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PEKIN RIDING CLUB July Newsletter

The next membership meeting will be August 11 at 7:00pm.

Jake Ruder, a long time member of Pekin Riding Club, has been experiencing severe medical problems. The board voted at the last meeting to donate PRC's portion of the 50/50 drawing from our July 15th fun show to Jake to help with his expenses. The winner of the 50/50 donated his share back and one of our jackpot winners donated her checks back also. PRC then matched that amount also, so a total amount of \$585.20 was donated! Way to go PRC members! When someone is in need of help, we know we can always count on our members to help out.

PRC will be hosting a fund raising show August 16 for Jake. 100% of the proceeds will be going to him. Please plan on coming out and riding for Jake. The show will be starting at 9am.

The NBHA fall show is set for October 4th and 5th. Only the 4th will be a sanctioned, but we will still be hosting another show on the 5th. We will be having primitive overnight camping, bon-fire, fun-fun shows and other exciting activities.

One of the many changes we made this year was not asking our riders to pay to be eligible for Hi-Point awards. If you would like to sponsor a certain award, please let us know. Sponsors will also be presenting the award to the winner at the fall banquet. We have a sponsor for the junior barrel hi-point and all around cowboy hi-point, but we need several others. The sponsorship fee is \$50.00.

T-Shirts are still available and tank tops are here, we also have more child sizes for sale at the show. The cost is \$13.00 for adults and \$12.00 for child sizes. Get yours now and wear it with pride! If you need a certain size that is not available, please contact us and let us know so we can get it ordered for you.

We still need volunteers at all our shows. Gate people and announcers is what are in the greatest demand. If you would like to do any of these, please let us know! Just think, if you are an announcer, you get free food, get to watch the show from a bird's eye view AND get to be in air conditioning!

Gerry Schnitker has taken over our concession stand. She is doing a great job and several wonderful comments have been made regarding the food. She has also done a great job of cleaning up our kitchen and received a 99% on her first health inspection. Way to go Gerry and a big thank you!

Congratulations and a good luck goes out to Chad Hancock. Chad enlisted in the Army and will be in the delayed enlistment program. He will be training at Ft. Lenordwood

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Missouri in the MP program. His ship date is May 21st 2009, but he will be involved in training in Bloomington during his last year of school.

If any other of our members are in the military, please let us know. We are going to start mentioning them at our shows and would like to mention them in our newsletters. If you would like a good luck or congratulations in the newsletter, please email me or call me, I'll be glad to put them in. I usually work on the newsletter after the monthly board meetings.

Good Luck to Jessie Shelabarger, she is competing for the title of Miss Rodeo Illinois.

Good Luck to Briana Wiker, she is competing for the title of Miss Tazewell County 4-H Queen.

Until Next Month,
Sherri Wright
Pekin Riding Club, Secretary

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