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# RIDER'S ROUNDUP

*Spring Round Up  
Is  
Just Around The  
Corner...*

*Will you be there?*

## The Rider's Roundup

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## **Rider's Roundup Chair**

Howdy Y'all!!!

Well, I have received several messages from several of you letting me know that you were not receiving your mailed copies of your Rider's Roundup. I understand your frustration and I have been diligently working to figure out a solution to the issue. At the suggestion of the local postmaster, the RRU will be mailed from a different post office and we believe that this will remedy the situation. If in the near future, you do not receive the expected issue, please notify me immediately so I can get the situation resolved.

While many of you don't see what happens behind the scenes, this is a difficult task, and I would not choose to complicate it by having everyone in an uproar about their issues of the Rider's Roundup. I apologize to anyone that has not yet received them. Keep in mind, they are always posted on the website for everyone's convenience.

The Rider's Roundup publication can only be as successful as those that submit articles so please send your articles and send them in on time so the publication may go out on time.

Please forward your articles to me at: [aasprc@lubbocksaddleclub.org](mailto:aasprc@lubbocksaddleclub.org) no later than the 25<sup>th</sup> of each month! If you miss the deadline, your article will not be included until the following month.

Thanks Y'all!

LaDonna Mild,  
RRU Chair



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**Jack McClung**

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a Princess?**



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Signature (must be at least 18 years old) \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_



# Help the Association and Your Pocketbook

With the nature of the economy as of late and everyone having to tighten their belts, it has become increasingly difficult for our average member to afford to continue to participate in all of activities. This affects the AASP&RC directly in many ways. When people cannot afford to come to Bowie, not only do they miss out on the fun, but the association does not collect their entry fees, registration fees and such revenue that allow us to continue to operate as a whole.



For several years, the Association has had an incentive program in place whereby you could ride for free at Playday Finals if you sold \$150 worth of ads in either the Rider's Round Up or the function programs. There have been some that have taken advantage of this program and it is not known if others knew it existed. By taking this idea and expanding it, the hope is that this will afford our members some assistance in helping to lessen the strain on their finances as well as add to the AASP&RC's bottom line! Understand that this is NOT a requirement as not everyone has the ability to sell ads. But for those that will put forth the time and yes the expense, that it takes to go out and sell ads, it will reward their efforts. And for some that are financially strained, participation in this program might allow them to participate in functions where they may not have the ability to do otherwise.

If you sell ads, you will earn credits to be applied to your Association fees (such as event fees, registration, stall rentals, membership, etc.) OR you may receive a prepaid Visa or Wal-Mart gift card OR a combination of both. The achievement levels are as follows:

- \$150 – free ride at finals (\$40 value)
- \$500 or a saddle donation – 4 free rides at playday finals or credit of \$125 for Association fees or \$125 Visa or Wal-Mart gift card or combination of card and credit for fees
- \$1000 - \$250 card, credit or combination of the two
- \$2000 - \$500 card, credit or combination of the two
- \$2500 - \$625 card, credit or combination of the two
- Platinum or Diamond Corporate Sponsorship - \$1000 card, credit or combination of the two

IN ADDITION, as an additional incentive, the family with the highest amount of ad sales will receive an additional \$100 card/credit and recognition at convention in October.

For example, John Doe, his wife, and two kids belong to the AASP&RC. John sells \$2000 in ads. He decides instead of having this all on a prepaid Visa card, he would rather the four of them all get free rides at Playday Finals (\$160 value), registration (\$40 value), 4 dinner tickets (\$40 value), their RV space for finals (\$60 value), and 4 stalls for the week (\$100 value). The rest he would like on a Visa card to help pay for gas, feed, and food for the week. He has earned \$500 for selling the ads. We give him credit for the entry fees, registrations, dinner tickets, RV space and stalls for a total of \$400 credit and then give him the remaining \$100 on a Visa or Wal-Mart card. He could also choose to hold the \$100 credit and apply it to convention.

This way if an individual or a family cannot afford to pay for the trip to Bowie to Playday Finals in the traditional way, they have the option to sell ads to pay for all or part of their participation in AASP&RC functions. This can be done for all functions, membership dues, and any other things we normally collect a fee for. The only thing we will NOT use this for would be charges at the concession stand to avoid the bookkeeping nightmare it could pose due to the amount of people that work in there over the course of the various functions.

Saddle donations will also be handled as a credit. When someone donates a saddle personally or goes out and gets a saddle donation from a business, it would be a credit of the cost of the saddle to their total ad sales. If this was the extent of their donation and their were no more ad sales, the credit would be worth the equivalent of 4 rides at Playday Finals (\$40 each for \$160) or a \$125 Visa/ Wal-Mart gift card. The only place this would not be credited is for a saddle donation from a club, district, or region will also not warrant signage at the grounds as an Ivory sponsor.

There is no limit on the amount of ad sales that a person can sell and no limit to the amount that a person or family can earn. The types of ads that are included are the function program ads that will run in all event program ads for the year, ads for the Rider's Round Up, signage for the arenas, and sale of corporate sponsorships. As you sell ads, send them in immediately so that they may be prepared for publication as soon as possible. If a receipt is requested, please contact the office and one will be provided.

**AASP&RC ADVERTISING RATES 2012**  
**PROGRAM / RIDERS ROUNDUP ADVERTISING SCHEDULES**

*For and ad to run in the Riders Round Up for 12 issues*

Full Page	\$400.00
Half Page	\$250.00
Quarter Page	\$125.00
2 ½ x 7 ½	\$75.00
Business Card	\$40.00

*For an ad to run in all event programs*  
*(Spring Round Up, Playday Finals, Convention)*

Full Page	\$100.00
Half Page	\$75.00
Quarter Page	\$50.00
Business Card	\$25.00

*Signage for the arena for one year*

4x4 sign one color \$350.00

4x8 sign one color \$500.00



**Don't forget to sell your ads! It will get you free rides &/or gift cards!**

# Corporate Sponsorship Levels

## Advertising Levels

**Ivory Level** - Saddle donation or \$500 – Sponsor will receive recognition on the website, recognition in the Riders Roundup on our “Sponsors” page, 4x4 signage at the grounds and a full page in the Playday Finals event program.

**Bronze Level** - \$ 1000 – Sponsor will receive recognition on the website, half page in the Rider’s Roundup recognizing them as a Bronze Sponsor for 2012, recognition in all event programs as a Bronze Level Sponsor, 4x4 signage at the grounds.

**Silver Level** - \$ 1500 – Playday Finals Class Sponsor – will receive recognition on the website, a full page in the Riders Roundup recognizing them as a finals class sponsor for 2012, 4x8 signage at the grounds, recognition in all function programs as a Playday Finals Class Sponsor.

**Gold Level** - \$2500 – Function Sponsor – Choice of:

- 1. Convention Sponsor** – Sponsor will receive recognition of the website, a full page in the Riders Roundup recognizing them as a convention sponsor for 2012, 4x8 signage at the grounds, banners at the check in table at the convention location during convention, recognition in all function programs as convention sponsor.
- 2. Spring Roundup Sponsor** – Sponsor will receive recognition on the website, a full page in the Riders Roundup Sponsor for 2012, 4x8 signage at the grounds, additional banner under the announcer stand at Spring Roundup, recognition in all function programs as a Spring Roundup Sponsor.

