I attended two great events recently. Having been a drill team member (a few years ago) I am really happy to see the renewed interest & growth of Drill Team Competition. This is not only the spectacular maneuvers with horse and riders, the precision of team work but also the “spirit” of the competing groups. The most recent CSHA Drill Team Competition at Diamond Bar Arena in Ceres, CA was well attended by teams from many parts of the state and they put on terrific performances. Congratulations to all the competitors and our

Thanks for participating and supporting a super program. Good luck to all for the coming year.

CSHA had a booth at the Western State Horse Expo on June 8-10. The booth had a visual display of photos from events representing all our programs, educational materials for Horsemastership & Royalty as well as Trails & TRAP information. We talked with many people interested in joining programs and saw many current members. Thank you to Laura Gilman and Greta DeGraeve for spearheading the set up and assisting to attend the booth. Thank You to our State Royalty and the Region 5 and 18 Royalty (and their chaperones/parents) for assisting during Expo to meet and greet and represent CSHA.

Ride safe and have fun……………….see you out there,

Jim Hendrickson

Administrative Practices

It is time to start writing up your suggested changes to the Bylaws and program rules.

RESOLUTIONS are DUE by August 1, 2012.

The criteria and submittal information is located in:

Administrative Practices Section 13.0 RULEBOOK CHANGES.

It is recommended that program committees discuss their Resolutions at the September Quarterly to review them prior to the convention. In light of smaller attendance at annual Conventions, meeting rooms may be provided on a more limited schedule this year.

If anyone has a question as to how to write a resolution or develop the justifications, this can be discussed at the July Quarterly meeting, or by contacting me by email or phone.

Carolyn Hendrickson; Administrative Practices Chair

bethanyfarms@caldsl.net or 925-640-2605
Past CSHA President Frank Hall

Frank Hall, CSHA State First Vice President in 1972 and State President in 1973 & 1974, died from complications of leukemia on Friday June 15th, he was 74.

Frank was a former councilman and mayor of Norco who helped make the town into the equestrian-based community that it is today. He was born March 2, 1938 in Eagle Rock CA, then moved to Newport where he lived for 30 years before moving to Norco in 1975 when he married his wife, Sharon, and adopted her three sons, Bill, Bob and Steve. The couple met through horses, at an Equestrian Trails Incorporated meeting. He was active in many horse based organizations including CSHA, ETI, and the Norco Horsemen’s Association, of which he was a founding member of in 1989. Frank was the National President of Equestrian Trails, Inc. from 1967 to 1970. He was a founding and Trailblazer member of the Autry Museum of Western Heritage as well.

Frank went into politics to keep Norco the popular rural horse town it is and advocated for the preservation of the equestrian lifestyle and area riding trails. He served four terms as a city councilman and two terms as mayor of Norco. He was instrumental in the development of the coast-to-crest trail and supported making Norco a Charter City which requires a supermajority vote for any changes to animal keeping laws, elimination of trails or building of high density apartments. He was active in ensuring that every home in Norco is zoned for animal keeping. He worked for the County of Orange from 1959 to his retirement in 1995.

Funeral services were held Friday June 22 at Pierce Brothers Crestlawn Cemetery in Riverside, followed by a graveside service and a reception at Nellie Weaver Hall in Norco.

Charitable Trust

CORRECTION TO THE CSHA CHARITABLE TRUST REQUEST FOR SCHOLARSHIP MONIES FORM

It has come to our attention that some scholarship redemption forms may have been issued with an incorrect address for the CSHA State Office. If you have won a Horsemastership, Royalty, SOC Gymkhana, SOC Western or SOC English scholarship, please take note that your redemption form must be sent to:

The California State Horsemen’s Association
Attn: Charitable Trust
Post Office Box 1228
Clovis, CA 93613

Please note that the correct form is available on the CSHA website. We apologize for this error.

Advertising

Advertise Your Business in “The New Horseman”

Do you want to get the word out about your service or product to the membership of CSHA. Place your ad for one issue or for a full year (6 issues).

