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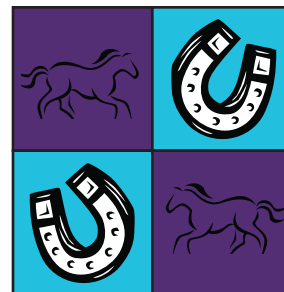
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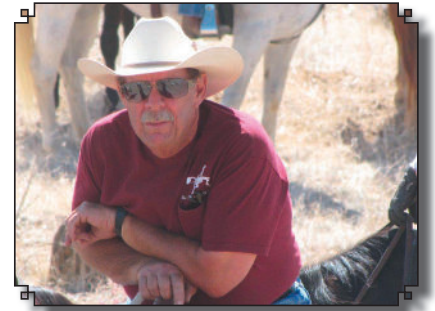
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## A Message from Tom Kirsch ETI National President

Hello, to all.



The ETI National Board meeting was held on April 21. We are doing good financially and beginning to recover from paying our insurance bill. I want thank our corrals for sending in their insurance payments in a timely manner!! We only have four corrals that haven't paid yet. Hopefully, they will get their payments in shortly. Good news is we are gaining membership...Up 82 from this time last year!

This year is really flying by!! Another month and schools will be out. It's time for us to give our rigs a once over...Tires, wheel bearings ect. Get ready for the summer trips. The corrals really have a lot of evens happening this year. So be sure to read the magazine for a list of the upcoming events.

Our ETI National Spring ride is filling up quickly!! Chilhuahua Valley Horse camp in Warner Springs is becoming very popular which I'm glad to see. We have lost many of the horse camps throughout the years. It's great to see a new camp doing well. So if you're thinking about going, get your money in. The reservation dead line is May 20. It's going to be a great ride.

Stay safe, and look out for each other.

*Tom*

### **National Board Meeting**

Next meeting will  
May 19 at 7pm

Monthly meeting is via  
conference call. If interested in  
joining the call, email us at  
[office@etinational.com](mailto:office@etinational.com)

**Join us!**

## **ETI SPECIAL EVENTS CHAIRPERSONS**

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## RATTLESNAKE AVOIDANCE TRAINING

*How will your dog react when confronted with a rattlesnake?*

Training your dog to avoid and get away from a dangerous rattlesnake is training that can save your dog's life and maybe yours too. Equestrian Trails Inc., Corral 35 of Glendora CA is hosting this life saving training:

Location: Carlyle Linder Equestrian Center  
1000 N Glendora Mtn. Road  
Glendora, CA 91741  
Date: June 21, 2025 (8 am to 4 pm)  
Cost: \$75.00  
Time: Please call or text **Becky (626) 253-2146** to schedule your appointment.

Dogs must be between 6 months and 10 years. Payment is due at the time of training. Payment can be made in cash, check or Zelle.



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#### June 5-8/National

Spring Ride, Warner Springs Contact:  
Nikki Ahten [nmahten@gmail.com](mailto:nmahten@gmail.com)

#### December 14/National

Christmas Ride, Griffith Park Contact:  
[office@etinational.com](mailto:office@etinational.com)

### 2025 Individual Corral Circuit Shows/Series

#### Corral 37/Thousand Oaks

Saddle Series- 5 shows; May – November  
Contact: Sharyn Henry  
[redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com](mailto:redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com)

**May 18**

**June 8**

**September 7**

**October 5**

**November 2 (raindate)**

#### Corral 101/Hansen Dam Equestrian Center

5 show series - February - October  
Contact: Kim Estrada (818) 497-4730  
[rockbacknzip@aol.com](mailto:rockbacknzip@aol.com)

**May 31 - June 1**  
**September 13-14**  
**October 18-19**

### TRAIL TRIALS/OBSTACLE

#### May 17/Corral 20

Spring Trail Trial, Location TBD  
Contact: Deb Mader/ Becky Borquez (818)  
262-7764 [beckyborquez1@gmail.com](mailto:beckyborquez1@gmail.com)

#### November 8/Corral 20

8th Annual Terry Kaiser Trail Trial,  
Hansen Dam Contact: Deb Mader/  
Becky Borquez (818) 262-7764  
[beckyborquez1@gmail.com](mailto:beckyborquez1@gmail.com)

### GYMKHANAS/PLAYDAYS

#### Corral 37/Thousand Oaks

7 gymkhanas; April – October  
Contact: Sharyn Henry  
[redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com](mailto:redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com)

**May 10, 2025**

**June 21, 2025**

**July 19, 2025**

**August 16, 2025**

**September 20, 2025**

**October 18, 2025**

#### Corral 43/Tri-Valley Riders

9 Gymkhana series Contact: Stefany  
Grainger (909) 917-6163

#### Corral 88/Dusty Spurs

Gymkhana series; February - November  
Phelan Contact: Leslie Davis (760) 662-  
1732 [eticorral88@gmail.com](mailto:eticorral88@gmail.com)

#### Corral 210

Monthly play days fourth Sunday of  
each month, Gibson Ranch, Sunland  
Contact: Jeanette Provolt (818) 472-6537  
[countrysatheart.jp@verizon.net](mailto:countrysatheart.jp@verizon.net)

### 2025 ETI Trail Rides, Drives, Events

**When a Corral plans a  
ride at Vasquez Rocks,  
as a courtesy, please call  
the Rangers  
(661) 268-0840**



### MAY 2025

#### May 3/Corral 88

Trail Ride - Wildwood Canyon Contact:  
Lexi Albin (661) 388-8746

#### May 4/Corral 2

Trail Ride, Pasadena Contact:  
Ann Regan (818) 321-6931

#### May 5/Corral 54

Cinco De Mayo Trail ride Contact:  
Carey Wendler (818) 266-7664

#### May 10/Corral 12

Trail ride, Ahmanson Ranch Contact:  
Patty Hug [pattyhug@ca.rr.com](mailto:pattyhug@ca.rr.com)

#### May 10/Corral 22

Progressive Dinner Ride, Agua Dulce  
Trail boss: Craig Tognazzini Contact:  
Kathleen Smart (626) 590-6972  
[kathleensmart99@gmail.com](mailto:kathleensmart99@gmail.com)

#### May 10/Corral 37

Gymkhana, Thousand Oaks Contact:  
Sharyn Henry [redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com](mailto:redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com)

#### May 10/Corral 138

Trail ride, flower ride, Homer or Hansen  
Dam Contact: TBD

#### May 14/Corral 83

Trail ride, Panorama Preserve Contact:  
Susan Mustaffa (661) 538-0995

#### May 17/Corral 20

Spring Trail Trial, Lake View Terrace  
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262-7764 [beckyborquez1@gmail.com](mailto:beckyborquez1@gmail.com)

#### May 17/ Corral 103

Trail ride, Mojave River Forks  
Contact: Dawn Walker (760) 961-7879  
[delta3743@verizon.net](mailto:delta3743@verizon.net)

#### May 17-18/Corral 88

2 Day Buckle Series  
Dusty Spurs Gymkhana Contact:  
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Ranch Horse Show, Thousand Oaks  
Contact: Sharyn Henry  
[redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com](mailto:redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com)

### **May 18/Corral 43**

Gymkhana, Riverside Contact:  
Leslie Jones (310) 714-6877

### **May 20/Corral 66**

Kentucky Derby watch party Contact:  
Jamie Rees (760) 953-7235

### **May 20-25/Corral 14**

Bishop Mule Days &  
Come Drive with Me (TBD)

### **May 24/Corral 83**

Trail ride, Mulligan Ride Contact:  
Kim Brandon (661) 714-6038

### **May 25/Corral 86**

Trail Ride, Llano Hills Contact:  
Karen Dagnan (661) 268-8771

### **May 25/Corral 210**

Playday, Gibson Ranch Contact: Jeanette  
Provolt [countryathear.jp@verizon.net](mailto:countryathear.jp@verizon.net)

### **May 31 - June 1/Corral 101**

Horse Show, HDEC Contact: Kim Estrada  
(818) 497-4730 [rockbacknz@aol.com](mailto:rockbacknz@aol.com)

## **JUNE 2025**

### **June 5-8/National**

Spring Ride, Warner Springs Contact:  
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### **June 8/Corral 37**

Ranch Horse Show, Thousand Oaks  
Contact: Sharyn Henry  
[redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com](mailto:redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com)

### **June 13/Corral 83**

Trail ride, Stallion Sprngs Buckeye Contact:  
Susan Mustaffa (661) 538-0995

### **June 13-15/Corral 14**

Onyx Drive Contact: Jim and  
Julie Porter (760) 378-2222

### **June 14/Corral 88**

Trail/Poker Ride, Mojave Narrows  
Contact: Marjorie Coulter (760) 490-5048

### **June 14/Corral 138**

Trail ride, Zigzag, Littlerock Contact:  
Christine (661) 713-6675

### **June 21/Corral 37**

Gymkhana, Thousand Oaks Contact:  
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### **June 21/Corral 43**

Gymkhana (night), Riverside Contact:  
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### **June 21/Corral 86**

Progressive Ride & Fundraiser  
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### **June 21/Corral 88**