**Platinum Level** - \$5000 – Choice of:

- 1. Playday Finals Sponsor** – sponsor will receive recognition on the website, a full page in the Riders Roundup recognizing then as a Playday Finals Sponsor for 2012, 4x8 signage at the grounds, recognition in all function programs as a Playday Finals Sponsor, banner displayed on the announcer stand during playday finals.
- 2. Pavilion Sponsor** – sponsor will receive recognition on the website, a full page in the Riders Roundup for one year recognizing them as a Pavilion Sponsor, 4x8 signage inside the pavilion to be displayed for a period of 10 years, recognition in all event programs as a Pavilion Sponsor.

**Diamond Level** - \$ 10,000 – (Playday Finals Sponsor) – sponsor will receive recognition on the website, a full page in the Riders Roundup recognizing them as a playday finals sponsor for 2012, 4x8 signage to be displayed at a choice location for 10 years, recognition in all function programs for 2012.

# AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF SHERIFF POSSES & RIDING CLUBS

**SPONSOR INFO:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## TYPE(S) OF AD SOLD

*Riders Roundup for 12 issues:*

Full page	\$400.00	_____
½ page	\$250.00	_____
¼ page	\$125.00	_____
2 ½ x 7 ½	\$75.00	_____
Business card	\$40.00	_____

*Event programs (SRU, Finals, HS, Conv):*

Full page	\$100.00	_____
½ page	\$75.00	_____
¼ page	\$50.00	_____
Business card	\$25.00	_____

*Arena signage( one year):*

4' x 4' sign one color	\$350.00	_____
4' x 8' sign one color	\$500.00	_____

**SPECIAL PRINT**

## INSTRUCTIONS:

\$50 upcharge for up to 4 colors \_\_\_\_\_

## CORPORATE SPONSORSHIP LEVELS:

*Ivory Level – saddle donation or \$500* \_\_\_\_\_

*Bronze Level - \$1000* \_\_\_\_\_

*Silver Level- \$1500* \_\_\_\_\_

*Gold Level - \$2500*

*Convention Sponsor* \_\_\_\_\_

*SRU Sponsor* \_\_\_\_\_

*Queen Sponsor* \_\_\_\_\_

*Platinum Level - \$5000*

*Playday Finals Sponsor* \_\_\_\_\_

*Pavilion Sponsor* \_\_\_\_\_

*Diamond Level - \$10,000* \_\_\_\_\_

*Amount collected:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Member responsible:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Attachments: yes/no* \_\_\_\_\_



# SPRING ROUNDUP 2012

April 20, 21, 22

## FRIDAY EVENING

### 4-D Barrel Race:

5:30 Sign up begins

6:00 Exhibitions begin (number of exhibitions will be limited)

8:30 4-D classes begin

## SATURDAY

### Jackpot Playday:

8:00 Sign up

9:00 Grand Entry – Arena 1

9:30 Jackpot Playday – Arena 1 \*please note, if we run too long on the jackpot playday, we will

use Arena 2 to complete the playday in order to conclude this event in time for the dinner/dance

11:00 Fun events in Arena 2

7:00 Dinner, Introduction of Princesses and Live Auction followed by Dance on the Slab

## SUNDAY

### Cowboy Church and Trail Ride:

Information to be announced regarding the Sunday events:

Breakfast

Cowboy Church

Trail Ride – near Charmie's

Details should be announced at SRU and posted on the website.

# 4-D BARREL RACE



**AASP&RC GROUNDS**  
**579 JERRY WALKER RD**  
**BOWIE, TX**



## FRIDAY, APRIL 20

EXHIBITIONS START AT 6pm; \$4 PER RUN

CLASSES BEGIN AT 8:30pm

OPEN \$25; YOUTH \$15

80% PAYBACK ON ½ SECOND SPLITS

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**AASP&RC**  
**SPRINGROUND UP**  
**JACKPOT PLAYDAY**  
**Saturday, April 21, 2012**

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**Sign up @ 8**                      **Grand Entry @ 9**  
**Playday Starts @ 9:30**

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**5 events**  
**Announced on Date of Playday**

**\$5 Per Ride Per Event**

<b>7 Age Groups:</b>	<b>Boys and Girls Combined</b>
Super PeeWee	Senior
PeeWee	Super Senior
Junior	Classic
Intermediate	

<b>Payback:</b>	<b>Per Age Group Per Event</b>
1-5 Riders – 1 Place	6-10 Riders – 2 Places      11-15 Riders – 3 Places

**You May Ride & Enter As Many Horses**  
**As You Wish; But Only One Time Per**  
**Rider Per Horse**

## AASP&RC Princess Entry Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother \_\_\_\_\_ Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Club: \_\_\_\_\_ District: \_\_\_\_\_ Region: \_\_\_\_\_

### Measurements:

Hat size: \_\_\_\_\_

Measurement around crown of hat for hatband: \_\_\_\_\_

Measurement from top of right shoulder to left hip for banner: \_\_\_\_\_

Entry Fee (\$50.00) \_\_\_\_\_

Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Check \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_

What is your horse's name?

What is your favorite playday event?

What things do you enjoy doing outside of horses and playdays?

What is your favorite subject in school?

What would you like to be when you grow up?

What is your favorite color?

Please write a short biography for Introductions:

By signing below I affirm that I and my parents have read and understand the rules and guidelines for being an ASSP&RC Princess and agree to follow them to the best of my ability.

Representative Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



# Letters to Riders Round Up

To: Riders Round-up

In response to Bret Lane's letter, there should have been letters of information and not letters criticizing him. I spoke with him and explained why I thought the founding fathers structured our by-laws in the way they did and he understood completely. However, we as an association have totally gotten away from the proper way to handle changes to by-laws. This is true of any organization. When you change something in your by-laws it is called an amendment. This amendment is then put in writing to the entire organization and a date is set to vote on it. Every member of voting age has the right to vote on the amendment. (Not just your club delegates). I have seen this done in every club we have been a part of in the years we have been the Association. Now I have no idea how we got away from that procedure at our conventions, but we did. Now is the time to correct it. The amendment could still be voted on by the entire membership even if they are not at the convention. This could be done by written ballot. However, this can be handled at convention, not by me.

And in response to him being away from the Association and just now coming back in, why are we not glad he has come back! His first exposure back was watching our members trying to get around our rules at convention. He watched Jeton try to get our members to do the right thing and fail. So no wonder his dismay. We have been very glad (I think) when other past members came back due to their being in college, service to our country or for whatever reason. We should try and follow our "Motto" and welcome members and show respect to all.

