

NARC&SP Horsetails

November/December 2011



“Christmas is the keeping place for memories of our innocence.”



November/ December

Hello,

I hope that everybody is enjoying this cooler weather. My personal favorite kind of weather is when it's not yet chilly enough for a jacket, but is not warm enough to break a sweat. It's almost time to get those horse blankets out of storage!

I want to congratulate all of the pony express teams on some pretty awesome runs. Pony express finals had some very competitive teams this year. I did not even realize that my team "Full Throttle" had won the timed division until a couple of days later when I seen it on facebook. Again, Congratulations to everybody and their ponies on some fast times!



Mansfield riding club had a great turnout for Laverne Gable's benefit playday. We almost ran out of room for parking. I love how our association comes together to support one of our members in need! The barrel race was awesome. congratulations to Kacey Kirby for running the fastest time of the night, I sure do like that new horse of yours!

Tip Top's annual Halloween playday was a blast as always! My best friend "Josie" came with me and we hauled our "Young" horses. Too bad I did not get the chance to stay all day. After the first event, we received a phone call that Tonia had a colicing horse at home and needed our help! Kudos to everybody and their horses on such creative costumes!

For my last article I would like to express what and who I am and have been thankful for throughout this year. I will start from the beginning. I'm thankful for all of the people who have helped me get to where I am today. My mother and father, Aaron and Janet Fulford. They have always supported me in any possible way and have loved me unconditionally. My sister, Jenn, who has not only been my best friend, but has also stayed by my side whether I was being hard-headed or not and has always shared the passion for horses as I do. I love you Mom, Dad, and Jenn! I'm thankful for all of my animals, especially Lottie, Dixie, and Patches for sticking with me throughout this year and traveling many miles with me. I'm thankful for my year representing this wonderful association as Miss NARC&SP. I have met many new faces and have made a lot of new friends along the way. I have a lifetime of memories that I will always cherish.



I have a list of people that I would also like to thank that I could not have done any of this without:

Christina Manasco: For allowing me to borrow almost her entire wardrobe including her tiara, banner, and even saddle until I was given my own.

Trisha Hill: For allowing me to borrow her shirts and boots from her wardrobe and always giving me words of wisdom

Laura Callison: For allowing me to borrow a shirt for the Ft. Worth

Stock Show Parade when I found out two days prior that I would be representing the association. You were a lifesaver!

Tina and Eddie Nolen: For being right by my side throughout the year and always lending a helping hand. Thanks!

Bobby: I could not have asked for a better Wrangler and friend to reign by my side! I'm glad that we showed everybody that Queens and Wranglers can come together as one and work together to better this association. I had a blast with you this year and I know that you will continue to do a great job as our Wrangler!

Brandi Davis: For doing such a great job this year with the wrangler program and hauling Bobby and I to Mineral Wells for a benefit playday. Then taking pictures of me snoozing in the passenger seat on the way home. LOL

Holly Mallory: For being the strongest person that I know! Even with all of the stuff that was thrown your way at the beginning of the year, you dodged every bit of it and you still managed to be the most awesome Queens chairperson that I've ever had. You will continue to be my idol. Thanks for always being there for the district queens and myself and for making this year FUN!!!

To all of my district queens this year: Mallory, Samantha, Alexis, Desiree, Mattie, and Shandee. I could not have ever asked for a better group of girls to represent with. I love each and every one of you very much and have had a blast this year! I will never forget when Brandi and Holly had the waiters at On the Border sing to Bobby and me. They made the two of us stand up in chairs in front of the entire restaurant and ALL of my Queens stood up with me. Way to always have my back girls!!!! I hope that I see all of you wearing the National tiara and Banner in the near future!

Thanks to everybody who has allowed me to borrow horses throughout this year: David and Sue Short, Tonia Mohr, Colten Nolen, Bobby Nolen, Janea James, and Brandi Doty.

Thanks, to Doug and Diana Bailey for always being my second parents and taking care of me. For donating to my queen's basket and always loving me as their own!

Kim, Burt, Lacey, and Tiffany: For always being so helpful, inviting me to functions, being great friends, and Kim for making Amazing

scrapbooks for me throughout the years! I finally had a chance to sit down and look through mine from front to back. I cried just remembering all of the good times and knowing that this year will soon come to an end.

