



BOOTS&SADDLES



June 2010



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Cheyenne Saddle Tramps Monthly Newsletter

BOARD NOTES:

*The first two horse shows/gymkhanas are in the books and were very successful. The Fun Day on May 30th was also well attended and everyone had a lot of fun. **A huge thank you to Travis Shoopman** for sponsoring us, which enabled us to use the LCCC indoor arena for the day.*

*We have had some **FANTATSTIC** volunteers at the first two shows and gymkhanas, but we can always use more! This is a great way to earn your volunteer hours. Please contact Victoria Hall if you would like to help at a horse show, or Todd Miller if you would like to help at a gymkhana.*

***KGWN TV** was present at the 05/23 gymkhana and interviewed several CST members. They ran a great story that night during the news that featured interviews with Todd Miller, Gymkhana Chair, and Alyssa Benning, CST Member. There were also great shots of many members on horseback.*

*Save the date! **The annual Year-End Awards Banquet** will be November 13, 2010 and will once again be held at the Shrine Club.*

2010 Horse Show & Gymkhana Dates

Horse Shows

Registration at 8:00 AM and begin promptly at 9:00 AM:

June 5th
June 26th
July 10th
August 21st

Gymkhanas

Registration at Noon and begin promptly at 1:00 PM:

June 6th
June 27th
July 11th
August 22nd

Rain Dates

September 11th
September 18th

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September 12th
September 19th

Entry forms are available on the CST website. Fill one out and bring it with you to speed up registration!

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CST ROYALTY REPORT

**2010
Queen**

**Gracie
Brown**



**2010
Princess**

**Jordan
Rudolph**

Gracie and Jordan have been busy showing, running gymkhana and lending a hand wherever it's needed.

They are looking forward to all the activities at Frontier Days!

DRILL TEAM UPDATE

Drill team practices Tuesday and Friday evenings at the CST arena. They will be performing at Frontier Days during the pre-rodeo activities.

Contact Victoria Hall at 214-5273 for more information.

PARADE/GRAND ENTRY INFORMATION:

Three parade clinics have been scheduled:
June 20th, 9AM - 11 AM, at LCCC
July 9th, 7PM, at the Archer Arena
July 18th, 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM at CST Arena

If you plan to ride in a CFD Parade or Grand Entry, you MUST attend a parade clinic with the horse you will be riding. Be sure to check in with Heidi King,, Parade Chair, at the clinic so you receive credit for attending. The official CST parade costume is blue jeans, white long-sleeved shirt, white-toned straw hat (or helmet), and cowboy boots. Neck scarves will be provided to you at the parade/grand entry. You will need a red saddle pad for the Saturday and Tuesday parades/grand entries and a black saddle pad for the Thursday parade/grand entry.

Heidi would also appreciate volunteers to help with parades, grand entries and the parade clinics. Contact Heidi at 220-0597.



WORK DAY!

There's lots to do to get ready for Frontier Days.

Date: June 3rd
Time: 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Where: CST Arena

Bring (if you can): Gloves, lawn mower, weed eater, and a smile!
Contact Tammy Maas at 421-4455 for more information.

MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

Each month, we'll feature a individual or family CST member. If you would like to be featured in the spotlight, please contact Heidi King, CST Secretary.

This month, I'd like to introduce the Benning Family:

Daughters Shelby and Alyssa compete as Seniors, Rob works as a show Dad/Husband, and Susan competes as a Jack Benny. The Benning's have been CST member for about 10 years and have been awarded the John Easterwood Award on two occasions. Susan has also been a board member for many years. They have 6 horses and are getting a new colt this year. Outside of CST, the family enjoys roping, rodeos, competing in both ranch sorting and ranch versatility competitions, and trail riding. Shelby will be joining the LCCC equestrian show team in the Fall of 2010. As a family, they are all active in 4-H and the girls are also very active with FFA. Both have been elected FFA Chapter Officers.

**Shelby was the 2009 CST
Queen.**



**Susan riding at the May
22nd horse show.**

**Alyssa "Turnin' & Burnin'" at
the fun Day May 30th..**



They all have their own favorite CST events. Alyssa loves barrels, Shelby loves western riding, and Susan and Rob like trail. They have several favorite CST memories; one was the first year Alyssa competed, when she was still very young. At one show, during Showmanship, the judge had to help Alyssa by leading the horse for her! They also fondly remember the entire 2009 season when Shelby was the CST Queen.

If you haven't met the Bennings, be sure to say hi at the next horse show or gymkhana – they're sure to be there!