Respectfully, Loretta Jeter



**Hey Y'all!**

**I want to wish everyone a Happy Easter and know by now that most have been able to enjoy Spring Break, hoping everyone had a great time. I know there are some recent Stock Show participants that have done really well and I would like to congratulate all of you!!! I'm still in the car business and it's a really CRAZY place to work. I just got back from a trip to Tulsa to see my oldest son and his two daughters....it was GREAT getting to spoil and love on the Grandbabies!!!**

**As I understand it, we have had plenty of RAIN up at the grounds and should have some pretty green grass! BUT.....it is making a mess out of the Grand Canyon and some other areas. We are still in the planning stage of how to get these repairs made as soon as we can, so PLEASE BE CAREFUL when driving around that you don't bottom out your truck or trailer in these bad places!!!**

**Spring Roundup is right on top of us and I am ready to play and get to see all of you!!! I do believe Wes has us completely fixed up and ready to go! It's NOT too late to register and come on and join the fun or you can register when you get there. I DO NEED for those that are contemplating coming that have not registered to let me know by the Wednesday prior to SRU that you might show up if you want us to have enough food for Saturday night's Dinner and Dance. (I'm just needing a good "head count" because we are NOT going to order too much extra!) PLEASE remember that we are going to have a Live Auction between Dinner and the Dance and anything that any of you would like to contribute would be very much appreciated!!!**

**Playday Finals is not too far around the next corner. You will be able to start sending in your RV and Stall requests beginning on May 1st. Please be sure that your District Secretary has your times ready to send in. There will much more information coming out for Finals in other parts of this particular Rider's Roundup and be sure to watch the website for changes or updates!**

**Hope to see ALL of you at Spring Roundup!**

**May Your Arena ALWAYS Be Too SMALL To Hold ALL Your FRIENDS!!!  
Renee Guthrie**



**Hello all!!**

**Weather is Gorgeous and playdays are off to a running start. We got much needed rain and had a Dist31 raindate makeup this past weekend. It was GREAT! Had a wonderful turnout, beautiful weather, good food at the potluck at Waggoner Holler and lots of new members enjoyed their first playday.**

**Been really busy around the Sanders house, High School rodeos are winding down but Augie is gunning for making the finals and she has golf and horse judging, Whew! My kids here at the land of the little people can just "smell" the end of the school year getting close. I can't wait either. Hope to see you all at Spring Roundup.**

**See you down the road.  
Charmie Sanders  
Exec. Vice**

We got our playday season underway Sat. March 24th after having to cancel our Mar. 10th playday due to rain. The weather was beautiful and had an excellent turnout. It was good to see everyone and catch up, we also welcomed several new members. Our next playday is April 14th sign up at 1PM and ride at 2PM. Everyone is welcome.

March 24th Results:

**Classic Women:**

1st: Donna Howard  
2nd: Debbie McLeroy  
3rd: Linda McCaig  
T 4th: Denise Martin, Sadie Garrett  
5th: Susie McCarley  
6th: Sue Moore

**Classic Men:**

1st: Glynn Nobile  
2nd: Don McEwen  
3rd: Carl Martin

**Super Sr Women:**

1st: Lynn Cox  
2nd: Charmie Sanders  
3rd: Kim Moody

5th: Polly Moss  
6th: Wendy Vann

**Super Sr Men:**

1st: Mark Podell  
2nd: Chris Cox

**Leadline:**

Ryder Martin  
Ebony Burnard  
Sara Jesseph  
Ann Marie Kirkwood

**Super Peewee Girls:**

1st: Payten Plyler

**Peewee Boys:**

1st: Jamie Kirkwood

**Jr Girls:**

1st: Megan Moody  
2nd: Maycie Martin  
3rd: Hannah Hammonds  
4th: Breanna Parham  
5th: Laken Jesseph  
6th: Rachel Bucher

**Int Women:**

1st: Shea Cox  
T-2nd: Elly Moss, Ali Sanders  
3rd: Augie Nobile  
4th: Sidney Grisham  
5th: Bailey Parham  
6th: Meagan Nash

**Int. Men:**

1st: Josh Moody  
2nd: Tab Adams

**Sr Women:**

1st: Annette Waggoner  
2nd: Nicole Martin  
3rd: Misty Martin  
4th: Casey Wigington  
5th: Jennifer Nash

**Sr. Men:**

1st: Heath Elifrits  
2nd: Slim Wigington  
3rd: Issac Martin  
4th: BJ Parham

Nicole Martin

District 25



Greetings from Weatherford! I have to apologize for no update for the month of February. I'm saddened to say that my father February 8<sup>th</sup> and went to be with and I were at his side when he able to be there for my mother.

The Comancheros had January 21<sup>st</sup>. Robin Dean did a Awards!!! All the Parents and It's really good to get together to were often times putting year we had and I know everyone club also installed new officers determined that we would have a process for the Club Sweethearts. at the April 7<sup>th</sup> Playday! The

in...err...uh... nominated to run and elected to hold office. We are all grateful that they offered to volunteer their time to our club!!! Those people are:

### **Motto**

**To Promote  
Horsemanship,  
Sportsmanship &  
Citizenship  
and to  
Keep Alive the Spirit of  
the Old West**

lost his fight with cancer on our Lord and Savior. My mother died and I'm so thankful I was

their annual Awards Banquet on FANTASTIC Job with the Kids had a WONDERFUL time!!! honor those that rode hard and themselves up wet! What a great is looking forward to 2012!!! The for the 2012 season. It was also competition style selection That competition will take place following people were suckered

*Weatherford Comancheros*

### **OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS FOR 2012**

President: Lynda Knight

Vice President: Paul Syptak

Secretary: Varsi Klatzkin

Treasure: Robin Dean

Director: Jill Davis

Director: Jenifer Patridge

Director : Kim Orwell

Sr. Sweetheart: **To Be Determined April 7<sup>th</sup>**

Jr. Sweetheart: **To Be Determined April 7<sup>th</sup>**

**Our first playday set for March 10<sup>th</sup> was postponed due to rain. THANK GOD Almighty for the rain!!! I know the kids were disappointed they weren't going to be able to ride!! As well as the Spring Break trips that had to be rearranged. However, after the year of drought our state experienced last year... The rain was a blessing!!!**

**The "Rain Date" was set for the following Saturday March 17<sup>th</sup> at noon!!! It was good to get together again with old friends and make some new ones!!! All of the Comancheros are excited this year!!! We have a New Concession Stand the members have constructed!!! This along with the Electric and Water Hookups for Horse Trailers provide all the comforts of home!!! We invite anyone and EVERYONE to come and enjoy a day of family fun!!! The beauty of our grounds, as well as the atmosphere really has to be experienced as I don't believe words alone can properly describe it!!! I believe we have one of the better arenas and grounds in the area to get together fellowship and have some family fun!!! We will have two Playdays in April!!! Those dates and scheduled events are:**

**WCRC APRIL '12  
PLAYDAYS**

**April 14, 2012  
2:00 p.m.**

**Straight Barrels  
Poles  
Flying W  
Hitch – N – Go  
Barrels**

**April 28, 2012  
2:00 p.m.**

**Pylons  
Poles  
Golfette  
Spurs  
Barrels  
Flags**

**After reading last month's edition of the Rider's Round Up, it became clear to me that I need to include an addendum to my January District 25 report. First let me begin by saying the suggestion that I am prejudiced toward ANYONE not the least of which, a person with a physical challenge is quite offensive to me. You see, my oldest brother was stricken with Polio as a child. From that sickness I've witnessed the "too many to list" surgeries he's undergone, all of which gave him no relief and left him with more than a noticeable limp. I've witnessed the pain, the courage and the determination in his face when someone told him he couldn't. I also witnessed the smile on his face when he showed them he could. I've witnessed the name calling, I've witnessed the isolation, I've witnessed the segregation, I've witnessed the prejudicial treatment. How dare ANYONE suggest that I am not sympathetic or empathetic to any human being. I support that statement like this. While you sleep... me and/or men and woman like me provide the VERY blanket of protection you enjoy. I've spent my entire adult life fighting for people who can't or don't want to fight. I've had people shoot at me with firearms as well as been spit on, hit, kicked, cussed at and been injured too many times to list. I believe my support of, as well as defense of ALL people is well documented. The issue with the magic saddles and being "overmounted" vs. a person with ANY type of disability are two VERY DIFFERENT issues!!! One has NOTHING to do with the other. The fact of the matter is this... IT IS this Association's business to get involved. It's NOT fair to the kids that are riding based on their own skill set and ability to ride a horse. It's NOT fair to set a child on a horse that will run a pattern on its own while the child basically holds on. It's NOT fair. Further, I'm not condemning those that use them. To each his own and EVERYONE is free to choose how**



they compete. The use of magic saddles is NOT AGAINST the rules. I could choose to allow my child to use one, but I don't. That said, they are unfair and it IS the associations business to become involved in it.