Dusty Spurs Gymkhana Contact:  
Brandy Wade (760) 221-2325

### **June 21/ Corral 103**

Trail ride, Wildwood Park, Yucaipa  
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### **June 22/Corral 210**

Playday, Gibson Ranch Contact: Jeanette  
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### **June 25/Corral 83**

Trail ride, Cub Lake Wine Ride Contact:  
Kim Brandon (661) 714-6038

### **June TBD/Corral 3**

Play day, Tehachapi Contact: Cindi  
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## **JULY 2025**

### **July 4/Corral 66**

Newberry Springs Parade Contact:  
Jamie Rees (760) 953-7235

### **July 4/Corral 86 & 138**

Parade, Acton Contact: Janette Beas  
(858) 692-6836

### **July 9-14/Corral 20**

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Trail Ride, Mt. Pinos, Frazier Park Contact:  
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Moonlight Trail Ride, Tevis Contact:  
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### **July 12/Corral 86**

Trail Ride, Castaic Contact:  
Vicky Marshall

### **July 13/Corral 54**

Trail ride, Happy Camp Contact: Carey  
Wendler (818) 266-7664

### **July 13/Corral 138**

Trail ride, Placerita Nature Center  
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### **July 17-20/Corral 86**

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### **July 18-25/Corral 12**

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### **July 19/Corral 37**

Gymkhana, Thousand Oaks Contact:  
Sharyn Henry [redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com](mailto:redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com)

### **July 19/Corral 88**

Dusty Spurs Gymkhana Contact:  
Brandy Wade (760) 221-2325

### **July 19/ Corral 103**

Moonlight Trail ride, Apple Valley  
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### July 27/Corral 210

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## AUGUST 2025

### August 2/Corral 88

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Lexi Albin (661) 388-8746

### August 10/Corral 138

Obstacle day, Palmdale Contact: Kimberly  
Dwight (661) 478-2770 [jdwright@aol.com](mailto:jdwright@aol.com)

### August 16/Corral 37

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Sharyn Henry [redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com](mailto:redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com)

### August 16/Corral 43

Gymkhana (night), Riverside Contact:  
Leslie Jones (310) 714-6877

### August 16/Corral 86

Trail ride, Mt. Pinos Contact: Janette Beas  
(858) 692-6836

### August 16/Corral 88

Dusty Spurs Gymkhana Contact:  
Brandy Wade (760) 221-2325

### August 18-25/Corral 12 & 22

Camping, Montana de Oro, Morro  
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### August 23/Corral 54

Trail ride, Oxnard Beach Contact: Carey  
Wendler (818) 266-7664

### August 23/Corral 66

Tacking Cleaning Contact: Jamie Rees  
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### August 24/Corral 210

Playday, Gibson Ranch Contact: Jeanette  
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Camping, Sierras Contact: Steve Nelson

### September 6/Corral 22

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Kathleen Smart (626) 590-6972  
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### September 7/Corral 37

Ranch Horse Show, Thousand Oaks  
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### September 7/Corral 88

Trail Ride, Wrightwood Contact:  
Lexi Albin (661) 388-8746

### September 13/Corral 12

Trail ride, Hansen Dam Contact:  
Patty Hug [pattyhug@ca.rr.com](mailto:pattyhug@ca.rr.com)

### September 13/Corral 83

Trail ride, Tehachapi Winery Contact:  
Carolyn McIntyre (661) 972-2337

### September 13/Corral 88

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### September 13-14/Corral 101

Horse Show, HDEC Contact: Kim Estrada  
(818) 497-4730 [rockbacknzip@aol.com](mailto:rockbacknzip@aol.com)

### September 14/Corral 43

Gymkhana, Riverside Contact:  
Leslie Jones (310) 714-6877

### September 14/Corral 103

Trail ride, Juniper Flats Contact:  
Dawn Walker (760) 961-7879  
[delta3743@verizon.net](mailto:delta3743@verizon.net)

### September 14/Corral 138

Trail ride, Mint Canyon Contact: Charlene  
McMullen (661) 644-3371

### September 20/Corral 20

Trail Ride, Happy Camp, Moorpark  
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### September 20/Corral 37

Gymkhana, Thousand Oaks Contact:  
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### September 20/Corral 66 & 103

Trail Ride Contact: TBD

### September 20/Corral 88

Dusty Spurs Gymkhana Contact:  
Brandy Wade (760) 221-2325

### September 27/Corral 86

Trail ride, Santa Rosa Valley Contact:  
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### September 28/Corral 210

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## OCTOBER 2025

### October 4/Corral 88

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Deborah Jasper (760) 508-3100

### October 5/Corral 12

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Patty Hug [pattyhug@ca.rr.com](mailto:pattyhug@ca.rr.com)

### October 5/Corral 37

Ranch Horse Show, Thousand Oaks  
Contact: Sharyn Henry  
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### October 7-10/Corral 83

Camp out, Chihuahua Contact: Susan  
Mustaffa (661) 538-0995

### October 9-12/Corral 22

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Laurie Henry

### **October 11/Corral 138**

Trail ride, Acton Hills Contact:  
Tracy (818) 640-1801

### **October 18/Corral 37**

Gymkhana, Thousand Oaks Contact:  
Sharyn Henry [redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com](mailto:redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com)

### **October 18/Corral 66**

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### **October 18/Corral 88**

Dusty Spurs Gymkhana Contact:  
Brandy Wade (760) 221-2325

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### **October 19/Corral 22**

Trail ride, Paramount Ranch, Malibu  
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### **October 19/Corral 54**

Halloween Scavenger Hunt Trail ride,  
Mountain Meadows Contact: Carey  
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### **October 18-19/ Corral 103**

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### **October 25/Corral 20**

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Becky Borquez (818) 262-7764  
[beckyborquez1@gmail.com](mailto:beckyborquez1@gmail.com)

### **October 25/Corral 83**

Trail ride, TWCC Wine Ride Contact: TBD

### **October 25/Corral 88**

Open Horse Show #2 Contact:  
Marjorie Coulter (760) 490-5048

### **October 26/Corral 210**

Playday, Gibson Ranch Contact: Jeanette  
Provolt [countryathear.jp@verizon.net](mailto:countryathear.jp@verizon.net)

### **October 29/Corral 138**

Halloween Trail ride, Vasquez  
Contact: TBD

## **NOVEMBER 2025**

### **November 1/Corral 88**

Trail Ride, Oak Hills Contact:  
Lexi Albin (661) 388-8746

### **November 1/Corral 138**

Trail ride, Mescal Creek Contact Elaine  
(661) 946-1976 [emac43031@gmail.com](mailto:emac43031@gmail.com)

### **November 2 (rain date)/Corral 37**

Ranch Horse Show, Thousand Oaks  
Contact: Sharyn Henry  
[redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com](mailto:redhatcowgirl@yahoo.com)

### **November 4/Corral 83**

Trail ride, Vasquez Rocks Contact:  
Kim Brandon (661) 714-6038

### **November 8/Corral 20**

8th Annual Terry Kaiser Trail Trial,  
Hansen Dam Contact: Deb Mader/  
Becky Borquez (818) 262-7764  
[beckyborquez1@gmail.com](mailto:beckyborquez1@gmail.com)

### **November 8/ Corral 103**

Trail ride, Puma Canyon Contact:  
Dawn Walker (760) 961-7879  
[delta3743@verizon.net](mailto:delta3743@verizon.net)

### **November 8-9/Corral 22**

Camping, Mulligan Stew Ride, Mojave  
Narrows Trail boss: Billie McGuire  
Contact: Kathleen Smart (626) 590-6972  
[kathleensmart99@gmail.com](mailto:kathleensmart99@gmail.com)

### **November 9/Corral 43**

Gymkhana, Riverside Contact:  
Leslie Jones (310) 714-6877

### **November 15/Corral 12**

Sylmar Turkey ride Contact:  
Patty Hug [pattyhug@ca.rr.com](mailto:pattyhug@ca.rr.com)

### **November 15/Corral 54**

Trail ride, Paramount Ranch Contact:  
Carey Wendler (818) 266-7664

### **November 15/Corral 86**

Trail ride, Placerita Contact: Janette  
Beas (858) 692-6836

### **November 15/Corral 88**

Dusty Spurs Gymkhana Contact:  
Brandy Wade (760) 221-2325

### **November 16/Corral 138**

Trail ride, Acton Hills Contact: TBD

### **November 20/Corral 83**

Trail ride, Cal City Contact: TBD

### **November 22/Corral 66**

Trail Ride, Newberry Springs Contact:  
Jamie Rees (760) 953-7235

### **November 23/Corral 210**

Playday, Gibson Ranch Contact: Jeanette  
Provolt [countryathear.jp@verizon.net](mailto:countryathear.jp@verizon.net)

### **November 29/Corral 88**

#### **Rain Date**

Dusty Spurs Gymkhana Contact:  
Brandy Wade (760) 221-2325

## **DECEMBER 2025**

### **December 7/Corral 88**

Trail Ride, Vasquez Rocks Contact:  
Lexi Albin (661) 388-8746





## Equestrian Trails Inc.

## Coming Events Calendar

**Corrals: Is your event listed below? If not, let us know! Is your event being cancelled? If yes, please let us know! [insurance@etinational.com](mailto:insurance@etinational.com)**