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See Advertising Form on the CSHA website
Welcome new Region 1 Members. Please go to our website www.cshareg1.com for more information about the programs and contact information. I have met a few of you at some of our events and I am looking forward to seeing you at the meetings and our annual awards banquet at the end of the year.

Once the show season got started we flew through May and June's events. The Trail Trial and Trap program have each finished their fundraising events for the year and the Gymkhana Program is just gearing up with their six (6) show series between the Novato Horsemen's Gymkhanas and the CSHA Region 1 events. The upcoming dates for Novato Horsemen's are July 28th and August 25th and the CSHA Region 1 dates are July 14th, August 18th and September 8th at the Sebastopol Wranglers Arena.

The Trail Trial program held their annual Clinic and Trail Trial at the Skyline Wilderness Park in Napa with an increase in riders. Sue Fox, Trail Trial Chairman, did a fantastic job of putting on her first Trail Trial event with the support of the program members. Napa Saddle Jackets, a Region 1 club, held their annual "Mama Get Your Saddle" Trail Trial the day before making this a 2 day event that brought riders from Regions 18, 13, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 and some of the Out of State Riders.

Lori Cleveland, the Trap program Chairman, held a Trail Trail at Solano County Land Trust’s Lynch Canyon Open Space, in American Canyon the first weekend of May. The event had great attendance and gathered riders from Out of State as well as from the North and Neighboring Regions. Several of the volunteer obstacle judges came from other regions to fulfill their program membership responsibilities. We cannot thank the Volunteer's enough for coming and supporting our events.

On June 10th, The Trap Program hosted their 3rd annual “Historic Cooley Ranch” Poker Ride in Marin. The event had over 40 riders that enjoyed a 3 hour ride with great scenery, took their chances in drawing a great poker hand and came back to a gourmet lunch. The winning hand went to Steve Smith with a Flush in clubs, second went to Marty Ganulin with a straight Queen High, and 3rd went Donna Crowley with a 3 of a kind. Marty Ganulin graciously donated his winnings back to the program. He had claimed that this was his first time at winning anything. Thank you for your support.

Congratulations to Mary Ann Reece, who was awarded the 2011 State Parade Champion at the State Championship Parade held in Los Banos. For the past several years Region 1 has been fortunate to have the State Parade Champion in our region. This year Petaluma Riding and Driving Club has their Junior Color Guard out on the Parade route and will be competing for the Championship title for 2012.

Come and meet the program chairman and your Council of Members that represent you at the State Quarterly meets. The Region meetings are held on the last Monday of each month at the Stars Restaurant in Cotati at the corner of Hwy 116 and Redwood Blvd. Until next time, Keep the Hoof Beats Going..............................

Sue Edwards, president

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TRAIL TRIALS

Hello trail trialers, the season is on and there are plenty of rides on the calendar to fit all of your needs.

We have two state benefits this year, one at Greenhorn Creek Guest Ranch on July 7-8, and one at the R-Wild Horse Ranch on August 25th and 26th. Don't forget to attend any of the Obstacle Challenges that are on the calendar of events as they make good practice for your Trail Trials. They do not count toward your 3 rides to qualify for SCE but they make good practice for your Trail Trials, and are fun.

Remember if you have any Trail Trials resolutions that you want to submit they need to be into the State Office by August first. If you have time to volunteer be sure to let the event Ride Manager know, as this is a volunteer organization, and without some giving, there could not be a program. I know that some have given more than their share but we appreciate everyone's help.

Thank you in advance, see you on the trails,

Tami Sandberg
2012 CSHA State Trail Trials Chairman
Judges

CSHA Judges Alice Lawellin & Patti Souza were honored at the recent CSHA Drill Team Championships for their years of support of the Drill Team Program.

They have both been involved with CSHA and drill teams for decades. The two have endured scorching heat, torrential downpours and high winds while judging the long drill team events.

There are very few qualified drill judges in California and CSHA is lucky to have these two knowledgeable women to not only judge but to help train new judges. Judges get far too little recognition, well, positive recognition anyway, for the tough job they do. Thank you Alice & Patti keep up the great work!