Having said that, jumping to conclusions, making knee jerk reactions or forming conclusions based on less than the full facts is not very intelligent. Making accusations and assertions based on one side of the story or at the very least misinformation is foolish. I make a suggestion and get ridiculed and the like because I have an idea. What I'm doing is trying to stimulate some conversation. Maybe it's not the correct idea, maybe it needs to be thrown out and start over. Having said that, when one group shows up and is a "delegate(s)" for a club they aren't even members of, there is a problem. When someone finds a loophole to manipulate the outcome...I'm sorry, but I feel that is wrong. There are many other members who feel the same way. The good thing is, at least I got ONE person who was NOT going to participate to actually write and become involved be it Switzerland (In 1920, Switzerland joined the League of Nations, which was based in Geneva, on the condition that it was exempt from any military requirements) or Sweden. Then again, it's pretty easy to see why most people DO choose to be Sweden OR Switzerland. If you have an idea or thought you get pummeled publicly. So, people just don't become involved... go figure.

Well, almost a year has passed and still no definitive word on the Criminal Case on Donna Leipsic that does NOT exist. So, since there hasn't been anything to support what Donna allegedly did, let's talk about what she DID DO to and FOR the AASP&RC! Here's a list of the Capital Improvements she made while holding office as President. They are:

1. Addition of ten new 50-amp RV spots (we raised right around \$3000 by selling "options" on RV spots for a 5- or 10-year period – MY IDEA – and this pretty much took care of the expense of installation of the new spots)
2. Replacement of the fencing on the south side of Arena 1
3. New holding tank for the water system (as the old silver tank was leaking – this was the only thing I did NOT get prior approval of the Officers before I spent the money to replace – there was water leaking in a stream from the tank and I had no choice but to fix it and then tell the Officers about it)
4. Dirt work on the RV area and addition of rock on the drive for easier access
5. Replacement of almost a third of the existing wooden bleacher seats with metal as the wooden ones are rotting and dangerous
6. Replacement of the old water tank with two new bladder tanks
7. Pavilion was covered
8. Repainted the interior of the concession stand and installed new countertop material.
9. Repainted the interior of announcer's stand at Arena 1.
10. Dug out the PILES of dirt at the west end of Arena 2 and piled up around the "out" gate of Arena 2. Also moved dirt from fence and pens area of Arena 1 toward the middle of the arena and to the "in" gate area to level the interior of the arena and to attempt to slow the erosion under the large gate on the south/west side of Arena 1.

Donna negotiated with the NARC to "host" their Finals. Instead of getting the normal arena rental fee of \$400 plus \$5 off of each stall and RV hookup that we normally got, Donna negotiated the deal where the AASP would do the make ready (mowing, weed eating, etc) of the ground and supply the tractors and drivers to drag the arena during the playday. IN RETURN, we STILL got the \$400 arena rental, but got ALL the monies from the stall rental and the RV space rental as well as the concession stand. This was an increase in income for that event in the neighborhood of \$1300 for

**the weekend. Donna did NOT ask for ANY help (though several people pulled in early and helped her in the end) and she not only mowed the area and did all the weed eating around the arenas, but also did ALL the stalls and RV spots....which I do not believe has been done since.**

**Donna (in response to a request from Billy Privett) was also responsible for the CMSA shooters coming to the grounds and the Bikers for Christ using the grounds for their annual event. Donna began the barrel races which, had the Officers not dropped the ball, would have brought in quite a bit of money during 2011 (they can dispute it if they want, but we did quite well at the very first one even with the “not so perfect” weather conditions and brought in something like \$400 if memory serves me).**

**Donna had been in contact with the GNHA playday association in Oklahoma with the idea of them holding some of their events at our grounds. (They are a large playday association in Oklahoma that was actually a splinter group FROM the AASP&RC years ago when a President and Treasurer absconded with all Association funds – this association had those people as their founding members – Google Grand National Horsemen's Association and check out their rulebook and you will see their rulebook mirrors the AASP&RC in most aspects)**

**Donna had been working on getting team sortings, pennings, ropings and youth rodeos started at the grounds. Her thought for all of this additional activity was to let OTHERS pay for our fun. In this economy and given that there are so many more things for people to do these days that are less expensive in the long run (as we all know, horses are NOT cost effective!), I do not believe a playday group can survive in and of itself based solely on dues from its membership and a couple of events per year. If we are to grow and improve, we have to have outside monies or we stagnate and eventually the organization will die.**

**Donna had planned to discuss covering Arena 1 during 2012 and had tentative plans to present her plan to the membership for ways to pay for this project. With a covered arena, there would be even more benefits to us as an organization and would make it all the more attractive for outside organizations to want to lease our facilities for their own events resulting in greater income revenue.**

**Donna initiated the ad incentive program whereby members could sell ads in order to help defray their expenses for the events. We raised over \$2500 with members selling ads for that year alone – NOT including what the Princesses were required to sell as part of that program. (I might add, GARY LEIPSIC ALONE sold \$2000 worth of those ads and he did NOT accept the “prize” at the end of the year for selling the most dollar amount of ads, which was a prepaid debit card. Gary refused to accept the card from the Association). I do not believe there have been as many ads sold since that time either....and certainly not in that amount. Yeah, sound like a couple of no good swindlers to me (NOT!!!)...what do you all think?!?!)**

**See Ya Next Trip!**

**Brett Lane  
District 25 Representative**

# SPRING ROUND UP CHAIR

*Are you ready to ride?*

**SPRING ROUND UP IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER! GET YOUR HORSE READY FOR TONS OF FUN! THIS YEAR SPRING ROUND UP WILL BE APRIL 20<sup>TH</sup> , 21<sup>ST</sup> AND 22<sup>ND</sup> . THE FORMAT WILL BE VERY SIMILAR TO LAST YEAR'S EVENT. IT IS PLANNED TO HAVE A JACKPOT BARREL RACE ON FRIDAY NIGHT, A JACKPOT PLAYDAY ON SATURDAY FOLLOWED BY A DINNER AND DANCE AND THEN A TRAIL RIDE ON SUNDAY!**

**WHOO HOO!! SOUNDS LIKE FUN, DON'T YA THINK? IF THERE ARE ANY YOUNG LADIES THAT WOULD LIKE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PRINCESS PROGRAM, YOU GET TO SIGNUP AND GET INVOLVED DURING SPRING ROUND UP! ALSO, THE WINNING BID FOR THE PURCHASE OF THE QUEEN'S TRAILER WILL BE ANNOUNCED DURING SPRING ROUND UP WEEKEND!**

## Scrapbook Chair



## 2012 Scrapbook Competition

- Hey y'all! I am Lori Brock, and I am the Scrapbook chairman this year. I would love to see every club submit a scrapbook at Convention this year. You can choose to do a traditional scrapbook or a digital scrapbook. I personally LOVE the digital idea: It can be shared with every member of your club. It can be shown at banquets. It can run as a slide show during signups at playdays. It can be available for prospective members to see on your club website or Facebook page. Join in the fun! Make and share your memories with everyone!

