more safety, under all circumstances. Topics: hindquarter and shoulder control; intro to the back up and stopping with a softer feel; soft lateral controls while giving to the bit; smooth transitions at all gaits; introduction to body control; understanding the active leg and leg yields. Rider, \$450; auditor, free. (760) 403-3922 or jerrytindell.com by May 25, 2018. \$15/day arena fee; \$15/night for stock pen; Anna Switzer (707) 363-1661 or buckskingold@yahoo.com www.napahorsemen.org

Saturday, June 2 – OVERNIGHT CAMP OUT AT STEWART RANCH, Pt. Reyes National Seashore. Special Trail Riding Opportunity! Overnight camp out at Stewart Ranch. Arrive Saturday, June 2, early afternoon. Enjoy a short ride (5 - 10 miles) and then have a barbecue. Sunday morning, we will get up early and take a longer ride (15 - 18 miles) before heading

home Sunday afternoon. Trails are well marked if you want to do your own thing instead of riding with us. Contact Robin Everett, Golden Gate Arabian Horse Association, Trail Coordinator at robin_everett@yahoo.com.

Saturday, June 2 – BLM ADOPTION, Northern Nevada Correctional Center, Stewart Conservation Camp, [1721 Snyder Avenue, Carson City, NV](#). Saddle-trained wild horse adoption. About 60-75 wild horses and burros are gentled, trained and adopted at the facility each year. Each wild horse or burro receives approximately 120 days of training, but they are still “green-broke.” They will need to continue daily training and handling by an experienced rider. There is time to preview the wild horses and burros and talk to their trainers before the adoption starts. This is not a sale. Adopter must take proper care of the wild horse or burro for one year and at that time can apply for title. Once the title is issued the wild horse or burro will then belong to the adopter. To be qualified to bid, each potential adopter must fill out an adoption application prior to bidding and bring it with you on the day of the adoption. Once your adoption application has been reviewed and approved by a BLM staff person, you will be issued a bidder card and be eligible to bid. Contact: (866) 468-7826.

June 2 & 3 – INTRODUCTION TO ENDURANCE CLINIC, Harvey Bear Park, San Martin, CA. A two-day beginners’ clinic for people who are interested in learning about Endurance riding. Designed for people with no prior endurance experience. Bring a horse or just yourself. Six hours of lecture, truck and trailer sessions, pot luck ride dinner, ride meeting, camp overnight, and on Sunday- two fun rides- 7 and 15 miles, with vet checks, awards, and experienced Endurance riders as trail guides. Following this clinic, you will be prepared to enter your first Endurance Ride, once you and your horse are in shape. Helmets required. For more information go to: <https://nwarhol.wixsite.com/clinic>. Contact: Nick (510) 537-2503 or e-mail: nwarhol@comcast.net.

June 2 & 3 - CENTRAL CALIFORNIA CUTTING CLUB SHOW, 8 a.m. Diamond Bar Arena, Ceres, CA. Pre-entry deadline is the previous Wednesday at 9 p.m. Practice Flag and Practice works are available at show. Practice works run at the end of each class, please see Show Secretary and have help ready. \$10 office fee per day/horse and \$5 drug fee per horse. Non-Pro Ranch class may enter until noon day of show. Open and Non-Pro, \$145 class fee per day; Youth \$85. Non-Pro Ranch Cutting, \$70. Questions to gssinfo@sbcglobal.net or call (707) 318-5933. Enter online at: <https://www.centralcaliforniacutting.com/show-forms>

June 2 & 3 – GOLD COUNTRY TRAILS COUNCIL POKER RIDE: 8:30 a.m. Skillman Horse Camp, Tahoe National Forest, 15 miles east of Nevada City, CA. The biggest, oldest, best ride in northern California: The Gold Country Trails Council Poker Ride! Enjoy riding and camping in the beautiful Tahoe National Forest. Prizes, food, raffles, music, FUN!! \$100 for top poker hand, silent auction, BBQ. Entries are limited, and we sell out every year, enter online NOW! \$35. Only a few Skillman Horse Camp campsites are left - last year we sold out in 48 hours. Two night minimum, \$50. Campsite details and reservations only through the website:

<http://www.goldcountrytrailsCouncil.org>. Questions, contact: Elicia Kamberg, ride mgr. at: PokerRideGCTC@gmail.com. <http://www.goldcountrytrailsCouncil.org/2018-poker-ride.html>

June 2 & 3 – CSHA REGION 3 OBSTACLE CHALLENGE, 7 a.m. Saturday, to 6 p.m. Sunday, Running I Ranch, [1700 Alexander Hill Lane, Dunnigan, CA](#). (north of Sacramento). 15+ obstacles, some with a twist, or additional obstacles on the second day. Do not need to be a CSHA member to participate. Pre-entry (10 days before date) \$45/per day, \$80/both days. Late entry, \$50/day. Open to horses, ponies and mules. Categories: In-Hand, Assisted Rider, Youth, Novice, Intermediate and Advanced. Course walk without horses, 8 a.m., 9 a.m. Challenge starts. Awards presentation after last rider and tally of scores. Overnight stalls/pens available to rent. (530) 724-4120. Dry camping includes 1 pen, \$25/night. Extra vehicle, \$10/night; extra pen, \$20/night. No food available on site, bring your own. Contact: Cindy Ingman, Running I Ranch at (530) 724-4120 or e-mail to: cingman@hughes.net. Entry forms on the website: <http://csharegiii.tripod.com/id60.html>
. www.runningiranch.com.

Sunday, June 3 – PEPPERTREE HUNTER/JUMPER SHOW, 8:30 a.m. Peppertree Ranch, [8414 Tesla road, Livermore, CA](#). Summer series of HJ shows continues Aug 5 and Sept 16. Classes include: Hunters Under Saddle, Equitation, Hunter and Jumper classes from 2 ft to 3 ft., Showmanship, Walk/Trot Equitation, Pleasure and Poles. Class cost, \$20/per class by Wednesday before show, \$25 day of show. Food available on the premises. Online entries due Friday before show, enter online at www.horseshowtime.com
. (925) 443-1547 or e-mail: pepmtree1@gmail.com www.peppertreeranchca.com.

Sunday, June 3 – CLIFF HOLLIS MEMORIAL BARREL RACE, Rafter D Ranch, [8400 Byron Hwy, Brentwood, CA](#). NBHA (National Barrel Horse Association) Race, sponsored by PC & N Construction and Black Bear Diner. Open starts at 11 a.m., Time onlys from 9-10:30 a.m. Poles will be run after Novice. \$300 Open, \$100 Youth added money, Buckles in Open, Conchos in Youth. Silent Auction. Proceeds will go toward year end awards. (925) 625-2656.

Sunday, June 3 – E WA ALL FOUR ONE SPRING ALL BREED & APPALOOSA SHOW, 8 a.m. Lakeside Arena, [25230 E. Hwy 12, Clements, CA](#). All Breed and Appaloosa classes. Ranch horse, Western, Halter, English, and Games classes. Come and have fun at the show, we have something for everyone. A/A & Open All Breed Classes, \$12; Open and Non-Pro Appaloosa Classes, \$12. All Youth classes (ApHC & all breed) \$10; leadline & 10 & under classes, Free (must pay \$5 drug fee). No stalls available. Show secretary: Judy Gerardot, (209) 747-8762 or e-mail: judy@westtool.com. www.ewaappaloosa.com

Sunday, June 3 - COWBOY DRESSAGE SUNDAY, 9 a.m.-12 p.m. Diamond Hills Equestrian Center, [6033 Dagnino Road, Livermore, CA](#). Where are my horse's feet? Shoulder in, haunches in, turn on the forehand and turn on the haunches. It's all about the Softness. Working hard at achieving better rein angles and shoulder control with relaxation. Things to learn, things to work on. Contact Alicia Dayton for registration and information at: clinics@susandockter.com

Sunday, June 3 – EQUINE TRAIL SPORTS OBSTACLE COURSE EVENT, #2 in a series. 8:30 a.m. Novato Horsemen's Arena, Buggeia Lane, Novato, CA. Ride for fun and to learn, Trail challenge Obstacle course. This is #2 in a series of four obstacle course events in Napa, Marin, Solano and Sonoma counties. Every event will have 8 obstacles, each obstacle has a challenge level (1) Novice, (2) Intermediate or (3) Advanced. Choose whichever level, at any obstacle, that best suits you and your horse. Obstacles are not timed. Saturday morning Judge's Clinic, 9 a.m.-noon, \$50. Afternoon, Horsemanship Clinic, 1-4 p.m., \$75, limited to 6 riders. Sunday, rider check in 8-9 a.m. Obstacle course begins at 10 a.m. Online registration closes Friday, June 1, 12 p.m. On-site registration day of event, +10 late fee. Registration online:

https://www.equinetrailsports.com/event_group/10825/view

Series dates: Vacaville, Aug 19, Sonoma Sept 9. <https://www.equinetrailsports.com/events/>

Sunday, June 3 - HUNTER PACE, Lone Tree Farm, [23806 Yosemite Blvd., Waterford, CA](https://www.lonetreefarm.net/). Has been CANCELLED. For information contact Connie at: lonetree.ca@gmail.com or call (209) 985-3354. <https://www.lonetreefarm.net/>

Wednesday, June 6 – LIVERMORE RODEO MIXER & CALF BRANDING, 4:30-10 p.m. [3000 Robertson Park Road, Livermore, CA](http://www.livermorerodeo.com). Gates open at 4:30, branding begins at 5 p.m. \$25/age 14 and older, \$10 age 5-13. Dinner: 5:30-8:30 p.m. Tri Tip with all the fixin's. Live music from 6-10 p.m. Tickets on sale at Baughman's, [2029 First Street, Livermore, CA. \(925\) 989-4131](http://www.livermorerodeo.com). www.livermorerodeo.com.

Wednesday, June 6 – TRI-CITIES HORSEMEN'S ASSN. GENERAL MEETING, 7 p.m. Juniors Meeting, 7:30 p.m. general meeting; Round Table Pizza, 504 Center Street, Martinez, at the meeting room in back of the restaurant. 7 p.m. Juniors meeting, 7:30 p.m. General meeting. Equestrians in the Martinez, Pinole/El Sobrante area are welcome to join in. Monthly meetings, first Wednesday each month. Membership, \$15/individual adult; \$6/junior, under age 17; \$25/family. Contact: tricityshrsmn@yahoo.com. <http://www.tri-citieshorsemen.org/>

Thursday, June 7 – LIVERMORE RODEO FAMILY NIGHT, 4:30-8 p.m. [3000 Robertson Park Road, Livermore, CA](http://www.livermorerodeo.com). Gates open at 4:30 p.m. Admission \$1 per person, get there early as the lines get long. Enjoy \$1 hotdogs and sodas. Express lane for those with exact change. Come watch local team roping and wild cow milking. Events start at 6 p.m. A great family bargain! www.livermorerodeo.com.

