

## March 2019 NEWSLETTER



# Our March Meeting is at Tacos El Norte

Our next **General Meeting** is **Wednesday, March 13th** at **Tacos El Norte,** 401 N Riverside Dr #27, Gurnee.

The meeting room opens at 6:00pm if you would like to dine prior to the meeting. Sign-in & Social Time @ 7:00. Meeting will begin promptly at 7:30pm.

### March General Meeting Speaker

John from Master Truck and Trailer will be our speaker this meeting. It's always good to hear what he has to say about new products and trailering.

Our March meeting is your opportunity to sign up for club activities and fun. Activity & clip boards will be posted for members to sign up to volunteer. We will continue to solicit members to volunteer until we have all spots filled.

#### Letter From The President:

Happy Spring!!! Oh wait, ummm, I think the ground hog lied to us! Hopefully soon we will have some warmer weather and the ice will have melted so that we can get a jump on some good trail riding.

The board has finished planning a year of trail riding, social activities, play days and clinics. We have a great membership renewal with some new faces. This year we have (5) new associates! Yeah!!

Looking forward to our March meeting to share some additions to the calendar I think you will like. As always, these activities are only successful by the help received by volunteers. So please remember to volunteer whenever possible. The board greatly appreciates all the help.

In closing, I would like acknowledge and express my deepest sympathy to Carol and Roy's family on his recent passing. He will be deeply missed. Roy always kept me on my toes when it came to the functions of the board when I was the President and as the Secretary. And, good grief, if the newsletter was a few days late or if we didn't have the customary donuts and coffee at a trail ride or even if we were late in bringing them. We were sure to hear about it and believe you me, we never missed again or were late. Roy, may you be riding a trusty steed on some good trails in heaven and I sure hope that someone doesn't forget to bring the coffee and donuts. Rest in Peace Cowboy, Rest in Peace.





Trail Rides – Chairperson, Vickie Wancho Co-Chair Samantha Turskey. Check your calendar for dates there are too many dates to list! There are still rides to host. Parades – Chairperson, Christine Kloss We have dates! We will be having a parade clinic in May, date to be determined. June 15<sup>th</sup> in Libertyville July 4<sup>th</sup> in Antioch July 7<sup>th</sup> in Mundelein July 14<sup>th</sup> in Bristol Horse Show – Chairpersons, Ghislaine DeKoning It will be June 8<sup>th</sup> at Spring Grove Christmas Holiday Bazaar - Chairperson, Kelly Dickson and Ghislaine DeKoning, November 9<sup>th</sup> at Millburn Church, Lake Villa, Illinois Holiday Party – Chairperson – Betsy Faitz, Co-Chair Kelly Dickson and Mindy Sivright December 14<sup>th</sup> at Bonnie Brook Golf Club Associate Liaison – Vickie Wancho Communications Chairperson – Kelly Dickson

Lynn Goodell has volunteered to be our club's representative to the Lake County Forest Preserve. She will go to meetings and present a report at our general meetings. Keep an eye on the Newsletter for items of interest from Lynn!!! Thank you, Lynn!!

**Trail Clinic at Hawkspur Farms** in Pleasant Prairie, Wi on Saturday April 27<sup>th</sup>. Clinic will be held from 10:00am – 3:00pm. Lunch is included. Clinician will be Patty Banwart. There are only 12 spots open to participate. Fee is \$20 per horse/rider (non-refundable) and needs to be paid when registering to guarantee your spot. Auditors are most welcome to attend for no fee. Contact Kelly Dickson to register.

**Bowling Party at Antioch Bowl** on Sunday March 10<sup>th</sup> at 1:00pm. No registration necessary. \$10/personmember or \$20/family-member. \$15/person non-member or \$30/family non-member. Includes shoe rental, 3 games of bowling, pizza and soda. Contact Vickie Wancho.



Look What We've Been Up To!

At our last meeting, Mike Tully came and gave us a slide show of all the effort the Lake County Forest Preserve District is doing for the Parks. We are so fortunate that we have all these wonderful places to ride our horses, bike and ride our bikes.

Clyde Fillmore and his wife Jane passed away on the same day, February 7th. Clyde loved horses and horseback riding, traveling the world with his wife. He was a past member of the Lake County Mounted Posse. Services will be on March 7<sup>th</sup> at Warren Cemetery.



\*\*\* We will be having a Trail Ride at Chain-O-Lakes on March 24<sup>th</sup>. Considering the weather, we have been having, Vickie Wancho will determine if the trails are safe to ride and a final determination with be made on Wednesday March 20<sup>th</sup>. We will let you know by email and on Facebook. There is an alternative plan for that date of a Chili Dump at Fuzz's barn in Antioch. It will be fun and maybe games!!

#### 2019 Officers

<u>Officers</u> Debi Neuman – President Vickie Wancho – Vice President Mindy Sivright – Secretary Ghislaine DeKoning – Treasurer <u>Members at Large</u> Brittany Houghtaling Christine Kloss

#### Posse Wear

The link for Besco can be found on our website is <u>www.lcmp.info</u> and you can find a link here to easily make your purchases.

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

Come early for the best selection of the best homemade jams and jellies! Also remember to bring back your clean empty jars so they can be refilled with delishisness! Ani donates \$1.00 to the posse for each jar sold.



#### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Sunday, March 10th – Bowling Party at Antioch Bowl 1:00pm Wednesday, March 13th – General Posse Meeting @ **Tacos El Norte** 7:30pm Sunday, March 24th – Trail ride at Chain-O-Lakes. If too icy Chili Dump at Fuzz's barn in Antioch. Wednesday, March 27<sup>th</sup> – Board Meeting at the Thirsty Horse 7:00 Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup> – Non Posse event of a Tack Sale at Sun Flower Farms 9-3

#### See Betsy for Raffle Tickets at our March meeting

