

BACKCOUNTRY HORSEMEN OF CALIFORNIA PRESENTS

IT'S RENDEZVOUS TIME IN CERES !

MARCH 22nd - 23rd 2024

DIAMOND BAR ARENA



This Year's Theme : TRAILS AND TALES

Food , Contests , Clinicians , Vendors , Educational Classes, and BLM Adopt a Horse or Burro!

SEE YOU THERE !

Diamond Bar Arena 6055 Central Av Ceres CA 95307 Gates Open at 8:00 a.m. Classes start at 9:00 a.m. Friday and Saturday Registration Booth Open 7am - 5pm

Registration

Name:		
_ Address:		
_ City: ZIP:	State:	
Phone:		
Email:		
Unit:		
_ INSTRUCTIONS: COMPLETE AND Mail to: BCHC Rendezvous, P.O. Box 157, KEEP PAGES FOR FUTURE F	Olancha CA 93549 REFERENCE	
Dinner Tickets - No host bar at 5:30 pm; dinner served at	-	
PLEASE CHECK THIS BOX IF YOU ARE ORDERING V	<u>'EGETARIAN ME</u>	<u>ALS</u>
Adults:	# Tickets	Total Amt.
Breakfast & Lunch Available for purchase on grounds		
Friday Dinner @ \$ 30.00/meal		
Saturday Dinner @ \$ 40.00/meal		
Children under 12 meals half price		
There will be a no host bar before, during and after dinner.		
*Total for all meals tickets \$	Place this tota	al on Page 9
Camping -		
This is the charge per night. Spaces with power and	water are very	<mark>y limited.</mark> Will be
given to earliest postmark. Dry Camping is a very la showers available.	arge area. There	e are some
		Days you will camp
RV power/water\$30.00 X # of nights	= \$	W Th F Sat
Dry Comping \$15.00 V # of pights	_ ¢	
Dry Camping \$15.00 X # of nights	= >	W IIIF Sat
TOTAL\$		
**bring your own hose, power cord and adapter		Place total on Page
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NO FIRE PITS ALLOWED IN ANY CAMPING AREA DOGS MUST BE ON LEASH WHILE ON PROPERTY

<u>Stalls - for event -</u>		
Covered Horse Stalls # stalls per night @ \$30.00	each X # of nigh	ts =
\$		
Uncovered horse stalls # stalls per night @\$25.00 \$	each X # of nigh	its=
Circle Days you need stalls -W Th F Sat	Place Total on	Page 9
**Bring your own water bucket, shavings, hose. Must cle	ean out stall upon	leaving
** <u>Horses may not be tied to trailers</u>	overnight**	
<u>Raffle Tickets</u> - \$5 per ticket : \$500 Bass Pro Gift Card # tickets@ \$5 = Set of 8 6x4 Traveling Corral Panels # tickets	\$ @ \$5 = \$	
Total for Raffle Ticke	ts \$ Pla	ce on page 9
<u>Wine, Cheese & Beer Tasting-Saturday @ 3:00PM</u> - We unit to bring a six pack or two of beer from your favor taste beer from across the state.	-	-
Commemorative Glasses \$25.00 X # of Glasses	= \$	Total
Commemorative Glasses \$25.00 X # of Glasses		
Must be 21 years old to participate. Donation for glass a	admits you to tast	ting.

Volunteers: Help us run the Rendezvous! Throughout the Rendezvous weekend the folks running the Rendezvous frequently need extra hands for a variety of activities. If you would be willing to help for a few minutes/hours please provide your cell phone number. Name______

Unit_____

Day(s)/Time(s) Available_____

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Packing Competition Rules

Contest to be held on Saturday March 23rd 2024 @12 pm @ Diamond Bar Main Arena AMA Rules will apply to all competitions. Any clean load beats a penalized load. Silver Belt Buckles to each winner. Please pre-register or check in for on-site sign-ups for the following:

Odd Load Packing: This is a two-packer team packing one live mule. The team will load the items provided, and tie on securely with a box or diamond hitch. They will then lead the packed animal on foot at a trot around the arena to establish if their load is stable and balanced. Contest will be held on Saturday at 12 p.m.