**If it is not listed accurately, it won't be covered!**

**All checks coming to National must be made out to: ETI or ETI Equestrian**

### December 14/National

Christmas Ride, Griffith Park Contact:  
[office@etinational.com](mailto:office@etinational.com)

### December 14/Corral 54

Chatsworth Christmas Parade Contact:  
Carey Wendler (818) 266-7664

### December 14/Corral 138

La Cabana Christmas Toy ride Contact:  
Kimberly Dwight (661) 478-2770  
[jdwright@aol.com](mailto:jdwright@aol.com)

### December 28/Corral 210

Playday, Gibson Ranch Contact: Jeanette  
Provolt [countryshear.jp@verizon.net](mailto:countryshear.jp@verizon.net)

### NON ETI EVENTS

#### AVDR Gymkhana

Antelope Valley Desert Riders  
Contact: Alanna Layton  
[alannalayton@yahoo.com](mailto:alannalayton@yahoo.com)

#### Carousel Ranch Therapeutic Riding Program

(661) 268-8010

#### ELSA

Experience.Learning.Support.w/Animals  
Therapeutic riding program  
(310) 403-966 [www.elsainc.org](http://www.elsainc.org)

#### Head's Up Therapy on Horseback

Nancy (818) 848-0870  
[www.headsuptherapy.com](http://www.headsuptherapy.com)

#### Ride On Therapeutic Horsemanship

program for disabled riders  
(818) 700-2971 [www.rideon.org](http://www.rideon.org)

#### Shadow Hills Riding Club Therapeutic Riding Program

Contact Johnny: (818) 352-2166  
[www.shadowhillsridingclub.org](http://www.shadowhillsridingclub.org)



*A Happy Mother's Day to all mothers...  
human and equine!*



ETI Corral 20  
**TRAIL TRIAL**

**Saturday, May 17, 2025**  
**Ranger Park | Lake View Terrace**  
Corner of Foothill Blvd and Clybourn Ave

**NEW TRAIL. DIFFERENT OBSTACLES. SAME FUN.**  
Entry desk opens at 8am | First riders out 9am

**Silent Auction | 50-50 Raffle**

For more information: Becky Borquez (818) 262-7764 | beckyborquez1@gmail.com

**\$30 ETI Members | \$40 Non-ETI Members | AND a \$14 drug test fee** **\$25 Schooling Entry**

**Ribbons 1st-10th place in OPEN, NOVICE & JUNIOR DIVISIONS**

**STALLIONS MUST BE PRE-APPROVED & RIDERS OVER 18** **ALL RIDERS UNDER 18 MUST WEAR HELMETS**

Rider's Name:	<input type="text"/>	ETI Member? Corral #	<input type="text"/>	No					
Horse's Name:	<input type="text"/>	Email:	<input type="text"/>						
Address:	<input type="text"/>	City:	<input type="text"/>	Zip: <input type="text"/>					
Phone:	<input type="text"/>	Emergency Contact:	<input type="text"/>	Phone: <input type="text"/>					
Open:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Novice:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Schooling:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Helmet:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Waiver:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Junior (14 and under Jan 2026):	<input type="checkbox"/>	Jr. Birth Date:	<input type="text"/>						

ETI	Mon-ETI	Schooling
\$44	\$54	\$25

Total:  Check #

No refunds without doctor/vet statement  
Please make checks payable to ETI Corral 20. Mail with waiver to: 334 E. Fiesta Green, Port Hueneme, CA 93041

*"All we have to decide is what to do  
with the time that is given us."*

J.R.R. TOLKIEN,  
"THE LORD OF THE RINGS"





## ETI NATIONAL ANNUAL SPRING RIDE

**June 5 – June 8  
2025**

### **Chihuahua Valley Horse Camp, Warner Springs**

Individual Sites with  
Corrals, Water & Shade  
\* Arena \* Round Pen \*  
\* Wash Rack \* Showers \*  
\* Lots of Fun with Friends \*



\* Wagon-wheel rides \*  
Delicious food catered  
by our famous cook  
shack crew

Ride Chairs: Nikki Ahten & Tom Kirsch  
Contact Nikki Ahten Email: [OFFICE@ETINATIONAL.COM](mailto:OFFICE@ETINATIONAL.COM)

**PRICE: \$275 ETI MEMBERS – \$300 NON-MEMBERS BY MAY 10**

\$300 ETI members – \$325 Non-Members May 11-31

INCLUDES: Camp Fees, Dinner Thursday thru Breakfast Sunday

**RESERVATIONS DEADLINE MAY 20, 2025**

**\$50 NON-REFUNDABLE. AFTER MAY20 NO REFUNDS**

**MAIL APPLICATIONS TO: ETI OFFICE P.O BOX 920668, SYLMAR CA 91392**

**CHECKS PAYABLE TO: EQUESTRIAN TRAILS, INC.**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ CORRAL #: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME ON TAG: \_\_\_\_\_

PAYMENT BY CHECK #: \_\_\_\_\_ AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY CONTACT: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

TRAVELING/CAMPING WITH: \_\_\_\_\_ DIET: VEGETARIAN \_\_\_\_\_ REGULAR \_\_\_\_\_

Please use one form for each person. Make as many copies of this form as you need.  
Everyone must sign a Waiver & Release form that will be provided.



## Overview of SB 322

*This has been included for informational purposes. It's important to be aware.*

Senator Carolina Menjivar is spearheading SB 322, which aims to establish Urban Equestrian Incentive Zones. This bill provides local governments with the authority to create designated areas for equestrian activities through enforceable contracts with landowners. The primary goal is to preserve and promote equestrian heritage in urban areas while ensuring the availability of spaces for related activities amid growing development pressures.

The bill builds upon existing models, such as the Urban Agriculture Incentive Zones Act, to facilitate the voluntary preservation of land for equestrian use. Local jurisdictions will have the ability to designate such zones and set forth regulations for their administration. SB 322 is the first effort to preserve the historic equestrian lifestyle and cultural significance of California and its historic role in the Southwest.

This bill is a gateway effort to support other multimodal sustainability initiatives by creating a local jurisdictional process for local agencies to work towards long-term trail preservation, greenways, and wildlife corridors within the Urban Equestrian Incentive Zones. It increases access to recreation and agricultural awareness as part of a cohesive system and establishes a new framework to support the ongoing work of environmental coalitions seeking to preserve biodiversity within the contiguous corridors.

### Summary of SB 322 – Urban Equestrian Incentive Zones

SB 322, introduced by Senator Carolina Menjivar, establishes Urban Equestrian Incentive Zones, allowing cities and counties to voluntarily protect and promote equestrian land use. This legislation provides local governments with the ability to enter into enforceable contracts with landowners to dedicate land for equestrian activities, ensuring the preservation of these spaces amid increasing development pressures.

#### Key Provisions of SB 322:

- **Creation of Urban Equestrian Incentive Zones:** Local jurisdictions may establish these zones through ordinances after public hearings.
- **Voluntary Landowner Contracts:** Property owners can enter into contracts with cities/counties to restrict their land for equestrian uses for a minimum of five years.
- **Parcel Size Limits:** Eligible properties range from 0.1 to 3 acres.
- **Permitted Structures:** The bill allows necessary equestrian-related structures, such as stables, barns, riding arenas, tack rooms, and instructional spaces.
- **Residential Restrictions:** Prohibits new dwellings on contracted properties, except for livestock caretaker residences.
- **Expiration Clause:** No new contracts can be issued under this program after January 1, 2029.





## Why This Bill Matters

California has a deep-rooted equestrian history, with communities and events that contribute to the state's cultural and economic landscape. However, urban expansion has put these spaces at risk. SB 322 aims to provide a solution by preserving and encouraging equestrian land use while balancing local development needs.

This legislation recognizes that equestrian activities offer:

- Cultural significance: Protecting California's long-standing equestrian traditions for future generations.
- Recreational benefits: Ensuring continued access to horse riding and related activities.
- Economic value: Supporting industries related to horse care, training, and tourism that contribute an estimated \$11.6 billion to the state's economy.
- Sustainability: Encouraging green land use practices in urban environments.

By securing dedicated equestrian spaces, SB 322 ensures that this integral part of California's heritage remains accessible to future generations.

## Call to Action: Request for Support Letters

To ensure the success of SB 322, we are seeking letters of support from local elected officials. These letters will help demonstrate broad backing for the bill and encourage legislative momentum.

We request that all support letters be addressed to Senator Carolina Menjivar.

## Sample Support Letter Template

[Official Letterhead of the Elected Official]

[Date]

The Honorable Carolina Menjivar  
California State Senate  
[Office Address]  
Sacramento, CA [ZIP Code]

Dear Senator Menjivar,

I am writing to express my strong support for Senate Bill 322 (SB 322), which seeks to establish Urban Equestrian Incentive Zones across California. As an elected representative of [City/County/Organization], I recognize the vital role that equestrian spaces play in preserving our state's rich cultural heritage, providing recreational opportunities, and supporting local economies.

