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WELCOME NEW MEMBER

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FROM THE PONY PADDOCK

The ponies must still be out of the paddock.....

MAY 10TH EVENT

We had some storms come through late on the 9th and a chance of storms for our event on the 10th, but we got lucky and the Saturday storms held off until we were finished. It was a bit overcast but there was a nice breeze most of the day.

Woody & Charlotte spent a lot of time getting their new 18 acre farm ready for us, it is still "a work in progress" though! They have a fantastic arena where we held a mock Pleasure class, they are working on a water hazard and had about 1 mile of trail laid out for the carriages. We had 9 turnouts participating in the event. We had a "twisted" (slippery) cones course in the field behind the barn they are building. With all the rain the night before, it was a bit slick in places. Ellie fell to her knees, and Precious had a slippery moment. Nancy Faller & Cobalt won the cones, with Chris Peckham coming in second and Faith third. From there we went to the arena to do the mock Pleasure Class with a judge. We kicked in \$5.00 per turnout and the winner took all (\$30.00). Precious gave me an early Mother's Day present by winning, I have donated this back to the club to purchase more cones, see * NEWS below! Nancy Faller was second and Tommy Cope was third. After that, we went out on the trail. We did have a few incidents, Faith got lost on her way to the event, after Kai left, we got a call his truck broke down, so Woody sent people out with his truck so they could get Frodo home. Jeff used our US Rider insurance to get a tow truck out to haul Kai's Truck home after they



switched trucks to haul
Frodo home. Then our
newest member Cynthia
Holbrook had not one but
TWO flat tires after running
over the blade section of a
T-post! Again, Woody
came to the rescue with a
second tire. Poor Woody
got something in his eye
early in the morning and

was suffering all day with that. As you can tell here, he was exhausted by the end of the day!

DOES IT LOOK LIKE WE ARE HAVING FUN OR ARE WE CONFUSED???!!!



Hi Tricia!

I had fun at yesterday's drive. Nothing like making a real first impression to my fellow members with not one but TWO flat tires!! What a great group to come through for me. I'm taking my trailer tomorrow morning to have it fixed as I owe Woody his spare tire!! Thanks to everyone for their help!!

For the Windridge show news: Nancy placed 5th in the prelim pony division. She was real happy with the way Cobalt performed. Claudia and Rose was 3rd after dressage in the training pony division and she and Tonya and Rose completed the marathon but unfortunately missed 'b' in one of the hazards. They were still happy to get thru and had loads of fun. Pumpkin and I placed 1st in the 'VSE' (very small equine) division. To our surprise we also won best training overall dressage score and reserve champion for the total overall training score. I want to be sure that none of my successes would have

been possible without Nancy's coaching and Antonio's training and all the encouragement and support from Tonya and Claudia. We all had a great time at the event.

Looking forward to the next WWDC activity!!

- Cynthia
- * NEWS: We have researched the purchase of more regulation cones (like Nancy's) for the club. The following people have donated \$ for the purchase of these cones: Tommy & Karen Cope, Nancy Faller, Jeff & Tricia Hardy, Polly Hixson, Faith Bradshaw, Bev Duval, Woody & Charlotte Woodall, Pat Granzyk, Susan Emmert. This will give us a total of 26 regulation cones (13 "gates"). Thank you all for your generous donations to the club. We will still need to get more balls though.

SCHEDULE FOR 2014:

Regardless of the event riders, visitors and spectators are ALWAYS welcome. Please come check us out. **Event Fees**: Members \$15.00 per Turnout or Rider, Nonmembers \$20.00 per Turnout or Rider,

<u>JUNE 14TH</u> with 21st (*Rain date*) TLC Farm Breakfast Drive. Tommy will be our chef and we will all need to bring Breakfast Stuff. Drive on the farm after breakfast See Events page for items needed for the breakfast. http://www.whipsandwheelsdrivingclub.org/event%20flyers.html

JULY 19TH Picnic at Ellis Park. Faith & I will plan Ellis Park Shelter is booked. (we hold a Frisbee Golf Tournament before lunch)

AUG 16TH Ask the Vet Clinic. Jay Moore will be the vet and we need to get topics to him to discuss. We will be at the Sagebrush in Mocksville for this clinic/meeting to get out of the heat. 12:00-3:00

SEPT 13TH Faith & I will plan a RED & GREEN day at TLC Farm.

OCTOBER 25TH Halloween (date OK with Nancy????)