Friday, June 8 – LIVERMORE RODEO COWGIRL LUNCHEON, 12-3 p.m. [3000 Robertson park Road, Livermore, CA](http://www.livermorerodeo.com). A lunch brought to you by the Livermore Stockmen's Rodeo Assn. recognizing local scholarship recipients and this year's cowgirl honoree. Includes hors d'oeuvres, steak or chicken, roasted red potatoes, Caesar salad, garlic bread, beer, wine, tea and water. \$40. Silent auction. For more information, call Brandi (925) 980-1904.

July 8 to 10 – HORSE & RIDER CONNECTION ADULT SUMMER CAMP, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Franklin Canyon Stables, [180 Dutra Road, Martinez, CA](http://www.kimshorsetraining.com). Riding lessons, horse care, fun and recreation. \$95/per day, or \$250 for all three days. If you've ever had any interest in horses, this is the camp for you. Try it for a day or for all three. Horses are big, powerful, wonderful creatures, don't let fear of them turn you away. Try it for a day, you'll love it. To reserve your spot, go to: www.kimshorsetraining.com.

June 8 to 10 – WESTERN STATES HORSE EXPO, 8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. California State Expo Center, [1600 Exposition Blvd., Sacramento, CA](http://horseexpo.com). Clinicians and Industry leaders doing demonstrations, Unmounted and Horse Expo University. Western Select Ranch and Barrel Horse Sale. More than 200 + Exhibitors offering the very BEST products and services (The Horse Expo does not mean "flea market" so please keep this in mind.). THREE DAYS of exciting entertainment, including BLM Adoption. For ticket information, horseexpo.com

June 8 to 10 - EITAN'S EDUCATE THE EDUCATORS' SCHOOL, Wolf Creek Ranch, [15416 Norvin Way, Grass Valley, CA](http://www.cowboydressage.com). Eitan Beth-Halachmy shares his gift of educating and inspiring others with his educators' school for three days of providing you with tools and education on how to be a better teacher. You don't have to be a great rider, it's about how to share the very best of what you know with others. For all professional horsemen and horsewomen who are already teaching, who want to become better teachers. \$600/for three days; classroom and riding limited to five students, using school horses. Bunk house accommodations available. Certificate upon completion of class. Contact: Debbie Beth-Halachmy (530) 346-2715. www.cowboydressage.com

Saturday, June 9 –MT. DIABLO NATIONAL TRAILS DAY, 8:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Concord Mt. Diablo Trail Ride Assn. is hosting the Mount Diablo State Park Trail Crew volunteers, who will be working on Olympia Trail, and possibly Falls Trail and Middle Trail. Tools will be provided, please bring gloves, hat, sunblock and water. Lunch and snacks will be provided. Equestrians especially needed to show up and show support for the Mount Diablo trails. If you can help, please contact Chris Barnhart at peteb.chrisb@gmail.com.

Saturday, June 9 – 100th ANNIVERSARY LIVERMORE RODEO PARADE, 10 a.m. Theme, Rodeo. Parade starts at 3rd and O Streets, goes to Second street, down Second street to J Street, Judging stand on Second Street at J Street, returns down Third Street to O. Pre-judging for horse entries at J Street/Carnegie Park. Awards & trophies will be presented at Carnegie Park, 12:30 p.m. (or 1:30 p.m.) after the Parade. Livermoreparade@yahoo.com. Handicapped Parking at the end of Second and Third Street/at J Street. http://www.elivermore.com/rodeoparade_2018.htm

June 9 & 10 – 100th ANNUAL LIVERMORE RODEO, 3 p.m. Livermore Valley Stadium, Robertson Park, Robertson Road, Livermore, CA. The Rodeo rides into the Livermore Valley Stadium with Bull Riding, Bronc Riding, Steer Wrestling, Wild Cow Milking & Barrel Racing. This is fast action PRCA action you do not want to miss! Gates Open at 11am both days, with Grand

Entry (Start of the Rodeo) at 3 pm! Food, Fun, Arts & Crafts booths, and Fun for the Kids, this is a true family event! Saturday, June 9: "Tough Enough to Wear Pink" day at the rodeo, wear pink, and give breast cancer the boot! Donations given to Valley Care Medical Foundation. Following Saturday's performance, join us in the Buckin' A Saloon after party with live music, food & fun, and ice-cold beverages! Benefiting the Livermore Rodeo Foundation. Sunday, June 10 - Patriot Day, show your support to our veterans and men & women who continue to fight for our freedoms. No refunds. All ticket sales are final. More information at www.livermorerodeo.com

June 9 & 10 – FAIRWIND FARM DRESSAGE SHOW LEVEL 2, Fairwind Farm, [2276 Crane Canyon Road, Santa Rosa, CA](#). USEF/USDF/CDS. Judge: Doreen Horsey. 8 high point awards, 4 per day; food and drink available all day, tack vendors; Wine & Cheese party on Saturday after classes. Show Manager: Sue Curry Shaffer, (707) 483-0860, suecurryfwf@gmail.com; Secretary: Sue Plasman (530) 695-0509, splasman@comcast.net. Enter onLine at: www.equestrianentries.com

To sponsor a class or high point award, contact Debbie Wiegmann, (707) 321-7060, or e-mail: Debbiewiegmann@gmail.com. Sue Curry Shaffer (707) 483-0860. www.fairwindfarm.com

June 9 & 10 – WESTERN SELECT BARREL RACE, Western States Horse Expo! Get tickets at: <https://secure.interactiveticketing.com/1.22/714477/#/select#horsexpo#tickets#horse#sacramento>

Sunday, June 10 - WESTERN & ENGLISH PLEASURE, & RANCH HORSE SCHOOLING SHOW, 9 a.m. Ranchotel Horse Center, [5790 Rivera Road, Vacaville, CA](#). (Pena Adobe exit off interstate 80) Western Pleasure, English Pleasure and Ranch Horse classes. Heather Corfee will be the judge. We are bringing back our Year End High Point Awards this year. (707) 365-5134. ranchotel@yahoo.com. Please like us on Facebook for more details. Registration information online at: www.ranchotelhorsecenter.com

Sunday, June 10 – SPEC-TACK-ULAR EQUINE EVENTS TACK SALE, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. The Horse Park at Woodside, [3674 Sand Hill Road, Woodside, CA](#). Sell your new and pre-owned items, Western & English tack, clothing & boots, stable supplies, blankets, stable supplies, antiques & collectibles, one-of-a-kind treasures, and anything except --no horses! Sellers welcome at \$20 per space - can work out of your vehicle. Vendor set up time is 7am. Buyers: Gates open to the public at 9am at the "day haul-in area". Food available for your purchase. For information and early seller registration contact Joan McLaren (650) 339-2996 or joanlmcl@comcast.net

Sunday, June 10 – GET YOUR NEXT HORSE AT HORSE EXPO, Western States Horse Expo, Cal Expo, Sacramento, CA. Come and meet your next horse at the Western States Horse Expo! The Western Select Ranch & Barrel Horse Sale is back! Meet the horses and trainers all weekend long and then take part in the action of the sale on Sunday, June 10! You won't want to miss out on this exciting opportunity! You can see more event details at:

<https://horseexpo.com/> And The BLM Wild Horse & Burro program will be bringing horses trained by inmates at the Rio Consumnes Correctional Center.

Wild horses and burros are gentled and trained before being adopted. Each wild horse or burro receives approximately 120 days of training, but they are still “green-broke,” and will need daily training and handling by an experienced rider when they arrive at their new home. There is plenty of time to preview the wild horses and burros and talk to their trainers before each adoption starts. Learn more about the Rio Cosumnes partnership: <https://go.usa.gov/xQ8YK>

Sunday, June 10 – ANIMAL TECHNICAL RESCUE AWARENESS CLASS, Large Animal Rescue Company, [1930 Buena Vista Road, Hollister, CA](#). Introduction to Large Animal Rescue, horse characteristics and behavior, emergency containment of large animals, scene management and operations and systems. Contact us by e-mail (preferred) at TLAR@ got.net, or you can call (831) 635-9021. www.largeanimalrescue.com

Sunday & Monday, June 10 & 11 - ANIMAL TECHNICAL RESCUE, TECHNICIAN CERTIFICATE CLASS, Large Animal Rescue Company, [1930 Buena Vista Road, Hollister, CA](#). Two-day class with classroom, practicals and scenarios, approved by California State fire Training. Contact us by e-mail (preferred) at TLAR@ got.net, or you can call (831) 635-9021. www.largeanimalrescue.com

June 11 through June 15 – SUMMER HORSE CAMP, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Franklin Canyon Stables, [180 Dutra Road, Martinez, CA](#). Week and day camps for youth ages 8-17, with before and after care available, \$10/hour. \$450/week, or \$95/day. Week #2 Monday 6/18 thru Friday 6/22; Week #3 Monday 7/9 thru Friday 7/13; Week #4 Monday 7/16 thru Friday 7/20; Week #5 Monday 8/6 thru Friday 8/10; Call Kimberly Bredehoft at (925) 876-8269 to book your spot. Kimshorsetraining.com

June 11 to 15 – ALL SEASONS RIDING SUMMER HORSE CAMP, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. [1111 Stone Valley Road, Alamo, CA](#). This fun week includes English/Western and bareback horsebackriding lessons, horse care, barn care, arts and crafts, games, rope training, gardening and special guests, (vet, farrier, miniature horses). Interact with pigs, ducks, bunnies, and barn cats at this quaint, small farm. Lunch provided. Call Julie at (925) 407-7211. Second session, August 6-10. <https://www.allseasonshorseriding.com/>

June 13, 20, 27, July 11, & 18 – EQUINE ASSISTED WORKSHOPS FOR PEOPLE WITH EARLY DEMENTIA, 9:30-noon, Xenophon Therapeutic Riding Center, [60 Don Gabriel Way, Orinda, CA](#). In collaboration with Connected Horse, a program based on research conducted through UC Davis School of Medicine and Center for Equine Health, Xenophon is offering workshops for people with early stage dementia and their care partners. No prior horse experience needed to participate. Participants will be engaging with horses from the ground, no riding involved. All participants must be ambulatory and willing to participate. No fee to join. Call today, (925) 377-0871 or e-mail: info@xenophontrc.org.

