

Mid Valley Monthly

President's Message

By David Rumsey

Well, April is here and so is the snow and rain! Up in Sonora it went from snowing last Thursday, Friday it was 75 degrees and now back to raining on Saturday! I know we need all the water we can get, but in my line of work, I think I have had about enough for this year.

I had a great time at Rendezvous, most of the time, and I'll get back to that in a minute. I really liked having everything together so you could just mosey around, and before you know it, you had seen everything. The Perrys were kind enough to allow me to set up camp in the back of their trailer. I'm not sure Julie knew I was staying until my feet got to kicking and rocking the trailer. Of course Carl could not pass up the opportunity to tell Julie he didn't know who I was back there with, especially since Jody had already left! (Don't worry, honey, he made the whole thing up. LOL!) Oh, did I mention that it rained, and when I say it rained, it flat got after it, and it's a whole other sound in the back of that trailer. As my daddy used to always say, "It's raining like a cow pissing on a flat rock out there!" I hope that doesn't get me into trouble!

I helped Carl and Julie with the registration for the Packing Competition, and that was kinda interesting and fun all rolled into one. It was 100% completely satisfying being able to hang out and watch those kids pack. The older generation was a bit more entertaining, as they put on quite a show. The best for me was being able to watch Doug and Garrett Dollarhide compete together as a team in the odd load and get reserve champion. For Garrett it may have been just another buckle, but for Doug it was something way bigger than that. Not only did he finally win a buckle for packing, but he won it with whom he would refer to as "G."

I was able to enjoy both dinners with Jody, which nowadays seems to be a rarity as we just get pulled in so many different directions and it is sometimes hard to land in the same spot at the same time. Thanks for being there, honey. I truly enjoyed your company.

Okay, now back up to the beginning of this. I mentioned I had a great time most of the time. It all started fantastic with a good, solid month of mental meditation and great planning to enter the almighty famed Dutch Oven Competition! I had finally decided to make chicken with a mushroom-white-wine sauce over a bed of wild rice, a for-sure winner. After all, how could it not be with as much planning and thinking I did on this. After all had been planned, except for the dessert, I gave Carl Perry a call, as he has often been my sidekick when cooking. I said to Carl, "Seeing how you wanted to help, you are going to be in charge of the award-winning dessert." Well, who would have known how that would circle back around to flat-out steal all of my fame and glory right there in front of the entire world! **Continued on page 8**



Carl Perry and David Rumsey at Rendezvous



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Are Your Membership Dues Due?

By Kathy Zumbrunn



In this crazy-busy life we lead sometimes it is too hard to remember all the things we need to do. So is the case of when our Mid Valley membership is due for renewal. So I have decided to help you out! Each month I will list everyone who is due for the next two months, and if your name is listed, please fill out the membership application in this newsletter, mark it "Renewal" and send it in. This will make sure your membership keeps up-to-date and you will also make Chip Herzig's job a bit easier too!

BE SURE TO MAKE YOUR CHECK OUT TO: BCHC MEMBERSHIP, CHECK "RENEWAL" AND SEND IT TO THE ADDRESS ON THE APPLICATION FORM.

And if you have had any changes, such as email address, phone, etc., please note it on the renewal.

I have included the current month because if dues are not renewed, your membership will expire. Please do not let this happen. Thank you for your time and assistance.

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- Craig and Samantha Brooks
- Nannette Hatch
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If you have already sent in your dues, please disregard, as it may have been posted after this information was sent to me for publication. Plus, if you ever have any questions or problems, please feel free to contact me and I'll help get answers for you, no matter what you need. Kathy: (209)765-4923 or runningzranch@gmail.com

Save The Date For Mid Valley Dutch Oven Dessert Chefs!

By Terri Arington

Once again the Tuolumne Co. Farm Bureau will be hosting their Annual BBQ and Auction Fundraiser at Hurst Ranch in Jamestown. As always, we are hoping to rely on Mid Valley Dutch oven chefs to provide their popular, delicious and yummy desserts.

The date for this year's event is Friday, July 26, 2024. Dinner will be served at 7:00 p.m. with dessert served after the cooks get to finish their complimentary dinner. Our Live Auction will begin shortly after.

Updates to follow in future newsletters.

THANK YOU!

Call or text Terri Arington for more information at: (209) 768-7076

Quote of the Month



When you're young and you fall off a horse, you may break something.
When you are my age and you fall off, you splatter.



