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Northern Saddle Club News

**Come Ride with the Northern Saddle Club -
Open to the Public!**



Club group rides with potluck will now be held monthly on the second Saturday of each month, alternating between Halls Creek & Bush Lake Flats Trailheads.

Feel free to ride with the group and make new friends at 10 a.m. or by yourself anytime!

You will be required to turn in a copy of your horse's negative Coggins test.

Potluck will begin at 4 p.m. with a campfire to follow.

- ♦ June 14th = Halls Creek
- ♦ July 12th = Bush Lake Flats and having Club Meeting: at 4 p.m.
- ♦ Aug 9th = Halls Creek
- ♦ Sept 13th = Bush Lake Flats
- ♦ Oct 11th = Halls Creek (Fall Ride/Fundraiser)

New logo shirts will be for sale for just \$20 each.

Join our Club: Family \$15 or Single \$10 per calendar year.

You do not have to have a horse to join...many members enjoy helping out during events.

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WHC Mission Statement

To represent, protect and foster a unified equine industry in Wisconsin through leadership, education, service and communication.

WHC Vision Statement

To take a pro-active role in the future growth and development of the equine industry.

ATTENTION!

Tear out pages 25 & 26 to fold as a handy brochure to keep or to share!
This month's featured brochure is "What Is The Wisconsin Horse Council All About?".

Membership in the Wisconsin Horse Council is open to individuals, associations, businesses, societies, or other entities whose interests are in line with the WHC's purpose and Mission Statement. Our membership year follows the calendar year. Members will receive a free e-newsletter and the option to purchase a printed newsletter where FREE classified ads can be placed and business card, 1/4, 1/2 and full page ads can be purchased as well. The newsletter reaches 500+ horse enthusiasts.

The WHC currently sends out six issues per year.

The WHC employs a professional lobbyist who works with us on pending legislation as needed for the equine industry. We continue to work on adding new benefits for our members. Please feel free to contact us with your comments or suggestions. Thank you!



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Visit our website www.wisconsinhorsecouncil.org – Go to the WSHCEF tab at the top of the page

What is the mission statement of the WSHC Equine Foundation?

The Wisconsin State Horse Council Equine Foundation was created to better serve Wisconsin's growing equestrian community and to help that community realize its fullest potential. The Foundation is a tax exempt, non-profit 501(c) (3) organization, and as such allows individuals to make tax-deductible contributions to support Wisconsin equine projects.

The mission of the Equine Foundation is to support Wisconsin's expanding equestrian community by funding:

- * Educational Initiatives
- * Trail Development
- * Equine Research
- * Youth Scholarship and Participation

What is our relationship with the Wisconsin Horse Council?

The Wisconsin Horse Council is our parent organization and the sole member of the WSHC Equine Foundation. WHC Board of Directors are elected to serve on the WSHC Equine Foundation Board of Directors, along with non-WHC individuals. The WHC was incorporated in 1972 as an advocate for the equine owners and industry in the State of Wisconsin. It has grown to become the focus of the equine industry in Wisconsin.

The Mission Statement of the Wisconsin Horse Council is: To represent, protect and foster a unified equine industry in Wisconsin through leadership, education, service and communication.

The WSHC Equine Foundation is a federally approved 501 (c)(3) non-profit corporation dedicated to the advancement of equine activities and the equine industry in general.

The Foundation's main objectives are to promote education, research and development, charity, and scholarship opportunities for equestrians in Wisconsin.

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Dairyland Driving Event & Heartland Equestrian Center 2025

By Anne Murphy, WHC President



Left to right: Mark Long, WHC District 5 President & Director, Anne Murphy, WHC President & Director representing WLAER, and Jim Slovik, WHC Director representing Dairyland Driving Club

Dairyland Driving Club and Heartland Equestrian Center held what's become an annual educational driving event called, Basics and Beyond, on May 30 and June 1, 2025. Eighty private lesson slots were available and their panel of five very experienced clinicians were ready to share their horsemanship and advanced driving skills. They worked concurrently in five separate arenas.

