

MAY 2011

*Happy
Mothers
Day*



Miss NARC&SP

May 2011

Hello,

I have to say that, so far, this year has been extremely fun. I have already traveled many miles to visit with my association family, and I look forward to traveling many more. My horses should be in perfect shape by now!

On March 26th, we had the Parade and Drill team playday at Joshua. Kelli Bryant did a great job hosting this. The team that I was on "Reckless" came in second place. The team consisted of Eddie Nolan, Bobby Nolan, Michael Teague, and me. A huge thanks to each of my teammates for doing such a great job and making the day fun for everybody.



April 2nd Bobby and I attended the District 1 playday at Cedar Hill. It was a great day for riding. The sun was shining bright and the horses felt good. My sister turned 18years old on April 9th. I can still remember the day she was born; I could not believe that I was finally getting a baby sister! Wow, how the time has flown by!

Anita Ehlers benefit playday went very well on April 16th. A HUGE THANKS to everybody that came out to support Anita and her family. They had a big silent auction with a bunch of neat stuff. They also raffled off a BBQ grill. Although I did not win the grill, I did go home with four of the silent auction items! I'm still praying for a full recovery Anita!

Everybody was sandblasted the next day at Pony Express. It was really windy! We only ran 2 out of 4 races, but everybody still had a pretty good time.

I would like to wish Sadie Garrett a Happy Birthday; I look forward to celebrating with you at your district playday on May 7th!

Please don't forget to come out and support the Wrangler Playday on May 21st and the National Trail ride on Memorial Day Weekend! Both of these events will be lots of FUN!!!

I want to wish all of the Mother's a Happy Mother's Day; we would not be here today if we did not have our families supporting us!!

I want to congratulate all of our 2011 Graduating Seniors!! My baby sister is one of them, Congrats Jenn!

Also, VERY IMPORTANT!!!! Anybody that is interested in running for Miss NARC&SP 2012 please contact Holly Johnson or myself to get an application. Remember the deadline is June 1st!!! I hope to see many contestants this year; it is an experience that will NEVER be forgotten!!

Till Next Time,

Jessica Fulford





This past month I started out visiting District one in Cedar Hill, where I spent my time helping Cutter on baseball sliding technique and his pushups.

On April 16th I attended the Benefit playday for Anita Ehlers, it was nice to see all the members showing up to help someone that has help us for so many years.

The next day I went to pony express, were the Procrastinators were able to get first place again for the second time in a row.

Remember that next month we have the Wrangler Buckle Playday where we will begin selling raffle tickets for our smoker that Lauren Bennet, the chair people and the wranglers as well as myself have been building for the past couple months.

Please remember that applications for National Wrangler need to be turned in by June 1st. You can turn your applications into Brandi Davis, National Wrangler Chairperson or me, Bobby Nolen. If you have any questions about the office of National Wrangler please contact me and I will answer any questions you have. I know I personally have enjoyed my year and would like to others have the same opportunity.

2011 National Wrangler
Bobby Nolen- 817-648-8872



Happy Mother's Day!

Our riding season is off to a good start. We have been able to ride most every weekend despite the big wind storms that have been hitting all around us during the week. Our May schedule looks quite fun filled with 3 National functions, a District playday and a few open Playdays to attend during our spare time.



Parade and Drill was able to have the first mini comp during April .It was good to see multiple teams competing. If you are interested in riding on a drill team this year contact Kelly Bryant and I imagine she can still help you get on a team.

Pony Express finished the second race of the year with a slight modification in the number of races to be run for the day. My eyeballs will never be the same after having them sandblasted while waiting to run our two races of the day. Bobby and I had a rough ride on the way home. We sent the truck to our mechanic and found out that we need a new transmission. I blamed it on the sand and wind.

Happy Birthday Sadie. We look forward to sharing your special day with you.

Please support our May 2011 National functions. May 15th Pony Express, May 21st Wrangler Playday, and May 27th - 29th Memorial Weekend Trail Ride.

Feel free to call or write me if I can be of any help.

Eddie Nolen

2011 President N.A.R.C.&S.P.

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MAY 28, 2011

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PONY EXPRESS

MAY



2011

Hi Everyone!