June 13 to 17 – SONOMA HORSE PARK HMI JUNE CLASSIC HORSE SHOW, Sonoma Horse Park, 7600 Lakeville Highway, Petaluma, CA. \$25,000 Grand Prix; \$5,000 Open Jumper Classic; \$5,000 Open Hunter Derby, \$500 Pony Hunter Classic; and more. Enter online at showgroundslive.com/Headlands, or: Equestrianconnect.com. For more information, contact Sally Hudson, (831) 594-1719 or e-mail: SallyH1@aol.com. (415) 518-2145 or e-mail: ashley@sonomahorsepark.com. Class list, entry forms, etc. <http://www.sonomahorsepark.com>

Friday, June 15 – ALAMEDA COUNTY FAIR CATTLE DRIVE: DOWNTOWN PLEASANTON, 10:30 a.m. "No Bull – They're Back!" The Fair's Opening Day Cattle Drive, where real-life cowboys and cowgirls guide a mighty herd of steers through Downtown Pleasanton returns for an encore. The event will start at Del Valle Avenue and head on to Main Street at 10:30 a.m. Downtown restaurants and retailers will give away free Fair tickets while supplies last and the Museum on Main will provide fun activities for kids. Wild West Weekend festivities will continue at the Fair through Sunday. Concerts, Horse Racing, Action sports arena, carnival, agriculture, food and lots of shopping. Alameda county Fairgrounds, off Bernal Avenue, Pleasanton, CA. <http://annual.alamedacountyfair.com/>



June 15 to 17 – SUMMER FESTIVAL CDE (COMBINED DRIVING EVENT), Clay Station Horse Park, end of Darr Lane, (off Woods road), Wilton, CA. Combined Driving Event, first leg of the 2018 West Coast Triple Crown. VSEs and Ponies, draft and mules welcome! American Driving Society approved. Entries close June 1. Dressage, Cones, Marathon, Training: \$190; Preliminary-Intermediate II: \$210. Combined Test option, (Dressage and Cones only), \$150. Stall fee, \$175/horse Thursday through Sunday, Paddock, \$80. Shavings, \$8/bale. Portable stalls available on grounds, \$50. Rayna's Gourmet Catering on site, lunches \$10, Friday dinner, \$15; dinner and music Saturday, \$25. Food must be pre-purchased. E-mail: claystationhorsepark@frontiernet.net 916-952-2196. Volunteers welcome, no experience necessary, complimentary lunch. Terri Riley, (916) 715-2204.

June 15 to 17 – [USEA INSTRUCTORS CERTIFICATION PROGRAM, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Waterford, CA. Instructors Certification Program, \(ICP\) Young Event Horse Workshop](#) for instructors and professional trainers to give Pony Club Instructors and Upper Level Pony Club members an opportunity to acquire a knowledge base, both theoretical and practical, upon which they can continue to build throughout their teaching lifetime. This workshop will be open to the general public as well, on a space-available basis. USEA clinicians assist the candidate instructor in acquiring the eye, the knowledge base, and the teaching judgment that are suited specifically for

the purpose of assisting Young Event Horse riders. Sunday, 8 a.m.-3 p.m.
individual candidate review. No auditors. More info

<http://useventing.com/resource/workshops-assessments-and-continuing-education>

June 15 to 17 – NAPA MUSTANG DAYS, 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Napa Valley Horsemen's Association, [1200 Foster Road, Napa, CA](#). Do something Wild! Come to Napa Mustang Days 2018. Free admission. Learn about wild horses and burros, meet gentle formerly wild horses and donkeys up close and personal, enjoy the Saturday Showcase featuring Grand entry at 1 p.m. and an exciting variety of performing horse and donkey acts, including the Painted Ladies Rodeo performers. Best yet, you can even adopt one of these Living Legends from the Bureau of Land Management! The BLM will bring 40 healthy wild horses, who have been removed from our public lands and have been saddle-trained horses by the Rio Cosumnes Correctional Center's Wild Horse Program. Even if you can't adopt, come and watch them! Saturday night dance, \$10 cover charge. Food concessions available. <https://www.napamustangdays.com>

Friday, June 15 – REDWOOD COAST RIDING VACATIONS, Ricochet Ridge Ranch, [24201 N. Highway 1, Fort Bragg, CA](#). Season opens, for six-day/six-night Redwood Coast Riding Vacation for riders of all experience levels. Guided rides range for many miles along ocean beaches, through a working cattle ranch, and up into the coastal mountain range that is richly covered with towering conifers and offers views that stretch to eternity. Continental breakfasts, beach trail rides, lunches on day rides, and lodging at a local hotel. English or Western tack. Double occupancy, \$2,675; single occupancy, \$3,100. (888) 873-5777 or (707) 964-7669. rrr@horse-vacation.com.

<https://horse-vacation.com/activities/redwood-coast-riding-vacations/>

June 15 to 17 – COUNTRY SUMMER MUSIC FESTIVAL, Sonoma county Event Center at the Sonoma Fairgrounds, [1350 Bennett Valley Road, Santa Rosa, CA](#). Toby Keith, little Big Town, Florida Georgia Line, and more. Northern California's biggest country music festival and Sonoma County's biggest party features three days of top country music artists. countrysummer.com.

Saturday, June 16 - CSHA REGION 5 GYMKHANA, 9 a.m. Tri-Cities Horsemen's Assn. Equestrian Arena, Radke Martinez Regional Shoreline Park, end of Joe DiMaggio Drive, Martinez, CA. Registration opens, 8 a.m. Leadline starts, 8:30 a.m. Open to anyone, you don't need to be a member of Tri-Cities or part of Region 5 to come out as a competitor or spectator. Bring your horse, yourself, and proper tack and attire, sign up and sign waiver, and sit/ride and enjoy! Helmets required for minors, age 17 and under. Buckle Series for the Region 5 shows on July 14, July 28 with Region 4 in lone; August 4, August 25. Tri-Cities members, \$8/event, non-members, \$8.50/event. Leadline, \$15 for all events. Pre-register online at:

<http://www.tri-citieshorsemen.org/gym/tcgymonlinereg.html>

. Questions, contact: Amy Bleichner (925) 287-1909 or e-mail: bleichners@sbcglobal.net.

Saturday, June 16 – CMDTRA AND SAN RAMON VALLEY HORSEMEN'S POKER RIDE, 9 a.m. Concord Mt. Diablo Trail Ride Association, [1600 Trail Ride Road, Clayton, CA](#). Join the Concord Mt. Diablo Trail Ride Association and the San Ramon Valley Horsemen's Association Poker Ride Fundraiser for a trail ride on beautiful Mount Diablo. Enjoy the views and the trails and play poker along the way. Top off your ride with a BBQ luncheon at the CMDTRA clubhouse while your horse rests in our temporary stalls. Bring your own hay and water bucket. Enjoy a dip in the pool if it's a hot day. Guests of club members welcome, bring all your friends. Cost: \$20 for ride, poker and lunch for CMDTRA and SRVHA members; \$25 for ride, poker and lunch for non-members; \$7.50 lunch for non-riders; \$5 for extra poker hand, limit 2; \$1 per card for extra cards, limit 5 per hand. Limited trailer parking, please share trailer rides. RSVP required to Chris Barnhart (925) 787-9229 or e-mail to peteb.chrisb@gmail.com.

June 16 & 17 - LYN RINGROSE-MOE COWBOY DRESSAGE CLINIC, 8 a.m.-5 pm. Rawking Horse Ranch, [1131 Bear Creek Road, Briones, CA](#). Cowboy Dressage two-day clinic with Lyn Ringrose-Moe, one week before the upcoming June Show. Two groups of six or less riders will ride twice a day. You get saddle time and "class time." Designed for the proficient rider with a good seat at all three gaits and must have a basic understanding of the basic principles of good horsemanship. Clinic \$350 Auditors \$40/per day; \$60 for both days, or \$30/each day if you bring a friend. No dogs allowed. Next clinic: September 22 & 23, to prepare for World Finals. Contact JoAnn at (925) 699-3996 or e-mail: rawkinghorseranch@gmail.com.
<http://rawkinghorseranch.com/event/lrmjune2018/>

Saturday, June 16 – COWBOY DRESSAGE AND CATTLE CLINIC, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Brown Ranch, [7101 Camino Tassajara, Pleasanton, CA](#). Come join Michele Ulrech and Susan Dockett for an exciting clinic where they will combine the precision of the Cowboy Dressage court and the versatility of working cattle. The clinic will be broken into two 3-hour sessions. Half the day will be on the Cowboy Dressage court, learning how to navigate the court, including circles, bends, straight lines; basic Horsemanship Foundation and problem solving; how to achieve soft feel, the founding principle of Cowboy Dressage. The other half of the day will be working cattle, how to read, rate and track a cow, turns, stops and backing, effective body positioning and correct use of aids. All levels welcome. \$195, includes lunch. Auditors, \$25, includes lunch. Stalls available on request. Registration and release forms at:
www.cowboydressageworld.com/events/

Saturday, June 16 - "GET THE RUSH" OPEN HOUSE AT RUSH RANCH, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Rush Ranch, [3521 Grizzly Island Road, Suisun City, CA](#). Carriage Rides, Blacksmithing Demonstrations, family activities. Free, third Saturday of every month. Activities vary month-to-month but might include docent walks and Science Discovery labs. Blacksmith shop open rain or shine, April to October. (707) 999-1419. accessadventure@yahoo.com.
<http://acMaycess-adventure.org/>

June 16 & 17 - FOX 'N HORN FATHER'S DAY HUNTER/JUMPER SHOW, Santa Cruz county Fairgrounds, [2601 Eastlake Avenue, Watsonville, CA](http://www.foxnhorn.com). Join us for our "Summer in Santa Cruz" shows! Our regular schedule, plus the 22nd Annual Equitation Challenge. Classes from walk trot through 3'. Great class prizes & show champions for all divisions. Stall, \$30/night. Camping, \$15 dry camping per night, \$35 full RV hookup per night. Information is at www.foxnhorn.com
Next show: August 18 & 19.

June 16 & 17 - CSHA REGION 3 OBSTACLE CHALLENGE, 7 a.m.-2 p.m. Cottonwood Creek Equestrian Center, [18550 Evergreen Road, Cottonwood, CA](http://www.cottonwoodcreekequestrian.com). 15+ Obstacles each day. Ribbons to 6th place plus Awards, Raffles, Food, Sponsors, Camping, Stalls and more! JACKPOT Challenge on Saturday! You do not need to be a CSHA member to participate. Details available. Donations and Sponsorships available. Additional dates: June 16 & 17, September 15 & 16. For information, call Gail Bloxham, (530) 347-0212 or e-mail: cottonwoodcreekequest@gmail.com.
www.cottonwoodcreekequestrian.com.