Nov 15TH or 22nd Fall Drive Tommy & Karen to host at TLC

DEC 7TH Christmas Party, (first Sunday)

CLASSIFIEDS

5/14 Wooden easy entry cart. \$750.00 \$650.00.Shafts 72" Wheels 35" Seat 36" wide. Contact Linda Ward 336-972-3903 lbward@centurylink.net

5/15 Faith is looking for a pony cart. Faith Bradshaw 704-431-4308 fbradshaw1953@yahoo.com

WHIPS & WHEELS DRIVING CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION/WAIVER

Whips a Wheels Driving Club

MEMBERSHIP WILL RUN FROM JANUARY 1ST THROUGH DECEMBER 31ST.

PLEASE PRINT OUT FORM BELOW & FILL OUT THEN:

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: WHIPS & WHEELS DRIVING CLUB OR WWDC MAIL TO: TRICIA HARDY 547 JOHN CROTTS ROAD MOCKSVILLE, NC 27028 ___ FAMILY MEMBERSHIP FULL YEAR \$25.00 (FAMILY MEMBERSHIP 2 OR MORE PEOPLE UP TO 4. VOTING PRIVILEGES 18 YEARS OR OLDER) ___ SINGLE MEMBERSHIP FULL YEAR \$15.00 (1 PERSON) ___ New After June 30th will be prorated: 1/2 year \$12.00 Family \$7.50 Single (REMAINDER OF THE YEAR.) _ NEW & RENEWING MEMBERSHIPS AFTER NOVEMBER 1ST RUN THROUGH THE FOLLOWING YEAR. DUES ARE DUE THE FIRST OF JANUARY EACH YEAR. TOTAL \$ ENCLOSED \$ ______ PLEASE PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING CONTACT INFORMATION FOR OUR MEMBERSHIP/BUSINESS DIRECTORY ______ Farm Name: _____ _____City: ______ State: ____ Zip: ____ Home Phone: __ E-Mail: Web Site: Business: SHORT Description: ___ Date Received: _____ (Office Use) Work or Cell Phone: ___ Please read and sign the WAIVER below & send with your application: Print a copy to keep 1st Adult/Parent/Guardian 2nd Adult/Parent/Guardian ______ 1st minor (under 18 years____ 2nd minor (under 18 years)

Whips & Wheels Driving Club Equine Release, Waiver and Indemnification

The undersigned participant, and his or her parent or legal guardian if under the age of 18 years, does/do hereby execute this release waiver, and indemnification for himself/themselves and his or her/their heirs, successors, representatives and assigns and, thereby agree(s) and represents as follows:

To release Whips and Wheels Driving Club, it's members, agents and representatives affiliated with this activity from any liability, loss, damage, costs, claims and/or causes of action, including but not limited to all bodily injuries and property damage arising out of participation in the activity, it being specifically understood that said activity includes the handling of equine by the undersigned participant. The undersigned person(s) further agree(s) to indemnify Whips and Wheels Driving Club, it's members, agents and representatives affiliated with this project, and hold them harmless for any loss, damage, cost, claim judgment, or settlement which may be brought or entered against them as a result of the undersigned person's participation in said activity.

If involved in equine activities pursuant to NC Chapter 99E of NC General Statutes, the undersigned(s) executes(s) this waiver of the undersigned(s) right to sue and agree(s) to assume all risks resulting from the "intrinsic dangers of equine activities". "Intrinsic dangers of equine activities" is defined as those dangers or conditions that are an integral part of equine activities, including but not limited to: (i) the propensity of equines to behave in ways that may result in injury, harm, or death to persons on or around them; (ii) the unpredictability of an equine's reaction to such things as sounds, sudden movement, and unfamiliar objects, persons or other animals; (iii) certain hazards such as surface and subsurface conditions; (iv) collisions with other animals or objects; and (vi) the potential of a participant acting in a negligent manner that may contribute to injury to the participant or others, such as failing to maintain control over the equine or not acting within the participant's ability.

This waiver shall remain valid unless expressly revoked by the participant or Parent or guardian of a minor. The revocation shall be in writing, which shall be addressed to the provider and shall become effective thirty (30) days after delivery to the provider. The undersigned(s) should maintain all medical and health insurance to cover all risks of any kind in any place in livestock, equine, and/or other activities.

I the undersigned participant will ensure equipment is in good condition at all times, wear and use all safety equipment. Minors (under the age of 18) MUST wear helmets and be accompanied by an experienced driver when in the carts/carriages.

<u>WARNING:</u> Under North Carolina law, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for an injury to or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting exclusively from the inherent risks of equine activities. Chapter 99E of the North Carolina general statutes.

WHIPS & WHEELS DRIVING CLUB

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