California's equestrian communities contribute to our state's identity and offer numerous environmental,



educational, and economic benefits. Unfortunately, increasing urbanization and land-use pressures have put these spaces at risk. SB 322 offers a proactive solution by allowing local governments to voluntarily designate and protect land for equestrian purposes, ensuring that these important spaces remain accessible for future generations.

This bill aligns with our goals of promoting smart urban planning, protecting green spaces, and fostering a sustainable balance between development and heritage preservation. By enacting SB 322, we can safeguard equestrian activities while maintaining flexibility for local governments to tailor zoning regulations to their specific needs.

I urge my colleagues in the legislature to support SB 322 and ensure its passage. Thank you for your leadership on this important issue, and I look forward to working together to preserve California's equestrian heritage.

Sincerely,

[Name]

[Title]

[City/County/Organization]

[Contact Information]

Your support for SB 322 will help ensure that California's equestrian heritage remains protected for future generations. Please reach out with any questions or if additional information is needed.

Thank you for your time and consideration.



The April 23rd meeting has already passed, but if you'd still like to support, here are the emails:

[Senator.Menjivar@Senate.ca.gov](mailto:Senator.Menjivar@Senate.ca.gov)

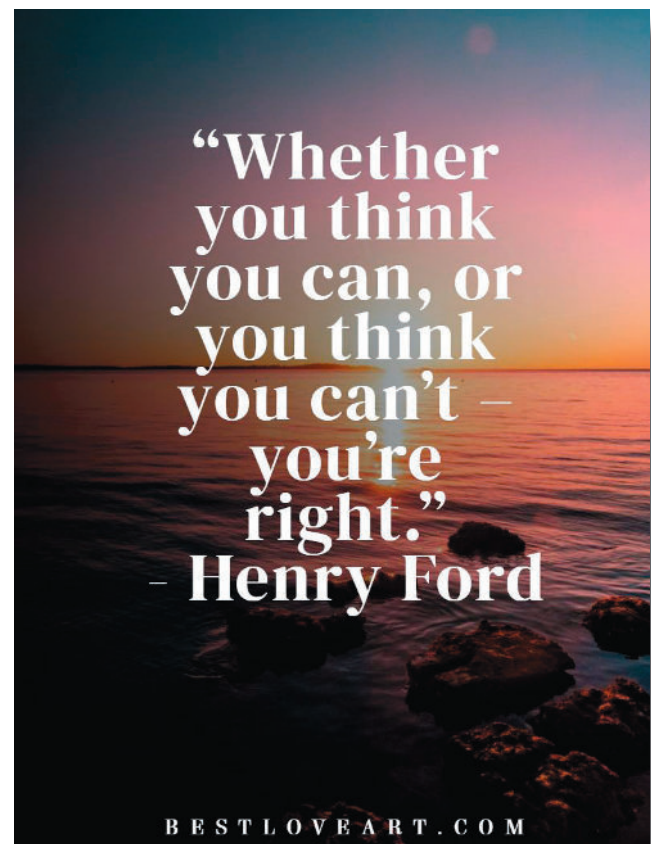
[councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org](mailto:councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org)





We all need encouragement and positive energy...especially these days. Each month, I'm going to send some positivity your way on this page. If you have a favorite saying, please share at [magazine@etinal.com](mailto:magazine@etinal.com) and I'll include the following month!!

Your Editor







## Garden Grown Treats For Your Horse

By yourhorsefarm.com; May 5, 2022

The weather is warming up and I know many in my area are getting their gardens up and running. I figured now is an ideal time to discuss what garden-grown treats are acceptable to feed your horse!

If you're anything like me and strongly dislike seeing perfectly fine food just sit because your garden has grown an abundance of it, then listen up.

I have compiled a list of horse-approved treats and how to best feed them:

**Watermelon:** The biggest thing most people worry about when it comes to feeding your horse watermelon is the seemingly high sugar content, but wait! A serving of watermelon is literally 90% water making its actual sugar content not that high. Dice up the watermelon flesh and the rind and let your beloveds enjoy a little warm weather fun too!



**Celery:** Celery contains many different types of vitamins and minerals, such as Vitamins A, B, C, and K. It also contains Phosphorus, Magnesium, fiber, and water.

This makes it another great treat for your horse to ingest. They can eat both the stock



and the leaves so next time you find yourself wanting to share a bite with your bestie, cut it up and enjoy!

**Peas:** Peas are a great source of vitamins A, D, and B-6, as well as calcium, iron, and magnesium. And the plus side is they are already small enough so they don't need to be cut!



**Pumpkin:** Horses can most definitely chow down on some pumpkins, including the seeds too! It is important to remember to cut them into bite-sized pieces to avoid choking.



**Green Beans:** Garden-grown green beans

are perfect for your horses. Please don't feed them fresh green beans from the grocery store because those have typically been sprayed with





## Garden Grown Treats For Your Horse (cont.)

By yourhorsefarm.com; May 5, 2022

pesticides and can cause way more harm than your own home-grown green beans.

**Carrots:** Do I even need to give this one an explanation?! I mean, we all know horses love carrots!



Additional fresh produce that horses can eat are bananas, grapes, apples, berries, and most of the melon family!



A few words of caution before you begin feeding your garden-grown treats to your horses:

First, please remember to cut them into bite-sized pieces so your horse does not choke. A bite-sized piece to a horse is a smidge smaller than two inches. I know I repeated this a lot but that's because it's probably the most important part of feeding garden-grown treats to your horse.

Second, always be cautious if your horse is insulin resistant. If you have a horse that is insulin resistant,

but you still want to let them indulge in a tasty treat try feeding them either only the peel of the fruit or just a small amount of the fruit itself.

If there's something you'd like to add to this let's drop a comment below or reach out to me on my personal Instagram at [@unbridledmama](https://www.instagram.com/unbridledmama).







# Spring Horse Care: 11 Tips To Get Ready For Riding Season

By Redmondequine.com; February 28, 2023

Baby, it may be cold outside now...but it won't be for long. Before you know it, winter will be a fading memory and riding season will be in full swing. So how do you ensure your horses are healthy and ready to take on the challenges of a busy spring and summer? The tips below about caring for horses in spring will help you get the season started right.

## Preparing and Caring for Horses in Spring

We asked championship riders and professional trainers what horse chores owners should do to get ready for spring and compiled their answers for you. If you want to ride like a pro, try preparing like one! Here are 11 horse care tips to improve health, maintain tack and equipment, and organize your calendar as you head into spring training and competition.



### 1. Schedule a Springtime Horse Health Checkup

First things first, don't skip the vet. Book appointments early to ensure your

horse gets an annual wellness exam, spring shots, and dental care. A pre-season exam can give you a broad view of your horse's health and is a good time to discuss medical history and plans for training and activities.

We tapped veterinarian Dr. Jessica Huntington's knowledge about what maintenance needs to be done on a horse annually. Here's what you can expect your vet to discuss and do at a springtime checkup:

- \* Annual exam (includes physical, oral/dental, lameness and neurological)
- \* Discuss if annual blood work is necessary
- \* Update recommended vaccines and Coggins test
- \* Discuss diet (forage, grains, and supplements)
- \* Discuss current weight management (does your horse need to increase, decrease or maintain its current weight)

- \* Discuss current level of exercise and competition
- \* Discuss any general concerns you may have

### 2. Stay on Top of Hoof Care

Winter and spring bring their own hoof concerns. Whether you keep your horses shod or have them go barefoot in the winter, maintaining healthy hooves will make the spring transition much smoother when hoof growth picks up. If it's been six to eight weeks since your horse last saw the farrier, pick up the phone and schedule an appointment before serious riding begins.



Also watch for and treat these hoof conditions that occur in horses in wet spring weather:

- \* Hoof cracks
- \* Frog sloughing
- \* Thrush
- \* White line disease
- \* Abscesses

### 3. Stock up on Fly Protection for Horses

While spring abounds with things to look forward to, flies and mosquitoes aren't one of them. They carry disease and bacteria and cause significant stress for horses—and you. Don't wait for pests to be a problem around your barn! Gather fly gear and check its fit and condition now so it's ready when your horse needs it. Also stock up on preferred fly repellants and eliminators early. (Get additional spring fly-fighting strategies here.)





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### 4. Create Your Events Calendar

If you're riding competitively, list all the shows and events you want to attend during the year and put them on your calendar. Think of it as a visual whiteboard to inspire and guide your success. It will help you map out training and logistics while keeping your goals literally in sight.



### 5. Clean Tack and Brushes

Spring is the time to tidy up the tack shed. And we're not talking about a quick once-over, but a good, deep cleaning. Get your gear gleaming in a way you don't have time for during the busy season. Also, don't overlook things like brushes, which can harbor bacteria.

Here's a quick review on how to clean horse brushes so they're brisk and ready to care for the spring coat:

- \* Scrape a curry comb over bristles to remove dust and hair.
- \* Dunk brushes in soapy water with a splash of mouthwash added to disinfect and freshen.
- \* Agitate brushes and then rinse thoroughly.
- \* Set out to dry in a warm, sunny place.

Spring is a great time to clean tack and horse brushes

### 6. Wash Horse Blankets

You know how hard it is to get horse blankets washed when they're in daily use. So grab a good book and

take a trip to the laundromat for a mass cleaning. Take care to check tags first, though; you don't want to ruin a favorite blanket with the wrong washing method. Also, handy mesh bags are available to contain horse wear during cleaning. The bag protects your washer (or the laundromat's) from blanket buckles and keeps hair and gunk out of the machine.

