

January 2016

UPCOMING EVENTS

February 1st

- **Board meeting @ East Peoria Avantis @ 6pm.**

New Board

We are so excited to have our new President Clay Staley on Board with us! Your 2016 Board members are: Clay Staley, Curt Dusek, Susan Meeker, Brittany Danford, Abby Knapp, Shane Barnett, Mark Merit, Leslie Lucas, Phil Stenger, and Deb Keyt.

Marketing Help!

Are you involved in marketing? We would love to have your help! We have some projects going on that need a marketing guru!!! Please get in contact with us through the email here, or on Facebook!

Storm Damage

In a few of the recent storms that have passed through our way, we have had some damages done to our arena! At the moment, the board is getting the supplies and estimates together to get everything back up!

New Classes

Our board members have been brain-storming for ways to make our shows even better! We are hoping to add some fun, and different then normal classes into our show bill, look for them soon in the next newsletter!

Happy Holidays!

We hope everyone had a wonderful season of gift giving, and New Year celebrating with family! We're betting that more than a few of you got horse related gifts too!

Awards Committee

We are looking for a member to volunteer and help Sue Meeker head the Awards Committee for this coming year! This would entail helping pick out and choose the awards for the end of the year.

New Sponsors!

It's that time again...Sponsorships! What a perfect opportunity to get your business out there and recognized! Become a sponsor at our Riding Club at the Bronze, Silver, Gold, or Platinum level! Email us for more info!

A Big Thank You!

Thank you to Barr Landscaping for volunteering their services to mow our premises! If you need services done for your yardwork, we recommend you check them out!

Treasurer Report

Balances	
Heartland Bank Checking	\$13,968.38
Busey Bank Checking	\$11,945.35
Busey Bank Savings	\$10,010.55
Busey Bank Concessions	\$350.00
Total Funds	\$36,274.28

A BIG THANK YOU TO OUR 2015 PRC SPONSORS

Gold

Lone Ass Leather
Nehmelman Auction Company
It's All About You
Wyoming Veterinary Services
Hoyland Auction Inc.
Green Haven Animal Clinic
The Hackamore
Backwoods Construction

Silver

Akron Services
Parrish's Tack Shop
Clint and Donna Parrish
Twin Creeks Equine Massage
Rescued Heart Animal Hospital
City Coal and Asphalt
Tazewell County Farm Bureau

Bronze

David Burling and Son Excavating

PRC 2016 Board & Officers

President - Clay Staley
Vice President - Curt Dusek
Secretary - Brittany Danford
Treasurer - Susan Meeker

Board Members

Deb Keyt
Mark Merritt
Phil Stenger
Abby Knapp
Shane Barnett
Leslie Lucas

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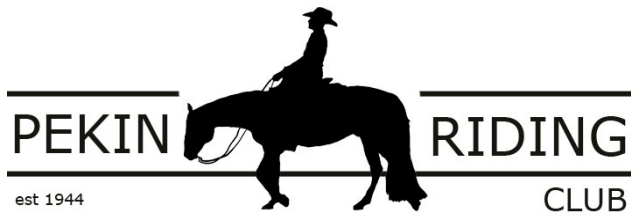
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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION 2016

CIRCLE MEMBERSHIP SELECTIONS

FAMILY / \$40

SINGLE / \$20

RETURNING MEMBER

NEW MEMBER

PLEASE PRINT

TODAY'S DATE _____

NAME _____ BIRTH DATE (REQUIRED) _____
 LAST FIRST MI

ADDRESS _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

PHONE () _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____ SHIRT SIZE _____

** EMAIL Address will be used for sending out NEWSLETTERS AND OTHER PRC UPDATES INCLUDING SHOW CANCELLATIONS.
 Newsletter will only be distributed electronic (email and posted to the website)**

EMERGENCY CONTACT _____ PHONE () _____

NAMES OF ALL IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBERS INCLUDING YOURSELF IN MEMBERSHIP

NAME	BIRTH DATE	SHIRT SIZE	NAME	BIRTH DATE	SHIRT SIZE
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PLEASE CONSIDER AN ADDITIONAL DONATION TO HELP SUPPORT PRC ACTIVITIES. \$ _____

WHAT AREAS WOULD YOU CONSIDER VOLUNTEERING IN? (PLEASE CIRCLE)

