

# HOOF IN MOUTH GAZETTE

Saddle & Harness Association, Inc., Norco, CA

## Editor's Message

After a very brief surprise July rain storm (not a big deal with the covered arena) more than 35 participants enjoyed a great day of competition. The shows this year have been moving very efficiently and quickly, typically finishing before 5:00. Please allow enough time for preparations and watch and listen to make sure you are at the gate on time. You do not want to miss your class.

The September show will feature a special noon time tribute to those that we lost and those that stepped up as heroes on that tragic day of 9/11/2001.

### *Gone but never forgotten.*

For the September show we will have a new food vendor the Ladies of the Norco Lions Club have offered to provide Saddle and Harness show participants and visitors with goodies, sandwiches and drinks at very reasonable prices. Please plan on dropping by to express your appreciation and to pick up something to munch on.

The club as always thanks our fantastic team of volunteers for their continued excellence in putting on our shows. Please help them out by pre-registering and being at the gate on time for your classes. *All staff members staff are volunteers, so please be kind!*

### *Please Pre-enter*

Pre-registering for a show by mail saves you and the show staff time on show day and **saves you money!** Pre-registration is only \$6 per class, show day is \$7 per class.

If you pre-register and for any reason you can not make the show your check will not be cashed and will be returned or credited to the next show, your option.

Pre-registration will be accepted by mail up to three days prior to the show. Just send your show premium or a listing of the classes you want to participate in to:

Saddle & Harness Association, Inc.  
P.O. Box 7862  
Norco, CA 92860

## Saddle & Harness Open Show

**Sunday, September 11th**

Judge: Stacie Lyons

## Special Tribute In Memory of Those We Lost On 9/11/2001

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Show premiums and 2011 Rules available on line  
<http://saddlenharness.org/forms/>

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Support our new food vendor;  
**Ladies of the Norco Lions Club**  
*Volunteering as a Lion can make a difference.*  
<http://www.lionsusa.com/norco/>

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The monthly board/member meeting is  
September 8th, 7 to 9 pm.  
Norco Fire Department  
(Corner of Sixth Street and Hillside)

## Day of the Cowboy

At the invitation of council member Kathy Azevedo and the city of Norco, Saddle and Harness members were pleased to participate in the "City of Norco National Day of the American Cowboy 2011" on July 23th.

The day was filled with many events beginning with a very exhilarating opening ceremony with 50 plus flag bearing riders representing each state and a finale with the red, white and blue.

The day long entertainment included gun twirling and singing by Isaak Presely. Several mounted drill team demonstrations by the very talented Norco Cowgirls and The Mane Attraction. Cow cutting and roping demonstrations by clinician Kenny Ennis and a versatility exhibit by Liza Rogers of First Time Events.

The entertainment was in conjunction with ongoing participant events in the new arena which included obstacle courses, and riding competitions.

The events continued into the evening with Ribbon Races, a Bill Wirtz Demonstration, a Children's Boot Scramble and the Pacific Coast Junior Bull Riders demonstration (mutton bustin). It was a full day of exciting and interesting events. The proceedings were covered by the Press Enterprise and other local papers.

In a featured tribute to period transportation Saddle and Harness members trotted out their carriages and buggies and equine in full splendor to wow the crowd (that numbered in the 100's). The demonstration highlighted the contributions of the horse drawn wagon and buggy to the winning and taming of the Wild West.



The participants included;

Leo Spruill and Roland Schmitz looking really sharp in Jennifer and Roland's 1900 period Chicago Ice Wagon pulled by their beautiful pair of Haflingers Manny and Wyatt.

Evon Owens volunteered her team of mules Slick and Slack to pull the Norco City wagon. Kathy Butler drove the team carrying the city dignitaries.



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## *Day of the Cowboy (continued)*

Lori Lee Cornia and her four time National Champion Andalusian, Quechol, looked spectacular with their flowing manes and fluid motion in her perfectly suited road cart. Lori Lee was definitely a crowd favorite.



Cinny Wood and her Gypsy Vanner, Wilson (shown lower left), demonstrated the elegance of the period in her Ladies Phaeton. She looked great.

Ken Shaw contributed driving his pair of miniature donkey to note the contributions of the donkey to the winning of the west.

Long time S&H member George Liblin added a lot of excitement and wow to the event with his replica Wells Fargo Stage coach pulled by four white galloping Percherons thundering into the arena. George and his team were definitely a crowd pleaser.



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 Watch for Jennifer Wells article on the Day of the Cowboy in the upcoming "The Equestrian News"  
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Paula Parisi of "The Equestrian News" is looking for an article or articles and photos (even just snap shots) from the Norco Fair last week. Please contact :  
[paula@paulaparis.com](mailto:paula@paulaparis.com)

## Your 2011 S&H Board Members

### S&H Board Members

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If you have any questions or recommendations feel free to contact any of your board members or visit our website at <http://www.saddlenharness.org/>

If you would like to volunteer for a position on the board or would like to help out in anyway please attend our monthly club meeting. As you can see above several of our officers and directors are doing double duty, your help would be appreciated.