Kelli Bryant: For helping with the queen's drill this year, you did an awesome job! I can always count on you for anything!

Katie Gray: For being a great friend and for representing the Association while I was out of town. You did a wonderful job and you and Bobby are the reigning dancing with royalty champions!

Jordy Ray: for always showing up and helping saddle and unsaddle horses or loaning me reins when needed. Also, for being such a kind friend.

Michael Teague: For ALWAYS being there for me and being my best friend. Whether I needed a hug, a horse saddled, someone to talk to, or just a shoulder to cry on you have always been one phone call away! I never really had the chance to say thank you, but I promise that it never went unnoticed! You will always be my best friend!

Thank You to the entire Association for making this year wonderful and I hope to see you around next year! Everybody have a Merry Christmas and a safe and Happy New Year!!

See You Around,

Miss NARC&LSP 2011

Jessica Fulford



Wrangler Article

October and November

The convention went good; everyone seemed to have fun and was able to get along well. Good luck to all our new officers next year and thank you for all the officers who helped out this year.

The wrangler outing was a ton of fun this year. The queens had joined us in paintballing and a scavenger hunt. Chuck and James had helped the queens beat me and the wranglers in almost every match. I would like to thank Brandi for everything she has done this year and everyone else who had helped the wranglers have a great year.





President Article

October convention went well. I think we brought up some good ideas for 2012. Diana Bailey did a great job for us on the awards ceremony. Congratulation to all winners this year!

I had a good time with the outgoing Queens and Wranglers at the Wranglers end of year party. Friday night we had some good food and then we were off on a scavenger hunt all over Burleson. I thought the night was never going to end, one entertaining thing after another. Then Saturday we had a good time shooting paintballs at each other.

N.A.R.C. &S.P. was represented well at the Parade of Lights this year. We had 20 riders that mixed lights and other Christmas decorations all over our horses to walk the streets of downtown Fort Worth. I believe we had the best crowd I have ever seen at a parade. We were introduced in four different sections of the route. Thank you to all who joined me, Jessica, Bobby, on behalf of the Association.

Time has come and gone very quickly this year. It is time for the Holidays and spending quality time with our families that don't choose to play at the arenas as we do. I hope everyone has enjoyed our year and I look forward to more fun in 2012.

Congratulation to our new slate of 2012 officers for stepping up and taking the positions you have chosen .Thank you again to all 2011 officers and members for a successful year.

Eddie Nolen

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District One

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Please welcome Ellis County Riding Club to District One. We are proud to have you as members.

Everyone be on the watch for the NARC&SP 2012 membership forms to come out soon. Membership dues are \$35./per family (23 yrs. + will be a separate membership). The Care Flight dues will probably remain at \$10. Per year; for a total of \$45./per family. Please submit your dues and information in a timely manner.

A meeting will be held in January 2012 so we may set up our year. Your ideas are welcome.

Topics for discussion: 1) Arena's for the district playdays 2) Fees 3) Work Schedule
4) Eligibility for National Finals 5) Eligibility for Year End Awards 6) Royalty for 2012
7) Other business.

Thank you

To everyone

That went

Above

And

Beyond

This year to Make District One a Success!!!!

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year
Terrie Race, 2011 D1 Prez'



Willow Creek Country Club

December 3rd

Open Playday

4 Events

All Age Groups



Registration will be at 11 AM

Ride Starts at Noon

\$10 for all events

**After the ride we will have Hobo stew,
so bring an ingredient to add or dish to share**

Location: Willow Creek Arena

For more information Call Juliet 940-389-5927

DISTRICT 7 OPEN HI-POINT PLAYDAY

Feb 25th, 2012

AT: THE HOLYBEE ARENA
Burleson, TX



11:00 INTRO'S
playday to immediately follow



2011 D7 Wrangler Jacob Doty & Queen Lexi Johnson



Hi-Point

IN EACH CLASS

6 EVENTS (NO TEAMS)

****Great concession stand on site!**

****Be sure to check the weather forecast
for that day - our RULE is that the temp must be
40 degrees & rising @ 10 AM**

****Lots of parking and shade!**

For more information email:
jamesbrandi4vr@hotmail.com
or call Brandi 817-793-0239



Happy Holidays Everyone!