Adult and Intercollegiate Box Hitch: This is a speed competition. The live mule will have the boxes on before packing. One packer will put the load provided on the mule and cover the entire load with a mantee and then tie a box hitch. Ropes and mantees will be provided. AMA rules apply. This contest will be held following the odd Load packing. Adult and Intercollegiate Diamond Hitch: This is a speed competition. The live mule will have the boxes on before packing. One packer will put the load provided on the mule and cover the entire load with a mantee and then tie a diamond hitch. Ropes and mantees will be provided. AMA rules apply. This contest will be held following the load provided on the mule and cover the entire load with a mantee and then tie a diamond hitch. Ropes and mantees will be provided. AMA rules apply. This contest will be held following the adult/intercollegiate box hitch.

Youth Box Hitch: Youngsters under 18 years old : This is a speed competition. The live mule will have the boxes on before packing. One packer will put the load provided on the mule and cover the entire load with a mantee and then tie a box hitch. Ropes and mantees will be provided. AMA rules apply. This contest will be held following the adult diamond hitch. Youth Diamond Hitch: Youngsters under 18 years old : This is a speed competition. The live mule will have the boxes on before packing. One packer will put the load provided on the

mule and cover the entire load with a mantee and then tie a box hitch. Ropes and mantees will be provided. AMA rules apply. This contest will be held following the adult box hitch. Adult and Intercollegiate competition fee \$20 Youth competition fee FREE

For questions, late sign ins, text or contact Carl Perry 209-321-5410
PACKING COMPETITION ENTRY FORM

PLEASE INCLUDE THIS ENTRY FORM IN YOUR REGISTRATION PACKET		
ADD ENTRY FEE MONEY ON TO YOUR TOTAL OF THE REGISTRATION PACKET		
2024 PACKING CONTEST ENTRY FORM		
2 MAN PACKING CONTEST (ODD LOAD) OPEN TO ANYONE		
NAME OF PACKER	FEE \$20	
NAME OF PACKER	FEE\$20	
ADULT/INTERCOLLEGIATE (18 YEARS AND OLDER) BOX HITCH		
NAME OF PACKER	FEE \$20	
ADULT/INTERCOLLEGIATE (18 YEARS AND OLDER) DIAMOND HITCH		
NAME OF PACKER	FEE \$20	
YOUTH HITCH COMPETITION (UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE)		
BOX HITCH		
NAME OF PACKER	FREE	
DIAMOND HITCH		
NAME OF PACKER	FREE	
SEND THIS FORM WITH REGUSTRATION TOTAL AMOUNT OF FEES DUE total on page 9		Place
CONTACT PERSON CARL PERRY TEXT PLEASE 209-321-5410		

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WESTERN ART SHOW CONTEST RULES

1) Item (e.g. painting, photo, etc.) must be created by you and your name must be on the entry form. One entry form per item. Entry numbers will be assigned at the time of submission.

2) Paintings, photos and drawings must be framed (including wire for hanging) for their protection and display.

3) All entry forms must have the contestant's name, address and phone number. It is a good idea to put this on your item also, if possible.

4) <u>\$5.00 Entry fee for each item</u>

5) Entries are due at the Rendezvous Art Show Booth no later than 10:00 am on Saturday. Items must be picked up no later than 10:00 a.m. on Sunday.

6) Prizes will be awarded for each category at the discretion of the Western Art Show judge.

7) Western Art Show judges are not responsible for the sale of items. Interested buyers will need to look up the information on the item tag and speak directly with the artist. Artwork can be donated to BCHC and Auctioned off on Saturday night.

For further information contact Sandra Ballard

WESTERN ART SHOW ENTRY FORM - Include payment and this entry form with Registration

ENTRY #	Amount Enclosed \$	Place
amt. on page 9		
To be assigned at show		
Artist's Name	Age	
Address		_
Phone where you can be reached duri	ng Rendezvous	
Alternate share #		

Alternate phone # _____

Entry Category (circle):	Painting	Fiber Art (Sewing/Knitting, etc.)
Arts & Crafts	Carving	Leatherwork
Photography	Mantee Art	Other (Describe)



Dutch Oven Cooking Competition

Interested in Dutch Oven cooking? It's a great way to cook delicious one dish meals in the outdoor setting.

The Dutch Oven competition will be held on Friday and Saturday. See the schedule for times and location. Ron Akers and Sheila Bond, members of the Mother Lode Unit and Dutch Oven competition winners, will be running the event.