## Let's be safe out there!

### ***EHV-1 Virus Update***

August 24, 2011 - Two additional EHV-1 cases confirmed. Current epidemiologic investigation findings indicate minimal risk of disease spread from this closed premises. No new cases have been reported since August 24, 2011. For detailed information consult the California Department of Food and Agriculture website;

[http://www.cdffa.ca.gov/ahfss/Animal\\_Health/](http://www.cdffa.ca.gov/ahfss/Animal_Health/)

Please consider sponsoring a class or a division or recruiting a business or friend to be an S&H sponsor. Membership and Sponsorship forms are available at: <http://saddlenharness.org/forms/membership.pdf>

### **S&H Year End Points**

The list below is the current point leaders as of the July show. For a complete listing see the points posted on-line. The high point leaders are:

aa- Halter w/y: Heather Neugart, Oak Run New York Dark Nite

1-Halter Mini: Ken Shaw, ENE Carnival

2-Halter Pony: Chuck Turley, Painted Rose

3-Halter L. Horse: Jennifer Wells, Manny

4-Draft: David Van Sickle, Big Red

5-Mule/Donkey: Mathew Denney, Scout

6-Color: Evon Owens, Freedom Reigns

7-Non-color: Lori Lee Cornia, Quechol

8-Gaited: Lindsay Schultz, RCH Bataclon

9-Eng. Pleasure: Jennifer Thomas, Duchess Pearl

10-Eng. Equit: Jennifer Thomas, Duchess Pearl

11-Eng. Country: Jennifer Thomas, Duchess Pearl

12-Walk Trot: Maddison Langseth, Girl Scout / David Van Sickle, Big Red

13-Lead Line: David Aparicio, Clarwoods Twinkling Star

14-Wst Pleasure: Jennifer Wells, Manny

15-Wst Equit: Susan McMahan, Concentido

16-Wst Country: Kim Nolan, Ferrellawn Tina

17-Driving Grn: Jennifer Turley, Painted Rose

18-Driving Bkyd: Lori Lee Cornia, Quechol

19-Driving Mini: Ken Shaw, ENE Carnival

20-Driving Pony: Chuck Turley, Roger

21-Driving L. Horse: Jennifer Wells, Manny

22-Driving Draft: Jennifer Thomas, Sir Ichabod

23-Driving H. Horse: Genie Carroll, Gypsy

24-Driving Mule/Donkey: Barbara McCarthy-Kimball, Chloe

25-Junior to Drive: Austin Nolan, Ferrallawn Tina

26-Driving Multiples: Doug Russell, Katie & Dillon

27-Driving Stock: Evon Owens, Freedom Reigns

28-Driving Pleasure: Chuck Turley, Roger

29-ReinsManship Jr.: Jordan Coley, ENE Carnival

30-ReinsManship At: Chuck Turley, Roger

31-Gamblers Mini: Ken Shaw, ENE Carnival

32-Gamblers Pony: Melanie Brooker, Whats Your Name

33-Gamblers Horse: Jennifer Wells, Manny

34-Cones Mini: Ken Shaw, ENE Carnival

35-Cones Pony: Melanie Brooker, Whats Your Name

36-Cones Horse: Jennifer Wells, Manny

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### Events of Interest

#### 2011 SAN DIEGO PLEASURE DRIVING SHOW

PLACE: Tumbleweed Arena, Willow Rd., Lakeside, CA

For Info: 619/994-9534 or 619-224-0601

Email: [Sioux@siouxmunyon.com](mailto:Sioux@siouxmunyon.com)

<http://www.californiacarriages.com/SDPDS.htm>

#### ETI (Equestrian Trails Inc) Corral #6

[http://www.eticorral6.info/Home\\_Page.html](http://www.eticorral6.info/Home_Page.html)

Monthly shows at the Laramore Arena, in the Sky Country neighborhood of Mira Loma.

#### George Ingalls Equestrian Event Center

<http://www.norco.ca.us/cals/ingallspark.asp>

#### Western Regional Carriage Driving Events Calendar

<http://www.carriagedrivingessentials.com/calendar.php>

## S&H 2011 Show Dates

# Sept 11

# Oct 23      Nov 13

#### Classifieds:

If you need something or have something to sell or trade email for a free newsletter ad

Contact: [kenjshaw@roadrunner.com](mailto:kenjshaw@roadrunner.com)

#### Notice:

The photos from the July S&H Show are now available on-line at [Photography by Terrie](#). Look for Norco Saddle and Harness Shows, July 2011. The photos are separated in folders by time of day. All prints are of the highest quality and will not fade.

If you have any questions or special requests contact: Terrie Medeiros E-mail [gmutts@sbcglobal.net](mailto:gmutts@sbcglobal.net) or call 714-693-0423

#### Event of interest:

San Diego County Gymkhana Riders - First Annual COWBOY CHALLENGE, September 25, 2011

This is a horseback event that will test the abilities of both horse and rider. This is a timed and judged event. It will take place in and out of an arena setting on a cowboy obstacle course. Contact [carey@sdcgr.org](mailto:carey@sdcgr.org)

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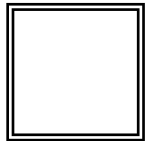
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