# Scholarship Chair

## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION of SHERIFF POSSES AND RIDING CLUBS

### SCHOLARSHIP AWARD GUIDELINES:

Each year the AASP & RC will award two \$1,000 scholarships to an Association member. The scholarship beneficiary will be chosen from all eligible applicants who meet the award criteria.

The beneficiaries will be chosen anonymously by a panel of five judges selected by the Scholarship Chairperson and comprised of Association Officers, Association members and at least two impartial non-Association members. The scholarship beneficiaries will be announced each year at the Association Convention.

### AWARD CRITERIA:

- 1) Applicant must be an AAPS&RC member for two consecutive years (including the year in which the award is received).
- 2) Applicant must submit the completed Biographical Questionnaire, two letters of reference from AASP & RC members, and a one page essay on the question provided in the Questionnaire.
- 3) Applicant must provide proof of enrollment/registration at an accredited, post-secondary institution (two/four year college/university or vocational training program) prior to receiving the scholarship award. Awards will be made payable to the educational institutions.
- 4) Applicant must mail all documents (biographical questionnaire, two letters of reference and essay) postmarked no later than July 31, 2012 to the Scholarship Chairperson.

***AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF SHERIFF POSSES AND RIDING CLUBS***  
***Renee Guthrie, President / Connie Ivins, Scholarship Chairperson***

**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

**AWARD COMPONENTS:**

Each year the AASP & RC will award two \$1,000 scholarships to any applicants who meet the award criteria.

**AWARD CRITERIA:**

1. Applicants must be a member of the AASP & RC for two consecutive years in which the award is received.
2. Applicants must submit the completed Biographical Questionnaire, two letters of reference from AASP & RC members and a one page essay on the question provided in the Questionnaire.
3. Applicants must provide proof of enrollment/registration at an accredited, post-secondary institution (two/four year college/university or vocational training program prior to receiving the scholarship award.
4. Applicants must mail all documents (application, two letters of reference and essay) with a postmark on or prior to July 31, 2012 to the Scholarship Chairperson:

Connie Ivins  
3236 Luzon Road  
Irving, Texas 75060



## **BIOGRAPHICAL QUESTIONNAIR:**

**AASP & RC Club membership:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Region:** \_\_\_\_\_ **District:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Legal name in full** \_\_\_\_\_

**Permanent address** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Best telephone number** \_\_\_\_\_ **Best e-mail address** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of AASP&RC membership:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School name in the current academic year** \_\_\_\_\_

**In one or two sentences describe your career goal** \_\_\_\_\_

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**High school name and year graduated or to be graduated** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **(GPA)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Beginning with the school you currently attend, list all schools you attended in the last four years, including any for summer or special courses.**

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**List any awards, honors, or scholarships you have received in the past four years.**

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**List any programs and activities in which you have participated on campus such as clubs, publications, dramatics, music, art, student government**

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**List internships, assistantships, and jobs (including summer employment) you have held in the past four years.**

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**List public service and community activities (Do not repeat items listed previously.)**

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**Describe a specific activity or experience that has been important in clarifying or strengthening your commitment to the AASP & RC.**

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**What additional information (not already addressed in the application) do you wish to share with the AASP & RC Scholarship Committee.**

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**ESSAY (Please attach). Name your career choice or choice of course study and tell the committee about the experiences that have influenced your decision and how these experiences will help you in this career choice.**

### **STATEMENT OF ACCURACY**

**I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.**

**I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship recipient, I must provide evidence of enrollment/registration at an accredited, post-secondary institution in Texas before my scholarship funds can be awarded.**

**Signature of scholarship applicant**\_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of parent if applicant is dependent**\_\_\_\_\_

**Recipient announced at 2012 AASP & RC Convention and notified by mail.**

**NAPA Auto Parts, Lubbock  
Sponsors  
AASP & RC Region 1**

**Bowie , TX - AASP & RC Grounds**

**579 Jerry Walker Road  
Bowie, TX 76230**

**Open to the world**

**5 and under stick horse  
barrel race**

**Wednesday June 13, 2012**

**at playday finals**

**10" Corriente barrel  
saddle to champion**

**belt buckle to reserve champion  
other awards to be given**

**You must be 5 or under as of your birthday**

**Entries fees 2 runs for \$10.00**

**fastest run counts**

**Exhibitions \$1. 00**

**books open at 6:00 pm**

**exhibitions 6:30 pm**

**Run at 7:00pm**

**FMI: Ronnie Elrod 806-777-7026**

**ronnieelrod@suddenlink.net**

**Jackie Dunlap 806-773-9339**

**sugahstreak@aol.com**

# Brushy Creek Saddle Club

As we close the gate to our first high point playday on March 3 we come out with 40 members, 20 of them joining the association and anxiously anticipating playday finals. On March 23 we had our 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday night open riding fundraiser which brought in a good amount of income. Our next playday will be on April 14 which is also Addie Renfro's birthday, who is a lifetime member of the association and has been around for as long as all of us can remember. The standings from the March 3<sup>rd</sup> playday are as follows:

## Asst. Super Peewee

Cooper Mattice 1<sup>st</sup>

## Peewee Girls

Reagan Roberts 1<sup>nd</sup>

JereLynn Sprather 2<sup>nd</sup>

## Novice

Stacia Cruse 1<sup>st</sup>

## Jr. Girls

Jordan Wigfird 1<sup>st</sup>

Megan LeRiche 2<sup>nd</sup>

## Sr. Men

Ken Green 1<sup>st</sup>

Brandon Roberts 1<sup>st</sup>

Erik Olsen 2<sup>nd</sup>

## Int. Men

TJ Goetz 1<sup>st</sup>

Kyler Roberts 2<sup>nd</sup>

## Super Sr. Women

Kimberely Elliott 1<sup>st</sup>

Sally Goetz 2<sup>nd</sup>

## Super Peewee

Samantha Andrews 1<sup>st</sup>

## Peewee Boys

Brandon Elliott 1<sup>st</sup>

## Jr. Boys

Kyle Green 1<sup>st</sup>

Chris Rountree 2<sup>nd</sup>

## Int. Women

Jessica Vincent 1<sup>st</sup>

Raylyn Jordan 1<sup>st</sup>

Courtney Mattice 2<sup>nd</sup>

## Sr. Women

Jenna Cotton 1<sup>st</sup>

Jodie Walker 2<sup>nd</sup>

## Super Sr. Men

Arnold Burks 1<sup>st</sup>

Mike Elliott 2<sup>nd</sup>

Until next time,  
Jacey Roberts



# Region 5 Convention Fundraiser Playday Lewisville Saddle Club Arena

Come join us visit our concession stand for a Pawpaw burger!  
We will be having a cake walk and other fun!

MAY 19, 2012 at 12:00

Combined classes:

Super Seniors

Super Pee Wees

Pee Wees

Juniors

Intermediates

Seniors

\$10 Per Rider and \$3 exhibition

High Point Award given in each class at the end of the day

Call before you haul!