June 16 to 18 – DISCOVER PARTNERSHIP: KATRINA SANDERS CLINIC, Varian Arabians, [1275 Corbett Canyon Road, Arroyo Grande, CA](http://www.ksclassicaleq.com). Learn to recognize how biomechanics plays a vital role in your relationship; develop better balance, lightness and straightness, Learn to create greater harmony and relaxation between you and your horse. Come away with the outline of a customized program and ongoing strategies that will help to eliminate resistances in your training. For more information, contact Katrina Sanders (775) 427-5550 or e-mail: lillnevadakat@yahoo.com www.ksclassicaleq.com

Sunday, June 17 - METROPOLITAN HORSEMEN'S PLAY DAY/TRAIL/BBQ COMMUNITY DAY, 9:30 a.m. Sequoia Arena, Joaquin Miller Park, Oakland, CA. Arena opens at 8:30 a.m. for warm-up. Playday classes: egg & spoon, dollar ride, musical hats, ribbon ride, pole bending race; trail classes include obstacle course in arena, and natural trail obstacles outside the arena. Playday Judge: Kathy Dunn. Entry fee, \$10/class, \$35 for four or more; trail classes: \$15. Non-member fee: \$12. Club membership, individual, \$20; junior, \$15; family, \$25; senior citizen, \$15. Entry form online at:
<http://www.mhaoakland.org/pdfs/MHA%20entry%20play%20Day.pdf>
Contact Melanie Diamond (510) 527-0747 or e-mail: hohinc@comcast.net.
<http://www.mhaoakland.org/>

Sunday, June 17 - SANTA CLARA COUNTY HORSEMEN'S ASSN. SCHOOLING SHOW, 9 a.m. SCCHA outdoor arena, [20350 McKean Road, San Jose, CA](http://www.lizzyk@aol.com). First in a series of three, the SCCHA English/Western Schooling shows provide riders of all ages the chance to enjoy a horse show experience in a relaxed and friendly setting. Classes include Western, English and Trail classes. New this year, mini/pony showmanship, Showmanship Open and Saddle Seat classes. Must compete in 2 of the 3 shows to qualify for end of series High Point awards. Trail only counts towards Western High Point. Western classes start at 9 a.m. Trail Warmup 9 a.m. Trail judging from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. English classes not to start before 12 noon. Contact Liz: (408) 504-7452 or e-mail: lizzyk@aol.com.

June 18 to 22 – RANCHO DEL LAGO HORSEBACK RIDING SUMMER CAMP, Rancho Del lago, [2331 Rancho Del Lago Road, Briones, CA](http://www.2331RanchoDelLagoRoad.Briones.CA). Weekly English riding camps for campers age 6 to 13, include grooming, tacking up, riding and care for horses. They will learn about correct riding position, riding around obstacles, posting trot, jumping position, trail walk, games on horseback, and riding together. Campers put together an end of the week show, demonstrating all they have learned and perform it for their parents and friends on Friday afternoon. Summer camp dates: June 25 to 29; July 9 to 13; July 16 to 20; July 30 to August 3; August 6 to 10; Limited space available. Full day, \$665/week; Half day, \$460/week. Sign up for two weeks, or two children in same family, receive \$25 off. Bring a friend, receive \$25 off. Call (925) 212-6520 or e-mail: mgmrider@gmail.com

June 18 to 22 – DREAM POWER CAMP FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS, [DreamPower Horsemanship](http://www.DreamPowerHorsemanship) registration is now open! The Eleventh DreamPower Camp for Children with Special Needs will be Monday-Friday, June 18-22, 2018 from 9 am-12 noon each day at DreamPower Horsemanship (located at WoodMyst Farm, [7460 Crews Road, Gilroy](http://www.7460CrewsRoad.Gilroy)). Children between the ages of 5-15 with any kind of special need are invited to attend. Campers participate in five stations each day: horseback riding, miniature horses, Creativity Zone (arts & crafts), Nuts About Nature (outdoor education) and Friendship Circle (social skills). The cost for camp is \$255. Space is limited so early registration is strongly recommended. Please email dreampowerhorsemanship@hotmail.com or message DreamPower Horsemanship on Facebook for more information or to register your child for camp.

Wednesday, June 20 – EDGEWOOD PARK CLARKIA TRAIL CLEAN-UP DAY, 10 a.m.-noon, enjoy a beautiful morning in the park and help San Mateo County Horsemen's Assn. in their twice a year clean-up and repair the trail for equestrians and hikers. Tools, snacks and water will be provided. Meet at the west trail entrance on Canada Road. (From 280 take the Edgewood Road exit West. Go left on Canada Road, continue under the 280 overpass. Go approx. .6 miles and park on the right-hand shoulder where you will see an SMCHA sign. To rsvp, contact Beverly Kane at sensei@horsensei.com or via text to: (650) 868-3379.

June 21 to 24 – THREE DAY IDAHO COWGIRL RETREAT, Sweet Pepper Ranch, Nampa, (southwestern) Idaho. Thursday afternoon through Sunday mid-morning - featuring ranch riding, yoga, and meditation. Cowgirl Retreat is designed for committed women riders interested in improving riding/ horsemanship skills and mind/body awareness. Ranch riding can be performed by any breed horse. It emphasizes quality of movement, overall manners, and responsiveness while performing required maneuvers at a forward, working speed with light contact. By adding yoga and meditation to our Cowgirl Retreat, we invite attention to our own physical and mental well-being as well as with working our horses. We will listen and connect with what our bodies are telling us, and turn that into action—perhaps to improve posture, increase range of motion, or even just feel how to relax for a few moments. Self-care for the body and the mind. No previous experience necessary. Includes meals, guest speakers on horse related topics. Pool, deck, daily happy hour, evening movie. Does not include horse or

human housing. RV cost \$30/day. Stalls and hay available: \$20/horse/day. Reduced tuition waivers are available in exchange for KP duties and/or ranch work: \$375. Limited number of SPR guest horses available. Contact Alayne Blickle at: alayne@horsesforcleanwater.com or call: 206-909-0225. <http://www.sweetpepperranch.com/>

June 22 to 24 – V-O-CAL SHILOH RANCH REGIONAL PARK TRAIL WORK WEEKEND, Shiloh Ranch Regional park, [5750 Faught Road, Santa Rosa, CA](#). Come join Volunteers for Outdoor California in restoring sections of trail damaged during the 2017 Sonoma fires, near Windsor. Volunteers will work on repairing tread, removing berms, and building new trail. Jobs will be available for all levels of trail work experience, from novice to experienced. Shiloh Ranch has nearly 8 miles of multi-use trails. Come from Friday, 2 p.m. through Sunday, enjoy camping with fellow trail workers, meals provided. www.v-o-cal.org.

June 22 to 25 – TRI-CITIES HORSEMEN'S ASSN. HORSE CAMPING TRIP, Skillman Horse Camp near Nevada City, riding in Tahoe national Forest. Limited pens available, but you can bring your own or highline. Bring your own drinking/cooking water. Only horse water available. Make your own reservations through www.recreation.gov

June 22 to 24 - TRI-VALLEY TRAILBLAZERS CLUB DAY RIDE OR CAMPOUT, Caballo Loco Horse Camp, Lake Del Valle, Livermore, CA. Check in time, 2 p.m. Friday, check out time, noon on Sunday. Varied trails, flat fire roads, hills, single track, lakeside trails and beautiful vistas. Bring your own food and beverages for all meals, water bucket and all your own horse feed. Potluck dinner Friday and Saturday evenings. For club members only, \$20/night. For club membership information, \$50/individual, \$55/family, visit the website, or contact: Sue Eckles (925) 455-5932. Campout registration form online at: www.trivalleytrailblazers.com

June 22 to 25 – JUNE LAKE HORSE AND MULE DRIVE, Bishop, CA. For those who want to experience the life of a cowboy, take this four-day horseback trip from Bishop, CA where we will herd about 100 head of horses and mules from winter pasture to our pack station in the mountains at June Lake, CA. This is an active traveling trip for people of all ages and riding levels. Tents and gear will be transported each day and waiting for you as you drive the stock into camp. Four days of hospitality, home cooking and the thrill of the roundup. Full service, including three mountain gourmet meals a day, horse, tack, and camp gear, plus lots of tall stories and singing around the evening campfire. Personal gear and a sleeping bag is all that is needed. Riders of all abilities welcome! You will be matched with a horse suited to your ability, whether a beginner or an expert rider. \$975/per person. Phone: (888) 437-MULE or (760) 937-0637. <https://frontierpacktrain.com>

June 22 to 24 - CHRISTIANE NOELTING DRESSAGE DERBY #1 and #II – Christiane Noelting Dressage Center, Inc. [6954 Lewis Road, Vacaville, CA](#). Judges: Melonie Kessler, (S), Ulf Wadeborn, (S). Closing Date: June 8. RV \$35/night with no hookup. Secretary: Laurie Daniel, (510) 672-3260 or e-mail: LDSonHorse@gmail.com. Christiane Noelting (707) 454-0565 or (707) 761-9031 chrnoelting@gmail.com.
<http://www.christianoelting.com/dressage-derby-series.html>

June 22 to 24 – COWBOY DRESSAGE WORLD SUMMER GATHERING AND SHOW, Murieta Equine Complex, [7200 Lone Pine Road, Rancho Murieta, CA](#). Come to see horsemanship at its finest. Honest soft rides, great horses, and an all-inclusive atmosphere. Regular class fee: \$40; junior, \$25; freestyle, \$50; Post entry fee, (after 4/13/18) \$25; Drill Team Freestyle, \$100. Contact: Debbie, eitanndeb@gmail.com. Haul in fee, \$25; stall/tack fee, \$115/entire weekend (includes haul in fee); Bedding, Feed & RV Reservations: Rancho Murieta 916-985-7334. www.murietaequestriancenter.comhttps://cowboydressageworld.com/events/cowboy-dressage-spring-world-gathering-show-april-21-22-2018/

Saturday, June 23 – SUMMER EDITION OPEN ALL-BREED HORSE SHOW, Sonoma county Fair Grounds, Bennett Valley Road, Santa Rosa, CA. Bay Area Fox Trotter Assn. show, featuring American Saddlebreds, Arabians, Open Saddleseat Classes, Peruvian Paso, Tennessee Walking Horses, Missouri Fox Trotters, Icelandic Horses, Gaited and Non-Gaited Classes, Custom Trail Obstacle Challenge, Dressage Suitability class; Walk/Trot/Canter classes; Open English and Western Walt/Trot and Walk/Trot/Canter classes. Enter at: www.BayAreaFoxTrotter.com Rain or shine. For information, contact: Marie Boyd, (805) 218-0849 or e-mail: irishhills2006@gmail.com.

