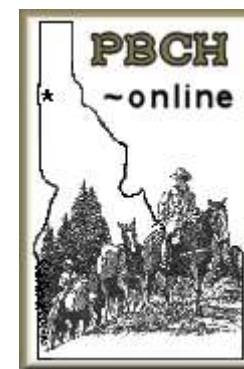


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## Notes from the President

Hi All! Wow what a crazy time we are experiencing! I hope you are all well and staying safe! Please check the calendar for upcoming events. Some events and meetings may need to be canceled or postponed do to the virus. Please call or email me if you have any questions.

[Charlieandjulie01@gmail.com](mailto:Charlieandjulie01@gmail.com). The most important thing we can do right now is to keep ourselves and our families well. Its a good time to get our projects at home done so when this passes we will have time to do the things we want. Stay safe and practice social distancing! Thanks Julie

Newsletter Editor  
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## Membership

Please go to [www.pbch.org](http://www.pbch.org) and print out 2020 **membership form** and mail in. It will run through Dec., 31, 2020. Please email Bea Christopherson, treasurer [christobea@yahoo.com](mailto:christobea@yahoo.com) You can also sign up at any ride or event throughout the year! Mail to PBCH, P.O. Box 1903, Hayden, ID 83835.

## \*\*Membership Form

Please download the attached membership form 2020 and mail it in with your dues. All memberships run from January 1 to Dec. 31. Please ask a friend about joining the chapter.

## \*\*Hay Testing

If you want to have your hay tested give Bryant from Country Store in Spokane a call.  
1-509-951-3058.

**\*Life Flight membership** forms available. Cost for members is \$55 per year. A must-have! Applications available at chapter meetings or web site.

**\*Classified Ads:** Please let me know if you have anything you want to sell by the 1st of each month.

## Calendar of Events

**All April Events canceled due to virus concerns.**

**\*Cancelled Escure Ranch** fun ride and campout April 18-19.

**\* Cancelled Wednesday, April 15,** PBCH chapter meeting.  
Cancelled

**Cancelled April 25** Marie Creek clearing project.

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**Classified Ad.** Horse boarding available in Athol six miles from Farragut. Padded stalls, heated drinking water, each stall has pasture. Heated tack room. Round pen available. \$250/month your hay. \$325 hay supplied. Will feed your grain. Contact Arnie Wilkens 208-755-2193.



This could be your space for your business card ad here! Just \$10 per year for members and \$30 for non-members of PBCH. This is a fundraiser for the chapter. The cards run in the newsletter and on our website [www.pbch.org](http://www.pbch.org) What a deal!!



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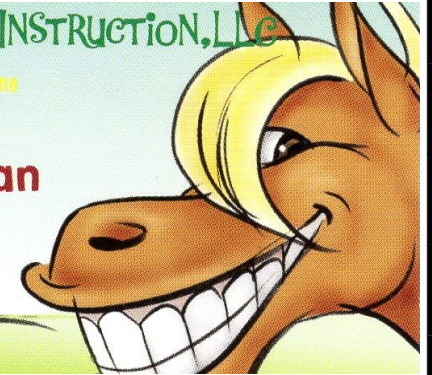
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**All events pending due to the corona virus.**

## May

**Asotin campout** May 23-25: Currently this area is closed due to the virus concerns. Karen and Jim Kimball, trail bosses  
Please RSVP [jkkimball01@gmail.com](mailto:jkkimball01@gmail.com)

\* **Obstacle course** fundraiser Saturday, May 30: **Open to the public.** Trail boss Jamie Smith. [jkimball2331@yahoo.com](mailto:jkimball2331@yahoo.com)

## June

\***Chilco Mt. trail clearing** Saturday, June 20: Karen and Jim Kimball, trail bosses [jkkimball01@gmail.com](mailto:jkkimball01@gmail.com)

## July

\*Farragut State Park Hot Dog fun ride Sunday, July 12. **Open to the public.** Julie Volpi trail boss.  
[Charlieandjulie01@gmail.com](mailto:Charlieandjulie01@gmail.com)

## September

**September 12 Dalton Picnic.** Service project for the chapter. Karen Kimball trail boss. [Jkkimball01@gmail.com](mailto:Jkkimball01@gmail.com)

**September 19 \*4<sup>th</sup> annual Antoine Peak ride and potluck.** Joni Lueck Trail boss for food and short loop ride leader.  
[Jklhorserider@gmail.com](mailto:Jklhorserider@gmail.com) Susan and Irv Walker long loop ride leaders.

## October

**October 10** Trailmeister Robert Eversole's **Packing Clinic.** Rescheduled. Location Dalton Garden City Hall.

## Other Events:

\***Missoula, MT** [www.bchmt.org](http://www.bchmt.org) May 30, 2020 Blue Mountain Trailhead west of Missoula. Fun ride. 10 a.m. bring a lunch. Contact RSVP Richard Tamcke 406-258-6621. Missoula BCH.

\***Poker Ride fundraiser, BCH Washington**, Ponderosa chapter. Location Riverside State Park June 13. Go to website [www.pbchw.com](http://www.pbchw.com) to sign up.

\*SCOPE annual despook and obstacle course. Riverside State Park. June 6, 2020.