Lewisville Saddle Club Arena  
North Mill Street at Parkway Drive  
Lewisville, TX

Contacts:  
Suzanne Wilson 214-683-1114  
Diane Johnson 214-534-8440  
Summer Savage 214-334-2362

# Hello from the members of the Lubbock Saddle Club!

WOW!!! Spring is here! The weather here in Lubbock has been absolutely gorgeous! We were out in full force in our parade get-up and rode in all of the grand entries at the ABC Rodeo March 29<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup>. We had an awesome time! This was the ABC Rodeo's 70<sup>th</sup> year and the proceeds go to support the local Boys & Girls Clubs here in Lubbock, Texas. A few of us girls were asked to assist the flag girls and carry sponsor flags through the grand entry each night of the rodeo. As we have in the past, we hung out around our trailers, pulled our groceries together and "trailer-gated" between the matinee and the evening performances of the Saturday rodeo.

Our next LSC playday will be the first Saturday of April. As they will all season, the books will open at 11:00 am and the rides will begin at 12:00 pm. Come on out and ride with us when you are in our neck of the woods! We would love to have you join us!

Next in April we will begin a Saddle Series 4D Open Barrel Race! Riders will need to have at least 3 qualified rides in order to be eligible for one of the saddles in each "D". The series will run April 21, May 12, May 19 and June 9<sup>th</sup>. The saddles will only be awarded to the top "D" runner in each of the 4D's. (We will run a 2D Youth Barrel Race; however, saddles will NOT be given in the Youth classes.) The saddles will be awarded at the June 9<sup>th</sup> series. Books will open at 10:00 am, exhibitions begin at 10:15 am, rides begin at 2:00 pm. Youth is \$15/horse, 4D Open is \$35/horse. There is a \$5 office fee and the exhibitions are \$5/run or 3 for \$10.

The next District II playday will be held at the WTD arena. Books will open at 12:30 am and rides begin at 1:30 pm.

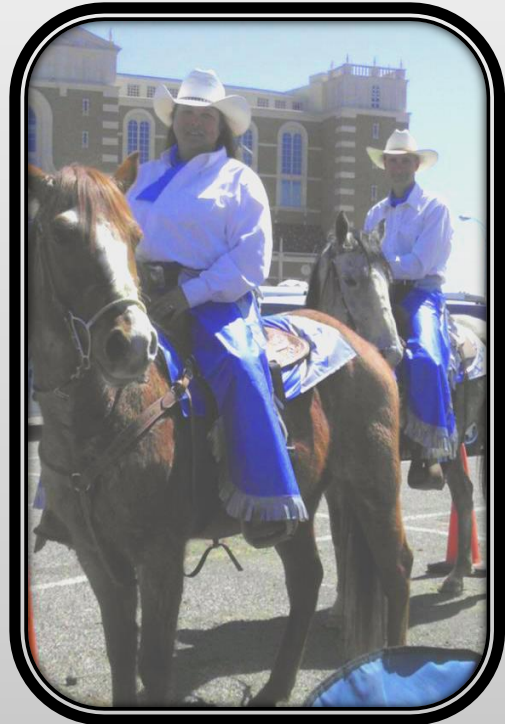
If you are ever in our neck of the woods, be sure to bring your horse and play in the dirt with us!


Until next time, love your families, ride your horses and enjoy the beginning of a great playday season!!

LaDonna Mild

Lubbock Saddle Club

LaDonna & Michael Mild at the ABC Rodeo, March 31, 2012

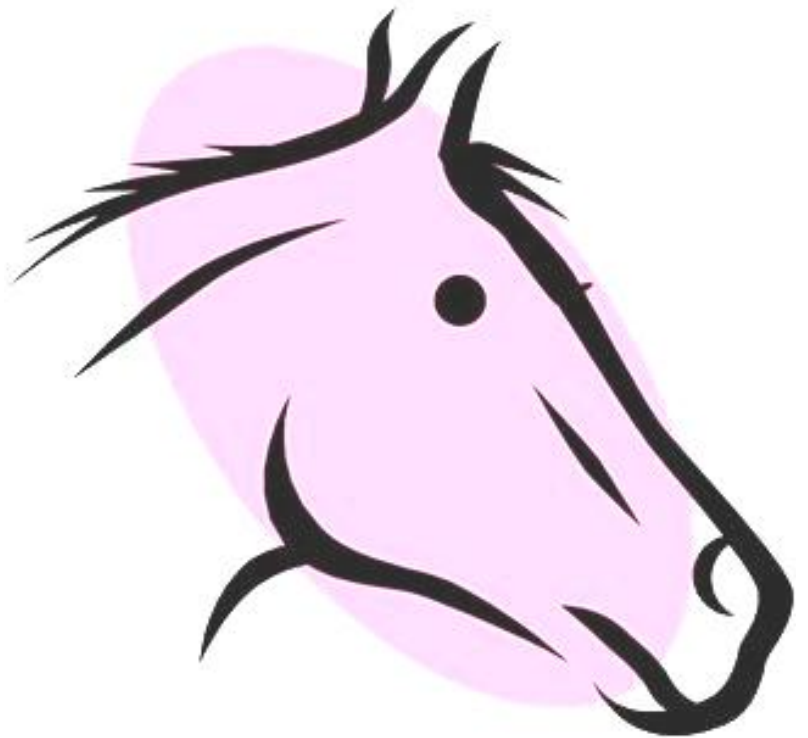


 The essential joy of being with horses is that it brings us in contact with the rare elements of grace, beauty, spirit, and fire.

~ Sharon Ralls Lemon

*Happy 60th  
Anniversary  
American Association  
of  
Sheriff Poses  
&  
Riding Clubs*

*1952-2012*





Happy Spring to all AASP & RC members:

Twin Mountain is really enjoying the weather and the wonderful rain that GOD has blessed us with.

We were able to get our first set of District Playdays behind us in Big Lake, Texas. We were represented well with our club members who support our District and Association. Members from the club were Linda Bell, Jessie and Jennie Brock, Jessie Lee, Chandra, Makailey and Tres Brock, Lori Brock, Brandie and Natalie Dragt, Kassye and Jaycee Hubbard, Buster, Barbara and Brittney Jones, Elaine Lee, Dee and Jamie Philipp, Raymond and Donna Rutledge, Mike, Sheryl and Allison Vaughn, and Jim and myself.

We really enjoyed the Friday night and Saturday night at Linda Bell's trailer laughing and having a blast and that is always good for the soul.

Saturday morning, Jim and I got up to find that one of our horses had decided to get out of the electric fence (my horse is smarter than that) and she was down a couple of trailers eating where the grass is always greener.

We had our March playday and had a great turnout. We had several non club members come and ride with us. Winners for that day are as follows: Georgia Bullock, Tres Brock, Makailey Brock, JC Hubbard, Amber Shuster, Kresta Thomas, Chandra Brock, Jessie Lee Brock, Jeton Tumlinson and Buster Jones and Jessie Brock.

Our club had our first Trail Horse Competition and Tom and Elaine Lee were kind enough to have us out at their home and ride. Participants were Linda Bell, Lori Brock, Elaine Lee, Jim and Jeton Tumlinson. Most of us did really well, but some of us

were awarded the big hair award. It was really good to get the horses out of the arena and let them do something totally different than running. We cannot wait to do this again and was able to raise some money for our hook ups that we will start working on at our arena.

