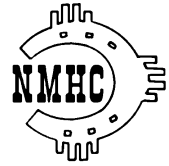


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*“So after Martha Lessen had hazed the chestnut through the connecting gate into the other corral, she began working the bay gelding in this way. She had found it to be a surprisingly easy thing to break a three- or four-year-old range horse, a horse that had been living almost wild but among older horses who regularly took up with human beings as an ordinary part of life. Those young ones were afraid of humans in a general way but not deeply so, and they didn’t lay back their ears and come at you like a horse that had been manhandled, badly treated and consequently made stubborn or vicious; and though it was different for each horse, it wasn’t uncommon for her to be saddling and riding a horse by the end of the second day, and some of the agreeable ones within a couple of hours of being introduced.*

*The bay was pretty agreeable.” The Hearts of Horses, Molly Gloss, Houghton Mifflin, 2007*

**Calendar**

- August 2:** NMHC Board Meeting, Bernalillo County Extension Office, Albuquerque, 6:30.
- September 4:** NM Horse Council Horse Emporium, Cherry Tree Farm, 2315 Cherry Tree Lane SW, Albuquerque, 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM.
- September 7:** NMHC Board Meeting, Cole’s, 1501 Los Arboles Ave NW, Albuquerque, 6:30
- September 10 – 26:** (except Mondays and Tuesdays) **New Mexico State Fair.** NM Horse Council Booth in front of Horse Arena, presented by various horse organizations every day the Fair is open. Theme: “How Horses Enrich Our Lives”.
- October 5:** NMHC Board Meeting, Bernalillo County Extension Office, Albuquerque, 6:30.
- November 2:** NMHC Board Meeting, Place TBA, 6:30.
- November 5-7:** **Coalition of State Horse Councils Meeting**, hosted by Michigan Horse Council, Lansing, Michigan.
- December/January:** **Annual Meeting, Awards, Elections.**
- January 17 to February 16, 2011:** **New Mexico Legislature is in session.** Think about them – they are thinking about you!

**Needed: Newsletter Writer/Editor/Printer**

We thought and hoped, six months ago, that someone out there had a secret urge to step up and produce the NMHC newsletter. I’ve done it for more years than I care to count, at first on a typewriter (not chiseled on clay tablets as has been rumored). No one has come forward. Membership has declined this year – perhaps partly due to lack of communication, although several commercial members cited the state of the economy. Horse people already know it has impacted every one of us. Thanks to all of you who have been patient; some are irate but most are understanding.

So – we still need someone who will chronicle, report, and print or email the “happenings” of the New Mexico and the American Horse Council.

You will find in this issue a flyer for the Horse Emporium, superbly hosted by John and DJ Collins of Cherry Tree Farm. We have not had a fundraiser for a while, and have done as much as possible for the horse community with a “staff” of busy volunteers and a minimum budget from dues. You will also see here the membership roster for 2010 (names only for individual members) which is also on the website. A surprising number of our members don’t have access to the internet (and I wouldn’t except that I have an in-house expert by marriage). And I will try, and fail, to summarize the entire year (as it relates to New Mexico horse owners) on page 3. I’ll have to leave out America’s Great Outdoors.



New Mexico Horse Council Presents

# THE HORSE EMPORIUM

September 4, Saturday, 10 AM to 3 PM



## At Cherry Tree Farm

2315 Cherry Tree Ln, SW

Albuquerque, NM

(take I-25 south to exit 213, Isleta Blvd.

Then 1.4 miles north see Cherry Tree Ln. on west side.

Follow the signs). Plenty of Free Parking!



- Silent auction, tons of items (but additional donations welcome).
- Tack and other horsey things for sale.
- Kid's Stuff: Cart rides, a unicorn for photo op., make your own special button!
- Arts and crafts.
- Equine liability signs for sale (buy here & save shipping)!
- Bill's BBQ, lunch available for purchase on site.
- Seller Spaces Available at \$10 each.

All vendors will be inside the covered arena. Some tables available to those renting early. Get club members together or rent your own. Commercial vendors welcome. Move fast, we expect this to be popular!

**To reserve a booth:** Call and leave message at Horse Council telephone, 505-345-8959 or email the Horse Council, [nmhc@swcp.com](mailto:nmhc@swcp.com).

Watch the Horse Council Web Site, [www.nmhorsecouncil.org](http://www.nmhorsecouncil.org), for more information.  
Pictures of some silent auction items going up soon!





## Horse Person(s) Of The Year

Having two excellent nominations, the Board finally threw up its collective hands and gave two awards at the January Annual Meeting. Congratulations to **Richard Hensleigh** and to **Eldon Reyer**, whose pictures and accomplishments have been posted on the website. 2010 nominations – Think about it!