Saturday, June 23 – U.C. DAVIS ANNUAL PRODUCTION SALE, 3:30-7:30 p.m. U.C. Davis Horse Barn, 530 S. La Rue Road, Davis, CA. Offering quality yearlings for sale from the UC Davis breeding program. Preview 3:30 pm, Barbecue 4:30 pm, (\$9, top sirloin steak, salad, beans and roll) Sale 6:00 pm. Visit the website for photos and information on available horses! Featuring yearlings by stallions such as: Action Jackson, Dun Walla Walla, Dainty Olena, Reygans Smart Lena, Comanche II, Faralay II, and more! All horses up-to-date on vaccinations, deworming and hoof care. Kelli Davis, Horse Barn Manager, (530) 754-4156 or e-mail: kaddavis@ucdavis.edu. website: <http://animalscience.ucdavis.edu/facilities/horsebarn/salehorses.html>

Saturday, June 23 – BRUNCH WITH THE BABIES, PREGNANT MARE RESCUE FUNDRAISER, 12-2 p.m. Pregnant Mare Rescue, Inc. [668 Larkin Valley Road, Watsonville, CA](#). Get ready to fall in love! Our rescued Mares, their sweet foals and three orphaned foals, are all waiting for their meet and greet with you! Featuring a ranch tour and introduction to the rescued mares and their babies, a casual American brunch buffet, mimosa, bloody Mary bar, and many silent auction items available. (Ranch experience packages, cowboy cookout for 20, Saturday picnic lunch with the babies, birthday party for 12, for children between age 4-8.) Dress: casual, jeans, cowboy attire, closed toe shoes when you're around horses. Ticket, children 10 and under, \$25. Senior, age 65 and over, \$70; adult, \$75. VIP ticket, +\$20, entry at 11 a.m. feed the foals and private tour with founder. <https://springbrunchwiththebabies.eventbrite.com>

Saturday, June 23 – KICK OFF TO SUMMER TACK SWAP & RANCH DAY, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Thorson's Arena, [2005 Hayes Lane, San Martin, CA](#). Let's Kick off the Summer Right! Participation in the tack swap is only \$10 if you pre-register, all you need to do is send an email to thorsonarena@gmail.com with your name and phone number. No "shared" spots allowed. If you do not pre-register the fee to participate will be \$20, day of sale. On top of the tack sale we will also be having a Ranch Day! Come and shop, bring a horse or don't, but there will be three

arenas open to riding. Barrels will be set up in one arena and the other two will be open to other ranch activities, such as sorting practice, and SMARTY roping. (408) 310-7754 or e-mail: [thorsonsarena.com](http://www.thorsonsarena.com). <http://www.thorsonsarena.com>.

Saturday, June 23 – BASIC SELF DEFENSE FROM HORSEBACK WORKSHOP, 9:30-3:30 p.m. Pioneer Park Arena, [6470 Fairplay Road, Somerset, CA](http://www.6470FairplayRoad.com). Everyone should feel safe when on the trail or riding in public places. This workshop will help to give you and your horse skills in situations where your safety is in question. We will work on awareness, body control, balance, communication and using what you have at hand to escape from a threatening situation. You will need an “experienced” horse who can move its feet, hindquarters and forequarters when asked and should have some basic speed control. This is NOT the workshop for green horses with low miles on their hooves. We will be doing groundwork, work under saddle and quite a bit of work with scary objects and situations. Please bring a stiff rope halter, 10 – 14’ lead rope, a training stick of some kind and your trail riding tack. Bring a chair and your favorite beverage. Space is limited to six horse/human teams. To RSVP please send e-mail to: luckystarhorsemanship@gmail.com by June 15 to confirm that space is available. Fee: \$65 (includes lunch, study guide and program handout.) Auditors \$10 (includes lunch and study guide.)

June 23 - CENTRAL CALIFORNIA CUTTING CLUB SHOW, 8 a.m. Location to be announced. Pre-entry deadline is Wednesday, May 20 at 9 p.m. Practice Flag and Practice works are available at show. Practice works run at the end of each class, please see Show Secretary and have help ready. \$10 office fee per day/horse and \$5 drug fee per horse. Non-Pro Ranch class may enter until noon day of show. Open and Non-Pro, \$145 class fee per day; Youth \$85. Non-Pro Ranch Cutting, \$70. Questions to gssinfo@sbcglobal.net or call (707) 318-5933. Enter online at: <https://www.centralcaliforniacutting.com/show-forms>

June 23 & 24 – INTRODUCTION, FUN AND SAFETY IN DRIVING, 9 a.m. Book Family Farm, 153 Heavy Horse Lane, Durham, CA. I've noticed a lot of new interest from people of all ages in driving horses over this last few months & want to provide a place for you to come & get an introduction that allows you to feel not only safe but experience the fun in doing so. If you've ever had an interest in driving horses, sign up for this weekend & come join us for a couple days of fun & learning. We will discuss harness, equipment & different styles of driving. You will get hands on experience driving both a single & a team. I hope to have mini's all the way to drafts so you can see & feel the difference in all different sizes of driving horses. Saturday & Sunday from 9am - 5pm Cost: \$150 for the weekend (\$50 non-refundable deposit) Includes: Learning, lunch & drinks throughout the day. Additional: I have space to for people to camp out, 1 onsite B&B room to rent with included meals & a list of local hotels. Contact me for further details & to sign up. Hosted by Driving Naturally with Nattie. Nattie Book, (530) 680-7974. www.drivinghorsetraining.com.

Sunday, June 24 - CSHA REGION IV ENGLISH/WESTERN HIGH POINT SERIES HORSE SHOW, Marval Stables, Lodi, CA. Horseshow office opens at 7 a.m. Show starts 8 a.m.

English/Western, Trail, Ranch horse classes. Trail judged from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Snack bar on site. \$10 per class. Ranch horse classes. Series final date: July 29. Show information, Call Dana, (209) 480-7317 or e-mail: danaleigh1972@sbcglobal.net.

Sunday, June 24 – BUILDING A BETTER FOUNDATION, 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Pioneer Park Equestrian Arena, [6470 Fairplay Road, Somerset, CA](#). Consists of a review of the foundation building groundwork exercises, add new ones and break out some new obstacles. A session to get more confidence, control, and communication. \$45, includes lunch, study guide and program booklet. To rsvp, e-mail: luckystarhorsemanship@gmail.com by June 22.

June 25 to 29 – BAY AREA EQUINE VETERINARY MEDICINE CAMP, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m.-12 p.m. Friday, Walnut Creek, CA. An intensive five-day, equine-focused summer camp designed and geared for highly motivated middle and high school students and college undergrads. Explore the fascinating world of equine veterinary medicine with Jamie Textor, DVM, learn through fun, challenging academic and hands-on workshops, lessons and activities. Limited to 50 students. Commuter and residential registration options, commuter, \$1,800; residential, \$2,800. Contact Shanna, (510) 829-2632 or e-mail: baecvet@gmail.com. <http://www.baecub.com/bay-area-equine-vet-camp/>

June 26 – BAY AREA VET CAMP WORKSHOP AT U.C. DAVIS, 10:30 a.m.-2 p.m. One-day workshop at U.C. Davis with the Bay Area Equine Vet Camp. \$800. Space is limited. Contact Shanna, (510) 829-2632 or e-mail: baecvet@gmail.com. <http://www.baecub.com/bay-area-equine-vet-camp/>

Wednesday, June 27 through Sunday, July 1st – KIM'S HORSE CAMPING WEEKEND TRIP, Franklin Canyon Stables, [180 Dutra Rd Martinez CA](#). For intermediate riders, only. Call Kimberly Bredehoff at # (925) 876-8269 to book your spot. www.Kimshorsetraining.com

Saturday, June 30 – 4th ANNUAL CONTRA COSTA HORSEMEN'S ASSN. CHILI COOK OFF, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. CCCHA clubhouse and arena, [3119 Grant Street, Concord, CA](#). \$10 All you can eat chili. Enter your favorite chili for \$25. Prize to winner of \$100; 2nd place, \$75; 3rd place, \$50. There will be vendors, raffles, prizes for best chili and children's carnival. All proceeds go to the CCCHA Arena Building Fund.

Saturday, June 30 – AREA VII SHETLAND/MINIATURE HORSE PERFORMANCE CLASSIC, Murieta Equestrian Center, Lone Pine Road, Rancho Murieta, CA. This is an all-performance show for registered ASPR Classic Shetland Ponies and AMHR Miniature Horses. The class list includes driving, obstacles (in-hand and driving), Hunter In-Hand, and Liberty. Judges: Cindi Carlson, CA, and Lauri Villalpando, UT. Regular classes \$20/each, (\$15 for Area VII members). Championship/stakes: \$30/each. The premium will be available online, and pre-entries are due postmarked by Friday, June 15. <http://www.areaviiclub.com>. For information, contact Rinda Pullen, Show manager, (425) 231-7464 or e-mail: horseshowmanager@hotmail.com.

June 30 to July 1 – KERRICK CORRAL TRAIL TRIALS, 8 a.m. Kerrick Corrals Campground, Stanislaus National Forest, near Cold Springs, CA. Ride and enjoy trails that offer riders from Novice to Advanced, natural mountain obstacles on mild/moderate terrain. Enjoy the challenge and the majestic Sierra views. Trail Length: 5-7 miles each day, 10 obstacles each day. Senior Judge: Kelly York Saturday, Coral Kane Sunday. Saturday night potluck dinner, 6 p.m. Entry, \$50/day. Junior, \$15/day. Schooling, (judged, no awards), \$25/day; companion rider, (trail ride only, no obstacles), \$15/day. No camping fees, but space is limited, share your rig with someone. Saturday ride mgr. Victor Pedroza, (209) 605-3905 or pedrozav@charter.net; Sunday ride mgr. Holly Foiles, (623) 521-4304 or e-mail: afoiles1@gmail.com. Complete ride information, registration and rules www.trailtrials.com.

June 30 – MAGALIA OBSTACLE CHALLENGE, Meadowbrook Ranch, 15424 Skyway, Magalia, CA. 16+ obstacles to test your skills on, horse camping available Friday and Saturday for \$10/horse/rider per night. Ride the 10 miles of trails on the ranch afterwards. CSHA sanctioned. Prizes awarded for Advanced, Intermediate, Novice, Youth, In-Hand, and assisted rider. Assisted Rider, \$15; Youth rider, \$35; Non-competitive rider, \$35; all other riders, \$45. For more information, call (530) 413-9625 or e-mail Russ Mullins at: therockingmbranch@gmail.com www.meadowbrookranch.com

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July 1 – MORAGA HORSEMEN'S ASSOCIATION DOG & PONY SHOW, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. [423 Canyon Road, Moraga, CA](http://423CanyonRoad.Moraga.CA). Join in on a fun day at the Moraga Horsemen's Arena. Featuring dog and horse exhibitions, pony petting, kids' crafts, and more! www.moragahorsemen.org

July 1, 2018 – YARRA YARRA DRESSAGE SHOW, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Yarra Yarra Ranch, [5378 Tassajara Road, Dublin, CA](http://5378TassajaraRoad.Dublin.CA). USEF/USDF/CDS, Judge: Joan Williams (S) Pending. Prize list and registration form online at www.yarrayarraranch.com/#equestrian-shows. Show Secretary: Laurie Daniel-Smith (510) 672-3260 or e-mail: ldsonhorse@gmail.com or www.harlequinshowexperience.com. www.yarrayarraranch.com

Sunday, June 3 – E WA ALL 4 ONE ALL BREED & APPALOOSA HORSE SHOW, Lakeside Arena, [25230 E. Hwy 12, Clements, CA](http://25230E.Hwy12.Clements.CA). Judge: B.J. LeMasters. A/A and Open All Breed Classes, \$12; Open and Non-Pro Appaloosa classes, \$12; all youth classes, \$10. Leadline & 10 and under classes, Free. Pre-entries accepted until May 31, at noon. (phone, fax or e-mail). No stalls available. Show Secretary: Judy Gerardot, (209) 757-8762 or e-mail: judy@wettool.com. <http://www.ewaappaloosa.com/home.html>

Wednesday, July 4 – CONCORD MT. DIABLO TRAIL RIDE ASSN. 4th of JULY BBQ, 6:30 p.m. [1600 Trail Ride Road, Clayton, CA](http://www.cmdtra.org/). (at the end of Russelman Road, off Clayton Road.) Bring your own choice of meat/chicken or whatever, to throw on the barbecue, and bring a potluck dish to share with 12 hungry people for dinner. Wine and spirits will be sold at no host bar. Outside alcohol must be declared and is subject to \$10 corkage fee. For more information, contact Chris Barnhart at (925)787-9229 or e-mail: peteb.chrisb@gmail.com <http://www.cmdtra.org/>

July 4 – ALAMEDA MAYOR'S 4th OF JULY PARADE, Park Street to Otis Drive, (Judging Stand on Otis Drive), Grand Street to Encinal, onto Central Avenue, to Webster Street, ending at Lincoln Avenue.

