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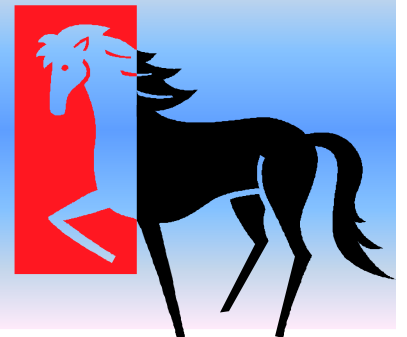
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Stock Show &
Rodeo Parade
January 19th

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Executive Board Meeting
January 20th
Bowie, Texas



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Articles and Pictures for Publication

Are due the **27th** of each month. As soon as your last event is over you need to start working on your article.
The sooner the better.

Guess Who's Back!

Greetings fellow members,

I have taken a year off from the Riders Round Up and I am excited to be back. I hope you can be just as excited.

Please push yourselves to turn in your articles as soon as possible. If you are going to be late let me know by email as soon as you know. I can work with you, but not if it's going to be longer than a day of two.



The Riders Round Up is the best way to let all of our members know when your events are within your club. Let us know all about your members.

The Riders Round Up is also a most essential tool for new members within your club. Everybody loves to see their name, or their picture, or their success stories of their family members in the newsletter.

So get motivated and start writing those articles.

See you on the flip side, of the next page,
Stephani Foltz, Riders Round Up Chair

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President * U.B. Herrington

Hi Everyone,

I would like to thank Region 5 for hosting convention. Suzanne and her counter parts did an outstanding job. I hope everyone had a good time. I look forward to serving as your Association President for 2013.

I have almost all the chairs filled and I would like to thank the ones that have accepted their positions. I want to thank Don McEwen for working on getting bids for the septic system and the lighting problem in arena 2. Without people like him and a few others, which are great assets to this Association, our Association would be at a great loss. I would like to thank Don for winterizing the grounds without being asked.

We are riding in the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show Parade and we would like to see everyone participate. Please get in touch with the Parade Chairperson, KD McGowan to get all the details.

We have a busy year ahead getting lots of projects done at the grounds which will take a lot of hands from Association members to get these accomplished. Remember the work day that is scheduled in upcoming March at the grounds. Buster has graciously donated the hamburgers and hot dogs for that day. Hope to see everyone at the parade and remember the first Executive Board Meeting in January.

Have a good Thanksgiving.....
UB Herrington



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Parade Chair * K.D. McGowan

Parade Season Is HERE!!!
Veterans Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas
And Stock Show and Rodeo Parades!!!
Support your Club, District, Region and
the Association. We complain and talk
about our numbers is down... Well,
cheap advertisement and a little work
would get our name out there. Dress up,
groom your horse and represent!

One rider or 30 plus, please fill out the
parade form and show us that you're out
there. Email me a picture and I will brag
on you and your club, district, or region. I
will accept parade forms in the mail,
email, or a phone call. If you need help
entering into a parade, need information
or dates please contact me and I will help
you out as best as I can.

Up Coming Parades:

November:

Check For Your Local Veterans Day Parades
HEB Holiday Parade in Houston- Nov. 22nd
First Light Federal Credit Union Sun Bowl Parade in El Paso- Nov. 22nd
Sundance Square Parade of Lights- Nov. 23rd

December:

Check you Local Community Calendar for Christmas Parades
Neiman-Marcus Children's Parade- Dec. 1st
Moonlight Madness & Parade of Lights in Decatur- Dec. 1st
Children's Christmas Parade in Copperas Cove- Dec. 1st
Fantasy Of Lights Christmas Festival in Bowie- Dec. 1st
Miracles Christmas Parade in Lubbock- Dec. 8th
Concho Christmas Light Parade in San Angelo- Dec. 8th

January:

Forth Worth Stock Show & Rodeo- Jan 19th

February:

San Angelo Stock Show & Rodeo- Feb 16th
Houston Stock Show & Rodeo- Feb 23rd

Mark it on your Calendar:

Jim Bowie Days- June 22nd

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Convention 2012



Twin Mountain Riding Club



Hello from all of us at Twin Mountain Riding Club.

We are pretty sure that fall is coming as a cold front is headed our direction with temperatures falling from what all of us are used to.

The District V Banquet was held September 29 at Don Enrique's in Abilene. Twin Mountain made an outstanding showing of all the members that support District V and the AASP & RC. We elected Brandie Dragt to be our reporter and I know that she will do a great job.