Hope everyone is off to a great start this year and still going strong! We had our 2nd Pony Express Tournament Sunday, April 17th at Joshua. Everyone ran great but with the 35 mph winds the teams all decided to cut it short and only run 2 races. Winners of the day went to Me & My gang for the juniors, and senior winners were the Procrastinators. All the teams did great and thank you all for coming out and braving the wind! There are a few people I could not have done without and I wanted them to know just how much I truly appreciate all their help! Holly Mallory met me at the arena at 9:30 am even after a long day before at the Anita Ehlers Playday to help me get the arena watered and work schedule worked out...thank you so much! Also, the Nolen men Eddie, Bobby, and Colten who also helped with the arena and assisting at the gate! Kelli Bryant once again stepped up and helped tremendously in the sign up booth. My volunteers for the announcer and time keepers were Debra Wisnewski and Donna Keating- thank yall SO much for helping me out again! Without the help of people like these, Pony Express could not have been run yesterday and I greatly appreciate all your hard work!!!! Big thanks to our judges Laurie Flaugherty and Kim Pennock for eating dust all day to judge for us! We even had a few spectators come out to watch, thank yall very much for coming out and showing your support!

Next Pony Express will be Sunday May 15th Captain's meeting at 12:30, Race at 1pm! The arena is still undecided so hopefully we will know the location by the time this Horsetales makes it out and I'll post it on the message board! Please come out and support all the hardworking teams at the upcoming tournaments. It's really going to be a great season and VERY close finals!

Until next time,

Lacey Pennock

NARC&SP 2011 Pony Express Chairman

Upcoming Tournaments

May 15 ~ Capt. Meet 12:30/Race 1pm ~ Arena TBD

June 18 ~ Capt. Meet 6:30/Race 7pm ~ Arena TBD

July 16 ~ Capt. Meet 6:30/Race 7pm ~ Arena: Weatherford

Finals

September 17 ~ Capt. Meet 6:30/Race 7pm ~ Arena: Joshua

THANKS TO EVERYONE FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!!

The Chisholm Challenge would like to personally thank each and every one of you for the continued support year after year.

Thanks to Tina Nolen for the priceless DVD she made for everyone to watch at the playday. We will also have it at the October convention. Awesome job Tina!

To those who donate cakes and silent auction items, your generosity is superb.

What can we say about the riders. WOW handing us extra entry fee money and saying "keep it for the cause".

To the Joshua Saddle Club for the donation of the arena and tractor, we couldn't do it without you..Thanks a bunch.

As you witnessed Spencer Roberson, one of the Chisholm Challenge riders, expressing his courage with the presentation of the American flag during the National Anthem, I don't think there were too many dry eyes by the time he was finished. For him to be included in all the activities throughout the day was just another example of how "open armed" this association really is.

This playday has truly made the awards for the Chisholm Challenge Event fantastic for another year. The buckles and rosettes are a cherished award for all the riders.

Thanks to everyone from the Chisholm Challenge Crew:

Beth Podell, Cheryl Becker, Glenda Edmonson & Jennifer Schrader

DISTRICT 2



Lone Star Riders

We had a great start to the playday season in April and the May playday will be here before you know it.

But first, Lone Star Riders is hosting a District 2 playday Saturday May 7th at Ash Creek Arena in Azle, Texas. Sign up at 11 and ride at 12.

The second playday of the series will be May 21st at Ash Creek Arena. Sign up at 11 and ride at 12.

I hope all those mothers out there have a great Mothers Day - I'm sure our cowboys will wait on us hand and foot.



Weatherford Comanchero's Riding Club 2011 Schedule

Weatherford Benders Riding Club 2011 Schedule

April 9 @ 2:00 p.m.

April 23 @ 2:00 p.m.

May 14 @ 2:00 p.m.

June 11 @ 2:00 p.m.

July 9 @ 2:00 p.m.

August 27 @ 2:00 p.m.

September 17 @ 2:00 p.m.

October 8 @ 2:00 p.m.

October 29 @ 2:00 p.m.

November 12 @ 2:00 p.m.

All playday's will be held at the our new home out at HSB. Check website for directions

www.weatherfordcomancherosridingclub.com

WISE COUNTY WRANGLERS

WISE COUNTY WRANGLERS UPDATE

The Playday Season is off to a good start. We have many new families that have joined our club. And competition is tough.

Some important announcements.

