



President's Letter

Presidents Letter,

I want to thank Julie Volpi for the Hotdog ride. It was a great turn out, 13 riders and even more eating hotdogs. Was comfortable in the shade riding. Then a big "thank you" to Arnie Wilkens for helping with the 4th of July ride. That was also a good turn out and everyone had a good visit while eating lunch at the trailers.

For those people wanting to take the Chainsaw Certification there might be a change in the date. The person teaching it had lots of people signed up so he might have to split the class. Will keep you informed of date, place and time.

If you want any of the 2022 calendars let me know or come to our next meeting on Sept 21. That will be the last day you can purchase one as the chapter will send the remaining ones in under PBCH. The raffle drawing will be held at the end of the month.

Jim and I will be going to Priest River for the State Board of Directors meeting on Saturday, Sept. 10th. I will have a report for our chapter at the next meeting.

Several people will be doing some camping this month since the weather is cooling off. The Gentlemen on Horseback ride sounds fun. I plan on going.

Hope the rest of you can enjoy the remainder of the summer.

Karen

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Membership

Please go to www.pbch.org and print out 2022 membership form and mail in. 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.

****2023 BCHI Calendars** The chapter receives \$2 per each calendar we sell. The \$18 goes to BCHI. We have 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.

Calendar of Events:

Wednesday, September 21 PBCH monthly business meeting. Location is the church, 9485 N. Maple St., Hayden. Socialize 6:30 and meeting starts 7 p.m. Available via Zoom or in-person.

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4th of July Fun Ride

Saturday, August 27 the PBCH held a members only ride at the Nordic ski area at the 4th of July Pass Recreation Area. Ten members were boots in the stirrups at 9:30 and most were right on time.

Bea was scheduled to be the lead trail boss with Arnie but unfortunately Bea's horse had a colon issue and Bea could not ride. We wish her horse a speedy recovery.

Karen Kimball and Tom Knoll stepped up and shared the duties of Trail Boss with Arnie.

It was great to have extra help because the riders eventually broke up into 3 groups - not planned- just worked at that way.

Julie and Arnie had radios and that worked out well.

We rode about 9 miles total in and out of threatening skies, which thankfully didn't produce any weather.

Lunch in the parking lot afterwards. Fun was had by all.

Thanks Karen, Julie and Tom.

Submitted by Arnie Wilkens



Calendar of Events

Postponing annual Antoine Peak ride and potluck until the smoke clears.

Tentative October 1 date.

Farragut Park Hot Dog Feed and Fun Ride



Thank you to all that attended the Annual Hot Dog Ride today! Despite the hot weather in August we had 13 riders. All the horses and riders were very well behaved! Very Special Thanks to my ground crew making lunch! Trail boss, Julie Volpi

Other Upcoming Events

Sept 23-25 Gentlemen on Horseback ride. Open to the public. Contact Arnie Wilkens for more information. Email ajwilke@gmail.com

Priest River BCH Scavenger Hunt and Fall Ride on September 23-24 at Chipmunk Rapids. www.prvbch.org for more information.

October 10 Discover Pass Free Day 2022 Riverside State Park, Washington. Tentative fun ride planned.

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August Meeting Notes

PBCH August 17, 2022 The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm. This was a hybrid meeting with members participating by Zoom and in person. Minutes from the last meeting were approved as written. There was no July meeting.

- No new members and no guest in attendance.
- Treasurer's report was provided for July 2022 Expenses: Bank Statement \$2.00, \$74.89 chainsaw certificates, \$75.00 for new web design/webmaster. Julie Volpi made a motion to approve and pay the bills, Audra L. 2nd the motion, all in attendance approved.
- There will be a chainsaw certification class for those that have completed the first aid certification class on October 8, 2022 • Julie Volpi hosted the Hot dog ride at Farragut on Aug 21, 2022
- Marie Creek needs some brush work at the top toward Skitwitch on the ridge. Karen proposes mid September to get a crew together
- We have new Calendars to sell already. Let Karen know if you would like to take some to get sold.
- Karen will enter the chapter in the drawing with the remaining unsold calendars The drawing will be held on September 30th 2022. Last year we won a \$500 gift certificate which enabled the chapter to buy the electric chainsaw and supplies.
- The State Board of Directors meeting will be held on September 10th in Priest River, Karen and Jim will attend
- The Trails working Group that Karen is involved in is still working toward their 501© and will be able to help with trail maintenance
- The Priest River BCH Chapter is holding a Scavenger Hunt and Fall Ride on September 24 at Chipmunk Rapids. Please look them up on line or on social media like Face book for more details and to sign up.

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Meeting was adjourned at 7:47 pm

Minutes submitted by Secretary Audra LaBelle.

BCHI Patches for sale Size 3.5" and cost is \$8



2024 Calendar Photo submissions due end of November. Send to BCHI Secretary Debbie Samovar. Email secretarybchi@gmail.com