### 7. Don't Skip Winter and Spring Horse Rides

An elite athlete doesn't stop training during the off-season, and neither should your horse. Riding all winter prevents injury and keeps them physically fit for competition. Even if your horse is on vacation during cold months, they need exercise. Turn-outs may not be enough, so get them out and active. Here are tips to help you ride safely during winter and enjoy your time together.

### 8. Give Your Horse Minerals and Electrolytes

Dehydration is a year-round concern, but the worry jumps when you ramp up training and the thermometer climbs. On average, horses need at least 5 gallons of water daily for simple body maintenance. That's a baseline. If your horse is working hard in hot weather, water requirements can easily double or triple that amount.



Provide your horse a free-choice salt rock or mineral block, a daily loose mineral salt, and keep an electrolyte product on hand for extreme days of heat or intense exercise. The minerals will trigger



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thirst, help your horse drink more and stay consistently hydrated through summer.

## 9. Work on Horse Body Condition Score

Now is the time to make tweaks that will improve your horse's body condition score (BCS) before competitions begin. Does he need fattening up? Slimming? Work with a vet or equine trainer to formulate a plan to take you through the rest of the year. Dr. Huntington recommends evaluating these three things to tune up your horse's BCS:

1. Are your equine athlete's complete nutritional requirements being met? With increased exercise, calories may need to increase also.
2. Is your athlete working too hard... or not enough? Ensure you're exercising your horse at the proper level to give it the best chance to stay injury-free.

3. Is your horse fit and ready to travel? Discuss with your vet what supplements may help your equine athlete have the safest travel experience possible.

Recommended horse body condition score (1-9) for performance horses, mares, and stallions.

## 10. Set Up an Equine Chiropractic Adjustment

Having an equine chiropractor evaluate your horse before you bring them back to work will ensure its body is aligned correctly. Correct alignment prevents soreness and allows horses to carry themselves properly and use their bodies well. During the exam, the chiropractor will palpate your horse's joints and check range of motion in the spine and legs, then make any adjustments. Many veterinarians are already certified in animal chiropractic, and yours may be as well. Give 'em a call to find out.

## 11. Do Truck & Horse Trailer Maintenance

Clean and perform necessary maintenance on your ride so you're ready to roll when it's time. Spring is also a great time to perform annual horse trailer inspections. The weather is nice and you'll be using them more often in the coming months. Use this horse trailer maintenance checklist to help you inspect key areas of your trailer.

### Spring Into Action

Got a unique springtime task of your own? Add it to the list and get started! Horse needs vary, and you know best what your equine requires to head into the spring and summer seasons healthy.

Blog thanks to: <https://blog.redmondequine.com/12-ways-to-prepare-for-spring-and-keep-your-horse-healthy>

### EVALUATE YOUR HORSE'S BODY CONDITION SCORE

Your vet or equine trainer can help you evaluate and improve your horse's BCS (amount of stored body fat) during spring training.

#### 6 MAIN CHECKPOINTS

#### RECOMMENDED BCS SCORES

Performance horse:	4 - 5
Breeding mare:	6 - 7
Stallion:	5 - 6

(Source: Iowa State University)





# SPRING EQUINE HEALTH CHECKLIST



Schedule an annual wellness exam.



Visit the farrier and watch for spring hoof issues.



Ready fly repellents, gear, and eliminators.



Calendar competitive events you plan to attend.



Clean, polish and repair tack and brushes.



Wash warm-weather horse blankets.



Keep your horse active through winter.



Provide minerals and electrolytes for hydration.



Evaluate and improve body condition score.



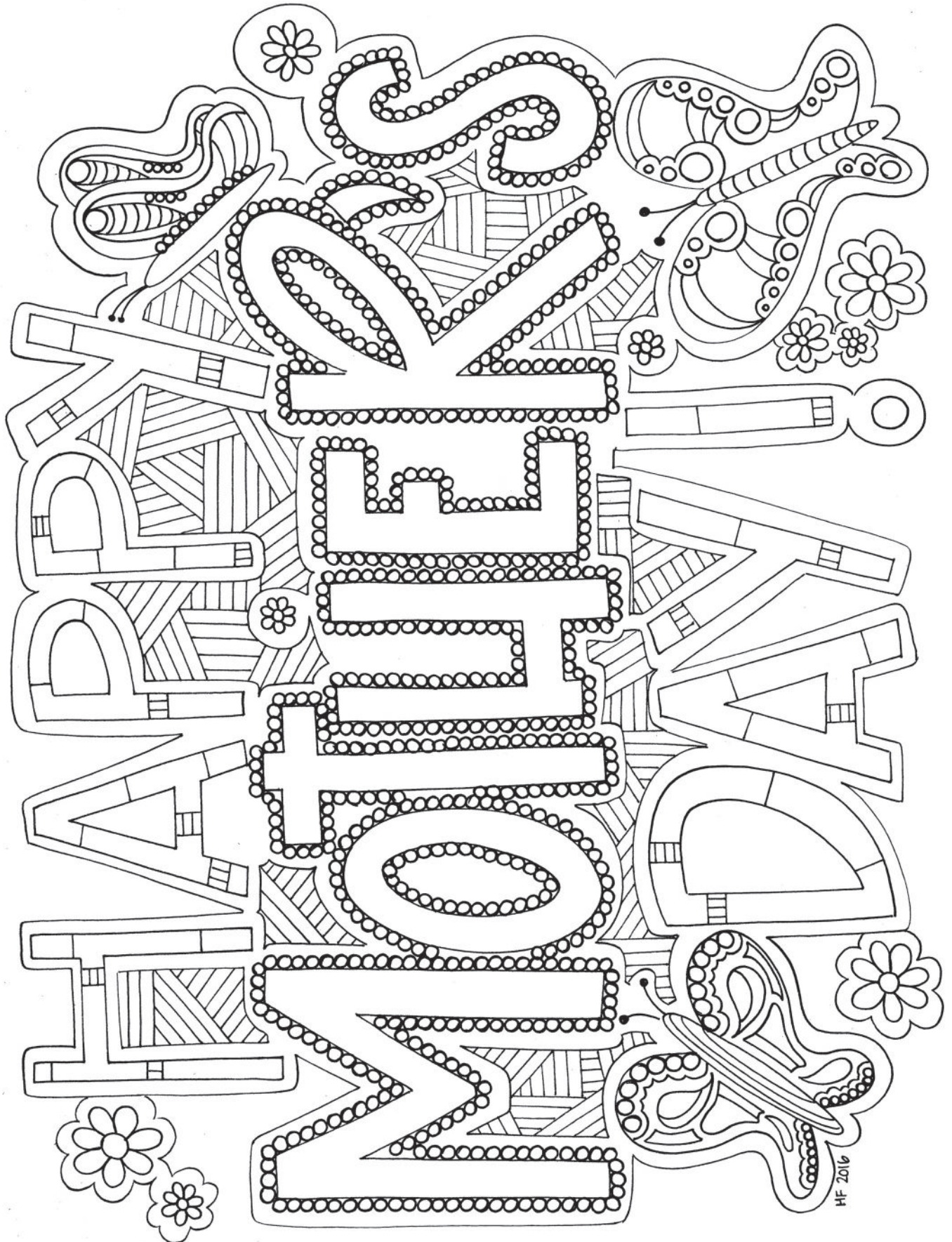
Visit an equine chiropractor for alignment.



Perform truck and horse trailer maintenance.









# Happy Mothers Day



## APPRECIATION

BEAUTIFUL

BREAKFAST

CANDY

CHARMING

COMFORT

DEVOTED

FLOWERS

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GIFTS

GUIDANCE

HUGS

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JOY

KISSES

LAUGHTER

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MATERNAL

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MOTHER

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PERFUME

PROTECTIVE

SHARE

TELEPHONE

TENDER

## THE BEST

WARM

WISE

**DIRECTIONS:**  
Find and circle the vocabulary words in the grid. Look for them in all directions including backwards and diagonally.



# Trail Rider Award Program

## T. R. A. P.



It's TRAP! What is "TRAP" you ask?  
TRAP is ETI's Trail Rider Award Program!



What does it do?  
A heck of a lot more than it sounds!

If you have any questions about the TRAP Program, call TRAP Chairperson Carol Elliott, (760) 963-8209. All completed logs and CHECKS should be sent to Carol Elliott: 6990 Ord View Rd; Apple Valley Ca 92308. [happy2appy@yahoo.com](mailto:happy2appy@yahoo.com)

All your TRAP dues of \$6.00 are due in January.

ETI TRAP keeps computerized logs on how many hours members are riding and where.

In this day and age, when trails are giving way to housing developments, it is crucial that records be kept on trail usage.

ETI Corrals in all areas are finding themselves having to defend their riding areas more and more against encroaching civilization. On several occasions, TRAP records have been instrumental in maintaining trail access.

When a Corral calls ETI TRAP and identifies a specific problem area, TRAP not only provides them with actual riding statistics of usage, but TRAP members are notified to increase usage and support in that particular area.