- ◆ If you are not receiving emails please contact Ellen at whimsicalminis@aol.com.
- ◆ Tracy Spear is accepting donations of clothing and tack to resell to benefit the Royalty. You can contact her at speartracy63@yahoo.com
- ◆ Our meeting date has been moved this month to May 1st at 2pm.



Ms. Hollie is such a big help at our playdays. We would like to thank her!

We would like to thank all who have participated in our events . We are very thankful for the fellowship and competition. Look forward to seeing everyone on May 14, 2011.

PLAYDAY DATES

2/26/2011
3/26/2011
4/23/2011
5/14/2011
6/25/2011
7/23/2011

SPECIAL PLAYDAYS

March 19, 2011 District Playday
August 13, 2011 Rain Date
October 22, 2011 Halloween
December 3, 2011 Spirit of Christmas

OFFICER LIST

President: Rick Miller	Playday Secretary: Ann White	Historian: Dawn Tisder
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Treasurer: Wendy Vannoy	Parade and Drill: Misty Choate	Delegate: Raney Nelson

TipTop Riding Club



Happy Easter.....

We were able to have our District playday on the 2nd of April. It was a long night and we had great weather, great food and great fun riding. On April 9th a few of us went to the AAR playday. Cassidy made her first 19 in barrels and I'm very proud of her. On April 16th we attended the Anita Ehlers Benefit Playday. The weather was so beautiful and the playday was great. Kudos to all that attended and helped make the playday a huge success! Sunday Big Dogs, Chicken Express and the Outlaw Chicks and the Lawmen attended the 2nd Pony Express at Joshua. We were only able to run two races. The wind was very bad, more like brutal! Thank goodness for safety glasses. We were home by 6pm.

On April 23rd TipTop will be having a playday. Sign ups are at noon. Let's hope Mother Nature allows us to have our playday! If not, that's okay. We need the rain desperately! Please pray for the people that have lost their homes due to the fires and to the fire fighters for risking their lives to get the fires under control.

April 30th will be the NARC&SP Chisholm Challenge Playday at 11 AM in Joshua. Please come out and support this playday. The funds from this playday will help at the Chisholm Challenge at the FWSS in January.

On May 7th at 1PM the district will run all 9 events plus the last 3 single events from the March playday (the last 3 events were paid in April) if this playday is canceled it will be moved to the next weekend, May 14th.

BARREL RACE NEWS,

May is going to be a busy month. We kick off our Weekly barrel racing series every Tuesday in May starting with exhibition at 6PM, \$4.00 each. Jackpot will begin at 8PM, \$30.00 each (\$25.00 to the pot and \$5.00 to the office). We will have a full concession at all of the races.

June 4th we are having a chili cook off and 4D Buckle Barrel Race. The Chili Cook and Bean Off will begin at 8AM (must be prepared on site). The judging for beans will be at 11AM, Tip Top Throw down Chili 1PM and The Casi Chili at 2PM. We will have a DJ until noon and Pole exhibitions from 1PM-3PM (\$4.00 per ride). The Josh Weathers Band will be performing after 1PM (a must see singer and band). Barrel exhibitions start at 4PM and Jackpot at 6PM. We will have vendors set up for your shopping fun! If you or someone you know are interested please contact Jennie at 817-980-6478 or jemery521@yahoo.com. Please note that we will only have one representative from each dealer. We want the vendors to make the most money possible!

If you are interested in renting our facilities

Contact:

Jennie Erwin 817-980-6478

Bobby Kirby 682-438-7917

Laura Murphy 972-533-7225

Go to Our website for all rental details:

http://www.tiptopridingclub.com/forms/arena_rental

Playday dates for 2011:

TTRC 4/23/11 1PM TTRC Open Playday

EVERY Tuesday in May ~ Exb 6PM Jackpot 8PM (weather, call before you haul) 817-980-6478

D6 5/7/11 1PM Rain Date 5/14

6/4/11 ~ Chili Cook off and 4D Buckle Barrel Race

TTRC 6/11/11 6PM sign up

TTRC 8/27/11 TTRC Gear up for Finals 6PM

D6 10/1 1PM Rain Date 11/12

TTRC 10/22 Rain Date 10/29 TTRC Halloween Playday 12pm

Costume Contest

D6 11/5 1PM Rain Date 11/12



Trinity



Janet and Mary



Kendra



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Easter Egg Hunt

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OPEN EXTREME PLAYDAY

Friday, May 20th
Open Extreme Events Playday \$20
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REWARD!