Parade

Congratulations to everyone for their high point awards and a successful State Championship Parade. The Day ended with a delicious dinner at Espanas restaurant. Chair Kessi Gutierrez had expertly planned the evening. CSHA Royalty Samantha Fox & Samuel Cunningham sold tickets for an outstanding raffle. Paraders were awarded monogrammed bridle bags, ribbons, and framed photos of themselves on parade day.

There are so many parades this summer including the 4th of July celebrations this month. Another experience you might want to try is the CA Rodeo Salinas All-horse Parade, which is also the rodeo grand entry.

A big thank you to Tony Fox who helped insure that all of the equestrians had a safe ride at the Chowchilla parade.

Tony & Teresa also assisted our Reg 15 Royalty who joined other Royalty Group riders for this event. We were also able to recruit new riders for the Parade Program. Have an enjoyable and safe summer.

Annual Perpetual Parade High Point Awards

Overall High Point - Mary Reece, Sebastopol

Hank & Alice Lawellin Overall High Point Junior - CSHA Royalty Group

Scheurer-Standley Sweepstakes—Claudio Arroyo, Livingston

Bob McMackin Silver Punchbowl—Pam Michalek, Geyserville

Paul & Lottie Miles Jr. Trophy—Hailey Lopes, Turlock

Dino Horse Award—”Buck” owned by Candy Graham
Drill Team

CALIFORNIA STATE DRILL TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS

Your mouth is dry, your heart is pounding, it is time to ride. The whistle blows and you enter the arena for eight adrenaline filled minutes of pure focus. You go into a reflex mode obtained from hours upon hours of practice. Before you know it your on your way out of the arena and exhilaration pulses through your body.

Many teams had that experience May 19th & 20th at the CSHA California State Championship Drill Team Competition at the Diamond Bar Arena in Ceres, CA. The weather cooperated and provided us with perfect conditions.

Competition was fast & furious with a new format that kept the action going non-stop but gave the judges plenty of time to record their scores.

The competition was of the highest quality with amazing performances by just about every team. The kids of the Blue Shadows once again threw down not one, but two, remarkable high speed precision performances to capture the Overall Grand Champion title for 2012 along with the Junior Championship.

The Smokin’ Guns, a new team this year took home top honors in not only the Mixed division but also the first Quad highpoint championship title. The Smokin’ Guns took home both of the two new perpetual championship trophies donated by sponsor Melanie Coto.

The West Coast Cowgirls took the highly competitive Senior Division high point title along with the Overall Reserve Championship.

The Sacramento Rhinestone Cowgirls demonstrated that when things don’t go quite as expected you get right back up and try again. Their determination won them the “Robert Lorbeer Spirit of Drill Award”.

Congratulations to the CSHA Grand Champion Blue Shadows for going on to win the “Western States Grand Champion” title and the “Junior Championship” title at the Reno Rodeo on June 15th.

Images by Gene McFerran
Region 2—Reining Series

We started our reining series 8 years ago. We have 4 shows a year and the winners get Champion and Reserve Champion Buckles. The classes are also jackpot classes. Our Champion Rookie gets a saddle. The winner of the saddle for this year was Derek Brummett riding “Tuffy’s Dixie”.

Our shows are held at Saddle Creek Ranch in Butte Valley near Chico and we have several classes for beginning riders. The Green as Grass class is for riders that have never shown in reining. We all have a lot of fun and encourage you to come and join us.