Documentation from 'trail logs' turned in by TRAP members are proof that trails are being used by equestrians.

ETI TRAP acknowledges hours in the saddle with shoulder patches and pins that can be attached almost anywhere.

Lest we offend the "cart" people, TRAP also counts those non-arena hours of driving time spent on the trails.

How much does all this cost? It's cheap!!! The fee to join TRAP is only \$12.00 (you must maintain current ETI membership); then the TRAP membership is maintained each year for only \$6.00.

You will start by receiving the TRAP main shoulder patch (about the size of a police patch), and your log sheets. As you hit the hour goals (100, 200, 500, etc.), additional patches will be sent to you. When you reach the higher levels, your hours will be acknowledged with pins instead of patches.

**Why should the Show people get all the awards?**



## TRAIL RIDER AWARD

### Program application



Name \_\_\_\_\_ Corral # \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone(\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

New \$12. \_\_\_\_\_ Renew \$6. \_\_\_\_\_ ALL DUE January 1 or NOW

Send with Check, Money Order or Credit Card info \_\_\_\_\_

**NEW Mail to: Carol Elliott, ETI TRAP; 6990 Ord View Rd; Apple Valley CA, 92308**





# CORRAL NEWS

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## Corral 3

Walnut Creek

Pres. Cindi Schaub

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## Corral 10

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Pres. Pam Miller

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## Corral 12

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Western Wagons Mojave

Pres. Jeanette Hayhurst

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## Corral 20

Shadow Hills Rough Riders

Pres. Cheri Ovayan

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## Corral 22

Intervalley Trail Riders

Pres. Kathleen Smart

(626) 590-6792

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We have some great events/rides coming up:

May 10: Progressive Dinner Ride / Agua Dulce

July 12: Mt. Pinos with C12 / Frazier Park

Aug 18-Aug 25: Morro Bay / Montana de Oro State Park

For more information, please check us out at [www.corral22.com](http://www.corral22.com)!

Kathleen Smart, RN MSN MBA  
(626) 590-6972



## Corral 35

Oak Canyon Riding Club

Glendora

Pres. Dottie Hilliard

(626) 335-7112



The month of April has been a busy time for Corral 35. We have enjoyed many weather changes and have tried to make the best of current happenings in our areas. As well as the usual activities, we have helped fellow equestrians in our neighboring communities cope with fire evacuations and animal relocations, as well as family relocations. Equestrians are good people and willing helpers. With hope, we are moving forward as the days pass on and the healing continues.

### 2019 "What Do I Do with My Horse, Cat, Dog, Child, Gerbil in Fire, Flood, and/or Earthquake?"

Are your animals MICROCHIPPED? FIRE SEASON never disappears here in Southern California! MICROCHIPS - A 'must have item' if you must evacuate your property, and you want to get your animal(s) safely back home again. So easy to get through your veterinarian.

Hopefully you still have your copy of this booklet! If you cannot find your copy, you may download this booklet FREE at [www.etinational.com](http://www.etinational.com), look for Forms & Documents. For information, contact Stephanie Abronson (818) 222 PONY; [Stephanie@abronson.com](mailto:Stephanie@abronson.com).

### ALWAYS BE PREPARED FOR FIRES!

THIS SEASON -- When you drive past the Fire Dept. Forestry Unit on Las Virgenes Rd. and notice that the warning sign says "HIGH FIRE DANGER", take special notice!! We are at risk! Our children are at risk! Our animals are at risk! Our homes are at risk! BE PREPARED!! Get out your copy of: "What Do I Do with My Horse, Cat, Dog, Child, Gerbil in Fire, Flood, and/or Earthquake?"



Every inch of this booklet is helpful whether you own a horse or not.



We opened the month with Glendora Trails Day in Big Dalton Canyon on April 5. Along with the Glendora Rotary Club, we served a lunch comprised of grilled hot dogs and all the trimmings to a group of over 50 hungry volunteer trail workers. My horse, Sera, was very patient as youngsters of all ages, petted, and fed her apples, while I instructed folks on proper trail etiquette when encountering a horse and rider on the trail. I am always amazed at the number of people who have never touched a real live horse!

Corral 35 was very popular at Glendora's Earth Day celebration on April 26 at our local Finkbiner Park. Sera, once again, was the center of attention at our display and was greeted by her ever growing fan club. She also participated in the Blessing of the Animals at this event. She was well behaved and a perfect representative of Corral 35.

Looking forward, we are planning a training session on May 31 by the San Dimas Mounted Posse at our arena. This is always fun to watch as well as a great learning session in horsemanship. The public is invited to come and watch.

Please take the time to read our ad in this issue of the magazine (page 4) regarding our Annual Rattlesnake Awareness Training event on Saturday, June 21. This is a life saving training for you and your dog, as well as a heads up for equestrians.

As summer weather approaches, Corral 35 invites all of our ETI friends to contact us, and join us in some great local trail rides. We have a beautiful facility and well maintained trails to ride. Why not?

Happy Trails,  
Dottie Hilliard

### Corral 37

Conejo Riders  
Thousand Oaks  
Pres. Sharyn Henry  
(805) 795-6493  
[www.eticorral37.org](http://www.eticorral37.org)



### Corral 38

Griffith Park Equestrians  
Burbank/Glendale  
Pres. Diana Hoch  
(818) 841-6422  
[www.corral38eti.com](http://www.corral38eti.com)



### Corral 43

Tri Valley Riders  
Nuevo/Riverside/Norco/Hemet  
Pres. Leslie Jones  
(310) 714-6877



### Corral 54

Rocky Hill Riders  
Chatsworth  
Pres. Carey Wendler  
[careywendler@yahoo.com](mailto:careywendler@yahoo.com)



### Corral 66

Route 66 Riders  
Barstow/Newberry Springs  
Pres. Jamie Rees  
(760) 953-7235



We had a very successful play day on April 19. Ten adults and four children participated in the trail and gymkhana course. Overall, there were 36 people at the play day.







Our next event is the Corral 66 Kentucky Derby Day on May 2. We will gather around 2pm, eat dinner and watch the Kentucky Derby. There will be a hat contest. Bring your favorite dish to share. For more information, please contact Jamie Rees at (760) 953-7235.

Jamie Rees  
President

### Corral 83

Tehachapi Mountain Riders  
Tehachapi  
Pres. Carolyn McIntyre  
(661) 972-2337



### Corral 86

Vasquez Vaqueros  
Agua Dulce/Canyon Country/Acton  
Pres. Shirlee Kurtz  
(805) 573-6406







## Corral 88

Tri Community Horsemen  
Phelan/Pinon Hills/Wrightwood  
Pres. Noel Cook  
(951) 427-9243



Not many poppies to be found on our April trail ride, so we ventured a different direction. Google describes it as an Antelope Acres Obelisk, dates from somewhere in the 1950's-1960's. Listed it's original purpose as being unclear, and now used as a point of reference.



The Spring Fling Obstacle Challenge was the 2nd in our series, and most took the change in decorations in stride.

Giant bunnies and chicks were littered on the course, and one obstacle had us hunting for eggs to put in a basket.







In-Hand Horse 1st: Deborah Jasper - Copper  
2nd: Roger Gregoire - Smartie  
3rd: Pam Garon - Zac  
4th: Taylor Kerr  
5th: Cindy Franey - Sophie

Novice 1st: Avalea Uhas - Buddy  
2nd: Tandy Kerr - Roma  
3rd: Kimberly Torres - Barbie

Intermediate 1st: Katrina Jackson - Shy

Advanced 1st: Lilly Adams - Sabrina

### Dusty Spurs April Gymkhana awards:

Lil Spurs: Angelina Reeves

Youth Champion: Karlee Hutton  
Reserve: McKensy Festa

AA Champion: Zahara Wood

Reserve: Ashlynn Rush

A Champion: June Olson  
Reserve: Kesanee Guzman

FCA Champion: Pam Garon  
Reserve: Sophia Nabors

FCY Champion: Addie DeYoung  
Reserve: Ella White

W/T Champion: Deborah Jasper  
Reserve: Kimberly Rush



### Placings for #2 Obstacle Challenge:

In-Hand Mini 1st: Cynda Henry - Picasso  
2nd: Susie Finley - Kojak  
3rd: Cynda Henry - Okie  
4th: Susie Figley - Oreo  
5th: Kathy Siverson - Once in a Blue Moon  
6th: Susie Figley - Cody



From left to Right. Pam Garon, Kesanee Guzman, June Olson, Kimberly Rush, Deborah Jasper, Sophia Nabors, Karlee Hutton, McKensy Festa, Zahara Woods, Ashlynn Rush and Addie DeYoung.

It's that time of the year again! 2 Day Buckle Gymkhana coming up in May!!!





