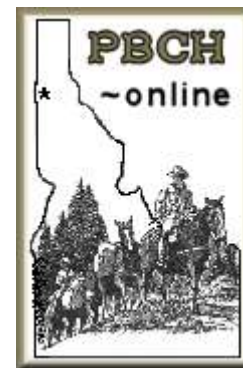


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Tails and Trails



Calendar of PBCH events/meetings

JULY

Red Ives Work party weekend. July 15-16. Trail bosses Jill Graham and Karen Kimball. email kooy04@gmail.com
We're going up to Red Ives for a work party the weekend of July 15-16. Jim and I will be heading up on Thursday July 13. If anyone can come up early we can work on Fri and Sat. Don't know if we will be clearing trails or repairing puncheon along the St Joe River. We'll potluck dinner on Fri and Sat nights and we'll have a fire pit going to BBQ your meat if you wish to bring something. We always have a great time in this beautiful country so try to join us. Directions are on our website. We'll camp at the Red Ives barn and corral area where the bridge crosses the river at the ranger station. If you have questions call me. Karen Kimball [208-772-2434](tel:208-772-2434) or cell phone [208-699-5268](tel:208-699-5268)

July 19 Monthly Meeting will be a potluck meeting in the park behind Dalton Garden City Hall. 6360 4th St. The bbq will be set up at 6 p.m.. Short business meeting to follow. The chapter will supply paper products. Please bring meat to grill, a dish to share, your byob and chair.

July 30, Sunday. Antoine Park fun ride, Conservation Area in Washington. 9:30 a.m. Three-hour ride. Bring a lunch. Trent Ave. then North onto Campbell Road. Go approximately 2 miles to the trailhead parking. Follow PBCH signs. Email codeysophie@hotmail.com

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Information Corner

Newsletter Editor Joni Lueck
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******On Loan:** The club has a Decker pack saddle and boxes it will loan out to members.

Please go to www.pbch.org and print out 2017 **membership form** and mail in. Please email Susan Purdy, treasurer finegansfarm2@gmail.com with questions. You can also sign up at any ride or event throughout the year! Mail to PBCH, P.O. Box 1903, Hayden, ID 83835.

Remember to get your PBCH membership card which is good for **10% discount** on animal feed at the North 40 Store. Attend the monthly meeting to pick up your discount card.

Life Flight memberships. The yearly dues are \$55 for BCHI members. Important to have in case of medevac emergency during trail riding or other events.

2017 Calendars are Available

Contact Bill or Kay Clarke at 208-699-2044 or 687-2784 to purchase yours for the upcoming year. These are a main fundraiser for the BCHI organization. \$20 for the calendar and entry of the drawing raffle card for one of 12 prizes.

Business Card Sponsorships

The sponsorships help the chapter's bottom line. They are inexpensive for members at \$10 per year. Non-members can become a sponsor also for \$30 per year. This includes your business card in the monthly newsletter Tails and Trails and also your card will be listed on the web site. This is a great price for advertising!

PBCH, P.O. Box 1903, Hayden, ID 83835.

Farragut State Park campout/potluck



Photo courtesy Joni Lueck.

Workers take a break at the potluck after fixing up the corrals and obstacle course at Farragut State Park June 10. The next day, several people showed up for a fun ride through the park. Thanks for your help.

Bernard Peak Fun Ride



Photo courtesy Cindi Richardson.

Three people completed the 2 ½ hour ride on Sunday, June 18. It was a beautiful day and great view of Lake Pend Oreille from horseback.

June 2017 PBCH Meeting Notes

June 21, 2017 meeting was called to order at 7:05 PM by President Karen Kimball.

There were no guests present.

Minutes of last months meeting were approved with no corrections.

Treasurer's Report was read by Susan Purdy, Treasurer and approved as read. Motion made by Debbie Stratton and seconded by Matt Richardson.

The report is as follows:

Income: Dues \$30.00, Calendars : \$180.00

Expenses: Chain Saw: \$425.91, Fair show ad: \$75.00

No outstanding bills are due.

Progressive Pot: \$98.00 was won by Matt Richardson.

Old Business:

Chain saw certification is scheduled for sometime after July 19. Major change in certification process is that BCHI certifies two people to be trainers for the state.

They in turn will train and certify local chapters; the USFS accepts this process for certification. This should help facilitate better scheduling for certification.

