By Helen Johnson

Happy Valentine’s Day to you all!
Cuddle up with your special someone special, whether that is your human honey or four legged sweetheart, and enjoy the moment that is peaceful and happy!

Love is in the air!

It is a good time to check your trailer brakes, tire pressure, tire life, lights, wheel bearings etc. If you are not able to do your own work, local trailer shops are ready and equipped to do a full inspection.

It is also a good time to clean out your tack room and update items that may be out of date or not fresh. Make sure that your equine and/or human medical bag is complete with all necessary items. How about your saddlebag? Do you have Chicago screws, band aides, does it need cleaning out?

Enjoy the month of February. Be safe in all that you do and make good decisions

Happy Trails, my friends, until we meet again!
2016 Calendar of Meetings and Events

March 7- ETP meeting 7 pm at the Sizzler on Clay and Van Buren
March 7- CSHA meeting after ETP meeting, at the Sizzler on Clay and Van Buren

Minutes of the February 1, 2016 ETP Meeting
+ Wendy Ellison- brought the ETP meeting to order at 7:00 pm
+ Robin Chaney led the Pledge of Allegiance
+ Ratification of previous meeting minutes, motion made by Charlene Schramm, seconded by Robin Chaney-. Minutes approved.

Treasure's Report- Chris Pearne-
+ As of 01/31/16 ETP has $5,098.50.
+ No payments

Chairmen Reports:

Membership/Visitors- Jennifer Todd
+Jennifer Todd welcomed our usual guests Terry Todd, Rachael Smith, Leslie and Ron Watson. We are always glad to have you at ETP!

Inventory- Susan Zurawik-
+ No report, transfers of items not yet complete.

Equipment- Vicky Gonzales-
+ No report

Clinics/Guest Speakers-
+ Char Schramm- Ranger Robert is currently in Chemistry class on Monday evenings.
+ Vicky Voss- GLMRTA Jim, from Trails For All, help to round up volunteers for different projects, may be able to come to ETP to speak.

Events/Request for Help-
+Laura Shultz- Laura asked volunteers to work the Horse Expo.
+ No report on the Jurupa Rodeo

Trail Patrol Reports- Jennifer Todd-
+ If you have any more trail reports to turn in from 2016 please get them into Jennifer Todd.
+ Trail reports from 2015 may be turned into Janice Escalera

Trail Patrol/Maintenance- Matt Smith-
+ No clean up planned.

Friends of ETP Trail Rides-
+ Chuck Holbrook - Marshall Canyon ride was rained out. Ride rescheduled for Sunday February 7, 2016.
+ Vicky Voss told of an RRT ride at O'Neal Saturday February 6.

Legislation/ Trails Issues –Susan Zurawik and Henry Escalera-
+ Susan Zurawik- Silver Lakes scheduled five, two-day horse shows in April.

Old Business:
+ No report
New Business:

+ **First Aid** - Chris Pearne will work on setting up a first aid class. How many needed the renewal class? Wendy will also try to set up a renewal CPR class.
+ Wendy Ellison- Margie Sivert had surgery to repair her broken wrist. Helen Johnson is in the hospital recovering, and Sondra Harkless was snowed in this Monday and could not get down the hill.
+ Char Schramm- Ranger Robert is looking to purchase solid steps so equestrians can get on their horses at Santa Rosa Plateau. Can anyone recommend any that are strong and where may they be purchased. Dakota suggested Eagle Project for the house trailer steps.
+ Char Schramm-Ranger Robert is making a draft for ETP of the Map of the new trails.
+ Char Schramm and Jennifer Todd- **Hoofin’ it for a Cure** Is ETP interested in forming a team? No interest in forming an ETP group. Individuals can participate. Fliers available/register online. There will be vendors, lunch and raffle at the event.
+ Laura Shultz- Horse Expo- Pomona Fairgrounds February 5-7. Lots of excellent shopping and training. Volunteers needed to work the CSHA booth.

Open Discussion:

+ **ETP/CSHA Renewals** are due by 12/31/2015. A **late fee applies after 1/31/2016**. $40.00 CSHA family, $35.00 Single CSHA, & $15.00 per person ETP membership. If you mail directly to CSHA (the state) be sure to let Char know so she can keep track in the event of a problem. You should have received your renewal forms in the mail; however, Char has extras if you need, ask her.
+ **Sympathy to Patti and Dakota.** January they lost Dakota’s horse Buddy and their 14 year old canine companion Katie.
+ Mary Russell- Friends of the Sound Horse Tennessee Walker awareness.
+ Mary Russell also has a horse that needs to go to Apple Valley. If you can transport for her call Mary Russell at 909-855-0302.

**Brag for a Buck**
+ No Brags

**50/50 Raffle**
+ N/A

+ **Next ETP meeting Monday** – March 7, 2016 at the Sizzler on Clay Street. Dinner and socializing at 6 pm, meeting starts at 7 pm.

Meeting adjourned at 7:38 PM
Minutes respectfully submitted by Charlene Schramm.

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**We hope to see you all at the next meeting!**

Thank you to Char Schramm for taking notes/minutes for me. I appreciate you! 😊

Trail Chair

**JENNIFER TODD**

_Do not forget to turn in your trail reports._ Reports are submitted to the County, State and everyone in between. One report per ride, list the names of those that rode, no duplicate reports for the same trail ride. Submit your reports for 2016 to Jennifer.

Remember we are the Equestrian Trails Patrol. Trails are our focus. Report what we observe and/or any assistance rendered.

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SINCERE SYMPATHY TO DAKOTA AND PATTI.
SO VERY VERY SORRY FOR THE LOSSES YOU HAVE SUFFERED, YOUR DEAR HORSE AND SWEET KATIE!

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GET WELL WISHES GO OUT TO JANICE ESCALERA’S MOTHER WHO HAS BEEN ILL. JANICE WE HOPE TO SEE YOU AT THE NEXT MEETING AND HOPE YOUR MOTHER FEELS SO MUCH BETTER IN THE NEAR FUTURE AND MAYBE JOIN US AGAIN AT AN ETP MEETING.

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MARGIE SIVERT WE HOPE YOUR BROKEN WRIST HEALS QUICKLY AND YOU HAVE FULL USE OF YOUR HAND AND ARM!

Important Phone Numbers

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Sheriff Non-emergency 951- 776-1099
Ranger Robert 951- 712- 2039 - Ranger Nani  951- 231- 8708 - Ranger Ruben 951- 906- 9326

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SALE BARN

Let Helen know if you have anything to put in the sale barn section of this newsletter
REMEMBER

Inland Vet in Norco will give ETP a 10% discount. You need to say you are an ETP member! You will need to show some form of ETP identity.

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Equestrian Trail Patrol does not accept responsibility for items and tips listed. Products and ideas used by the individual are the responsibility of the individual. Consult your veterinarian and always ride with safety in mind. Use common sense in all that you do while looking ahead on the trail.