Winners from TMRC were Tres Brock 2nd in the Super Pee Wee Boys, Allison Vaughn 2nd, Makailey Brock 3rd, and Natalie Dragt 5th place in the Super Pee Wee Girls, Jamie Philipp placed 5th in the Jr. Girls, Brittney Jones won 1st place in the Intermediate Women, Lori Brock placed 5th in the Senior Women, Jessie Lee Brock won 1st place in the Senior Men, Jeton Tumlinson 2nd, and Linda Bell 4th in the Super Sr. Women, Jessie Brock 1st place and Jim Tumlinson 2nd place in the Super Sr. Men, Elaine Lee 1st place in the Classic Women, and Buster Jones 2nd in the Classic Men. We are very proud of all of our winners.

In the Sportsmanship, Horsemanship and Citizenship group our members did an outstanding job on that as well. Trace Brock won the Jr. Citizenship award and Mike Vaughn won the Sr. Citizenship award. Linda Bell won the Horsemanship award.

The "Merle Damron" achievement award was given to Natalie Dragt and was presented my yours truly from myself and other 2 sisters Juanice McLaurin and Jonette Hayes.

It is an honor to give this award to an outstanding young person that has excelled in all of the motto of the AASP & RC and that is Horsemanship, Sportsmanship and Citizenship. Natalie has come such a long way in a short time. It was a pleasure to give her that award.

Officers were also elected and Jeton Tumlinson was elected President, Jessie Brock as Vice President, Amelia Moreno as Secretary, Linda Bell as Treasurer, Jennie Brock as Playday Secretary and Jim Tumlinson as Executive Board.

We just got back from Convention on the 19th and 20th and are pleased to announce that our club won 2nd in the parade division and 1st in the category on our digital scrapbook. I want to thank Jennie Brock for all her hard work and dedication to making sure that we had a book to present this year.

The Convention was a little small this year. Some changed were made and suggestions that was brought up and I just hope that everyone can follow through with the information that we all took from the Convention and make 2013 a great year.

We at Twin Mountain Riding Club would like to THANK Buster Jones for his dedication and all of the hard work that he has given to the AASP & RC as our Region 6 Vice President. He and his family have gone above and beyond the call to be at all the AASP & RC functions to help out and we appreciate them very much. What an honor to say that they are members of our club.

We are having a Spook Playday coming up this weekend on Saturday the 27th. We will register at 4:00 p.m. and have the judging at 5:00 p.m. and hope to get started with the playday right after that. I am sure that we are going to have a lot of neat costumes and even some of the horses that will be decorated up as well. We will be giving a lot of neat awards away to the winners and horses as well. We have decided to try something different this year and have several other booths around for non riders to participate. We will be giving out prizes for the booth games and bags of candy and other stuff for the riding events. If you are in the area, please come on out.

Our birthday wishes for October are Randy and Linda Bell, Anna Chandler, Jaycee Hubbard, and Dee Philipp. If I have forgotten anyone please let Lori know so that we can get the roster updated. We are still working on our Christmas Party/Awards Banquet that is coming up December 15. Until next month I leave you with these words.



APPLES

A few years ago a group of salesmen went to a regional sales convention in Chicago. They had assured their wives that they would be home in plenty of time for Friday night's dinner. In their rush, with tickets and briefcases, one of these salesmen inadvertently kicked over a table which held a display of apples. Apples flew everywhere. Without stopping or looking back, they all managed to reach the plane in time for their nearly missed boarding;

ALL BUT ONE!!! He paused, took a deep breath, got in touch with his feelings and experienced a twinge of compassion for the girl whose apple stand had been overturned.

Continued...

He told his buddies to go on without him, waved good-bye, told one of them to call his wife when they arrived at their home destination and explain his taking a later flight. Then he returned to the terminal where the apples were all over the terminal floor. He was glad he did.

The 16-year-old girl was totally blind! She was softly crying, tears running down her cheeks in frustration, and at the same time helplessly groping for her spilled produce as the crowd swirled about her; no one stopping and no one to care for her plight.

The salesman knelt on the floor with her, gathered up the apples, put them back on the table and helped organize her display. As he did this, he noticed that many of them had become battered and bruised; these he set aside in another basket.

When he had finished, he pulled out his wallet and said to the girl, "Here, please take this \$40 for the damage we did. Are you okay?" She nodded through her tears. He continued on with, "I hope we didn't spoil your day too badly."

As the salesman started to walk away, the bewildered blind girl called out to him, "Mister...." He paused and turned to look back into those blind eyes. She continued, "Are you Jesus?"