Joyce Pickering
CSHA Region 2 Reining Chairman

Region 2—Reining Series High Point Winners

Open
Champion / “Buckaroo Bingo Chex” - Mike Grider
Reserve Champion / “Quickdraw Cowgirl” - Jim Halsey

Limited Open
Champion / “Checkers” - Stephanie Boyes
Reserve Champion / “Crazy Chrome” - Jill Pierre

Rookie Professional
Champion / “Bad Chiq Olena” - Erin Tudesko
Reserve Champion / “Tangys Hickory Smoke” - Sheila Halsey

Novice Open Horse Levels 1 & 2
Champion / “Checkers” - Stephanie Boyes
Reserve Champion / “Simply A Babe” Larry Armen

Novice Horse Non Pro Levels 1 & 2
Champion / “Cheholena Badger” - Mari Hess
Reserve Champion / “Sailin’ Spinnaker” Rica MacAlvery

Snaffle Bit / Hackamore
Champion / “Dontmersswithmytrain” - Nicole Ditmars
Reserve Champion / “Cielos Willow Bay” - Stephanie Boyes

Non Pro
Champion / “Check out this Mirage” - Lynn Walker
Reserve Champion / “Smart Chocolate Chiz” Chantel Allen

Limited Non Pro
Champion / “Sigs Semper Fi” - Kelly Hamblin
Reserve Champion / “Taris Topsail” Lisa Roberts

Prime Time Non Pro
Champion / “Sigs Semper Fi” - Kelly Hamblin
Reserve Champion / “The Iron Maiden” Joyce Pickering

Prime Time Rookie
Champion / “Tuffy’s Dixie” - Derek Brummett
Reserve Champion / “Cash To Sis” Penny Wright

Rookie
Champion / “Tuffy’s Dixie” - Derek Brummett
Reserve Champion / “Taris Topsail” Lisa Roberts

Youth
Champion / “Dunit Found A Star” - Hailey Robison
Reserve Champion / “Smooth Bart Tucker” Bailey Alexander

Green Reiner
Champion / “Mia Smart One” - Kristi Waters
Reserve Champion / “Durable Diamond” Kelli Brooksby

Green As Grass
Champion / “Ziggy Zee Chex” - Avalon Heinzig
Reserve Champion / Tie
“Colonels Ruby Jane” Christine Dragosich
“Chex This Hickory” Shelle Rawson—Ware
August 19th, 2012
Murrieta Equestrian Center
Rancho Murrieta, California

Shoreline Riders, Inc.
Lowell Felkins Memorial Trail Ride
July 13 thru 15, 2012

Reservation Deadline: entry must be postmarked June 28th.

Ride Limited to 150 Riders, first come, first served basis.
Cost Per Person: $120 per person, Complete Ride ($100 if postmarked by June 13th)
$ 75 per person, Meals Only & Camping or 12 & under Complete Ride

NO on site registration, all participants must pre-register.

EXTREME FIRE DANGER. NO fires at individual camps – NO SMOKING on the trail.
Adult Beverages cannot be served on the trail.
NO DOGS in the BBQ Area or on the TRAIL.
NO FIREARMS- NO STALLIONS.
Every horse must have a rider. Bring your OWN FEED for horses.

All riders under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian at all times.

FRIDAY – 7/13
5 PM Registration
6:30 Pasta Dinner
7:30 Riders Meeting

SATURDAY – 7/14
5:00 AM Continental Breakfast
9 AM 1st entries out
Lunch
5:00 pm hort/finishes, dinner
BBQ dinner & shows

SUNDAY – 7/15
5:00 AM Pancake Breakfast
8:00 AM 1st entries out
Lunch
NOON - 1PM – Junior & camp
2 PM – camp closes

Directions: Highway One, 7 miles N of Fort Bragg, East on Ten Mile Haul Road 4 miles to camp. This is an ACTIVE LOGGING ROAD, use caution and slow speed on road. No access allowed until 5 PM Friday.

Information & Entries:
Trail questions call Jeri 357-0850, or email Jmitch@yahoocom
Shirt order questions call Shannon 357-0801
Checks payable to: Shoreline Riders, Inc.
Mail completed / signed entry to: Jeri Mitchell 17803 Bear Lane, Fort Bragg CA 95437
C.S.H.A. REGION 18
Presents
10th Annual
“RUN FOR THE GOLD” JAMBOREE
September 8 & 9, 2012
Over $2000 in cash and prizes given away in 2012

DAILY CASH AWARDS
First thru Fifth Place in Divisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, Open, Leadline & Per/Wee
Here’s how to get it:

Place: Bobby Jones Arena, Cottonwood, CA
Going North, Take I-5 to Gas Point Road Exit, make a right onto Gas Point Road. Continue to the stop sign, make a left go about 1 mile to Shasta Aquatics Yacht Club, make a right to the arena.