-Roy Rogers- from The Notable Horse Lover



By Crystal Dalby

Isaac Scott, son of Steven and Wendy Scott, had surgery on his arm. The surgery went well, but the healing process is going to be a long one for this active, 15 year old young man. Please send prayers and well wishes that this process goes smoothly and possibly quicker than expected.

I also just heard that Shane Parson's father recently passed away. Shane, of Diamond Bar Arena, is not a Mid Valley member, but he has always been very supportive of Mid Valley Unit, and was so very helpful during our Rendezvous. Our thoughts and prayers are sent to him and his family.

We send positive thoughts and prayers to these and all others who may not have gotten information to me. If you need some Sunshine sent your way, please let me know. I would like to hear the good, also! New baby? Got married? New Job? Please let me know! Text is the best way, but you may contact me any way you need to!

Crystal Dalby
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Dutch Oven Report

By Vicki Whisler

The Rendezvous as a whole was GREAT! However, I was very disappointed in the turnout for the Dutch oven competitions. We only had four competitors from Mid Valley and two from High Country Unit. Shelia Bond and Ron Akers, from Mother Lode Unit, did a fantastic job of organizing everything. We had plenty of people there to taste the completed dishes, but no one for the Dutch oven demonstrations.

Vicki Morales won 1st place on both her dishes on Saturday. Carl Perry won 1st for his Pineapple/Peach Dessert on Friday. David Rumsey placed 2nd for his Mushroom/Chicken main dish on Friday. Annie Jennings won 1st for her Meat Loaf and Cindy McDonald won 2nd for her Chocolate Cherry Dump Cake on Friday. Dave and Carl competed as a team and Annie and Cindy competed separately. They belong to the High Country Unit. Rudy Dezzani also competed on Friday with a Chili main dish. My thanks to everyone for competing.

I was just very disappointed that more people from more units did not sign up and compete! As a footnote, I signed up at the last minute and competed on Saturday just to give Vicki Morales a little competition, and so she wasn't cooking by herself. All of the dishes both days were excellent.

Happy cooking. I hope to see more competitors out there next year and let's have a few more Dutch Oven Gatherings this year!

To host a DOG, text or call me at (209) 480-0566. PLEASE leave a message if I don't answer your call.

Get those Dutch ovens out and fired up!



Vicki Morales



(l-r) Cindy McDonald, Annie Jennings, Sheila Bond, Ron Akers, Carl Perry and David Rumsey

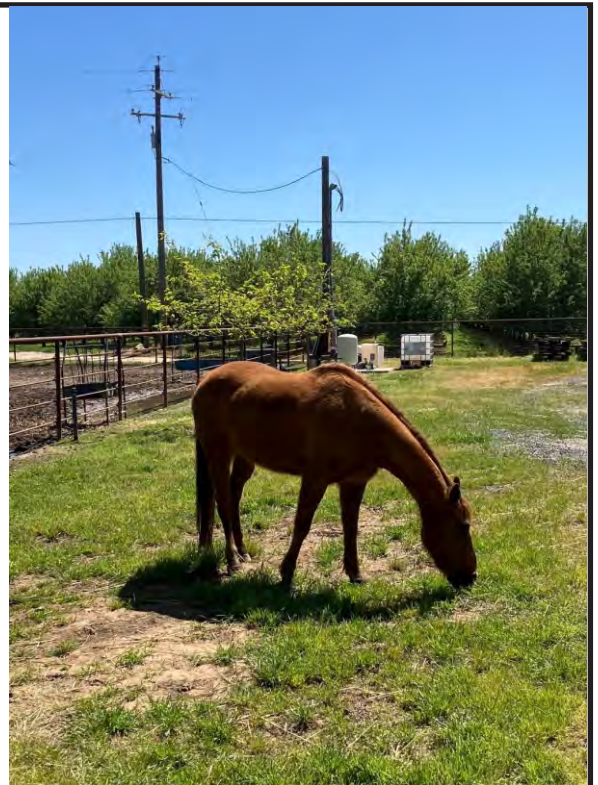


Lessons Learned

By Cathy Dollarhide

Lessons learned does not necessarily have to be from a "bad" experience. Sometimes a change in our lives can lead us to have a different perspective, in a positive way. I have a rescue horse, his name is Trooper. This little guy has been on some treacherous trails and some challenging trips, hence, his name. I have no idea of his past, but with the amount of scars he has, it was probably rough. I accept him for who he is and we work with what he's got. March 29 was my last day of a 20-year job with Oak Valley Hospital. They had to close our department, along with another one, to make ends meet. Needless to say, this has been a bit of an adjustment for me.