He stopped in mid-stride ... and he wondered. He gently went back and said, "No, I am nothing like Jesus - He is good, kind, caring, loving, and would never have bumped into your display in the first place."

The girl gently nodded: "I only asked because I prayed for Jesus to help me gather the apples. He sent you to help me, so you are like Him - only He knows who will do His will. Thank you for hearing His call, Mister."

Then slowly he made his way to catch the later flight with that question burning and bouncing around in his soul: "*Are you Jesus?*"

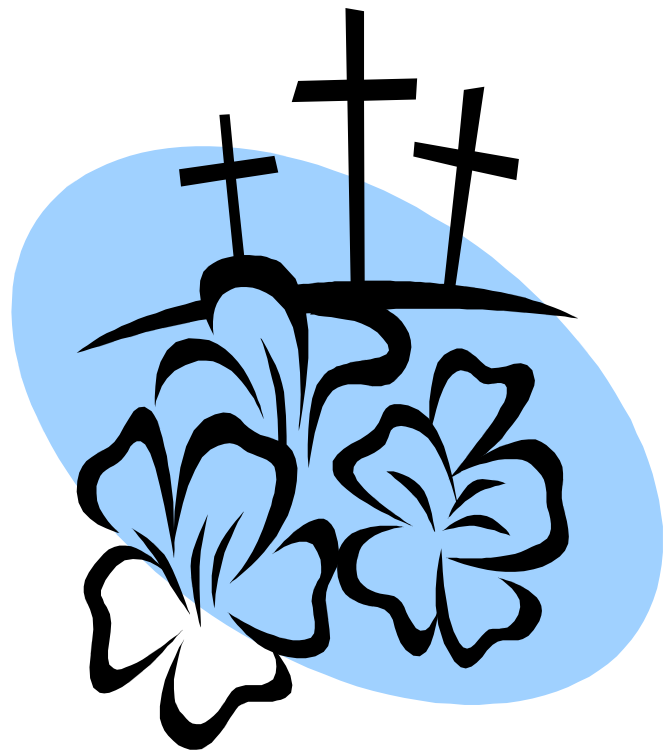
Do people mistake you for Jesus?
That's our destiny, is it not?
To be so much like Jesus that people cannot tell the difference as we live and interact with a world that is blind to His love, life and grace.

If we claim to know Him, we should live, walk and act as He would. Knowing Him is more than simply quoting Scripture and going to Church. It's actually living the Word as life unfolds day to day.

You are the apple of His eye even though you, too, have been bruised by a fall. He stopped what He was doing and picked up you and me on a hill called Calvary and paid in full for our damaged fruit.

Sometimes we just take things for granted, when we really need to be sharing what we know....

"Being happy doesn't mean everything is perfect. It means you've decided to see beyond the imperfections."



To those of you who are reading this ... I cherish our friendship and appreciate all of you. For most of you we have some history together.

'Life may not be the party we hoped for... But while we are here we might as well dance!'

Have a great month and please pray for rain.
Jeton Tumlinson

West Texas Drifters

Hello from the West Texas Drifters

Before I get into other things I want to say that Jackie Dunlap was lifted up in prayers and went through surgery on the 22nd of October. She is in the recovery room as I am writing this. She will have healing time for several months.....the biggest challenge will be to keep her off her horses during that time!

Jackie you are in our thoughts and prayers. You are a hero to us, you've shown us all how to stay strong and fight. Never given up and putting your faith in God. Next year though.....I'm afraid your gonna have hair and you want have the air-o-dynamics going on! Just kidding.

Speaking of surgeries, my younger sister Emily and myself will be having our tonsils out on 13th...talk about doing things together as a family! I actually feel sorry for my brother, Matthew, he will have to deal with two grumpy sisters!

We finished our last playday on the 13th with the wind blowing dirt all day long. We had a good turn out for the day. This was our Halloween costume playday. We had 5 people that dressed up. I like seeing the work people put into their costumes along with the horses.

Wished we'd have had more dress up, but the wind blowing might have put a damper on that. We have our next club meeting the 1st of November. We will have officers being voted for. We had my younger sister Emily Mason and Tatum Harris running for club Princess. They both did a speech at the last meeting and both looked beautiful!

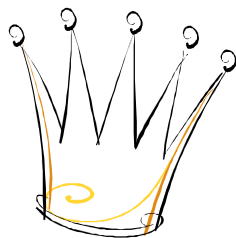
Membership renewal is due at this meeting. Cost is 25.00 for family and 15.00 for individuals.

We should also be planning on our Christmas party/awards banquet at this time. That will be a bitter sweet time for me, I'll be handing over my crown. This year has been a wonderful experience for me.

