March Hoofprints - OOPS!

From: Ellisco Equine (ecea.board@yahoo.com)

To: ecea.board@yahoo.com

Date: Wednesday, March 10, 2021, 02:44 PM CST

April show date is April 17 and has been corrected below!

March 2021

HOOFPRINTS

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

There is nothing like blowing coats and the beginning of Daylight Savings Time to get an equine enthusiast eager to ride and looking forward to show season. As y'all put away your winter blankets this month and shine up your tack, remember to take care of your Ellis County Equine Association paperwork as well!

- T-shirt and Cap order forms – if you want to show in a t-shirt or just have one for the show

season, they are due March 15!
- Memberships – Get your memberships done now and stay in the loop!
- Sponsorships – Sponsorships are what pay for our year-end prizes. Consider sponsoring a buckle, which includes your family membership and gives your company advertising throughout the year! Or perhaps you could ask your feed store, western store, trainer, or farrier?
- Mark your calendar for the show dates!
- Read the horse show rules (online)! Being prepared by knowing the rules will make your season more successful!
- We did clarify one rule about head attire. It has always been intended that exhibitors should wear a cowboy hat or riding helmet in ALL events including unmounted classes such has halter, showmanship and trail in hand. The rules have been clarified.

See you in April at Sai Ranch for ECEA Show #1! Enjoy your longer days this spring!

Keep your heels down,
Julie

T-SHIRT AND HAT ORDER DUE MARCH 15

Current year club t-shirt may be worn at shows

Here is a sneak peek at what the back of the shirts will be this year. Get your order in ASAP. There will NOT be extra shirts ordered.

Order Form

MARCH GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The next ECEA General Membership Meeting is on **Thursday, March 18, 6:30** at **Flying Dollar Ranch**.

Youth will have a quick meeting of their own then open ride night while the adults have a meeting.

TRAIL RIDES & CLINICS

Jennifer Damours is the 2021 trail ride chairman. She has planned a spring trail ride at Train Robber Ranch in Rusk, Texas, on Thursday, May 20th - Sunday May 23.

Check out the website at www.trainrobberranch.com. There are different price points depending on if you need RV hookups, a bunkhouse, the main house, paddocks, pastures, stalls, etc.

Get with Jennifer for reservations and details at vande21@hotmail.com

2021 OFFICERS

2021 ECEA Board Of Directors

President Julie Hinz
Vice President Deann Wells
Secretary Amy Newsom
Treasurer Sandy Neal
Outgoing President Stacie Sipes
At Large Members Beth Venable, Stephanie Tucker and Alice Howard

2021 Youth Officers

President Autumn Wells
Vice President Sadie Hinz
Secretary Avery Newsom
Treasurer Hannah Sipes
Reporter Ryann Belle Newsom

2021 SHOW SERIES

Sai Ranch, 5326 Old Buena Vista, Waxahachie, TX 75167

Books open at 8 a.m., show starts at 9 a.m.

Daily High Point Awards in four age divisions, and Green Novice.

PAC approved

Dates & Judges:
April 17 – Cat Parks
May 15 – Scot Jackson
September 18 – Carla McCullen
October 9 – Reggie Barnett and Heather Young

2020 Awards

2020 Open Show Series Awards will be presented during an extended lunch break of the April 24 show.

Thank you for your understanding and patience as we accommodate to covid restrictions and slow production times of our suppliers (probably covid related as well).

Sponsors

Ellis County Equine Association is beginning it's 38th year of promoting horse shows and equine knowledge in Ellis County! We couldn't do this without our volunteers, officers, and sponsors. Please take note of our 2020/2021 trailer sponsors below! We are currently accepting sponsorships of all levels (a buckle sponsorship is $150 and includes a family membership). Sponsorship forms are attached.

Thank you to Flying Dollar Ranch, Joe Howard Electric and the Sipes Family for their Buckle sponsorships!

2020/2021 Trailer Sponsors

Commercial State Bank's mission is to meet the needs of the market we serve by providing community leadership and quality financial services. We are proud to be able to assist our customers with their financial decisions. Allow us to share our many years of banking / lending experience with you. We are dedicated to earning customer dependability by offering our highest level

Training and Lessons in all around disciplines

BRIAN INGRAM
Consulting Investigation Services

Full Service private investigation and computer forensic services.

of personalized customer service. Our financial services include a range of things from competitive loan and deposit rates to convenient telephone and online banking.

Mike's Delivery Inc.

Family owned & operated since 1986. Provides shipping around Texas.

HENDRICKS EQUINE VETERINARY SERVICES

Hendricks Equine Veterinary Service is proud to serve the Waxahachie TX area for everything equine related. Our Equine clinic is run by Dr. Rohn Hendricks, who is a licensed, experienced Waxahachie equine veterinarian.

Our team is committed to educating our clients in how to keep your horse healthy year round, with good nutrition and exercise. Hendricks Equine Veterinary Service stays on top of the latest advances in equine healthcare technology.

Ellis County Equine Association - elliscountyequine.org

STAY CONNECTED