July 4 – FAIRFIELD FOURTH OF JULY PARADE, 10 a.m. Texas Street, downtown Fairfield, CA. "A Star-Spangled Salute to America's Heroes," sponsored by Jelly Belly, NorthBay Healthcare, Travis Credit Union. Pancake breakfast from 8-10:30 a.m. \$6, Fairfield Moose Lodge, 623 Taylor Street, Fairfield, CA.

FIREWORKS PET SAFETY TIPS: Keep your pets inside, scary fireworks noise may cause pets to escape; let them hide, set up a safe space just for them. Use background music to comfort and mask the noise; keep them busy, treat toys can help to distract them; stay home with them, seeing you relaxed and happy will ease their distress; update their microchips, registration and ID tags just in case.

July 4 to 7 – FRONTIER PACK TRAIN FOURTH OF JULY CAMP, noon, 2095 Van Loon Lane, Bishop, CA. Join us for this trip designed for the first-time horse and mountain traveler. Learn etiquette and horsemanship. Have ample time for fishing, photography and time to enjoy the mountains. \$795 + USFS Fee. <https://frontierpacktrain.com> (888) 437-MULE

July 5 to 10 – REGION III ARABIAN HORSE SHOW, Murieta Equestrian Center, 7200 Lone Pine Drive, Rancho Murieta, CA. July 5 & 6, region III last chance; Sport horse pre-show July 5 & 6; Sat Sun Mon Tues, July 7 to 10 Championship show, sport horse champs July 7 & 8. Sharon Richards, (916) 645-2288 or e-mail: sharonr789@yahoo.com. For RV spaces, contact Jenny Ryon (916) 985-7334 ext. 103. <http://www.arabianhorses3.org>.

July 5 through 11 - SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY RANGERS WOODWARD RESERVOIR CAMPOUT, Woodward Reservoir, Oakdale, CA. open to all riders Please call to rsvp Ben Gibbons (209) 321-2115.

Sunday, July 8 – SAN MATEO HORSEMEN'S TRAIL OBSTACLE CLINIC, 9 a.m.-12 p.m. or 1-3 p.m. Webb Ranch polo field, 2720 Alpine road, Portola Valley, CA. Clinician Joan McLaren, AQHA, Open and Ranch Versatility buckle winner, Cowboy Dressage Judge, and SMCHA western riding clinic instructor since 1978. 9 a.m. session for newcomers or those who do not

wish to lope. 1 p.m. session for intermediate to advanced riders that are comfortable at walk, jog and lope. Learn skills for riding your horse over trail obstacles, performance trail as well as ranch versatility trail. 10 rider limit each session. \$75/per rider. Mail checks to SMCHA P. O. Box 620092, Woodside, CA. 94062. Questions? Contact Cheryl Basin at (650) 722-0606 or e-cheryl@sbcglobal.net.

Sunday, July 8 - HUNTER PACE, Lone Tree Farm, 23806 Yosemite Blvd., Waterford, CA. Includes instruction by Tracy and Connie Arthur, as well as top visiting clinicians. All-weather footing insures the ability to offer clinics all year-round. For information contact Connie at: lonetree.ca@gmail.com or call (209) 985-3354. <https://www.lonetreefarm.net/>

July 10 to 13 – JOHN MUIR TRAIL RIDE, Frontier Pack Train, 2095 Van Loon Lane, Bishop, CA.

Ride on the John Muir Trail along Rush Creek and Thousand Island Lake. See upper Donohue Meadows. This is a great trip for a first-time backcountry experience for those who can only have a few days for a summer trip. Hosted by Frontier Pack Train. \$795 + USFS Fee.

frontierpacktrain.com

(888) 437-MULE.

Sunday, July 8 – SAN MATEO COUNTY HORSEMEN'S TRAIL OBSTACLE CLINIC, 9 a.m. Webb Ranch Polo Field, 2720 Alpine Road, Portola Valley, CA. Learn all about dealing with trail obstacles from Joan McLaren, AQHA, Open, and Ranch Versatility buckle winner, Cowboy Dressage judge and Western riding instructor since 1978. Sessions Offered: 9 a.m.-12 p.m. For newcomers or those who do not wish to lope. 10 rider limit. 1 p.m.-3 p.m. For intermediate to advanced riders that are comfortable at the walk, jog, and lope. 10 rider limit. You will learn: Skills for riding your horse over trail obstacles and poles, balance of horse and rider, striding performance trail as well as ranch versatility trail. \$75 per rider, mail checks to SMCHA, P.O. Box 620092, Woodside, CA. 94062. Questions, contact Cheryl Basin (650) 722-0606 or e-mail: c-cheryl@sbcglobal.net. www.smcha.org.

SUMMER CAMPS 2018

ADVENTURE DAY CAMP, Seven Hills School, end of San Carlos Drive, Walnut Creek, CA. Children gain confidence and skills in a wide range of camp activities including: swimming, horseback riding, sailing, skateboarding, woodworking, science, arts sports, archery, drama, music, rock climbing, hiking, and overnight camping. Horseback riding, and lots of other things, ages 3-15, half and full day programs for preschool age, staffed by preschool teachers. Home transportation/Bus service available servicing Oakland, Piedmont, Lamorinda, the 680-corridor including Dublin, Pleasanton and Livermore. Dates, weekly June through August. (925) 937-6500. www.Adventuredaycamp.com. Also at The Dorris-Eaton School, San Ramon & Alamo.

RANCHO DEL LAGO HORSEBACK RIDING SUMMER CAMP, Rancho Del lago, 2331 Rancho Del Lago Road, Briones, CA. Weekly English riding camps for campers age 6 to 13, include grooming, tacking up, riding and care for horses. They will learn about correct riding position, riding around obstacles, posting trot, jumping position, trail walk, games on horseback, and riding together. Campers put together an end of the week show, demonstrating all they have learned and perform it for their parents and friends on Friday afternoon. Summer camp dates: June 25 to 29; July 9 to 13; July 16 to 20; July 30 to August 3; August 6 to 10; Limited space available. Full day, \$665/week; Half day, \$460/week. Sign up for two weeks, or two children in same family, receive \$25 off. Bring a friend, receive \$25 off. Call (925) 212-6520 or e-mail: mgrider@gmail.com

ROUGHING IT DAY CAMP, Lamorinda's hometown camp, located at the Lafayette Reservoir, ages 4-16. Discover the outdoors, enjoy the wonders of our lakefront location with canoeing, fishing, hiking and more. Swimming and horseback riding instruction included. Free transportation, free extended care, celebrating 46 years. Dates, June through August. Join us for a camp tour@ Roughingit.com (925) 233-3795.

SIENNA RANCH CAMP: Choices include morning Farm Hands and Nature, and Horseback Riding camps as well as afternoon pottery, woodshop, archery, art and animals, horses and more. Serving campers entering grades PreK-8 with select teen programming. Offering weeklong, full-day or half-day camp options. Various dates and times available. (925) 283-6311 www.siennaranch.net.

SKYE VALLEY TRAINING SUMMER CAMPS, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., dates: June 11 – 15, and July 30 – August 3. 5-day camps with extended care available. \$600 or \$125/day drop-in. Starting May 1st \$600/week or \$125/day drop-in. 6 Camper minimum. excellent riding instruction, a positive learning environment, safe friendly horses and a newly renovated, convenient location. Extended childcare available at \$15/hour no riding, campers will do horse chores and horse crafts with staff. Call (510) 502-2399 or e-mail us at: SVTraining@mac.com. Beginners will learn the basics of grooming, tacking, untacking and leading the horses and ponies safely. Advanced students will practice show preparation, clipping, mane pulling, and wrapping techniques. Our instructors utilize fun games to teach the riders horse knowledge subjects such as health awareness, nutrition, sportsmanship, veterinary science, and above all, safety!

WHERE TO GO THIS SUMMER

BACK COUNTRY PACK TRIPS, explore the magnificent Yosemite National park and Ansel Adams/Minaret Wilderness. Full service hospitality, full camp set up each evening with latrines, tents, and good old fashioned back country kitchen cooking. You will be matched up with well

mannered horses suited to your riding ability whether beginning or expert rider. Daily guided trail rides from June Lake pack station

FREE HORSE CAMPING: Looking for an affordable vacation with your horse? Try one of these: 1) Kerrick corrals, Crabtree Road, west of Pinecrest, or 2) Eagle Meadows horse Camp, Eagle Meadow Road, east of pinecrest; 3) Pine Valley horse Camp, Crabtree Road, west of Pine crest; (note: Last year, 2017, Pine Valley was closed to to road washout, be sure to call the Ranger Station to confirm it's open). 4) Clark Fork Horse Camp, Clark Fork road, 18 miles east of Strawberry. Contact: Karen Lopes, (209) 756-5534, or e-mail: kdlcowgirl66@gmail.com. From Backcountry Horsemen of California, Mid Valley unit.

HORSEBACK RIDING ALONG TEN MILE BEACH, 9:45 a.m.-3:45 p.m. Ricochet Ridge Ranch, 24201 N. Highway 1, Fort Bragg, CA. Ride horseback along Northern California's Mendocino coast and pass through scenic MacKerricher State Park right onto the beach. Available daily, one hour or three-hour beach ride, \$60 to \$175; 3 or four-hour forest ride, \$175 to \$235; All day private ride, from \$330. Six-day/six-night Redwood Coast Riding Vacation for riders of all experience levels. Rides range for many miles along ocean beaches, through a working cattle ranch, and up into the coastal mountain range that is richly covered with towering conifers and offers views that stretch to eternity. Double occupancy, \$2,675; single occupancy, \$3,100. (888) 873-5777 or (707) 964-7669. rrr@horse-vacation.com.