Yesterday I took Trooper out and let him wander around and munch on grass. A little later, I saddled him up and went for a ride outside of our property. Trooper is extremely herd-bound, so I thought I would see how far we could go without him falling apart. I talked to him gently as we walked along, we did circles around the irrigation D boxes, we changed direction and went around again, and again, and we did many whoa's and go's. I continued to talk to him and reassured him that he was doing well. We made it as far as I thought was an achievement and then we headed home. He did very well and I did well too! I finally had some time, patience and no distractions. I enjoyed my ride with Trooper and look forward to more outings as right now I have a bit more time in my days. Happy riding!



Jacket Found At Rendezvous

A jacket was found at the Wine and Cheese event area. If you think it might be yours, please contact Jerrie Ann Thomas at: (209) 985-4502.



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Thank You For Your Help!

By Jerrie Ann Thomas

Julie Perry and I want to extend a great big "Thank You!" to all who helped us with the Wine and Cheese event at Rendezvous. Since Julie and I are not big wine and beer connoisseurs, we realized after volunteering for this project that we were in over our heads! But thanks to everybody, it turned out great and everyone had a wonderful time.

Karen Barindelli said, "You need ice," and she went out and brought us three ice chests of ice. Craig Stott took one look at us and said, "I know wine and I will help you." Next thing I knew, everything was organized and we were starting to pour wine. Lloyd Erlandson said, "I know beer," and we're pouring beer! Darla Coelho, Katherine Reeves, Jeannette DeMott, Norma Kohlbaker, Ami McBride and Sandy Rahilly all said, "We know how to pour wine," and they all started pouring wine.

When it was all over, Larry Souza said, "I know how to clean up," and the next thing I knew, everything was put away and cleaned up.

How wonderful to know that we have such a great unit and fantastic friends who are there when you need them!

So, thank you, my friends! You made the Wine and Cheese experience a fun and successful event!

And I also want to thank all the units who donated beer and wine, and the Dust Bowl for their donation of beer.

Danger At Peoria Flat!

By Kathy Zumbrunn

We recently received information regarding paragliders at Peoria Flat. For those of you who ride there, please be aware that the people flying these things have NO RESPECT for horses! Stan and Earlene Smith were riding there when a paraglider flew up behind them, around them, circling in front of them and landed approximately 100' from them. Fortunately, they were able to quiet their terrified horses and dismounted safely. When they told the person how dangerous that was and that he could have caused a terrible accident or fatality, he responded belligerently and aggressively and said to "Get OUT of here..." "If you can't control your animals, you shouldn't be riding at Peoria Flat!"

They have contacted Park Ranger Mike McGraw, of the Bureau of Reclamation, and BLM Officer, Will Emmons. Both were very understanding of the dangers and are looking into this matter. If you encounter, or see, these paragliders, please contact:

BLM Officer Will Emmons (916) 936-6883

Park Ranger Mike McGraw (209) 536-9094 ext 229

Thank you, and be safe out there!

Congratulations

By Carol Jo Hargreaves

Congratulations to Gail Jamieson, Vicki Morales and Kathy Zumbrunn for receiving first place in the 2023 Max and Irene Cochran Journalism Contest. These ladies work hard each month to put out a great newsletter for Mid Valley.

Also, congratulations to Kathy Zumbrunn for being chosen Mid Valley's Top Hand for 2023! Kathy might not be able to get out and do trail work, but she is always there to step up and get things done wherever they are needed.



Spring Campout In June

By Carl Perry

The Spring Campout will be held June 7 - 9 at the Clark Fork Campground. All the festivities will be similar to the previous years. You can come and go as you please and ride any time you want. There will be a potluck dinner on Saturday night with a small item auction to follow. If anyone has an auction item, please let me know. Our BIG problem may be that the trails may need clearing before the event. We will have a work party day on June 1 at the campground. We need to install two new hitching rails. We can use people who don't have a ride to help do that. Please come the night before so we can get started working early. You can bring your chainsaw if you want. We will have the Mid Valley chainsaw there also. If you would like to help clear trail on June 1, please let me know. Maybe we can clear two trails at one time.