It's so hard to imagine that another year has already flown by. Seems like just yesterday we were at the first district playday of 2011 and here we are fixing to start the 2012 year.

October Convention has come and gone. There weren't many people at the meeting but it all run really smooth. Thank you to everyone who took an office for next year, I'm sure you will all do a great job!

District 10 had its annual Banquet on November 12 in Cleburne. Congratulations to all our High Point Winners and Runners Up, all the classes were extremely close! Also, thank you all who stepped up to take on an office for next year!

2011 High Point Winners

Classic Women – Katie Lindamood
Runner Up – Donna Sims
Classic Men – Aubrey Sims
Runner Up – David Short
Super Senior Women – Kasey Homan
Runner Up – Kim Pennock
Super Senior Men – Johnny Jones
Runner Up – Terry Bird
Mini Pee Wee Girls – Cali Bennett
Pee Wee Girls – Whitlee Foster
Runner Up – Kenedie Southard
Pee Wee Boys – Cade Bennett
Junior Girls – Shandee Foster
Runner Up – Helena Murzin
Intermediate Women – Laura Callison
Runner Up – Hannah Murzin
Senior Women – Kelli Bryant
Runner Up – Lacey Pennock
Senior Men – Skip Bryant
Runner Up – Jack Nichols
Lead Liners - Tiffany Pennock
Madee Pennock
Dylann Nichols
Hadley Spence

2012 Officers

President – Curtis Pennock
Executive VP/Committeeman – Lacey Pennock
1st Vice President – Burt Hanvy
2nd Vice President – Glenda Edmondson
Secretary – Kim Pennock
Points Secretary – Lisa Callison
Treasurer – Barbara Bird
Queens Chairperson– Julie Foster
Wrangler Chairperson – D'lynn Bennett
Parade & Drill- Barbara Bird
Pony Express – Hannah Murzin
Budget & Finance – Kim Pennock
Rules – Burt Hanvy
Publications – Sheree Southard
Historian – LouAnn Foster
Scholarship – Lisa Callison
Queen – Shandee Foster
Wrangler – Cade Bennett
Sweetheart – Kenedie Southard

I would also like to congratulate a long time District 10 member, Blake Maynard. Blake will graduate as PFC Maynard from Marine Boot Camp on December 2nd at Camp Pendelton, California. We are so proud of you Blake for all you have achieved and the sacrifices you and your family make to serve our great country! Good luck and stay safe!

Upcoming dates:

January Convention – January 21

Stock Show Parade – January 14

District 10 Meeting – January 30. **Please be sure you are there if you would like to have any input in dates of our districts, locations, and other important district matters. All officers and royalty need to be in attendance as well.**

Hope everyone has a safe and happy holiday while celebrating Thanksgiving, the birth of our Lord Jesus Christ (Christmas), and bringing in the New Year!

Til next year....

Calendar of Events

Date	Time		Event	Raindate	Location	Contact Name	Phone
12/10/2011	6	PM	District 1 Awards Dinner Banquet		Stagecoach Church, Waxahachie, TX	Becky Roland	
12/10/2011	11	AM	Wise County Wranglers Spirit of Christmas Playday		Salt Creek Arena	Rick Miller	
12/10/2011	TBD	TBD	Tip Top Christmas Party		TBD	Jennie Erwin	817-980-6478
1/14/2012			Fort Worth Stock Show Parade		Fort Worth	Kelli Bryant	817-404-7242
1/21/2012			January Convention – watch website for more details			Diana Bailey	
2/4/2012			NARC&SP Night at the Stock Show		Will Rogers Arena	Kelli Bryant	817-404-7242
3/31/2012			NARC&SP Chisholm Challenge	4/21/12	TBA	Glenda Edmonson	
4/22/2012			NARC&SP Drill Mini Comp	7/29/12		Kelli Bryant	817-404-7242
6/24/2012			NARC&SP Drill Mini Comp	7/29/12		Kelli Bryant	817-404-7242
9/29/2012			NARC&SP Drill Finals	10/6/12	Joshua	Kelli Bryant	817-404-7242