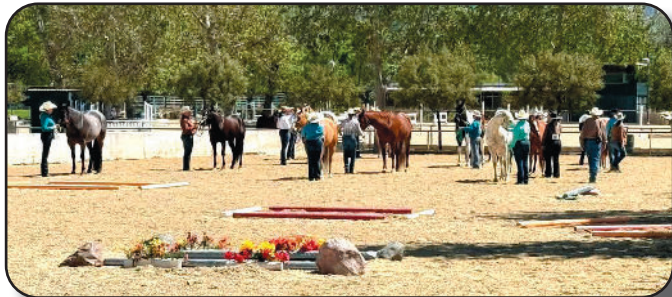
## Corral 101

Route 101 Horse Show Circuit  
Lake View Terrace  
Pres. Dawn Surprenant  
(661) 433-9069  
[www.route101horshow.com](http://www.route101horshow.com)



If you've joined us at one of our shows, you already know—we don't just bring the fun, we gallop it in!

Our most recent event was truly one to remember. We're incredibly proud of the talented riders, the supportive families cheering from the sidelines, and, of course, our remarkable horses. A highlight of this show? A brand-new water feature in the ranch trail course! It brought an extra splash of authenticity to the competition, giving participants a real taste of ranch life—and the horses handled it like seasoned pros.



Looking ahead, we're excited to introduce something new at our upcoming show: the Dad Lead Line Class! That's right—we're putting the dads in the spotlight. Whether they're experienced riders or stepping into the stirrups for the very first time (with a little coaching from their kids), it

promises to be a heartwarming and unforgettable moment. Cowboy boots are optional, but big smiles are guaranteed.

So go ahead—mark your calendars, saddle up, and get ready for another great time. We'll see you May 31–June 1 at Hansen Dam Horse Park!

Kristina Kutzbach

## Corral 103

Hesperia Happy Horsemen  
Hesperia/Apple Valley  
Pres. Dawn Walker  
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## Corral 118

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## Corral 138

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Pres. Kimberly Dwight  
(661) 478-2770



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Sunland/Gibson Ranch  
Pres. Jeanette Provolt  
(818) 472-6537







### Biological Controls - *Nature's Way*

Encourage the use of swallows, bats and other insect eating animals on your residence. For more information, call: 1 (800) 974-9794

### Chemical Controls - *Your Last Resort*

Use these least-toxic products:

- Pyrethrin-based insecticides
- Dehydrating dusts (e.g. silica gel)
- Insecticidal soaps
- Horticultural oils

### Pesticide Disposal



Rinse empty pesticide containers and treat the rinse water as you would the product. Dispose of empty containers in the trash.

City of Los Angeles residents should dispose of unused household toxics at a HazMobile instead of into the sink. Call 1 (800) 98-TOXIC (8-6942) for the location nearest you.

### Dumping toxics into the street, gutter or storm drain is illegal!

Residents outside the City of Los Angeles can call the reference numbers listed in this pamphlet to learn more about the proper disposal of household toxics.



### Spill Response Agencies

**City of Los Angeles**  
Department of Public Works, Bureau of Engineering  
Stormwater Management Division  
1 (800) 974-9794

**City of Los Angeles**  
Police Department, Hazardous Materials Unit  
(213) 237-2793 or (213) 485-4011  
**Los Angeles Fire Department**  
Health/Hazardous Materials Program  
City: (213) 485-6185 County: (213) 890-4045

### Recycling & Hazardous Waste Disposal

**City of Los Angeles**  
Small Business Hazardous Waste Hotline  
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**Solid Resources Citywide Recycling Division**  
(213) 847-1444

**Los Angeles County**  
Department of Public Works  
Recycling & Household Hazardous Waste Hotline  
1 (800) 552-5218

### To Report Illegal Dumping

**City of Los Angeles**  
Department of Public Works, Bureau of Engineering  
Stormwater Management Division  
1 (800) 974-9794

**Los Angeles County**  
Department of Public Works  
1 (800) 303-0003

### To Report a Clogged Catch Basin

**City of Los Angeles**  
Department of Public Works, Bureau of Engineering  
Stormwater Management Division  
1 (800) 974-9794

**Los Angeles County**  
Department of Public Works  
(818) 458-HELP

*This is one in a series of pamphlets describing storm drain protection measures. Other pamphlets include:*

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1 (800) 974-9794  
www.LAstormwater.org

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## Stormwater Best Management Practices (BMPs)



## Horse Owners & Equine Industry

Safe Environmental Habits and Procedures for:

- Boarding Stables
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- Small Farms
- Urban Horse Owners

Stormwater Management Division Department of Public Works



## Ocean Pollution Prevention It's Up to Us



Los Angeles has two drainage systems—the sewers and the **storm drains**. The storm drain system was designed to prevent flooding by carrying excess rainwater away from city streets out to the ocean.

Because the system contains no filters, it now serves the *unintended* function of carrying urban pollution straight to the ocean.

This pamphlet tells you how to prevent ocean pollution from "stormwater" or "urban runoff."

Rain, industrial and household water mixed with urban pollutants creates stormwater pollution. The pollutants include: oil and other automotive fluids, paint and construction debris, yard and pet wastes, pesticides and litter.

Urban runoff pollution flows to the ocean through the storm drain system—1,500 miles of pipes that take water and debris straight from Los Angeles streets to the ocean. Each day, 100 million gallons of polluted urban runoff enter the ocean untreated, leaving toxic chemicals in our surf and over 4,300 tons of trash on our beaches annually.

Urban runoff pollution contaminates the ocean, closes beaches, harms aquatic life and increases the risk of inland flooding by clogging gutters and catch basins.

These Best Management Practices (BMPs) will ensure a cleaner ocean and city.

### Animal Waste Problems

Animal waste contributes to ocean pollution when it is improperly stored or left uncovered near small streams and storm drains. During rainfall, it is washed into storm drains and flows untreated, directly into the ocean.

Animal waste contains some nutrients—phosphorus and nitrogen—as well as bacteria. The nutrients fertilize the aquatic plants causing their proliferation which depletes oxygen in the water, killing sea life. The high bacteria levels in the water can cause gastrointestinal disorders and other medical problems for swimmers.

Sediment is also a common pollutant washed from pastures and livestock facilities.

It creates multiple problems once it enters the ocean. It harms sea life by clogging the gills of fish, blocking light transmission and increasing ocean water temperature.



### Solutions

#### Facilities Design

- Site barns, corrals and other high-use areas on the portion of property that drains away from the nearest creek or stream.
- Install gutters that will divert runoff away from livestock area.
- Design diversion terraces which drain into areas with sufficient vegetation to filter the flow.
- Protect manure storage facilities from rainfall and surface runoff.

### Pasture Management

- Confine animals in properly fenced areas except for exercise and grazing time.
- Corrals, stables and barns should be located on higher ground when possible and surrounded by pasture to act as a natural filtration system.
- Utilize fencing to keep horses away from environmentally sensitive areas and protect stream banks from contamination.
- Use manure and soiled bedding sparingly to fertilize pastures and croplands.

### Grazing Management

- Establish healthy and vigorous pastures with at least 3 inches of leafy material present.
- Subdivide grazing areas into three or more units of equal size.
- Clip tall weeds and old grass to control weeds and stimulate grass regrowth.
- Rotate animals to clean pasture when grass is grazed down to 3-4 inches.
- Let pasture regrow to 8-10 inches before allowing regrowing.
- Keep animals away from wet fields when possible.
- During heavy rainfall, consider indoor feeding, a practice which keeps more manure under roof and away from runoff.



### Collection and Storage

Collect soiled bedding and manure on a daily basis from stalls and paddocks and place in temporary or long-term storage units. Store in sturdy, insect resistant and seepage free units such as:

- Plastic garbage cans with lids.
- Fly-tight wooden or concrete storage sheds.
- Composters.
- Pits or trenches lined with an impermeable layer.



### Use and Disposal

- Compost soiled bedding and manure for your own use.
- Give away composted material to local greenhouses, nurseries and botanical parks.
- Transport manure to topsoil companies or composting centers.
- Fertilize pastures, cropland and lawns with manure and soiled bedding. **Do not** apply fertilizer just before or during rainstorms.

### Pesticide Alternatives

The "chemicals only" approach to pest control is only a temporary fix. *Integrated Pest Management* is a more common sense approach for a long-term solution. Plan your "IPM" strategy in this order:

- Physical Controls
- Pheromone Traps
- Tarps
- Bug Zappers
- Fly-Tight Storage Sheds







## WAIVER & RELEASE FOR EQUESTRIAN TRAILS, INC., ACTIVITIES

This Is A Waiver of Your Legal Rights, And An Agreement Not To Sue  
Serious Injury Or Death May Result From Riding Or Being Near Horses

ETI Event \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

1. Participant's Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: ( \_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ ETI Member \_\_\_\_ If Yes, Corral #: \_\_\_\_\_

2. **Liability Release.**

In consideration for Equestrian Trails, Inc. ("ETI") allowing me or my child to voluntarily participate in its activities, I agree as follows:

- a. This agreement, waiver and release applies to ETI and to ETI's affiliated Corrals, committees, employees, predecessors, successors, attorneys, insurers, members and volunteers who are working in the course and scope of their duties on behalf of ETI, including its affiliated Corrals, at the time of occurrence of any act or omission which is later alleged to be a cause or contribution to a claim for injury, damages or death ("Released Parties");
- b. I forever release, hold harmless and indemnify Released Parties from liability for any and all claims, demands, causes of action, damages, injuries or death to me, my minor children, my horse and my property, and legal liability of every nature, including the negligent acts or omissions of any Released Parties, whether known or unknown, anticipated or unanticipated, direct or indirect, arising out of participation in the past, present or future ETI activities (including equestrian activities, such as the riding, use of, or being near, horses, whether at an arena, stable or on a trail ride in association with ETI) and I assume all risks of injury or death as set forth in this release;
- c. I shall not bring any lawsuit, action or proceeding against any Released Parties, even if they engage in negligent conduct; and
- d. I make this agreement, waiver and release for and on behalf of myself, my spouse, my child and/or ward, heirs, administrators, successors, representatives and assigns.