SIGN-UP 7:00 am RIDE 9:30 am
5 EVENTS EACH DAY, INCLUDING 3 CASH EVENTS AND A FUN EVENT.
JACKPOT EVENT WILL BE DRAWN EACH MORNING

COST: $15.00 per event - $85.00 All Weekend (Jockey not included)
$75.00 Advance Registration (Jockey Not Included)

DRESS CODE WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED. WEAR PANTS AND SHOES.

For More Information Call: Kat 530-357-4403

C.S.H.A. “RUN FOR THE GOLD” 2012 JAMBOREE
September 1st & 2nd
BOTH DAYS C.S.H.A. APPROVED POINT GYMKHANA
PRE-REGISTRATION ENTRY FORM (must be postmarked no later than Aug 20, 2012)

P.O. BOX 306 - ANDERSON, CA 96007

TUES-DAYRODEO
July 26th & 29th 2012
Cowboy breakfast 8-10 AM - Rodeo 1 PM
SHORELINE RIDERS INC.

C.S.H.A. REGION 1 GYMKHANA 2012

C.S.H.A. REGION 1 AWARD SERIES HELD AT NOVATO AND SEBASTOPOL
Riders/horse team must complete 5 out of 6 shows in Novato and Sebastopol. (Bonus in division 1-7 to first & 3rd place in each event.)

C.S.H.A. REGION 1 POINT SHOW DATES
MAY 28-29 - MEMORIAL DAY Showdown Ranch Murieta
JUNE 9 - REGION 5 MARTINEZ SANCTIONED SHOW
JUNE 16 - NOVATO HORSEMAN’S SANCTIONED SHOW
JULY 14 - C.S.H.A. REGION 1 SHOW AT SEBASTOPOL WRAnglers ARENA
JULY 28 - NOVATO HORSEMAN’S SANCTIONED SHOW
AUG 18 - C.S.H.A. REGION 1 SHOW AT SEBASTOPOL WRANGLERS ARENA
AUG 25 - NOVATO HORSEMAN’S SANCTIONED SHOW
SEPT 8 - C.S.H.A. REGION 1 SHOW AT SEBASTOPOL WRANGLERS ARENA

2-DAYRODEO
July 28th & 29th 2012
Cowboy breakfast 8-10 AM - Rodeo 1 PM
SHORELINE RIDERS INC.

Featuring West Coast Rodeo
CPCHA and Local Events: Bronc, bull, barrel, and more!
Local events: (707) 964-0401 Vendor booths: (707) 964-8614
TICKETS $10, UNDER 6 FREE. RODEO INFO: 707-567-0833

2.5 miles out Simpson Lane, 30601 Turner Road, Fort Bragg
July Quarterly

CSHA July Quarterly Meeting Weekend
Stewart Horse Camp
July 20 – 22, 2012

Come enjoy the weekend at Stewart Horse Camp, located near Olema in the Pt. Reyes National Seashore. There is a lot to do, including riding, hiking, beachcombing, antiquing and of course enjoying friends.

Committee meetings will be held outdoors at Stewart Horse Camp on Saturday July 21st

Enjoy a Saturday Night BYOB Social and even ride your horse!

Have a great weekend with friends, horses and a fantastic meeting site!

For those without horses that want to stay in more “refined” accommodations, there are many lodging opportunities nearby. See the attached list of some in the area.

July is a busy time for the area, we suggest making your reservations early.

Non-Campers should bring folding chairs for seating!

No meals will be provided and you need to bring drinking water for people. Horse water is available but you must provide your horse’s feed, water bucket, and portable pens or high lines. There are hot showers and restrooms with electricity for those that need to “pretty up”.

