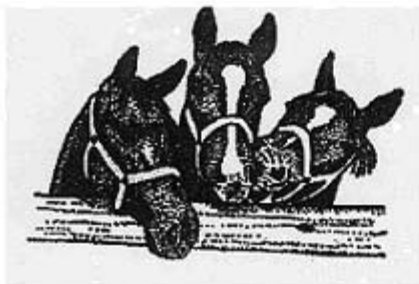


N.T.R.C. Newsletter

April/May
2007



Welcome

The 2007 Season will begin in less than 6 weeks. The NTRC Executive have been working hard to make this a great show season & we need your help in promoting this club. You have received a packet that contains a membership & registration form, a poster to hang up in your barn or local businesses in your area, & a Sponsorship package. You will notice on the Registration form a new list of classes. Intermediate no longer exist due to lack of participants in past shows. Gymkhana for the youth has been changed because of a large number of children that participate. Open Hunter Hack has been removed due to safety issues. Open Western Riding & Reining have remained but a minimum of 5 participants per class must be registered by the Thursday registration deadline in order for the classes to happen, there will be NO last minute registration for these 2 classes. Prizes for 1st and 2nd will be given out in each class per show along with ribbons for 1st to 6th place. For qualification for Overall High Points, you must attend 1 General meeting a year (2 of them will be held, the June 16 & Aug. 11 shows at lunch time), minimum 4 hours of Volunteer time (Lori Lacey is your new Volunteer Coordinator), & attend 3 out of the 4 shows. The Awards banquet will be held on the Fun Day (Sept. 8), which more info will follow on this event. If you want more information on the changes of shows please call Deana Harbidge (Show coordinator) @ 220-1624 or e-mail @ harbdg@telus.net

GENERAL MEETING

THE NEXT GENERAL MEETING WILL BE HELD AT NOON IN THE ARENA AT THE JUNE 16TH CROSSFIELD SHOW.

AEF Numbers

NTRC is a member of the Alberta Equestrian Federation and so, in conjunction with our insurance coverage, all riding participants in our show must have a valid AEF membership number. If you don't have a number, you won't be allowed to compete. YOU also benefit from an AEF membership therefore for more information and downloadable membership forms go to the AEF web site at www.albertaequestrian.com.

Catering

We have arranged for catering services to be available for breakfast & lunch for each show. Please support our caterers since they put in quite a bit of work to help keep you nourished.

NTRC Web Page

Our web page has been updated and you can access & download the membership & registration forms along with the Sponsorship Package. www.northerntrailsridingclub.org.

Sponsorship Needed

We are looking for Sponsors to help support our Club. You will notice the Sponsorship package has a new level program and what we will do as a club to promote the Sponsor at each level. If you wanting more information, please contact Vicki Treiber @ 932-7267 or vtreiber@platinum.ca

2007 Executive

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We are still in need of a secretary; if anyone is interested in the position please contact Deana Harbidge: 220-1624 or email@ harbdg@telus.net

Show Dates

(Date	Location	Judge)
May 26 th ,	Crossfield,	Ruth Fowler.
June 16 th ,	Crossfield,	Tracy Pazdor
July 21 st ,	Crossfield,	Nan Harrison
Aug. 11 th ,	Okotoks,	Cyril Desjarlais
Sept. 8 th ,	Cross field,	Fun Day, BBQ, & Awards

Thank You.



A sincere thank you to **Don Church**, for being the club photographer once again this past year.

We would also like to thank **Scott and Leanne Irvine**, of Irvine Tack and Trailers, for their generous donation of The Saddle.
www.irvinetackandtrailers.com



Congratulations to the saddle winner Carol Simpson of Carstairs.
The winning ticket was sold by Edna Jackson.