

PEKIN RIDING CLUB NEWSLETTER

June 2010

UPCOMING EVENTS

June 13th

- PRC Work Day

June 15th at 6:30 PM

- PRC Regular Show

June 22nd at 6:30 PM

- PRC Regular Show

July 5th at 6 PM

- Regular Meeting - PRC Clubhouse

NOTES FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

Show season has started! We are off to a bit of a rainy start again, but we have managed to hold two very nice shows. I hope all of you had as much fun as I did! Remember that the class results and the high point standings are on our website, so you will always know where you stand. Talking about high point - don't forget to read through the guidebook on our website - it provides all the details for high point as well as for rain dates or anything else you may want to know about showing at PRC.

We have heard some great feedback from many of you regarding how the shows are going, but please don't hesitate to let a board member know if you have a concern or a compliment. We really do want to hear what you think.

Major projects going on right now for grounds improvements. On the 13th of June we are going to start putting up a new board fence in front of the property. I know this is late notice, but if you are good at fencing we sure could use the help! There will also be painting and lots of other things going on, so if you can come please let someone know.

Along those same lines we have a MAJOR project going on this year. As you may know PRC was awarded a grant from the Horsemen's Council to put up new light poles and fixtures. However, we need to raise at least \$2000 to cover our portion and to make sure we get nice poles and lights. If each PRC member could donate \$10 or \$20 we would have all the funds we need. If you can help out please send in your donations this month to the PO Box on the front of your newsletter so we can get supplies ordered. If we can't raise the money we may have to return the grant and I would really love to have some newer, nicer lights - I am going to donate \$50 to the cause just to get the ball rolling - here's to riding under new lights...

Nicole

NEWS & NOTES

PRC Has A New Queen

Congratulations to Sarah Ward the 2010 PRC Queen!

Mowing Assistance Still Needed

Big THANK YOU to Mark Merrit, Cory Storer, and Dan Williamson for all their hard work keeping the grounds mowed and trimmed. If you get a chance to tell any of them how much you appreciate their hard work please do. However, we can always use help trying to keep up with the mowing - if you have time please email pekinridingclub@yahoo.com or contact a board member to help make your club the best one around!

New Board Members Needed

We have a board position and a Vice President position opening up that needs to be filled. If you are interested in serving on the PRC board please contact a board member or email pekinridingclub@yahoo.com

Show Season Volunteers Always Needed

Show volunteers are always needed - do you have time to help give the "regulars" a break? Visit with a board member or email pekinridingclub@yahoo.com if you have some available time at any of our shows this season.

PRC Sponsors still needed

Do you know someone who would like to sponsor PRC? Finding a Gold or Silver sponsor could get your PRC membership paid for - see the sponsorship form for more details. We have already raised \$1900 and would like to get to \$2500. Just \$600 away - every little bit counts!

Wish List

PRC has an ongoing wish list of things that would help the club a bunch. Right now the biggest item is a lawnmower. The mower on the grounds is on its last legs and we do not currently have anything to pull behind the John Deere tractor to help mowing out back. If you can help in any way please let us know.

Quote of the month:

The essential joy of being with horses is that it brings us in contact with the rare elements of grace, beauty, spirit, and fire. -Sharon Ralls Lemon

TREASURER'S REPORT

Checking Account Balance - \$6270.06

Concession Stand Balance - \$350

Savings Balance - \$2016.05

Total Balance - \$8636.11

Pekin Riding Club Volunteer List
Show Date: _____

Registrations (3) _____

Announcing
Speed _____

Pleasure _____

Gates
Speed _____

Pleasure Entry _____

Pleasure Exit _____

Speed Arena Set up (Poles, Barrels, etc)

Pleasure Arena Set up (Trail)

50/50 Bucket (All proceeds go to help finish the poles & lights)



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Greenhaven is planning to be on-site for a PRC show in June to discuss Equine Dentistry. Keep checking the website and Facebook page for details on which date fits into their schedule

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Sherri Wright

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