- MOWING GATE HELP ANNOUNCING REGISTRATIONS
 FUNDRAISING SHOW COMMITTEE OTHER _____

NOTE: THE INFORMATION ON THIS FORM WILL NOT BE SHARED WITH ANY THIRD PARTY ENTITIES

PLEASE SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR LIABILITY RELEASE
RELEASE MUST BE READ AND SIGNED BEFORE YOU CAN PARTICIPATE IN PEKIN RIDING CLUB EVENTS

The undersigned member of Pekin Riding Club, Inc., (on his/her own behalf and as the Parent(s)/Legal Guardian(s) of a member), or invitee, visitor, or other guest of a member or Pekin Riding Club, Inc. (collectively "Member"), agrees to the following terms and conditions:

- Assumption of Risk and Waiver:** Member understands and accepts the risks of engaging in equine activities and merely being near a donkey, horse, mule, or pony (collectively "equine"), including (i) the propensity of an equine to behave in dangerous ways that may result in injury to the participant (for example, jump, run, kick, buck, bolt, spin, rear up, strike, or bite), (ii) the inability to predict an equine's reaction to sound, movements, objects persons, or animals, (for example, kick, buck, bolt, spin, rear up, strike, or bite), and (iii) the hazards of surface or subsurface conditions. Member understands the resulting injuries, death, and property damage that may result from the accepted risks of engaging in equine activities or just being near an equine, that equines are powerful and have the potential to be dangerous, even without warning, and that the risks listed in this Agreement are just a sampling and Member is not relying on the Released Parties to this Agreement to list all possible equine-related risks. Member therefore agrees, on his/her own behalf and on behalf of his/her minor Member, to at all times to be responsible for his/her personal safety, remain financially responsible for his/her medical expenses, and waives his/her right to any claims arising from his/her participation in or observation of any equine activities, being near an equine, or mere presence on the property of Pekin Riding Club, Inc. ("Facility"). Member understands the risks and dangers inherent in equine activities and agrees to assume them on his/her own behalf and on behalf of the minor Member, and Member's guests, visitors, family members, heirs, agents, and assigns.
- Release, Hold Harmless, Indemnification:** Member agrees to release and hold the Facility, their respective relatives, directors, other members, partners, subsidiaries, affiliates, agents, assistants, managers, officers, representatives, assigns, volunteers, employees, independent contractors, and others acting on their behalf (collectively "Released Parties"), harmless for any illness, injury, death, damage, or other loss (collectively "Losses") incurred unless directly caused by their gross negligence or wanton and willful misconduct. Member agrees to indemnify Released Parties against all Losses sustained or suffered by any person or entity (including, but not limited to, anyone a party or not a party to this Agreement), whether caused by Released Parties directly or indirectly, and which shall include the reimbursement of Released Parties' costs, expenses, and attorneys' fees.
- Governing Law and Time Limitation:** This Agreement shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Illinois. All disputes relating to the interpretation and enforcement of the provisions of this Agreement shall be resolved exclusively by the federal court or state court located in Tazewell County, Illinois, and the parties hereto hereby submit to the jurisdiction and venue of the Court for such purpose. Member agrees that any and all claims and/or causes of action, for Losses by Member, on his/her own behalf and/or on behalf of a minor Member, against the Released Parties, must be brought within one (1) year of the date they accrue.
- Attorneys' Fees:** Member agrees to reimburse Facility for any and all expenses, costs, and attorneys' fees incurred by it in enforcing the terms of this Agreement and/or in defending or prosecuting any claims or causes of action involving, or in any way relating to, Member.
- Member Certification:** Member certifies that he/she has read this entire Agreement and understands, agrees, and intends on his/her own behalf, and on behalf of his/her heirs, agents, representatives, relatives, successors, and assigns, to be bound by all of the terms and conditions contained herein.

_____ Signature: _____

Dated ALL ADULT Members must sign on his/her own behalf and as Parent(s)/Legal Guardian(s) if Member(s) under 18 yrs old

PLEASE PRINT

Name(s): _____
Address(es): _____
Phone No.: _____

UNDER THE EQUINE ACTIVITY LIABILITY ACT, EACH PARTICIPANT WHO ENGAGES IN AN EQUINE ACTIVITY EXPRESSLY ASSUMES THE RISKS OF ENGAGING IN AND LEGAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR INJURY, LOSS, OR DAMAGE TO PERSON OR PROPERTY RESULTING FROM THE RISK OF EQUINE ACTIVITIES