

# **APRIL 2022 NEWSLETTER**



# Please join us on April 6th, 2022 At 7:30pm for our General Meeting

We will meet at Taco's El Norte in Gurnee. 401 N Riverside Dr. Meeting will start promptly at 7:30 but come early and eat dinner. Room opens at 6:00pm

## Letter from The President

Hello Spring!!! As of the writing of this letter we have had 3 days of 60s and 1 day of 70s. Hope you all have been able to enjoy this nice weather. Yes, I have been riding, of course. We have our first trail ride at Lakewood sponsored by Val Weber on March 27<sup>th</sup>. It's supposed to be cold; I know we will have a few hearty riders. The second one is April 2<sup>nd</sup> sponsored by Lynn Goodell and Bobbie Gordon, at Raven Glen. Raven Glen has connected to Ethels Woods with a tunnel trail. So, we look forward to exploring this new trail. Hope we get good weather.

Midwest Horse Fair is going to happen this year. It's so nice to have our country getting back to normal from this virus. We are a very lucky nation with all we have. I really appreciate how we are able to live. My heart goes out to Ukraine and all their troubles. It just makes me thankful for our lives here. As we live our very privileged lives, we can pray for those that are suffering.

Let's hope for some spring rain and lots of hay for our partners. And enjoy our spring and summer. The Posse has many events and all rides have been sponsored. Yeah!!! We do need sponsors for our Horse Show. Ghislaine will need help at the show. If you have time and are willing to help, we sure would appreciate it.

Ride on and be safe!!!

Vickie Wancho President 2021-2022

#### WE NEED HORSE SHOW SPONSORS

Our Horse show will be here faster than you think! The success of our show is based on the participants and volunteers but the biggest impact to the bottom line is the number of sponsors we can get. Let's have everyone commit to getting a sponsor or two for the show. Ask for support from your farrier, vet, farm store, feed store, equine dentist, trainer, the place that services your truck or tractor, the shavings vendor, the doctor of chiropractor that puts you back together after a fall :-) (in my case they could pay for the whole show LOL), the store you buy your carrots at, the insurance dealer, or anyone that loves horses and wants to see these local horse shows continue.

The first large dollar sponsors will be able to have their names on the show bill sponsoring the high points and the payback classes. There are a limited number of classes so get the \$\$ in early if they want that extra perk. Everyone that sponsors will be announced throughout the day, their names will be displayed on our sponsor boards for everyone to see, and we would love business cards or brochures to put out on the registration table.

See Sponsorship form at the end of this Newsletter



## Lake County Sheriff's Posse Book

We are very excited to announce that we have finally finished the 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary LCMP Book. It is a beautifully bound book with a very nice recap of the history of our club since 1957, written by Gordon Turnbull. The book is full of photos depicting the club throughout the decades. Photos are arranged in sections: Parades, Fall rides, trail rides, Christmas parties, Posse families, Horse Shows, Clinics and a special dedication to Ruby, Allen and Roy.

Members at the last meeting were very excited to leaf through it and eager to purchase a copy for their family. Kim wants to thank the committee and the proof readers: Gordon, Allen, Pearl, Betsy, Jenny Becker, Debi Neuman and Ghislaine. We all need to thank Kim Moon for all of the hours and hours spent on putting the book together and for being the driving force to finish it for our 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. There are plans on having a couple copies in displays at a library and a local Museum.

We are planning on putting in an order for anyone interested in purchasing a book. We will get a volume discount when we order all the books at the same time. Anyone is welcome to purchase the book. If you know people no longer in the club that maybe interested let them know about it.

The book is \$65.00

Please send in the form (form attached) with a check by May 15th

# 2022 Parades Begin!

We are happy to announce that the Posse currently has requests to participate in local parades. . The dates are:

June 18th Libertyville July 3td, Mundelein July 4th Antioch July 10th Bristol

Betsy will be sending around a sign up at the General Meeting for members. We are still waiting to hear from other villages if they are going to have parades this year. If you're interested in participating as a rider, ground crew and/or set up, please contact Betsy Faitz 847-601-4810



# We Need Your Recipes

Do you have a favorite recipe? You favorite Bundt Cake? Pasta? Bread? Dinner? Hors d'oeuvre? Side Dish....you know, Yummy food you love to eat! Well, we would like you to please send them to Jennifer Friel at <a href="mailto:jenmfriel@gmail.com">jenmfriel@gmail.com</a>

### **Committee Contacts**

The membership cannot thrive without the help from our members on various committee jobs. **We need volunteers** to help out in these roles. Please contact Vickie Wacho or Betsy Faitz if you are interested in helping out. The Board will help you all the way. Thank you so much.