\***Ferry County BCH steak ride July 25** Go to Website [www.fccbchw.com](http://www.fccbchw.com) to sign up. Omak area.

## State BCHI Minutes compiled by Karen Kimball

The state convention was canceled in March. State board members met by teleconference to go over business items. The 2020 hosting chapter Twin Rivers will now host the 2021 convention.

Nominations for officers and directors were voted on:

Chairman - Rod Parks, Twin Rivers BCH

Vice Chair - Chris Reed, Palouse BCH

Second National Director, 2 years - Pat Bogar, Twin Rivers BCH

Alternate National Director, 1 year - Joe Brinkmann, Eagle Rock BCH

Bill Conger wants to retire from being the Insurance Coordinator.

It's the position that insures our public events. The State is looking for someone to replace him. It is helpful to have someone who has worked with insurance.

The state board of directors meeting will be at Emmett by Squaw Butte BCH on September 26. We will have a Volunteer Hours training at this meeting.

Treasure Valley BCH will be hosting the 2021 Convention. They have awards and items to auction off that they will hold on to. It will be in Nampa on March 12-13, 2021.

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## 2020 PBCH Officers

Julie Volpi, president

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And outgoing president

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Audra LaBelle, secretary

[Audralabelle@hotmail.com](mailto:Audralabelle@hotmail.com)

Bea Christopherson, treasurer

[Christobea@yahoo.com](mailto:Christobea@yahoo.com)

## Board members

Bill Clarke 208-687-1968;

Ray Heilman 208-660-2907;

Jill Graham, 208-660-5549;

Joni Lueck, 208-659-9066.

Jerry Shriner, public lands coordinator

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Joni Lueck, newsletter editor,

[jklhorserider@gmail.com](mailto:jklhorserider@gmail.com)

Jill Graham, trail committee chair

email [kooy04@gmail.com](mailto:kooy04@gmail.com)

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The BCHI is changing their website program. It will cost a one-time \$2000 fee and then a yearly fee of \$350.

A group of people in the Teton Valley have been working on all requirements to become a BCH chapter. They were approved and voted on during the meeting. and are now a new chapter.

Up to \$1000 was approved to help Treasure Valley with expenses because of having to cancel the convention. No one was sure if they needed anything or how much. Canceling this year did help the State Budget. The 2020 budget was reduced because of it. The Broomtale expense is one item that has gone up.

A "Cost Share Agreement" has been set up between BCHI and the USFS for Chainsaw training expenses for the trainers. It was funded by the US Dept. of Agriculture.

A reminder to the chapters in selling calendars - if everyone took one calendar for themselves and sold one it would take care of our committed number. I reduced our count from 150 in the past to 125 for this year.

Submitted by Karen Kimball

**As of April 5, Farragut State Park day use areas are open for riding.**

**Check with your local, state, and national agencies before going out to ride.**

## Springtime Farrier



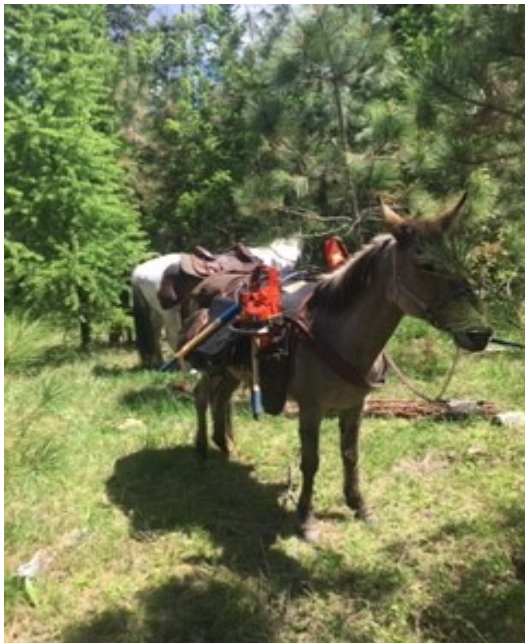
**Riding season is upon us and time to have those horse hooves trimmed and shod. Photo by Joni Lueck.**



## Classified Ad

I have a mule I want to sell. Available 14.1 hand molly mule in her mid 20s. Good mule, has packed quite a bit in Bob Marshall etc... but hasn't been used in a couple years. Asking 1000\$ with pack saddle included but very negotiable especially for BCH members.

**Contact Jill (208) 660-5549**



**Saddles for Sale -  
Classified Ad  
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**Lower photo: Fallis  
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[tomandann2@frontier.com](mailto:tomandann2@frontier.com)**

**or 208-964-5993**





## **New and returning members who have paid dues for year 2020.**

Marian Crumb  
Jeff and Melissa Jussila  
Kristi Marshall and  
Dave Parker  
Jim and Karen Kimball

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## **English Point Forest Health Project**

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To read bout the changes in trail-head improvement activities and vegetation management. If you have questions contact Forester Kyla Berendzen at [kyla.berendzen@usda.gov](mailto:kyla.berendzen@usda.gov) Or the Coeur d'Alene River Ranger District office at 208-664-2318.

Get out and ride



A group of riders at Farragut last month during a stint of beautiful days. Photo by Jamie Smith.