We have our other District Playdays coming up the 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> of this month in Hawley. Looking forward to seeing all our friends from that area.

As we look toward this Easter Season we need to remember what was done for us to have our lives.

I will leave you with these thoughts:

LEAVE WHAT U R DOING AND PRAY

**Almighty Father creator of Heaven and earth and everything in between, we humbly come before you with thanksgiving in our hearts, asking for your never ending mercy.**

**We lift your name on high, above any name that has ever existed. Our father and creator, we ask you to bless, protect and to pour your supernatural favor upon us, our children, spouses and friends.**

**Father God, we ask you today for divine intervention in our lives, we ask for your touch in all areas of our lives, be it a new job, promotion, freedom from debt, freedom from an addiction or rebuilding of our relationships with our spouses, family and friends. Father any situation you touch, we believe it can never remain the same.**

**Father in heaven, let your will be done in our lives as your decision in our lives is the best and will always be the best. Please send double portion anointing and blessings in the quickest time to the person who will forward this.. as your name is being worshiped and glorified by multitudes, In the name of your only son, our personal savior Jesus Christ.**

**AMEN!!!**

God is going to shift things around for you today and let things work in your favor If you believe, say a prayer.

God closes doors no man can open & God opens doors no man can close.

If you need God to open some doors for you....send this to as many as you love to be blessed as I just have.

Until next time everyone have fun riding.

Jeton

We have our first district playday coming up the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> in Big Lake, Texas. It will be great to see everyone from Hawley Saddle Club and West Texas Extreme Riders.

Our next club meeting will be March 6, 2012 at 7:00 at Los Panchitos on the Paseo. Hope to see everyone there.

*Back in the 50's there was a well known radio Host/comedian/song writer in Hollywood named Stuart Hamblen who was noted for his drinking, Womanizing, partying, etc.*

*One of his bigger hits at the time was "I won't go hunting with you Jake, but I'll go chasing women."*

*One day, along came a young preacher holding A tent revival. Hamblen had him on his radio show presumably to poke fun at him. In order to gather more material for his show, Hamblen showed up at one of the revival meetings.*

*Early in the service the preacher announced, "There is one man in this audience who is a big fake." There were probably others who thought the same thing, but Hamblen was convinced that he was the one the preacher was talking about (some would call that conviction) but he was having none of that.*

*Still the words continued to haunt him until a*

*couple of nights later he showed up drunk at the preacher's hotel door around 2AM demanding that the preacher pray for him!*

*But the preacher refused, saying, "This is between you and God and I'm not going to get in the middle of it."*

*But he did invite Stuart in and they talked until About 5 AM at which point Stuart dropped to his Knees and with tears, cried out to God.*

*But that is not the end of the story. Stuart quit drinking, quit chasing women, quit everything that was 'fun.' Soon he began to lose favour with the Hollywood crowd.*

*He was ultimately fired by the radio station when He refused to accept a beer company as a sponsor.*

*Hard times were upon him. He tried writing a couple Of "Christian" songs but the only one that had Much success was "This Old House", written for his friend Rosemary Clooney.*

*As he continued to struggle, a long time friend Named John took him aside and told him, "All your troubles started when you 'got religion,' Was it worth it all?"*

*Stuart answered simply, "Yes." Then his friend asked, "You liked your booze so much, don't you ever miss it?"*

*And his answer was, "No." John then said, "I don't understand how you could give it up so easily."*

*And Stuart's response was, "It's no big secret. All things are possible with God." To this John said, "That's a catchy phrase. You should write a song about it."*

*And as they say, "The rest is history."*

*The song Carl Stuart Hamblen wrote was "It Is No Secret."*

*"It is no secret what God can do.  
What He's done for others, He'll do for  
you. With arms wide open, He'll welcome  
you. It is no secret, what God can do...."*

*By the way... The friend was John Wayne.  
And the young preacher who refused to  
pray for Stuart Hamblen?*

*...That was Billy Graham.*

*Share this with your friends ... I did!*

Take care and until next time.  
Jeton Tumlinson



# Happy 50th Anniversary Lewisville Saddle Club

President: Michael Wheeler

Vice President: Suzanne Wilson

Treasurer: Terry Petty

Secretary: Diana Johnson





# *Sparkles & Spurs Saddle Playday*

**April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2012**

Fundraiser for Taylor Otwell - Rodeo Princess Contestant  
Palo Pinto Livestock Association

***Youth saddle***

***Junior & Younger***

***donated by Lucky Cross Ranch***

***Adult saddle***

***Intermediate & Older***

***donated by Rodan Transport***

1st - 3rd place awards for all 6 classes (male and female combined)

Participation awards for all pre-registered contestants

(and day-of-show entries subject to availability)

Sign up @  
8:00 am

***\$50 Entry Fee***

Ride @ 9:00 am

***Events: Pylons, Poles,***

***Straight Barrels, Flying W,***

***Spur, American Flags,***

***Larry-ette, Barrels***

**Church service  
during sign ups**

Trailer Hookups  
Available

Runoff event: Baseball

**For Information or to pre-register call Kim Otwell  
(817)917-4035**

Location: Horseshoe Bend Arena, Weatherford, Texas  
Proudly hosted by Weatherford Comancheros Riding Club

## 2012 PLAYDAY FINALS

### *Entry Form*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Region: \_\_\_\_\_ District: \_\_\_\_\_ Club: \_\_\_\_\_

# Riders \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$55.00 (all eight events @ \$5 per event + \$15 registration fee) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# Non-rider Registrations \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$15.00 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

(Registration includes dinner on Friday night and one program per family)

# Additional dinner/dance tickets \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$20.00 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# Additional programs \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$5.00 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

***Rider's Name***

***Class***

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_

6. \_\_\_\_\_

*Non-riding Registrations*

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

Total amount due \$ \_\_\_\_\_

*All entry forms must be submitted through your District Secretary. If you have paid for your entry utilizing PayPal, the receipt for this payment must accompany your registration form.*



## **PLAYDAY FINALS STALL AND RV SPOT RENTAL REQUEST**

*Please remember, do NOT send requests for stalls and RV spots postmarked PRIOR to May 1*

**# Stalls Requested \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$25 for the week for a total of \$\_\_\_\_\_**

*(Note, the office will do its best to assign multiple stalls together, but the earlier you submit the request, the more likely we will be able to honor this convenience)*

**RV space request:**

**30-amp space @ \$60 (Tuesday -Friday nights) \$\_\_\_\_\_**

**# extra nights \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$15 per night \$\_\_\_\_\_**

**Space preference 1<sup>st</sup> choice \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> choice \_\_\_\_\_ 3<sup>rd</sup> choice \_\_\_\_\_**

**50-amp space @\$80 (Tuesday-Friday nights) \$\_\_\_\_\_**

**# extra nights \_\_\_\_\_ @\$20 per night \$\_\_\_\_\_**

**Space preference 1<sup>st</sup> choice \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> choice \_\_\_\_\_ 3<sup>rd</sup> choice \_\_\_\_\_**

*(Note, the 30-amp spaces are #1-#60; 50-amp spaces are #61-#70; please reference chart to see what is available for rental as of this writing...this list will be updated on a daily basis, but we cannot guarantee that the space you request will be available when your information arrives in the office. Again, we will do our best to accommodate you.)*

**TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$\_\_\_\_\_**

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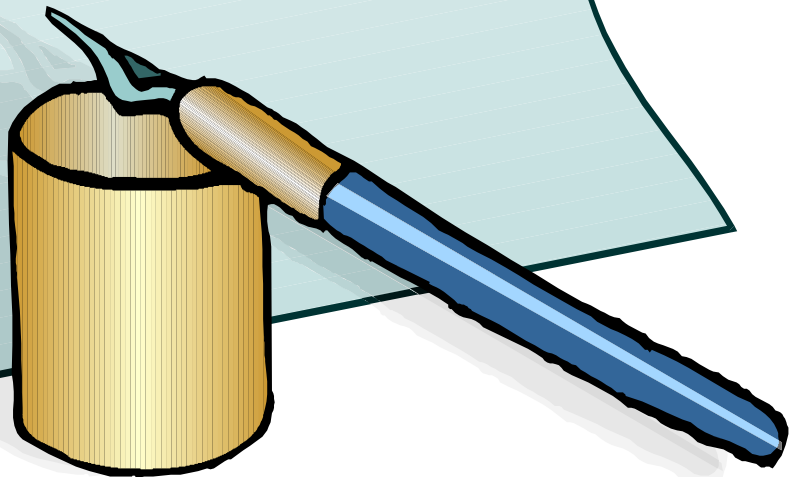
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Princess Program:	Annette Waggoner
Promotions:	Eric Savage
Riders Roundup:	LaDonna Mild
Rules:	Michael Wheeler
Rule Book:	To Be Announced
Scholarship:	Connie Ivins
Scrapbook:	Lori Brock
Special Events:	To Be Determined, <i>if needed</i>
Spring Roundup:	Wes Moody
Youth:	Brittney Jones



# "UP" coming Events

## MARCH 2012

3<sup>RD</sup> - LUBBOCK SADDLE CLUB PLAYDAY - BO @ 11AM, RIDES @ 12PM  
3<sup>RD</sup> - PGCCRC PLAYDAY - BO @ 9AM, RIDES @ 10AM  
4<sup>TH</sup> - HAWLEY SADDLE CLUB PLAYDAY - BO @ 1:00PM, RIDES @ 1:30PM  
10<sup>TH</sup> - DISTRICT 31 PLAYDAY - BO @ 1PM, RIDES @ 2PM  
10<sup>TH</sup> - WEATHERFORD COMANCHEROS PLAYDAY - 12:00PM  
18<sup>TH</sup> - SAN ANGELO STOCK SHOW & RODEO PARADE  
18<sup>TH</sup> - HAWLEY SADDLE CLUB PLAYDAY - BO @ 1:00PM, RIDES @ 1:30PM  
24<sup>TH</sup> - DISTRICT II PLAYDAY - BO @ 12:30PM, RIDES @ 1:30PM  
29-31<sup>ST</sup> - ABC RODEO - LUBBOCK SADDLE CLUB

## APRIL 2012

7<sup>TH</sup> - LUBBOCK SADDLE CLUB PLAYDAY - BO @ 11AM, RIDES @ 12PM  
14<sup>TH</sup> - DISTRICT 31 PLAYDAY, BO @ 1PM, RIDES @ 2PM  
14<sup>TH</sup> - PGCCRC PLAYDAY - BO @ 9AM, RIDES @ 10AM  
14<sup>TH</sup> - WEATHERFORD COMANCHEROS PLAYDAY - 2:00PM  
28<sup>TH</sup> - DISTRICT II PLAYDAY - BO @ 12:30PM, RIDES @ 1:30PM  
28<sup>TH</sup> - WEATHERFORD COMANCHEROS - NATIONAL DIST 3 - 2:00PM

## MAY 2012

5<sup>TH</sup> - LUBBOCK SADDLE CLUB PLAYDAY - BO @ 11AM, RIDES @ 12PM  
5<sup>TH</sup> - PGCCRC PLAYDAY - BO @ 9AM, RIDES @ 10AM  
12<sup>TH</sup> - DISTRICT 31 PLAYDAY - BO @ 1PM, RIDES @ 2PM  
12<sup>TH</sup> - WEATHERFORD COMANCHEROS PLAYDAY - 2:00PM  
26<sup>TH</sup> - DISTRICT II PLAYDAY - BO @ 12:30PM, RIDES @ 1:30PM

## JUNE 2012

2<sup>ND</sup> - LUBBOCK SADDLE CLUB PLAYDAY - BO @ 11AM, RIDES @ 12PM  
2<sup>ND</sup> - PGCCRC PLAYDAY - BO @ 9AM, RIDES @ 10AM  
9<sup>TH</sup> - WEATHERFORD COMANCHEROS PLAYDAY - 12:00PM  
23<sup>RD</sup> - DISTRICT II PLAYDAY - BO @ 12:30PM, RIDES @ 1:30 PM

## JULY 2012

7<sup>TH</sup> - LUBBOCK SADDLE CLUB PLAYDAY - BO @ 11AM, RIDES @ 12PM  
7<sup>TH</sup> - PGCCRC PLAYDAY - BO @ 9AM, RIDES @ 10AM  
14<sup>TH</sup> - DISTRICT 31 PLAYDAY - BO @ 1PM, RIDES @ 2PM  
14<sup>TH</sup> - WEATHERFORD COMANCHEROS PLAYDAY - 2:00PM  
21<sup>ST</sup> - HAILEY'S ROUND UP BENEFIT PLAYDAY - LUBBOCK SADDLE CLUB  
28<sup>TH</sup> - DISTRICT II PLAYDAY - BO @ 12:30PM, RIDES @ 1:30PM

## AUGUST 2012

4<sup>TH</sup> - LUBBOCK SADDLE CLUB PLAYDAY - BO @ 11AM, RIDES @ 12PM  
4<sup>TH</sup> - PGCCRC PLAYDAY - BO @ 9AM, RIDES @ 10AM  
11<sup>TH</sup> - DISTRICT 31 PLAYDAY - BO @ 1PM, RIDES @ 2PM  
25<sup>TH</sup> - DISTRICT II PLAYDAY - BO @ 12:30PM, RIDES @ 1:30PM  
25<sup>TH</sup> - WEATHERFORD COMANCHEROS PLAYDAY - NATIONAL DIST 3 - 2:00PM

## SEPTEMBER 2012

8<sup>TH</sup> - DISTRICT 31 PLAYDAY - BO @ 1PM, RIDES @ 2PM  
15<sup>TH</sup> - PGCCRC PLAYDAY - BO @ 9AM, RIDES @ 10AM  
15<sup>TH</sup> - WEATHERFORD COMANCHEROS PLAYDAY - 2:00PM

## OCTOBER 2012

6<sup>TH</sup> - PGCCRC PLAYDAY - BO @ 9AM, RIDES @ 10AM  
13<sup>TH</sup> - WEATHERFORD COMANCHEROS PLAYDAY - 2:00PM  
27<sup>TH</sup> - WEATHERFORD COMANCHEROS HALLOWEEN PLAYDAY - 2:00PM

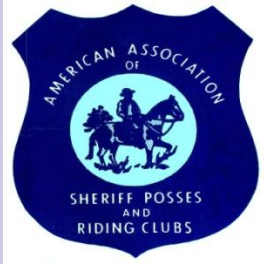
## NOVEMBER 2012

10<sup>TH</sup> - WEATHERFORD COMANCHEROS PLAYDAY - 12:00PM

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