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Issue No. 1 Happy New Year



Notes from the President Karen Kimball

Thank you to everyone for all the work done this summer. I will be doing our volunteer hours in the next couple of weeks and I'm sure it will amount to a lot. A special "Thank you" to our horse woman of the year, Jamie Smith and horseman of the year, Irvan Walker. They both put in lots of hours helping on most of our trail clearings and so instrumental in putting on our De-Spooking fundraiser.

I'm not sure when we can meet again. With the virus spreading so rapidly, it isn't safe to meet and we can't use the meeting room at the city hall at this time.

We still have calendars available so if you haven't gotten yours and want one or more let me know. Thank you for those who have already purchased some.

We received a nice "Thank You" card from the Sverdsten family. We donated \$50 to a charity in Terry's honor after passed away in September. He was a long-time member.

We'll be planning our outings, trail clearings and fundraisers for this year. I'm already getting anxious to get out and ride.

Happy New Year to all. It will be better.

Photo below is Karen Kimball, 2021 president PBCH.



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Membership

Please go to www.pbch.org and print out 2021 membership form and mail in. It will run through Dec., 31, 2021. Please email Bea Christopherson, treasurer 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.

Election of new officers and board members was conducted by snail mail this year. See new results on page 5.

*Life Flight membership forms available. Cost for members is \$59 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.

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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/moth your hay. \$325 hay supplied. Will feed your grain. Contact Arnie Wilkens 208-755-2193.



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Fun Rides, campouts and work parties ideas for the upcoming 2021 riding season. All of these areas have maps and directions located on www.pbch.org website. If you would like to trail boss an event please speak up!

*Escure Ranch in Washington fun ride and campout.

*Marie Creek trail clearing

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*Asotin ride and campout in Washington Fordyce Trail

*Chilco Mt. trail clearing

*Farragut State Park Hot Dog fun ride

*4th of July Pass fun ride

*Antoine Peak ride and potluck in Washington.

*Liberty Lake horse park in Washington fun ride *Red Ives work party and campout in Idaho

*Heyburn State Park work party and fun ride

*Bernard Peak fun ride *Riverside State Park day ride and campout

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End of year awards





Photo left Jamie Smith receives an engraved knife as her award for Horsewoman of the Year.

Above right Irv Walker receives his award from Karen Kimball for Horseman of the Year.

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Update: BCHI Convention and Board of Directors Meeting March 2021

Treasure Valley Chapter has made the decision to cancel the BCHI 2021 Convention that was scheduled for March 13th due to ongoing Covid restrictions for meetings. They sent out a request to chapters for an estimate as to how many would attend the meeting. With the responses, they felt the attendance would not provide the quality convention that they had hoped for.

BCHI Board of Directors Meeting March 13th 2021

March 13st 2021
The University of Idaho Caldwell Complex
Education Building #1902
1902 E. Chicago Street
Caldwell, ID 83605

Treasure Valley Chapter is hosting the Board of Directors meeting. At this time, the intentions are to hold this directors meeting in person. The building has the capacity to provide social distancing for all that attend. The date has been moved to Saturday, March 13th. Alternate plans are arranged if an in-person meeting is not possible due to ongoing Covid Restrictions. We have business that has to be dealt with. This meeting cannot be cancelled.

Per our By-laws: "Fifty percent attendance of all duly accredited Directors shall constitute a quorum for conducting business. A simple majority of Directors in attendance can conduct business."

All Chapter State Directors need to respond to this email from BCHI Secretary, Deborah Samovar, as to how many directors are planning on attending from your chapter. If you are no longer your chapter's State Director, please pass this on to your new State Director.

Thanks for your response, Rod Parks BCHI Chairman

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If you want to submit a snow/winter photo for the 2022 calendar these are also due by the end of March. Contact Debbie at secretarybchi@gmail.com for guidelines and deadlines.

Traveling Requirements to Washington with stock animals

Six-month health certificate required now.

This could change to a 30-day health certificate requirement soon.

Phone: 208-332-8540

Email jeni.marple@isda.idaho.gov

Idaho State Department of Agriculture.

Some states already require a 30-day health certificate for traveling with your horses. Also contact your vet or state brand inspector on what is required for travel.

First Aid Class can be accessed online at www.redcross.org This would include a CPR class.

Life Flight Membership 2021

www.lifeflight.org/membership

Mention that you are a member of PBCH for a discount.

Upcoming meeting to include planning the work parties, fun rides, and open events to the public. Please plan to partake in the planning. If you want to trail boss a ride or other event please speak up.

McKinlay Peters Client Appreciation Day on Feb. 6 will be a virtual event. Please standby on that information.