WANTED:

ONE BEDROOM RENTAL: Looking for 1-bedroom rental that is quiet, bright and sunny, a cottage or in-law unit would be ideal. I'm a semi-retired, non-smoking, single woman with no pets, excellent local references, and an impeccable credit rating. I'm an experienced horse person and can assist with horse care, as well as pet/house sitting., 415-935-9315, Lafayette, CA.

SMALL BARN TO LEASE: Trainer looking to lease a small barn and pasture. Must have an arena available, preferably in or near Castro Valley. Responsible instructor/trainer, with four to six horses and some lessons, low key operation. Call (510) 931-9687.

EDUCATION:

WILDLIFE PREPAREDNESS TIPS ONLINE: At a Ranch Readiness Day held at the Sonoma County fairgrounds in 2017, Dr. Michael Payne, a UCD vet and volunteer firefighter, gave a presentation about wildfire preparedness. Using pictures, animations and videos, he explained fire service response procedures and the specific actions that livestock owners can take to help

protect themselves, their ranch and their animals before and during a wildfire. To view his presentation, go to:<https://www.wifss.ucdavis.edu/saving-ranch-animals-wildfires/>

TIME TO RIDE CHALLENGE: Have you heard? American Horse Council's 2018 [Time To Ride](#) Challenge is now open for registration! The purpose of the Challenge is to support individual equine businesses and organizations in attracting newcomers to horses by hosting an event at their facility. This grassroots approach gives barn owners the opportunity to grow their business by introducing non-horsey people to the beauty and benefits horses bring to our lives, while simultaneously growing the horse industry overall. Visit the link for more information and to register your barn today! #TimetoRide <https://timetoride.com/time-to-ride-challenge/>

LAS TRAMPAS STABLES: UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT: Las Trampas Stables, 18015 Bollinger Canyon Road, San Ramon, CA. Undergoing barn and stall improvements, open for boarding. Two large arenas, one covered, and small round pen. Big, grassy turn-out areas across the street, bathing rack with warm water, a tack room with lockers, and a feed room for each barn. The barn and stalls are clean and well-kept! East Bay Regional Park Trails are immediately adjacent to the barn, from beginner to advanced. (925) 855-1570.

TRAVEL TIPS: A great tool to know about if you are traveling with your horse. A zip code locator for veterinarians is online, from the American Association of Equine Practitioners (AAEP) . <https://aaep.org/horse-owners-get-dvm>

FOR SALE:

GELDING FOR SALE: 2003 16.1H tb, Boi Can Run, age 14, Dexter has trained and shown through 2nd level dressage, hes schooling 3rd and has green changes. Hes brave and confident when jumping and has jumped 3'ft. Great on the trail, not spooky. Hes peppy for an advanced rider and kind to less confident intermediate riders. He clips, ties, is great in the trailer. Hes been barefoot for over 10 years and has great feet. would make a terrific hunter/jumper or eventing horse. Asking 7500.00 to excellent home only. , 510- 517 5998. Davis, CA.

MORGAN CROSS: Bay gelding, Age: 11, 15H, Morgan/quarter gelding, UTD with shots, worming, hooves. Beautiful bay, no white with a big kind eye, good legs, unshod with tough black feet. "Po" is a confident, willing and capable trail horse: crosses water and bridges easily, loads and trailers well, OK with bikes, dogs, and motorcycles. He goes out in a group or alone.

Good attitude, smooth gaits and easy transitions -- he's a great ride! asking \$3,000.
510-847-1569, Berkeley, CA.

OTTB GELDING: Marvin, Grey, 10-yr old, 17.0H, Foaled: 2008, Super scopey, fun, and very talented; he definitely has a future in the jumper ring. Marv has been schooled up to 3'6". He can be a little green sometimes, so is best suited for an intermediate to advanced rider. He has a great work ethic, loves his job, and is a really fun ride. He's smart, handsome, loving. Looking for someone to put some show miles on him and help him reach his full career potential, or just enjoy riding him at home. Looking to sell quickly asking \$5,000 obo!! Contact Quin Plischke at (408) 489-7794 or Brittany Petersen at (831)588-5318 located in Watsonville CA, 408-4897794.

PONY HUNTER PROSPECT: Charter's Miracle, Mare, Bay, Age: 12, 12.2H, Welsh Pony and Cob S, Foaled: 2004, Reg. Welsh mare, Very fancy sire is Telynu Royal charter. Been sitting in pasture for a couple of years. Needs to be tuned up and get more show miles. Borderline small, but no official height card. \$3,000. 916-645-8002, Lincoln, CA.

TRAIL UPDATES:

ANTHONY CHABOT REGIONAL PARK: Until further notice, the Buckeye Trail is closed due to landslide and trees on the trail, the Mirador Trail is closed due to multiple fallen trees, suspended low over the trail.

CROCKETT HILLS REGIONAL PARK: Until further notice, the Gold Finch Trail and the Chorus Frog Connector are CLOSED to the public, to protect sensitive species during the nesting season.

DIABLO FOOTHILLS REGIONAL PARK: Castle Rock Trail, a single-track trail at the intersection of Castle Rock Trail (fire road) and Stage Road Trail, is closed until further notice, due to a large landslide. The trail is not safe to use. Please use Castle Rock Trail (fire road) or Stage Road Trail to go around that section.

GARIN/DRY CREEK REGIONAL PARK: Until further notice, the southernmost bridge on the Dry Creek Trail located near the Meyers Ranch trail was removed for the public's safety. There is a crossing ford to the east side of the bridge that is available when the creek is dry.

KENNEDY GROVE REGIONAL RECREATION AREA: Until further notice, the single-track portion of the Sobrante Ridge Trail (also part of the Bay Area Ridge Trail) is CLOSED between the Conestoga Dr. trailhead and the Sobrante Ridge Trail Loop.

ROUND VALLEY REGIONAL PRESERVE: Until further notice, the Miwok and Adobe Trails on Los Vaqueros Watershed property are CLOSED for resource protection.

TILDEN REGIONAL PARK: Until further notice, the Selby Trail is CLOSED at the connector trail to the Merry-Go-Round.

WALNUT CREEK'S CASTLE ROCK: "Castle Rock" in Mount Diablo State Park is closed until July 31, to help protect the American peregrine falcon. This protected species is highly sensitive during nesting season. The rocks – located in Pine Canyon – are closed to all access during these months each year. This covers the entire rock formation area east of Stage Road trail. All trails leading up to that area are unofficial trails and are not on the park map. Watch for signs showing which areas are closed. All official named trails throughout the park are open and not affected by this protected area. For more information, please contact park staff at (510) 544-3085.

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO: Before you head to your favorite East Bay Regional park or trail, take a moment to check conditions by visiting www.ebparks.org/closure. Updated daily.

DONATE YOUR VEHICLE FUNDRAISER: Do you have a car, truck, ATV, horse trailer, tractor, RV, or other vehicle collecting dust at your home? Whether your vehicle is in running condition or not, you can donate it to benefit National Center for Equine Facilitated Therapy (NCEFT) in Woodside, CA. Your donation is eligible for tax deduction purposes. This program couldn't be easier. All you need is the title and registration. NCEFT works with a reputable partner, CARS, to pick up your donated vehicle and handle all the paperwork. Make your vehicle donation to NCEFT online <https://nceft.careasy.org/HOME.html>, or contact 855-500-RIDE (or 855-500-7433) to reach a live operator for more information.

WANTED:

PART-TIME WORK GROOM/STABLE HAND: Experienced horse person looking for part-time work as a groom/stable hand in exchange for riding opportunity. Available for grooming, tacking, walking, turnouts, feeding, etc. No mucking. Must be within 10 miles of Lafayette. Please contact me if you might be interested in this kind of exchange.
415-935-9315

CSHA CORNER: (CALIFORNIA STATE HORSEMEN'S ASSOCIATION)

PARADE RIDERS WANTED: CSHA Region 5 is looking for parade savvy riders and horses to participate in the 100th Anniversary Livermore Rodeo Parade on Saturday, June 9. For this special anniversary, Region 5 would like to find riders to represent the programs and clubs active in the area, such as Gymkhana, English/Western, Trail Trials, Endurance, etc. If interested, please contact Andrew Turnbull, region5trailtrials@gmail.com, by Monday, June 4. And if your horse isn't parade worthy, then put on your cowboy hat and come along on foot in your usual riding gear, English/ Western or whatever way you like to ride. For the Centennial, we want a big celebration!

HORSEMASTERSHIP SCHOLARSHIPS-TAKING APPLICATIONS NOW, Deadline is June 30, to apply for CSHA (California State Horseman's Association) Region 5 Horsemastership scholarships. You could win a saddle or earn a scholarship toward your education. You don't need a fancy, expensive horse, just some diligence, study, practice, and everyone has a chance. Adults or youth can sign up, but you must be a member of CSHA or a member of a CSHA club. You will be given a written test, a grooming test, and a riding test. Written test will be given on Wednesday, July 25 between 5-7:30 p.m., all questions taken from the Horsemen's Handbook. (\$20 from the CSHA home office, 1330 W. Robinhood Dr. Ste. D., Stockton, CA 95207.) You may compete in any of the five categories; English I (requires jumping) or English II (flat only); Western, Gymkhana, or Combined (English & Western). Participant with the highest total score in each division will be declared champion and will be eligible to represent the region at the State Championships in October. Questions, contact region 5 chair: jane.vanderwerf@sbcglobal.net. For application form, <https://californiastatehorsemen.org/Horsemastership/2018/HM-program-application.pdf>

COTO FOUNDATION EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP: Will you be the next to win the 2018 buckle and \$1,500 to \$3,000 for college? Open to all California State Horseman's Association members (either from a CSHA club, or a direct member) 14-18 years old. Competition will be held August 4-5 at the Horse park at Woodside. Download entry form and liability release from the CSHA website drill team page. https://californiastatehorsemen.org/Drill_Team/2018/2018-Coto-Scholarship-Entry-Packet.pdf

TRAP – TRAIL RIDERS AWARDS PROGRAM: Sign up for TRAP managed by Marie Grisham through CSHA, Region 5 (Alameda & Contra Costa County). \$15 per year to join and you maintain your riding hours online. The hours spent on trails ridden or walked can be posted and at the end of the year awards are given out for the miles you've earned. This is not a competitive program, just earning points based on miles covered. TRAP is important for equestrians to show what trails are used in order to protect them for future use. Trap program runs through Sept 30 each year. Check out the program at <http://www.csharegion5.org/> Look for TRAP under CSHA Programs. Current newsletters are at: www.cshatrap.org. To join, contact Marie Grisham at: (510) 304-1025 or e-mail: cshatrap@yahoo.com.