Katrina Hollifield's Red 2-Horse trailer with white spoke wheels was stolen April 11 from Crowley Road. A \$500 reward is being offered.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Cassidy Rhoden is the proud owner of a brand new bunny!

Kelly & Meagan Drawdy have a new Thoroughbred colt, Nash, born April 14.



Debra Powledge took 4th in a 6D barrel race at Elite winning \$975!

In the Diamond W Barrel Series, Kevin Springer ended with a 2D average and Debra Powledge won a video camera.



Calendar of Events

Date	Time		Event	Raindate	Location	Contact Name	Phone
5/7/2011	11	AM	District 7 Playday	5/14/2011	Hollybee	Dee Scarbro	817-373-3170
5/7/2011	1	PM	District 6	5/14/2011	Tip Top	Jennie Erwin	817-980-6478
5/7/2011	11	AM	District 2 Playday		Azle Ash Creek Arena	Toby Knight	817-301-4094
5/7/2011	10	AM	District One Open Playday hosted by Joshua	5/14/2011	Joshua Arena	Sunni Hurt	
5/7/2011	Noon		District 10 Open Playday		Mansfield	Burt Hanvy	682-552-0078
5/7/2011	11	AM	District 5 Playday		Willow Creek Arena	Juliet Mizera	940-389-5927
5/14/2011	2	PM	Weatherford Comencheros Playday		Weatherford	Varsi Klatzkin	817-721-8057
5/14/2011	11	AM	Wise County Wranglers Open Playday		Salt Creek Arena	James Miller	940-577-3558
5/14/2011	10:30	AM	District 9 Playday		Open Range Whitney	Jason Bontke	817-559-3563
5/15/2011	12:30	PM	NARC&SP PONY EXPRESS	8/13/2011	TBD	LACEY PENNOCK	
5/20/2011	7	PM	Alvarado Range Riders-Extreme Events		Alvarado RR	Deb Baxley	
5/21/2011	11	AM	Lone Star Open Playday		Azle Ash Creek Arena	Toby Knight	817-301-4094
5/21/2011	TBD		NARC&SP Wrangler Open Playday	6/25/2011	TBD	Brandi Davis	
5/28/2011	TBD	AM	NARC&SP MEMORIAL WEEKEND TRAILRIDE		MCCOWN -WHITNEY	KIM PENNOCK	
6/4/2011	10	AM	District One Open Playday hosted by Rusty Spur	6/11/2011	Joshua Arena	Kristel Halbert	
6/4/2011	Noon		District 10 Open Playday		Alvarado RR	Burt Hanvy	682-552-0078
6/4/2011	11	AM	District 5 Playday		Willow Creek Arena	Juliet Mizera	940-389-5927
6/11/2011	11	AM	District 7 Playday		Hollybee	Dee Scarbro	817-373-3170
6/11/2010	6	PM	Tip Top Riding Club Open Playday		Tip Top	Jennie Erwin	817-980-6478
6/11/2011	2	PM	Weatherford Comencheros Playday		Weatherford	Varsi Klatzkin	817-721-8057
6/11/2011	7	PM	Cedar Hill Saddle Club Open Playday	6/25/2011	Cedar Hill	Carolyn Merrell	214-532-2701
6/11/2011	11	AM	Lone Star Open Playday		Azle Ash Creek Arena	Toby Knight	817-301-4094
6/11/2011	10:30	AM	District 9 Playday		Camp Crucis, Granbury	Jason Bontke	817-559-3563
6/12/2011	TBD		NARC&SP QUEEN'S ETIQUETTE CLINIC		TBD	HOLLY MALLORY	
6/18/2011	6:30	PM	NARC&SP PONY EXPRESS	8/13/2011	TBD	LACEY PENNOCK	
6/25/2011	11	AM	Wise County Wranglers Open Playday		Salt Creek Arena	James Miller	940-577-3558
6/26/2011	TBD		NARC&SP Parade & Drill Mini Comp	7/24/2011	COWBOY WAY, ALVARADO	Kelli Bryant	817-404-7242
7/9/2011	2	PM	Weatherford Comencheros Playday		Weatherford	Varsi Klatzkin	817-721-8057
7/9/2011	7	PM	Cedar Hill Saddle Club Open Playday	7/23/2011	Cedar Hill	Carolyn Merrell	214-532-2701
7/9/2011	10:30	AM	Comanche Saddle Club Playday		Open Range Whitney	Kenneth Fletcher	254-694-3868
7/16/2011	8	PM	Lone Star Open Playday		Azle Ash Creek Arena	Toby Knight	817-301-4094
7/16/2011	6:30	PM	NARC&SP PONY EXPRESS	8/13/2011	Weatherford Comencheros	LACEY PENNOCK	
7/23/2011	TBD		NARC&SP SCHOLARSHIP PLAYDAY		JOSHUA	ANITA EHLERS	
7/23/2011	11	AM	Wise County Wranglers Open Playday	8/13/2011	Salt Creek Arena	James Miller	940-577-3558
7/30/2011	TBD		NARC&SP DANCING W/ROYALTY		TBD	Brandi Davis	
8/6/2011	TBD		NARC&SP & AASP&RC 50/50 Playday		AA ARENA, BOWIE TX	EDDIE NOLEN	
8/6/2011	11	AM	District 5 Playday		Willow Creek Arena	Juliet Mizera	940-389-5927
8/13/2011	TBD		District 9 Playday		Cowboy Way Alvarado	Jason Bontke	817-559-3563
8/13/2011	7	PM	Cedar Hill Saddle Club Open Playday	8/27/2011	Cedar Hill	Carolyn Merrell	214-532-2701