I will however get to represent our District II as Queen this next year and I am looking forward to it. We are still planning on getting together some team sortings, but have some details to still work out first. Maybe we can get some set up at this next meeting.

Hopefully the weather will be good this winter and we will throw in some fun playdays to keep our horses worked and hang out with our friends.

Till next time,
West Texas Queen
Bella Mason

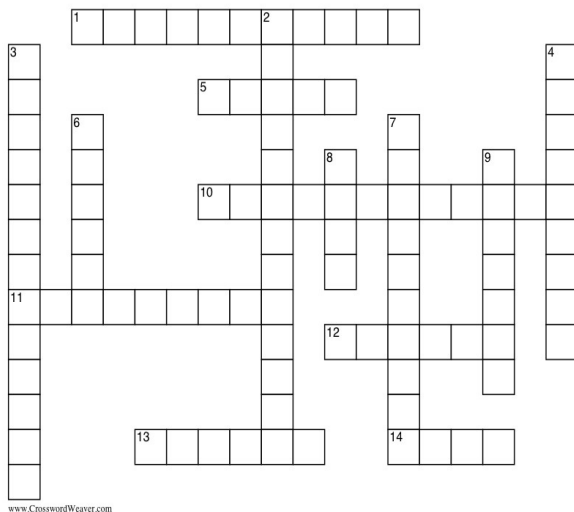


Game Time



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A Texan Puzzler



ACROSS

- 1 The state bird of Texas.
- 5 Location of a battle against the Mexica over Texas.(1836)
- 10 Body of water which touches Texas.
- 11 The largest river in Texas.
- 12 The capital city of Texas.
- 13 Only this state is larger than the state of Texas.
- 14 You can find the headquarters for the U.S. space program in Houston.

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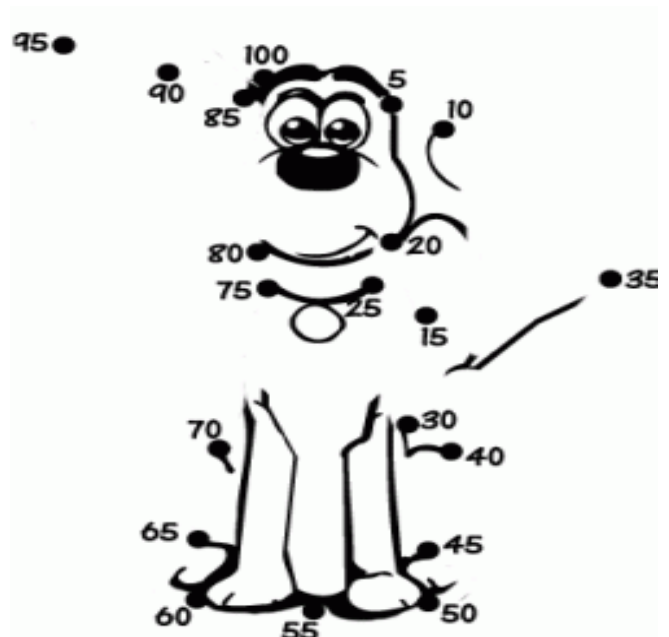
- 2 The highest point in Texas.
- 3 The nickname for the state of Texas.
- 4 Important natural resource of Texas.
- 6 Before its independence, Texas was part of this country.
- 7 President of the Independent Republic of Texas.
- 8 Number of states which touch Texas.
- 9 Along with Guadalupe Mountain National Park, this is the other National Park in Texas.

Word Search

HORSE
BOWIE
PLAYDAY
PARADE

SADDLE
BARRELS
FLAGS
TRACTOR

ARENA
POLES
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So what are you
going to do?



I'm not sure, but
I bet it involves a
saddle!

**District 2 Awards Banquet
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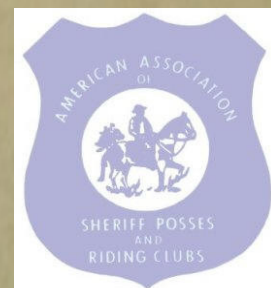
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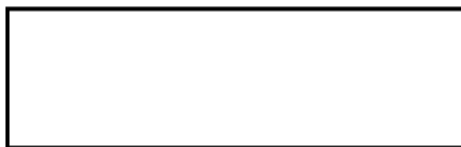
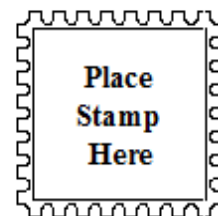
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