See the attached for more info on Stewart Horse Camp.

Cost for horse camping is $17.50 per night per person, cash only!

Each trailer must make individual reservations.

There are no assigned campsites. It’s first come first serve.

No pets allowed!

Make your reservations at Stewart Horse Camp by calling 415-663-1362.

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Olema Inn – B&B
10000 Sir Francis Drake Blvd
Olema
415-663-9559
6 rooms

Olema Cottages
9970 Sir Francis Drake Blvd.
Olema
415-663-1288
6 rooms

Olema Ranch Camp Ground
10155 Hwy 1
Olema
415-663-8106
(tent and RV camping)

Lingonberry Farm - B&B
12430 State Route 1
Pt. Reyes Station
415-663-1826

Black Heron Inn – B&B
51 Cypress Rd.
Pt. Reyes Station
415-663-8846
3 rooms

Holly Tree Inn & Cottages – B&B
3 Silverhills Rd.
Pt. Reyes Station
800-286-4655
5 rooms

Inverness Valley Inn
13275 Sir Francis Drake Blvd.
Inverness
19 rooms
Pets allowed
www.invernessvalleyinn.com

Motel Inverness
12718 Sir Francis Drake Blvd.
Inverness
866-453-3859
www.motelinverness.com

Pt. Reyes Country Inn & Stables
12050 Hwy 1
Pt. Reyes Station
415-663-9696
www.ptreyescountryinn.com
In addition to rooms in the Inn
Has stables and accommodations for horses
Also two apartments above the stables have queen beds, fully-equipped kitchens, baths, and there is also a bunk room that sleeps four. There is a large common room for guests to share complete with books, games and a stereo. At either end of the stables is a sunny deck overlooking the hills.
What is California State Horsemen’s Association, Inc.?

CSHA was founded in 1942 for the purpose of fostering interest in all breeds of horses and forms of horsemanship throughout the state of California.

CSHA has designed a wide range of programs which offer participants opportunities for growth and enjoyment regardless of their type of riding, breed of horse or experience level.

CSHA implements its programs via its 18 geographic regions throughout the State of California. These Regions have elected officers and appointed program chairs who volunteer their time to develop their respective programs and who represent clubs and individuals that participate in various programs offered by the Association.

CSHA is a non-profit 501 (c) 3 organization.

Upcoming Events

**JULY**
- 7/14 Region 1 Sebastopol Wrangler Arena horses1sr@earthlink.net
- 7/15 Region 3 “Speed Barrels”, Running I Ranch, Dunningan patkbrown@frontiernet.net
- 7/20-7/22 CSHA July Quarterly Stewart Horse Camp, Pt. Reyes National Seashore.
- 7/28 Region 1 Novato Horsemen’s Sanctioned Show horses1sr@earthlink.net
- 7/28 –7/29 Reg 3 Robie Park High Sierra Trail Trials—Tahoe National Forest, 2 rides. contact: Sara sgroenendyke@mac.com

**AUGUST**
- 8/1 2013 Resolutions Due.
- 8/4 Region 3 “Hurry Scurry”, Running I Ranch, Dunningan patkbrown@frontiernet.net
- 8/18 Region 1 Sebastopol Wrangler Arena horses1sr@earthlink.net
- 8/19 CSHA CALIFORNIA / COTO CUP Invitational Drill Team Competition iskraut@ca.rr.com
- 8/25 Region 1 Novato Horsemen’s Sanctioned Show horses1sr@earthlink.net
- 8/25 Region 3 “Figure 8”, Running I Ranch, Dunningan patkbrown@frontiernet.net

**SEPTEMBER**
- 10/1 –10/2 Region 18 “Run For The Gold” Jamboree. Kat (530) 357-4503
- 9/8 Region 1 Sebastopol Wrangler Arena horses1sr@earthlink.net
- 9/8 Region 3 “Poles II”, Running I Ranch, Dunningan patkbrown@frontiernet.net
- 9/9 Region 3 “Single Stake”, Running I Ranch, Dunningan patkbrown@frontiernet.net