Cheyenne Saddle Tramps Meeting Minutes

May 19, 2010 LCCC AG Room 118 7:00pm

Meeting called to order: 7:00 PM by President Jody Osban

Minutes approved from last meeting.

President: Jody Osban. No report.

Vice President: Anita LaFond. Not present.

Secretary: Heidi King. Been receiving a lot of volunteer hour tracking forms and is inputting them into a database. Seems to be working really well.

Treasurer: Robert Fecht. Not present, but sent Treasurer's Report. Checkbook balance is \$2184.71.

Horse Show: Victoria Hall. First show was great! Net amount brought in was \$765.00. Judge took time to speak to each participant and give ideas for improvement. Found a new source for ribbons. A motion was made, seconded, and was unanimously approved for Victoria to purchase enough ribbons for the rest of the year, including highpoint. The fun day will be May 30th at LCCC. Classes will be: Barrels, Speed Barrels, Poles and Keyhole (new pattern). There will be high point awards given.

Gymkhana: Todd Miller. First gymkhana had a huge turnout and things went well. Net amount brought in was \$1355.00. Has several ideas to get things running faster next time including not allowing changes once that event begins. Also hope to have someone at gate getting people lined up for their turn. KGWN will be there on Sunday 05/23 doing a story on CST.

Concessions: Chris Haas, Cat Brown. Not present, but sent a report with Gracie. Net amount brought in was \$174.50.

Grounds: Tammy Maas. Tammy attended the Grants Writing class at LCCC on 04/24. She said it was very interesting and she is looking forward to working on trying to get some grants for CST. She has a new mail box for the trail course and will get it installed before the upcoming show. Has several stall reservations for CST. Reserved the Shrine Club for November 13th for the Banquet. A friend tuned-up the tractor for her. Jay has moved the supplies that were in his garage to the clubhouse. Thanks to Heidi and Mike King for donating a picnic table for the crow's nest area. Still working on getting sign with rules printed and also getting the new barrels painted. Next work day planned for June 3rd from 6:00 - 8:00 PM.

Advisor: Wendy Miller. No report.

3-D Barrels: Jody Osban. No report.

Building: Open. Discussion took place regarding renting the clubhouse out and the possible effects it may have on our non-profit status with the IRS.

Royalty Advisor: Victoria Hall. No report.

Royalty: 2010 Queen Gracie Brown. 2010 Princess Jordan Rudolph. Gracie was present and said they received their new headstalls and reins and will be showing them off at the upcoming show and gymkhana!

Parades: Heidi King. Will be getting dates of Parade Clinics out soon. There will be two in conjunction with 4H, and possibly one separate one for CST. All riders MUST attend one of the parade clinics if they plan to participate in any of the CFD parades or grand entries.

Rules: Wendy Miller. Will be getting the revised rules posted to the website.

Clinician: Open.

Drill: Victoria Hall. Only had on practice on horseback so far due to the severe weather. Requested the club purchase bow ties for Drill Team members to wear. Cost would be approximately \$60.00.

Sponsorship/Fundraiser: Open.

Website: Jay Ostby. Not present.

Old Business: None.

New Business: Victoria presented a letter to the President requesting a donation to the County 4H Fair to be used to purchase a buckle. This has been done in the past and is a great way to support the 4H'ers in our community. A motion was made, seconded, and was unanimously approved to donate \$100.00 to 4H for purchase of a buckle.

Meeting Adjourn: 7:50 PM by President Jody Osban



SCHOLARSHIPS for CST Members!

Two of our former CST Royalty, 2009 Queen Shelby Benning, and 2005 Princess Samantha (Sammy) Heitsch, have been awarded \$1000 Ford/FFA Scholarships by Spradley Barr Motors and Ford Motor Company. Shelby is a senior at Central and plans to attend LCCC and major in Nursing. Sammy is a senior at East and plans to attend LCCC and major in Agricultural Communications.

Congratulations Shelby and Sammy!

Visit our website www.cheyennesaddletrams.org

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Upcoming Events:

June 3rd: Work day, CST Arena, 6:00 PM

June 5th: Horse Show, CST Arena, Registration at 8:00 AM

June 6th: Gymkhana, CST Arena, Registration at Noon

June 16th: Membership Meeting, LCCC, AG118, 7:00 PM

June 20th: Parade Clinic, LCCC, 9:00 AM

June 26th: Horse Show, CST Arena, Registration at 8:00 AM

June 27th: Gymkhana, CST Arena, Registration at Noon.

July 4th: Independence Day