Trail Rides – Vickie Wancho and Sandy Monk
Parades – Betsy Faitz – Committee Chair
Horse Show – Ghislaine deKoning and Kelly Dickson - Committee Chairs
Holiday Party – Betsy Faitz
Associate Liaison – Lynn Goodell
Communications Chairperson – Jennifer Friel - Maintains FB
Legislative Committee – Lynn Goodell
Website – Jennifer and Matt Friel, Website facilitators
Bazaar/Tack Sale – Ghislaine deKoning
Fall Ride - The Board
Play Days – Vickie Wancho
Non-Riding Events – The Board
Associate Resource – Lynn Goodell

Posse Apparel – Sandy Monk

## WEBSITE and FB INFORMATION

www.lcmp.info jenmfriel@gmail.com

For our Facebook page and our website, please send to us pictures from your rides or other activities you have done this season. We want all members and potential members to see what we are up to and that the club is still riding and active. If you are planning, spur of the moment, to go out and ride the trails, send us a message and we will post it on Facebook. The board voted that it doesn't have to be a LCMP sponsored event to post this on our Facebook page. Some members may not be able to join a club ride but may have the time to ride at another time. This is also a way to stay connected with our members and to not have to ride alone.

#### Officers for 2022

Vickie Wancho - President Betsy Faitz – Vice President Mindy Sivright - Secretary Ghislaine deKoning - Treasurer

If you have any membership questions or concerns, please feel comfortable to contact any officer and we will help however we can.

#### **Posse Wear**

The link for Besco can be found at

www.bescoawards.com

The website will be linked to our Web Page when the page is finished

#### **Anies Jams and Jellies**

Message from Anie Weiler:

"If anyone needs some jam, they can contact Ghislaine deKoning. The jam(s) will be outside on her table with a separate jar for payment. If they live near me, they could come to my house and in the back, I will have their order on the table. See you soon. Anie Weiler"

### **HB Laser Art**

Bill and Heide Milke have all your signage needs, awards, stall plates and much more. Check out their web site at laserartusa.com





- 4/2 **Trail Ride** Raven Glen Forest Preserve Hosted by Lynn Goodell and Bobbie Gordon Ride out at 10:00 Lunch of chicken, slaw and salad. <u>Please bring a dish to pass.</u>
- 4/6 **General Meeting -** Taco's El Norte in Gurnee. Meeting will start promptly at 7:30 but come early and eat dinner. Room opens at 6:00
- 4/20 **Board Meeting** 7:00 pm Thirsty Horse. If you would like to attend a Board Meeting, please contact Vickie Wancho and she will add you to the agenda. Be sure to let her know what you would like to discuss with the board

## Dates for Activities

April 2	Raven Glen	Lynn Goodall and Bobbie Gordon
May 7	Chain O Lakes	Jennifer Friel
May 14	Franklin Creek	Vickie Wancho
May 15	Lowden-Miller	Vickie Wancho
June 5	Rush Creek	Sandy Monk
June 18	Parade Libertyville	
July 3	Parade Mundelein	
July 4	Parade Antioch	
July 9	Horse Show @ Spring Grove	
July 10	Parade Bristol	
Aug 3	Sterling Lake	Debbie Neuman
Aug 20	Glacier Park	Cindy Brademan
Aug 28	Play Day @ Hawkspur	Associates
Sept 17	Racine Conservatory	Ghislaine deKoning
Oct 2	Roy's Fall Ride	Bong
*Oct 22	Chain O Lakes	Brittany Houghtaling
*Oct 29	Chili Dump/Bon Fire	Fuzz and Kay
Nov 6	Sedge Meadow	Vickie Wancho
Nov 19	Bazaar	
Dec 10	X-mas Party	

<sup>\*</sup>Date change



# 2022 Horse Show Sponsor Form

## Sponsorship Type - Circle one

- Silver (under \$100.00)
- Gold (\$101.00 to 199.00)
- Platinum (\$200.00 and over)

Sponsor Name	
Message for announcer to read at the show: (Business card or brochure or separate sheet.)	

Any amount that you would like to donate to our show.

LCMP Member Sales Person: \_\_\_\_\_\_\*We will try to get all of the Platinum sponsors names on the show bill but there is a limited amount of space so it will be first come first served. Your sponsorships will be listed and displayed for the show and the announcer will read your ads through out the day. Feel free to send business cards and brochures as we will be happy to put them out for people to take.

Lake County Mounted Posse, Inc.

State of Illinois

Donation Amount \$

Name of Donor \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Donation** 



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Please send in the form with a check so we can order it soon.

Name			Number of Books ordered	
Check enc	closed \$	_		
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Forms are due in by May 15th

Please send this form and the check to the treasurer: Ghislaine de Koning 13150 W Townline Rd Waukegan IL 60087

CHECK SHOULD BE MADE OUT TO LAKE COUNTY MOUNTED POSSE