During this competition come meet Ron, Sheila and the contestants to observe Dutch Oven cooking in action. You will learn about the basics of Dutch Oven cooking including essential equipment, temperature control, and cleaning/storage of the pots. Plus you get free samples of the dishes, recipes, temperature control charts and a chance to vote for the best dish!

*Refer to the Dutch Oven Cooking Competition entry form if you wish to compete in this fun event!

Rendezvous Dutch Oven Cooking Competition Friday March 22nd Saturday March 23rd

Rules for the Competition

1. Contestants will provide their own ingredients to prepare their dish(s).

2. Contestants will provide their own cooking gear: Dutch Ovens, charcoal chimneys, cooking utensils, prep table, Dutch Oven cooking table or equivalent set-up, ash buckets, sample serving cups (4 oz. cups recommended), plastic silverware, serving utensils, hand sanitizer and food handlers gloves for direct food handling.

3. There will be no cooking on the ground.

4. The Mid Valley unit will provide hot briquettes and a shovel.

5. There will be a sanitation station set up with hot water and garbage cans will be available.

6. Each day Contestants will have their choice of cooking a main dish or a dessert or both.

7. Each Contestant cook station will be labeled i.e., Team 1, 2, etc. for public voting purposes.

8. All cooking needs to be done on site starting at 1:00 pm.

9. Provide samples of your dish(s) to spectators at 4:00 pm and the public vote starts.

10. Each day spectators will vote using tickets for their favorite main dish and dessert.

11. Each day prizes and certificates will be awarded based on the public vote for the best main dish and the best dessert.

12. Entry fee is \$20.00 per day - Friday, March 22 and Saturday, March 23.

*Optional - provide copies of recipes for the public.

Any questions please call:

Ron and Sheila

(916) 747-0596

Dutch Oven Cooking Competition Entry	
Name:	Unit:

Fee - & 20.00 per day *You can enter both days

I will be cooking (circle one) main dish, dessert, or both on Friday

I will be cooking (circle one) main dish, dessert or both on Saturday \$ _____ Total Include entry fee and entry form with your registration

Place total on page 9

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TOTAL PAGE - Place all totals HERE

Return this page and completed pages & entry forms with your check made payable to BCHC Name _____

Unit ______

Description	Page No.	Amount
Donation to BCHC Education Fund		\$
Dinner Totals	2	\$
Raffle Tickets Total	3	
Western Art Contest	6	\$
Dutch Oven Contest	8	\$
Packing Contests	5	\$
Wine Tasting	3	\$
Camping	2	\$
Stalls	3	\$
TOTAL DUE		\$

Make checks payable to BCHC Send completed registration pages and payment to: BCHC Rendezvous 2024 P.O. Box 157 Olancha, CA 93549

DEADLINES: Walk in registrations DO NOT guarantee meals.

<u>MAIL</u>- do not mail after MARCH 13th <u>EMAIL</u>- do not email after March 19nd - after that please bring registration and check to registration booth at Rendezvous

Table Decorations Contest

Tables will be assigned by the Table Decorations Committee by 10 am on Friday. Units may begin decorating @ 10 am until Friday at 5pm. The judging will take place after 5 pm and awards presented at Friday evening's award presentation. All units that decorate a table will automatically be entered. The BCHC unit name must be clearly visible. Entries over 3' tall will be disqualified. Winner of the Best Overall category is responsible for coordinating and judging next year's table decoration contest. Judge's decisions are final. We would like to sell these at the dinner if you do not want your decoration sold please remove after Judging or put a sign Do Not Sell. At our dinners we will have the public attending. As BCHC members, we are the hosts and should extend a warm welcome to other members as well as the public to join us at our tables.

LAST TIME THE WINNER WAS <u>HIGH SIERRA UNIT</u> AND THEY WILL JUDGE

DIRECTIONS TO DIAMOND BAR ARENA

From South: Go north on 99 through Turlock to Keys road exit freeway Turn left turn left on Keys Rd. You will be headed west for 3 miles to Central Ave. Turn left again travel south about 1/4 mile and enter Diamond Bar on your right.

From North: Going south on 99 pass through Modesto (good luck) and then Ceres, a couple of miles passed Ceres take Keys Rd exit and turn right on Keys Rd. You will be headed west for 3 miles to Central Ave. Turn left on Central travel south about 1/4 mile and enter Diamond Bar on your right.