TEXT (209) 321-5410



President's Message Continued

We started, or correction, I started prepping all my chicken, fresh chives and mushrooms, while Carl was out being the social butterfly that he is. So, as I continued to masterfully prep and brown the chicken, I decided it was time to call Carl and remind him he was in charge of dessert. Carl came over and started his prep for the dessert dish when he asked me where the cake mix was. I just gave him a kinda stupid look and said, "It's right here on the table where you put it." That's when he gave an even stupider look and said, "No, it's the one you bought for me." Now who's the stupid one? Now due to my complete failure of supplying my little buddy with all of the ingredients, we had no choice but to beg for a cake mix from someone, somewhere! After digging through Vickie Whisler's bag of goodies, we came across a lemon cake mix. I yelled "Hallelujah! We are saved!" I will tell you right now Carl was having no part of it. After a near mental breakdown, he finally agreed to use it, mixed with his yellow cake mix. I mean, after all, what could go wrong? I was really good about things and that's when Rudy Dezzani broke out the Stag Chili. I thought to myself, "them boys at Staggs have been at it for a long time and this might be a tough one!" Little did I know we had some new blood over in the corner at their first Dutch Oven Competition making a meat loaf. I thought surely my chicken-white-wine- mushroom sauce over a bed of wild rice could just stomp that meat loaf all over the place!

Now it is time to declare the winner. Let's keep in mind that at the first Dutch Oven Competition I entered I won best costume and, oh, that's right, my little buddy Carl won first place. That was six or seven years ago, that's how long it took for my wounds to heal before I could enter another contest! So, here we are, waiting for the judges to declare the winner. My heart dropped when they crowned the meat loaf newbie as the champion. I started to have flashbacks for losing to upside-down pizza a few years back. It doesn't end there. No, it's time for the dessert winner. You guessed it. Carl won first place with his thrown together cake mix thing. Once again my little buddy claims the fame. I have no choice but to hang up my apron. LOL! In closing, the meat loaf and dessert was both outstanding, and the overall pleasure in cooking with a group of friends makes it all worth it.

Thanks everyone

Mother Lode Round-Up Parade

By John Marshall

Greetings Backcountry Horsemen. We will be riding in the Mother Lode Round-Up Parade on Saturday, May 11. We will stage at the fairgrounds. The parade starts at 10:00 a.m. so we will ride out at 9:00 a.m. to line up. This parade is very well run with plenty of help at the line up.

We will have our gourmet chef, Mike Mole', doing the barbecue for us. Remember how good his spread was at Ripon! Everyone who is planning to ride with us needs to text me with your RSVP so we will know how many donuts, cups of coffee, hot dogs and burgers to buy. We ran short of burgers in Ripon.

We can always use help at our parades. You don't have to ride to participate in our parades. We need people to carry banners and side-walkers. Side-walkers are very important in case a rider needs help. Our riders are more comfortable and enjoy the parades more knowing there is help if needed.

John Marshall (209) 968-3826



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Riding the Hugh Martin Park Trailhead

By Vicki Morales

Yesterday, April 11, five of us ventured to the Hugh Martin Park Trailhead in the Don Pedro area. The day was beautiful and we had an eventful ride. Since California has had such a wonderful amount of precipitation, the trail was rather difficult to follow. But since some of us had been on the trail quite a few times previously, we managed to get through. One spot where there must have been quite a rush of water, we ran into barbed wire. It was tangled in dry grasses and was difficult to see. Three of us passed it before we saw it. Alyssa and I untangled three strands and, being a problem-solving type, Alyssa crushed two strands between two rocks. Later we were looking for a better place to cross a rather steep, rocky stream section and Alyssa found a way. Deirdre and I now call her our honorary backcountry horseman. She is from Minnesota and, as she said, the trails she rides on out there are a lot different. From left to right are Deirdre Burgoin, Vicki Morales, Alyssa Anderson, Jerrie Thomas, and Suzanne Erb.



Rendezvous Report

By Kathy Zumbrunn

Well, our much anticipated Rendezvous event has come and gone! For those of us who were on the committee, it was a big relief! All our hard work paid off and most everything worked out well. This year we decided to do a few things differently, one was to change the days from Saturday/Sunday to Friday/Saturday. Second idea was to hold it at the Diamond Bar Arena instead of some big event center. Who knows if the date change, the venue OR the bad weather had any impact on the results of the event though. It seemed that the attendance was a lot lower than anticipated.

The Rendezvous was packed with things to do and see. Twenty expert presenters shared practical guidance and valuable information. Hands-on training and a variety of competitions were conducted. A wide assortment of subjects were covered such as horsemanship, horse camping, saddle fitting, sharpening and maintaining crosscut saws, veterinary care in the backcountry, grant writing, how to plan and prepare for a pack trip and how to camp with kids in the wilderness.