<https://californiastatehorsemen.org>.

ADVERTISEMENTS:

FANTASTIC PONY FOR IN-BARN LEASE: Locksy, Mare, Chestnut, Age: 13, 13.0H, Amazing pony available for in barn half or full lease at Black Dog Farm in Pleasanton. This pony can take any child from the walk trot up to the 2'3" hunters. Super sweet personality and a wonderful pony to teach any kid how to ride and show. Contact Terri for more information on this wonderful pony. You can't find a better pony than this! blackdogfarmca@yahoo.com, 925-285-6220. <http://www.blackdogfarmca.com>,

BLACK MARE FOR LEASE: Decco, black mare, Age: 17, 16.1H, Foaled: 2001. Decco is a talented, willing, and charming mare. She's a fantastic partner no matter the discipline. She will give you her all! She has tons of lower level dressage training, so is best suited for flat work, but is also able to do light jumping. Located at Skyline Ranch Equestrian Center, Oakland Hills. Trainer on site for lessons. I'm looking for someone interested in a partial lease. Must be a confident intermediate or advanced adult rider (18+) who is willing and able to commit to 3-4 rides per/week. Asking for a 6-month minimum commitment. All tack provided. No beginners please, \$375. 510-206-7142.

FRIESIAN GELDING/PARTIAL LEASE: Maximus, Black, Age: 17, 16.3H, 1425 lbs, Foaled: 2000, located at Anthony Chabot Equestrian Center in the Oakland hills. Arena work only to start. Beginner or Intermediate rider. Maximus is a mellow 17-year-old, fun to ride. E-mail at: yagerdelagrange@gmail.com or text to: 510-295-9032. <http://www.patriciayagerdelagrange.com>

IRISH SPORT HORSE FOR LEASE: Grey gelding, 17H, Irish Sport horse Schoolmaster for lease 1-3 days a week. This amazing horse has a wonderful temperament and is super fun to ride. He was competing Mini Prix at HITS thermal a few years ago and is an awesome schoolmaster. Looking for an intermediate and up rider, either hunter EQ or Dressage for an onsite lease / half lease. Jumping and showing is a possibility with the right fit. Located at a friendly private barn in Walnut Creek. 510-590-0735.

QH FOR LEASE: Well trained QH for lease with beautiful direct trail access. Take advantage of our beautiful California weather and near by open space! Looking for a trail rider to half sponsor a Quarter horse mare. Rare direct access to miles of fantastic trails from a Martinez barn for someone that enjoys relaxing trail rides on a professionally trained, level headed, horse that is well seasoned to the trails. Covered arena available for winter riding in the event the trails are too wet. Independent rider is a must and western riding experience is preferred but not necessary. Days of sponsorship totally flexible and will be three days per week, \$300. 925-818-6505 or e-mail: Fire2ice398@sbcglobal.net.

HALF LEASE: Grand Prix dressage horse available for half lease, Bay gelding, Age: 18, 16.3H, Sante is a seasoned GP horse with a lot to teach. He's not a beginner's horse but more appropriate for a 3rd level rider looking to learn the PSG work. Sante has a lot of movement so

he'll need someone who's ready to get fit. He's located in Walnut Creek at North Peak Equestrian Center and is in training with GP trainer Tracey Hill. Please inquire for more information. 707-481-2799, <http://www.tracey-hill.com>

TB GELDING FOR LEASE: Experienced and energetic TB gelding for partial lease. Chester, Bay Gelding, 15.1H, Foaled: 1988. Chester is a seasoned ex-eventer with a great work ethic. He is very fun for all levels and good for dressage and low jumping. Would be a good fit for an adult amateur/ advanced beginner. Chester has excellent ground manners and is not spooky. \$110. Facility is located in the Oakland hills and has a nice arena, wonderful instructors, and trail access (<http://www.skyline-ranch.com/>) 510-4992546

EQUESTRIAN RELATED EMPLOYMENT:

FULL-TIME GROOM: Hunter/jumper barn, 30+ horses, looking for a full time Groom. Must have prior experience and own transportation. 5-6 days per week. 925-413-7345.
<http://www.pyramidsporthorses.com> Castro Valley, CA.

GROOM/BARN ASSISTANT: needed in Pleasanton starting in June. Mon.-Fri. 9 AM - 1 PM. Ideal applicant should be very experienced with horse care and riding, safety conscious, efficient, hard working, motivated, a team player, able to follow directions, highly reliable, and able to work the required schedule. Duties include preparing grain, turnouts, grooming, blanketing, lunging, and some hacking. Must be fluent in spoken and written English. Pay dependent on experience. If you are interested in learning more about this position text a brief description of your experience and availability. 925-200-3286

GROOMS AND RANCH HANDS: Roughing It Day Camp is looking for camp staff who enjoy working outdoors in a positive, fun, outdoor environment! Grooms need to be 18 years old, and have experience caring for horses. Daily responsibilities include feeding a herd of 30+ horses, tacking and un-tacking horses, shoveling manure in all paddocks, arenas, and walking areas. Our support staff are in charge of keeping the entire riding site clean and well maintained. Will occasionally be asked to provide first aid to horses with minor wounds, and may be asked to assist counselors in teaching riding lessons. To Apply:
<https://employment.roughingit.com/inquiry/>. 925-283-3795. <http://www.roughingit.com>

HAWAII SUMMER CAMP ASSISTANT: Horseplay Equestrian Center in Kona is seeking an experienced young adult to assist with summer day camps in June and July. (We are almost 100 miles away from the erupting volcano - with 13,500' Mauna Loa between us!) Small groups, 7-hour days Mon-Fri. Position could be long term for right candidate. Call Cyndy for info: 808-345-4696, 808-345-4696, cell 808-345-4696, Holualoa, HI.

HORSE CARE ASSISTANT IN SANTA ROSA: Daily mucking (7 horses, 2 mini's), feeding, watering, turn outs, exercising of program horses and 13 hand pony. Four hours in the morning, two days per week, (Thursday and Fridays, that may be negotiable). Must be able to work in all types of weather. Must be extremely dependable, have reliable transportation, ability to work unsupervised, ideally lower level dressage rider. Compensation dependent on experience and skill level (\$13-15hr) We are looking for someone long term. Please send introductory email and resume to infoequied@aol.com. <http://www.equi-ed.org>

HUNTER/JUMPER WORKING STUDENT: Position available for someone to do grooming, riding, lunging, assisting with turn outs, setting jumps, hand walking, RIDING! Working students should have an interest in working in the Hunter/Jumper industry and be comfortable riding all types of horses. Trade is for lessons on our horses or yours. Boarding is available starting at \$400/month. Castro Valley, CA. 925-413-7345.

RIDING INSTRUCTORS/COUNSELORS: Roughing It Day Camp is hiring Summer Riding Counselors, Assistants, and Grooms to instruct and work with children ages 4 to 16 in their riding program, from June 11 - August 10. Additional work before or after these dates is available. Riding Counselors should have completed a year of college, have experience horseback riding, and experience working with children. Counselors will teach and/or assist with lessons for either beginner, intermediate, or advanced lesson groups, and must enjoy working with children 4-16 years old. Activities include basic English equitation, gymkhana games, with jumping and dressage for advanced riders. Orinda, CA. 925-283-3795. Send Resumes to jobs@roughingit.com, <https://web.roughingit.com/employment/positions.html>

STABLEHAND: needed in Pleasanton, Part or full-time. Must be experienced, highly reliable, trustworthy and English-speaking. \$18/hr. 8AM - Noon Monday through Saturday. Some flexibility in schedule and afternoon work also available if desired. Respond by text., 925-200-3286.

TEACHERS FOR DRESSAGE TEST READING: To split the days I am hiring two teachers for 1 hour of reading tests Saturday, Sunday & Mondays, flexible times. Must know all tests/ movements through 4th level or through Grand Prix. Must be dependable, calm, patient have a audible strong voice with good diction, able to emphasize movements ahead of time, able to take ongoing notes and requires great concentration and no distraction. Coaching /teaching experience to be clever and creative with brain injury and intermittent cognitive learning disabilities would definitely be a bonus. Pay will be commensurate with experience, starting \$22/ per hour. You will be and independent contractor invoicing and receiving payment weekly! 510-917-0987.

EQUESTRIAN PROPERTY

BRIONES, CA: 1151 Bear Creek Road, "Hossmoor" boarding stable, with all the amenities an equestrian could want on 138-acres with 7 miles of private trails and park access. Boarders enjoy a 250'x105' covered arena, three outdoor arenas, 80' indoor round pen, 80' free flow exerciser, four diverse barns, and a mini-cross country course. 21 turnouts, plus trailer parking. Trail and endurance riders share the bridle paths. Four arenas and barns to accommodate 90+horses. Includes 728 sq ft house, 1 bd 1 bath. \$3,335,000. Jerry Vaughn, Alain Pinel Realtors. https://www.landandfarm.com/BrokerDirectory/Jerry_Vaughn-8461/

BRIONES, CA: "Poplar Place Stables" in Briones with 32 stalls with paddocks, 6 double stalls 12x24, six box stalls, 12x12, (44 total stalls), huge covered & uncovered arenas, 6.32 useable acres. tack rooms, crossties and washracks, designated vet treatment area, 1/3 mile conditioning track, 180'x230' Outdoor Arena, easy access to miles of trails, two bedroom, two bath, 1,200 sq ft home; fully owned solar; \$1,599,000. Call Mariah for more details or to arrange a private showing. Mariah Bradford, (925) 787-2490 maria@realestatemariah.com <http://www.RealEstateMariah.com>

BAY POINT: 5-acre ranch, 1241 Nichols Road, nice home, nicely manicured yard, located in a very private and quiet area. Three bedrooms, two bath, plus a bonus room. Plenty of room for the children to play in the yard. Check out Robins Ranches web site to see when it can be shown priced at \$549,000. To schedule appt to view this ranch call Robin at (925) 550-2383 agent bre# 01039978 kropa realty realty walnut creek, CA.

MARIPOSA: VACATION HORSE PROPERTY: Rare find, 37 acres with 1600 sq. ft., home + out buildings; Oakhurst/North Fork/Coarsegold area near Yosemite/Bass Lake. Ranch style; 3 bedrooms and 2 baths. Covered open porch the length of the house. Knotty pine interior. Big stone fireplace. Needs some updating but super cute with plenty of fun potential! Some landscaping already done. Quiet paved road. Full defensible space created. Cleared open fire roads through-out property make back "40" accessible. Creek w/ water running through it. Well with ample gpm. Large meadows for horse pasturage/arenas/barns. Borders thousands of acres of government land. Beautiful Bass Lake is only a 5-minute drive. Asking price will be about \$525,000. The owner is entertaining serious inquiries through his agents. Contact Marty Aubin or Renee "Bennie" Benoit at 559-395-6000.

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