From I-5: Take the Patterson City exit and follow the signs to Turlock. You will traveling on West Main once you cross the San Joaquin river. Turn left Central Ave before you get to Turlock. Turn left and go north for about 4 miles and Diamond Bar will be on your left ½ mile before you get to Keys Rd

Rendezvous 2024 Hotels in Ceres, CA



Backcountry Horsemen of California Rendezvous 2024 Pre-Order Apparel Form

Name:	Phone Number:	Email:
Items Available:	Circle Size: Youth Medium	Youth Large

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Adult:	Small	Medium	Large	X-Large	2X-Large (add \$4)

- \$55 Zip up hooded sweatshirt
- \$50 Pullover hooded sweatshirt
- \$45 Pullover non-hooded sweatshirt
- \$30 Long sleeve t-shirt (men's style)
- \$25 Short sleeve t-shirt (men's or women's crew neck or women's v-neck) circle preference
- \$20 Women's tank top (razor or regular strap style) circle preference
- \$30 Sweatpants (men's or women's style) Black, Dark grey, Med grey, Navy circle preferences

• Clothing color option (circle preference) ** not all colors are available in all styles Black, Dark grey, Medium Grey, Heather Red, Red, Heather Royal Blue, Royal Blue, Turquoise, Navy, Heather Navy, Heather Brown, Dark Brown, Heather Dark Green, Forest Green, Military Green, Purple, Dark Pink, Dark Orange, Heather Burgundy, Burgundy

Custom option (one option included w/price of sweatshirt - if additional option wanted, add \$10)

(a) Line of 3 horse shoes (b) Stars (c) 2024 or (d) Name of horse and/or rider

PLEASE READ: Total Cost of Clothing Ordered \$_

- For Venmo, please use @Braggnwear and email or text order form

- For PayPal, please use email: Lisawithbradleywear@yahoo.com then email or text order form

For Checks, make payable to "Bragg'n Wear" and mail to 3318 Meyers Road, Camino, CA
 95709

~ For questions, please contact Lisa Bragg at (916) 212-8183 or

Lisawithbradleywear@yahoo.com

- Pre-orders will be available to be picked up in Vendor area @ Bragg'nWear booth on March 22, 2024

ORDERS MUST BE PAID FOR BY March 1, 2024

TRAIL.MANSHIP 101

Friday, March 22, 2024

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Unique Opportunities

Choose 1-4 sessions 9am, 10am, 1pm, 2pm Work with *your* horse Experienced clinicians Affordable \$10/session Entry secures your spot Session limited to 6 riders



This is a hands-on working clinic, not a 'lecture demo'.

<u>Topics</u>

Ponying, Lunging Trail Equipment Highline/Picketline Hobbling/Ground Tie Mounting/Rider Pick-Up Drag & Stepover Obstacles * Prizes *



Location: Diamond Bar Arena 6055 Central Ave Ceres, California Contact: Carlena Kellogg 209-505-0122 or Amanda Foiles 623-521-4304 Request an entry: ladyroughrider1@yahoo.com

TRAIL.MANSHIP 101

BCHC Rendezvous Entry

Friday, March 22, 2024

Participant**:	
Is participant a minor?	Parent:
Address:	
Ph #:	Email:

**Minor participant must be 16yr -17yr, accompanied by a dult, & wear an approved equestrian helmet.

Choose up to 4 sessions. Only 1 topic per session.

Topic (A)	Topic (B)
Highline/Picketline	Trail Equipment
Sending/Lunging*	Ponying*
Hobbling/Ground Tie*	Drag Obstacle*
Mounting/Rider PickUp*	Step Over Obstacle*
	Highline/Picketline Sending/Lunging* Hobbling/Ground Tie*

* Bring & use *your own* horse/mule

Entry Fee:

9am topic:	@ \$10	SUMU CAR
10am topic:	@ \$10	Nav
1pm topic:	@ \$10	OF CALIFORNIA
2pm topic:	@ \$10	

Total Fees: \$_____

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Participant will receive an email confirming session(s) & other information. Maximum of 6 participants per session in order to get adequate instruction.

Mail Entry & Check to:Carlena Kellogg1570 East F St. #A-155Oakdale, Calif. 95361Check Payable to:BCH CaliforniaMail Entry no later than March 14, 2024