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President's Letter

What happened to our winter? We've been hiking and riding around here which isn't always possible this time of year. The Board of Directors met on Feb 8 to go over a budget, schedule work parties and rides and talk about the State Board of Directors meeting. Jim Kimball and I will be traveling to Caldwell on March 12 for the State meeting. We will be the two Directors representing our chapter at the meeting. The State Convention has been cancelled but the Idaho State Board of Directors meeting will still be held on March 13.

The SBD haven't had a meeting for two years. There is a lot of business that needs to be addressed along with electing new officers so it was decided to be held in person. Jim and I have received our Covid vaccine so we will be somewhat protected. We still have calendars. Several of our members have purchased them and thank you for that.

I want to thank Joni for the great newsletter she puts out every month and also keeping up with the website.

I want to acknowledge and thank the 2020 officers and directors for their volunteer services:

Julie Volpi President Audra LaBelle Secretary Bea Christopherson Treasurer Bill Clark BOD Ray Heilman BOD Jill Graham BOD

Also I want to thank everyone for the 2020 volunteer hours of clearing trails and working on the fundraiser.

2021 President Karen Kimball

Newsletter Editor Joni Lueck jklhorserider@gmail.com

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.

**Membership Form

Please download the membership form 2021 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.

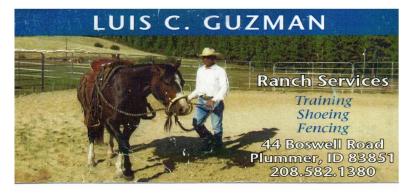
**2021 BCHI Calendars The chapter receives \$2 per each calendar we sell. We still have about 40 calendars to sell. Please buy one. Karen 208-772-2434.

*Life Flight membership forms available. Cost for members is \$59 per year. A must-have!

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

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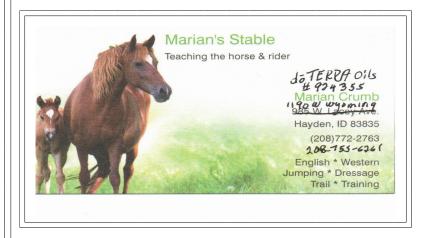
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Classified Ad

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. Email ajwilke@gmail.com



Board of Directors Meeting

BCHI State Board of Directors Meeting March 13th 2021 The University of Idaho Caldwell Complex Education Building #1902 1908 E. Chicago Street Caldwell, ID 83605

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Open position - public lands coordinator

Joni Lueck, newsletter editor, jklhorserider@gmail.com

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This and That Column

The chapter still has about 40 calendars of the original 125 calendars to sell for 2021. These are a major fundraiser for our chapter and for the state organization. Please consider buying one. We were not able to sell at the feed stores this year due to Covid. Last year we sold all 125 calendars. Our chapter receives 10% of its sales. Contact Karen at 208-772-2434.

This and That 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. For sawyers in local chapters the first aid certification expires at the end of April. Contact work party trail boss Karen at 208-772-2434.

Life Flight Membership 2021 www.lifeflight.org/membership Mention that you are a member of PBCH for a discount. Please see attached member form on the email.

PBCH board held a planning meeting February 8 and discussed the 2021 budget and planning for events for the upcoming riding season. Two public events will be held and the chapter will submit these to the state to obtain insurance for these open events. An Obstacle Course event like last summer and a fun ride and hot dog feed were discussed as open-to-the-public events.

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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! Contact iklhorserider@gmail.com

*Escure Ranch in Washington fun ride and campout. *Obstacle Course Event open to the public

*Marie Creek trail clearing *Marie Creek fun ride

*Asotin ride and campout in Washington Fordyce Trail

*Chilco Mt. trail clearing

*August Farragut State Park Hot Dog fun ride open to public

*4th of July Pass fun ride

*Antoine Peak ride and potluck in Washington.

*Blue Creek Bay Recreation Area fun ride

*Squaw Valley near Priest Lake

*Liberty Lake horse park in Washington fun ride

*Red Ives work party and campout in Idaho

*McKenzie conservation area fun ride

*Pee Wee Creek fun ride and campout in Idaho

*Bernard Peak fun ride

*Heyburn State Park work party and fun ride

*Riverside State Park day ride and campout