8/27/2011	6	PM	Tip Top Riding Club Open Playday		Tip Top	Jennie Erwin	817-980-6478
8/27/2011	2	PM	District 3 Playday		Weatherford	Varsi Klatzkin	817-721-8057
8/27/2011	8	PM	Lone Star Open Playday		Azle Ash Creek Arena	Toby Knight	817-301-4094
9/3-9/5	TBD		NARC&SP PLAYDAY FINALS	9/9 & 9/10	AA ARENA, BOWIE TX	EDDIE NOLEN	
9/17/2011	2	PM	Weatherford Comencheros Playday		Weatherford	Varsi Klatzkin	817-721-8057
9/17/2011	6:30	PM	NARC&SP PONY EXPRESS FINALS	8/13/2011	JOSHUA	LACEY PENNOCK	
9/24/2011	11	AM	Lone Star Open Scholarship Playday		Azle Ash Creek Arena	Toby Knight	817-301-4094
10/1/2011	TBD		NARC&SP Parade & Drill Finals	10/8/2011	JOSHUA	Kelli Bryant	817-404-7242
10/1/2011	1	PM	District 6 Playday	11/12/2011	Tip Top	Jennie Erwin	817-980-6478
10/1/2011	11	AM	District 5 Playday		Willow Creek Arena	Juliet Mizera	940-389-5927
10/8/2011	2	PM	Weatherford Comencheros Playday		Weatherford	Varsi Klatzkin	817-721-8057
10/15/2011	7	PM	Cedar Hill Saddle Club Open Playday	10/22/2011	Cedar Hill	Carolyn Merrell	214-532-2701
10/22/2011	Noon	PM	Tip Top Riding Club Halloween Open Playday	10/29/2011	Tip Top	Jennie Erwin	817-980-6478
10/22/2011	11	AM	Wise County Wranglers Halloween Open Playday		Salt Creek Arena	James Miller	940-577-3558
10/29/2011	2	PM	Weatherford Comencheros Halloween Playday		Weatherford	Varsi Klatzkin	817-721-8057
10/29/2011	TBD		NARC&SP OCTOBER CONVENTION & AWARDS		Cleburne Conference Center	Diana Bailey	
11/5/2011	1	PM	District 6 Playday	11/12/2011	Tip Top	Jennie Erwin	817-980-6478
11/5/2011	11	AM	District 5 Playday		Willow Creek Arena	Juliet Mizera	940-389-5927
11/12/2011	2	PM	Weatherford Comencheros Playday		Weatherford	Varsi Klatzkin	817-721-8057
12/3/2011	11	AM	Wise County Wranglers Spirit of Christmas Playday		Salt Creek Arena	James Miller	940-577-3558
12/10/2011	TBD	TBD	Tip Top Christmas Party		TBD	Jennie Erwin	817-980-6478