Participants practiced tying hitches on iron mules and competed in speed hitch tying, Dutch oven cooking, and a trail obstacle course. Delicious catered meals were served, wine, cheese and beer were tasted, tales were told around evening campfires, volunteers were honored for their service, and friendships were made and fortified.

There were 20+ vendors with wares from clothing, purses and hand-made totes, goat soaps, decorative items for our homes, fire pits, metal signs, horseshoe and metal artwork creations, and much more for everyone to choose from.

The weather could have been better. Friday was a beautiful day, sunny, partly cloudy, but not cold. Saturday was cold, breezy and rainy! Unfortunately, as we watched the packing competition, the sky opened up and everyone was drenched! Kind of like being up in the mountains! Unfortunately, the afternoon presentation by Steve and Brenda Bauhr was cancelled due to the weather. Throughout the two-day event most of the presenters seemed to have a pretty good audience, especially the outdoor ones.

The BLM was there this year with 30 animals: 10 burros and 20 horses. Of those, 13 head were adopted: five Jenny burros and two gelding burros, four mares and two geldings. The burros were from the Twin Peaks herd management area and the horses were a combination of the Twin Peaks and Fox Hog heard management areas.

All in all, I believe the Rendezvous was a success. I am sure everyone who attended had a good time, rain, mud and all!



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MID VALLEY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

For details and additional current events:
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Note: All events subject to change

May 2024

11) Mother Lode Round-Up Parade
 Contact: John Marshall (209) 968-3826

14) Board Meeting at 6:30 p.m.
 Perko's, 2120 Patterson Road, Riverbank
 Contact: Dave Rumsey
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June 2024

7-9) Spring Campout at Clark Fork
 Text Carl Perry (209) 321-5410

11) Board Meeting at 6:30 p.m.
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July 2024

9) Board Meeting at 6:30 p.m.
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26) Tuolumne County Farm Bureau Barbecue and Auction
 at Hurst Ranch, Jamestown. Dutch oven cooks needed.
 Contact: Terry Arington for information (209) 768-7076

August 2024

9-11) Kennedy Meadows
 General Meeting and Campout

13) Board Meeting at 6:30 p.m.
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| <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Year Family | \$110 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Year Family | \$150 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Young Adult (18-25 years old) | \$15 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Youth (12-17 years old) | \$15* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Benefactor | \$100 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Patron | \$250 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mt. Whitney | \$500 |

On that form, I also requested:
_____ Associate Memberships \$ _____
My Total Remittance: \$ _____
My Check Number: _____
Date Mailed: _____

Verification of BCHC Membership

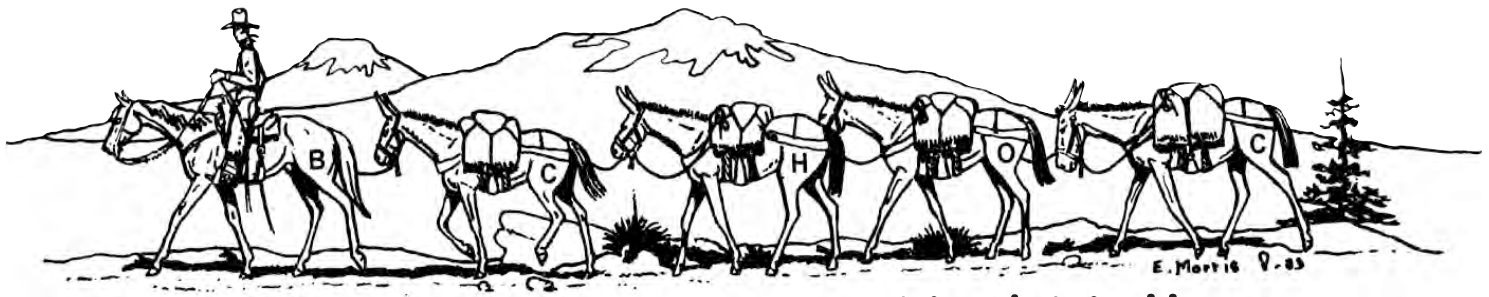
- Verification of BCHC Membership is available via:
- 1) BCHC Unit President's reports
 - 2) BCHC Membership Chair reports
 - 3) a self addressed stamped envelope submitted with this form
 - 4) a valid email address

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