New Business:

The 2018 calendars are in, come and get them!!!

The FS contract is signed for future projects. The total dollars are reduced from previous years.

The break down is: \$300.00 for Northern Zone (Panhandle) \$300.00 for Southern Zone (Avery, Red Ives) and \$300.00 for spraying. Total \$900.00.

NEXT Month's meeting, July 19, is a potluck at Dalton Garden City Park, about 6:00 PM. Bring your own meats you want to BBQ, the BBQ will be fired up by Karen before you get there. Please bring a dish to share. The chapter will provide all paper products.

Trail Rides:

Marie Creek: Cleared, not much was down.

Asotin Campout: About 15 people rode, fun time was had by all.

Farragut State Park: Work detail Sat the 17th and campout overnight Sunday the 18th.

The corrals were repaired, the gate at the obstacle course was repaired and the tires were reset. Potluck was provided for Saturday's work detail , thanks to Joni and Hubby for proving a nice lunch site at their campsite. Julie Volpi was the Trail Boss for Sunday's ride. Lots of new horses were there .Good job Julie!

Bernard Peak : Cindi, Matt and Julie rode.

Chilco Mt.: Sat. June 24. Work Detail.

Red Ives: July 15 &16 RSVP to Karen if interested, road is presently washed out, will advise condition prior to the event. 772-2434.

Antoine Peak ride: July 30 Trail Boss Bev Syslo email codeySophie@hotmail.com

For the Good of the order: Arnie suggested we purchase walkie talkies for use on rides, it will help the trail boss keep in touch with back of the pack riders. Motion to purchase was made by Cindi Richardson , seconded by Debbie Stratton, motion carried. Minutes by secretary Arnie Wilkens.

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Karen Kimball, president 772-2434; Arnie Wilkens, vice-pres. 755-2193; Arnie Wilkens, secretary 755-2193; and Susan Purdy, treasurer, 772-4210.

Board members: Bob Funke 660-7919; Bill Clarke 687-1968;

Ray Heilman 660-2907; and Jill Graham, 660-5549.

Karen Kimball, public lands coordinator, 772-2434.

Joni Lueck, newsletter editor, 659-9066.

Marie Creek Trail Cleanup



Photo courtesy Karen Kimball

Jamie Smith, Karen Kimball and Arnie Wilkens rode into Burton Meadows on Marie Creek Trail last month to bring out the remaining articles behind. On our trail clearing as much trash was brought out that could be packed. We found large tent, sleeping bag, blankets, pillows, etc all soaked with water from the rain. This made it quite heavy. We loaded items on my pack horse and Jamie's riding horse in our game bags. Jamie walked out. Thanks for the help.

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Antoine Peak Ride

Good trail system, but some experience required. Good views overlooking Liberty Lake, The Spokane Valley and Mount Spokane. The trail system of old roadbeds on this 1,066-acre parcel boasts over nine miles of total trail length. Other trail users such as mountain bikers, hikers, birders use this trail along with equestrians. No pass required. Water available and plenty of parking. Trail Boss Bev Syslo. Bring a lunch. Off Trent Ave., turn North onto Campbell Road. Go approximately 2 miles to the trailhead parking. Follow PBCH signs. Email codeysophie@hotmail.com

SEPTEMBER

Dalton Garden City picnic Sept 9. Need volunteers to help serve lunch. Contact Karen Kimball 772-2434.

Heyburn State Park overnighter and fun ride Sept 16

Riverside State Park overnighter and fun ride Sept 30

Other Events

Wine Ride near Deary, Idaho on July 8 and 9. See museum@appaloosa.com for more information.

To become a member go to www.pbch.org web site and download membership form for 2017. Print out, fill in and send in.

To trail boss an event or fun ride see the Trail Boss form on the web site. Call Karen 772-2434 if you want to be a trail boss. We need trail bosses for work parties, fun rides, food at these events and sometimes parking duties at larger events. Any help would be appreciated!

Chilco Mountain Clean Up



Photos courtesy Karen Kimball

The work party was Bob and Linda Funke, Jim and Karen Kimball, and Stan and Jamie Smith. We drove up the Bunco and cleared Chilco Mt trail. There were several logs the men had to cut. Got to South Chilco Pk by 3:00, had lunch and headed back out. There were several hikers on the trail that all thanked us for clearing the trail. Day was sunny, flowers were blooming and we had a safe trip. More people should ride this trail.