## Board of Directors

Currently, the Board and officers are: Rusty Cook, President; John Collins, Vice-President; Val Cole, Secretary/Treasurer; At-large: Dr. Jeff Bader, Kristin Darnell-Kreger, Richard Hensleigh, Winona Kennedy, Maura Lewiecki, Dr. Phil Reppert, Elsie Shollenbarger, Dr. Jason Turner, and four positions vacant. Terms end in 2010 for directors Lewiecki and Reppert.

## Expo NM and the Fair

It's no secret that the Fair is in horrible financial shape. The Commission isn't at full strength either and has not met regularly. After considering several draconian measures, it settled on the traditional 17 day span beginning the Friday following Labor Day – but with the Fair closed Mondays and Tuesdays. Given that, the horse office salvaged as many shows as possible, even to holding them on the first pair of “black days”. The complete schedule never has been posted at [www.exponm.com](http://www.exponm.com), but can be inferred by digging into individual breeds. Calendar:

- 10: **Show:** Hunter/Jumper; **Booth:** NMHC Foundation.
- 11: **Show:** Hunter/Jumper; **Booth:** Juan Tomas Hounds.
- 12: **Show:** Hunter/Jumper;; **Booth:** Baca Chica Horse Conservancy and Foundation for the Pure Spanish Horse.
- 13: **Show:** Paints and Appaloosas, Fair closed.
- 14: **Show:** Pintos and Buckskins, Fair closed.
- 15: **Show:** All-Breed; **Booth,** La Espuela Ranch.
- 16: **Show:** State Champ 4-H; **Booth:** NMSU Horsemens' Assoc. and APD Mounted Unit.
- 17: **Show:** QH Open and Youth; **Booth:** Rancho du Bois Therapeutic Riding.
- 18: **Show:** QH Open, Youth and Futurity; **Booth:** Bernalillo County 4-H.

- 19: **Show:** QH Open and Youth; **Booth,** Savvy Horse Whispering.
- 22: **Show:** Miniature Horses; **Booth:** LOEC Miniature Horse Club.
- 23: **Show:** Haflinger, Donkey, Draft and Carriage Driving; **Booth:** Rio Grande Mule & Donkey.
- 24: **Show:** Mule, Draft, Carriage Driving, Draft Horse Pull (eve); **Booth:** RGMDA.
- 25: **Show:** Arabian, Half and Anglo Arabian; Morgan, Saddlebred. **Booth:** NM Paint and NM Palomino.
- 26: **Show:** Arabian, Half and Anglo Arabian, Morgan, Saddlebred. **Booth:** Arabian Horse Association of NM.

## American Horse Council, SHCAC

The combined meeting and National Issues Forum (subject: “Emerging Diseases: A Challenge to the Industry”) was held in Washington, DC on June 20 – 23. Please check the AHC website, [www.horsecouncil.org](http://www.horsecouncil.org), for a report – or I will be happy to send one. The **State Horse Councils Advisory Committee** changed its name to the **National Coalition of State Horse Councils** (and now needs to implement its plans for its website, [www.statehorsecouncils.org](http://www.statehorsecouncils.org). I can share a report on this meeting as well.

## BPE Member Needed

49 States have Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committees. New Mexico's is a **BPE** with the “E” standing for Equestrian. The committee meets quarterly, next in Socorro on November 17 and 18. I'm one of the four “community” members on the 13 member committee and will be term limited out next year. They need an equestrian! Most of the members are bicyclists. Please go to the website, [www.nmshtd.state.nm.us](http://www.nmshtd.state.nm.us) for further information. The obvious choice is Jackie Bouker, unfortunately, she is not interested.

## BLM Study – Public Comment Needed

The Bureau of Land Management ([www.blm.gov](http://www.blm.gov)) was directed by the Government Accountability Office to generate a plan to manage the wild horse and burro population. Find the plan at the above website and submit your interactive public comment before September 3. Go for it!





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We hope to see you at the Horse Emporium September 4, or at the Booth on the Fairgrounds, or a Board meeting, or at the Annual Meeting. We need each and every one of you!

Again, the Emporium on September 4 will be fun! Bring kids and cameras, the unicorn is a very cute photo op. And help us out with the silent auction items. We have art (framed or matted or both prints in all sizes), tack (a saddle, a bridle, a saddle pad), books, kid things, tiles, a hat certificate from Davis Hats and who knows what else we’ll come up with in the next few days. This will be a fundraiser and we need the funds, but it is also a way to meet and mingle, do a project for the kids, and stop by the Horse Council tables and help for a spell. We will have some short demos – and it’s in a very pretty and well hidden part of the South Valley. From exit 213 off I-25, go north 1.4 miles and turn left on Cherry Tree Lane. From Rio Bravo and Isleta, take the scenic route down Isleta 4.1 miles. Turn right just past Del Sol Equestrian Center at 6715 Isleta. The lane is narrow and bounded by a solid board fence on the south and chain link on the north. Go 0.4 miles, cross an irrigation ditch, continue past “speed limit 10” and “Dead End” signs – we will have Horse Emporium signs as well. See you there!