3. **Activity Risk.**

I understand that some ETI activities take place in isolated or wilderness areas over rough terrain, and/or trails of unknown condition and others take place on land or in facilities owned and managed by others from whom such land or facilities are borrowed or rented. I understand that the organizers, workers and members involved in ETI activities are not professionals in the horse industry, or in the planning or conducting of trips or camping events, or in other areas of expertise involved in ETI activities. I also understand that horseback riding is a rugged adventure, recreational sport activity. I am aware that there are numerous obvious and non-obvious inherent risks of serious injury or death, or property damage, to me or my horse, which are always present in ETI activities, on or near horses. I understand that pregnant women are specifically advised not to ride horses. I understand that ETI is a non-profit club of private individuals who have come together to support and enjoy recreation-oriented activities.

4. **Nature of Horses.**

I understand that no horse is completely safe, and the Released Parties make no representations or guarantees regarding the safety, training or suitability of any horse. Horses are 5 to 15 times larger, 20 to 40 times more powerful, and 3 to 4 times faster than a human. If I fall from a horse to the ground, it will generally be at a distance of 4 to 6 feet, and the impact will injure me. A horse may divert from its training and act according to its natural survival instincts and may abruptly change directions or speed, trip, slip, fall, stop short, shift its weight, buck, rear, kick, bite, spook, or run from what it perceives to be danger if it is frightened or provoked, or for no reason whatsoever.

5. **Conditions of Nature & Locations.**

I agree that the Released Parties are not responsible for acts, occurrences or elements of nature or a particular location that can injure a person or scare a horse, cause it to trip, fall or react in some other manner. These elements include thunder, lightning, rain, wind, wild and domestic animals, insects, other people and horses, and reptiles which may walk, run, fly near, bite and/or sting a horse or person, irregular footing on groomed or wild land which is subject to constant change according to weather, temperature, natural and manmade



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**6. Helmet Warning.**

I am aware that protective head gear which meets or exceeds the quality standards of the SEI certified and ASTM standard F1163 equestrian helmet, should be purchased and worn by me and/or my child while riding and being near horses, and the wearing of such helmet may reduce the severity of some head injuries and may prevent my serious injury or death as a result of a fall or other occurrence. If I or my minor child do not wear a helmet, it is because we so choose.

**I HAVE READ, UNDERSTOOD AND VOLUNTARILY AGREE TO THIS TWO-PAGE WAIVER & RELEASE. I FURTHER AGREE THAT NO ORAL STATEMENTS, REPRESENTATIONS OR INDUCEMENTS APART FROM THIS WRITTEN AGREEMENT HAVE BEEN MADE TO ME TO OBTAIN MY CONSENT.**

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_ Participant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Printed Name)

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Minor's Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Minor: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Printed Name of Signor)

\_\_\_\_\_

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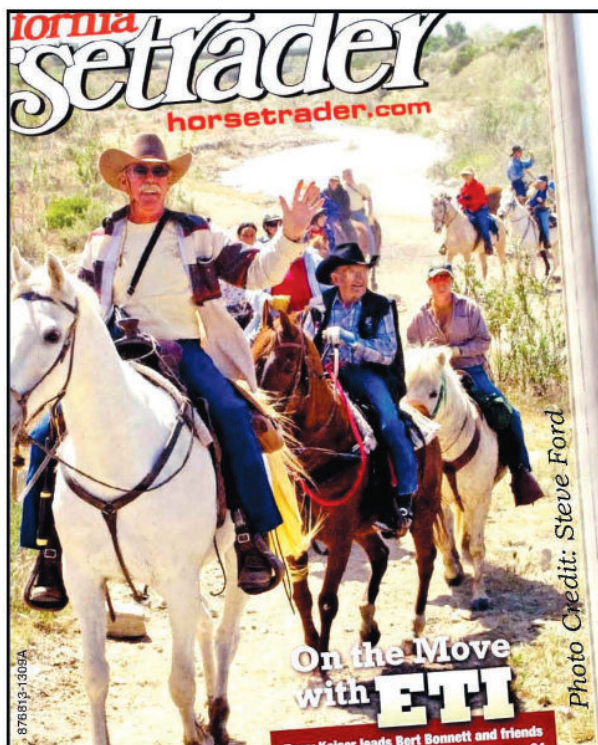


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**Please Check Cards For Completeness And Legibility.**

Oftentimes the information on the cards is hard to read. Membership fees are due on the member's anniversary date. Please notify members a month in advance of their anniversary date and send them a Membership Application card to complete and return to your Corral. If they renew late, 90 days or more, their anniversary date will change. Anyone who does not have current membership must pay single event fees at events.

Send cards in A.S.A.P. **Don't hold them.** For **Single** membership, list only the person applying for membership and no one else.

**All ETI rides and events require that participants complete both sides of the ETI Waiver and Release.**

**Non members must complete a Single Event form and pay \$10.00 for an individual for the day or weekend-camping membership. \$5.00 of this is to be sent with the forms back to the ETI office. A family membership for the event is \$20.00; \$10.00 goes to the ETI office.**

**The Waivers/Release as well as Single Event forms need to be received at the ETI office within two weeks of event.**

**Basic membership amounts are Family \$50; Senior \$35; Junior \$30.**

**At Large Memberships are Family \$70; Senior \$50; Junior \$45.**

**Some Corrals charge additional amounts.**

**Please contact a Corral or send to ETI, P.O. Box 920668, Slymar, CA 91392**

**ETI MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

Name (last): \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ Corral \_\_\_\_\_ \*

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Junior (under 18) Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ Dues Paid \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Adult (over 18) Dues Paid \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Family Sr " \_\_\_\_\_ Jr. # \_\_\_\_\_ Dues Paid \_\_\_\_\_

New \_\_\_\_\_ Renew \_\_\_\_\_ or Changing from Corral # \_\_\_\_\_ to Corral # \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's signature if Junior only membership-under 18

\* CHECK ☐ Please send me information for a Corral in my area. ETI (818) 698-6200

## ETI National Programs

**Horse Shows** ETI has a National High Point Circuit which is currently on hiatus. Until then, please contact the ETI office. Non-ETI members can participate in our ETI High Point Shows. But to be a part of the National High Point Circuit you must be an ETI member. You can sign up for the Circuit any time during the season, but must compete a specified number of times in your chosen classes to win awards. Points towards year end awards start accumulating on the date you sign up with the high point program.



The **Junior Ambassador Program** is open to all ETI youth age 7 to 21. Boys are welcome for the Prince and King category. Applications for the program may be obtained by contacting Cheri Ovayan at (818) 335-2884 [covayan97@icloud.com](mailto:covayan97@icloud.com). The completed forms are due back by April 2<sup>nd</sup> with all fees, sponsors, autobiography and pictures. This is a great way for our youth to represent their Corral and ETI. Participants volunteer their time at several mandatory events as well as many horse shows; trail trials, parades, trail dedications, quarterly dinner meetings and fun events just for the Junior Ambassador Court such as the retreat! Contact Michelle or any of the girls who have participated for more info on the fun activities.



**Trail Rider Award Program** (TRAP) keeps computerized logs on how many hours members are riding. In this day and age, when trails are giving way to housing developments, it is crucial that records be kept on trail usage. ETI Corrals in all areas are finding themselves having to defend their



riding areas more and more against encroaching civilization. On several occasions, TRAP records have been instrumental in maintaining trail access.

ETI TRAP acknowledges hours in the saddle with shoulder patches & pins that can be attached almost anywhere. The fee to join TRAP is only \$12.00 (you must maintain current ETI membership); then the TRAP membership is maintained each year for only \$6.00. You will start by receiving the TRAP main shoulder patch and your log sheets. As you achieve the hour goals additional patches will be sent to you. Carol Elliott is the TRAP chair. Please contact (760) 963-8209 or [happy2appy@yahoo.com](mailto:happy2appy@yahoo.com).

**Trail Trials:** An ETI Sanctioned Trail Trial consists of a trail ride, usually averaging between two and three hours, with trail obstacles along the way. Obstacles are natural, or simulate naturally occurring conditions for the horse and rider to negotiate. We now have a DVD from a clinic demonstrating obstacles and tips to compete or put on a Trail Trial. It is important to remember that the people doing the judging at sanctioned Trail Trial event are volunteers following the rulebook and are doing thwe best they can. Safety, control, and common sense are the number one priorities for all ETI sanctioned Trail Trials. Trail Trials are open to ETI members and Non-members. There are three divisions: Juniors for youth 14 years (as of Jan. 1st) and under; Novice and Open. Please contact the ETI office at (818) 698-6200 [office@etinational.com](mailto:office@etinational.com).