Dairyland Driving Club had experienced clinicians: Julie Dahlberg, Wes Licht, Mary Ruth Marks, Deb Moll Sauer and Joe Yoder; providing hands on experience to young, mature, and everyone in between equestrians who were seeking to expand their knowledge. What a great opportunity!

Familiar faces taking advantage of this clinic included Teri Giannetti, Executive Director of the Midwest Horse Fair and her husband, as well as

WHC Director Nancy Edwards. WHC Director Bonnie Shepherd, also came to cheer Nancy on.

Nancy's instructor was Mary Ruth Marks, a skilled horsewoman, very well-known and respected in the driving world. Nancy's driving partner was a charming Norwegian Fjord named Gus.

Dairyland Driving Club submitted a sponsorship application to the Wisconsin Horse Council to hold this event. The application was approved, and I can say that Dairyland Driving Club met the goals that they had listed and held a wonderful event. Dairyland Driving Club's representative to the Wisconsin Horse Council, James Slovik, was integral to the success of this event.

Last year's Dairyland Driving Club event, was also held at Heartland Equestrian Center, a family owned business, operated by Mark Long. Mark's interest in the Wisconsin Horse Council was piqued. He joined the Wisconsin Horse Council last year and has become very involved in the WHC and with WHC District 5.

Mark was elected WHC District 5 President earlier this year, and continues to learn more about the Wisconsin Horse Council and the varied interests of Wisconsin Horse Council members within District 5. Mark is one of those unique individuals who not only has great ideas, but is also able to implement them as well.

Heartland Equestrian Center is located in Custer, Wisconsin, which is in the central part of the state. Events held there draw interest from all types of equestrians from all over the state.

Be sure to check out their website and Facebook pages for upcoming events:

Dairyland Driving Club: <https://dairylanddriving.com>

Heartland Equestrian Center: <https://heartlandec.com>

Wisconsin Horse Council: <https://wisconsinhorsecouncil.org>



Nancy Edwards, WHC Director representing Kin Krest Saddle Club and Gus

3rd Annual
BASICS & BEYOND
EQUINE DRIVING CLINIC

May 31/June 1, 2025 Heartland Equestrian Center
 Custer WI

*5 Clinicians
 5 Arenas
 and
 Missy Patchen*

Basics & Beyond Featured Clinicians

80 private lesson slots will be available over this 2-day period – our panel of 5 very experienced clinicians are ready to share their horsemanship and advanced driving skills – they'll be working concurrently in 5 separate arenas!

You won't find a more impressive array of talent available to you at one time in one location!

Julie Dahlberg

has been in love with horses her whole life and has been riding and/or driving her own horses for 40 years. Julie loves helping kids and 'kids at heart' improve their horsemanship skills. The entire Dahlberg family has been showing their large ponies in combined driving events and pleasure shows. Julie and her family are all active members of the Northwoods Harness Club in Wisconsin.



Wes Licht

has been riding and driving ponies and horses since he was six years old (a lot of years!). He has participated successfully in combined driving events, carriage classics and competitive (driving events throughout the Midwest. He has often been a presenter and an instructor at horse driving clinics where he enjoys sharing his knowledge. He has demonstrated regularly at the Midwest Horse Fair. Wes is a founding member and has served as president of the Dairyland Driving Club, Inc. Wes specializes in teaching horses to drive and people to drive them.



Mary Ruth Marks

is the founder and 1st president of DDC - a position she held for 20 years! She created the Teach Your Horse to Drive video, was long-listed 3 times for the US team - with 2 of her own single horses in



2010 and with her own 4-in-hand in 2018 coming in 6th in the nation. She is an ADS "R" in combined driving, an experienced clinician and instructor, a winner of championships in all divisions in combined driving and pleasure shows. And, she loves teaching and helping people enjoy driving horses in a safe manner.

Deb Moll Sauer

is a long-time member of DDC. She has been an advocate for the Club and presented at various clinics on an instructional basis, participated in and helped organize and has driven at DDC pleasure drives with many of her horses. She's ridden and shown Arabian horses around the US/Canada, including Ride 'n Drive classes, Walnut Hill and most Midwest shows. She's been driving and winning classes/divisions at Villa Louis for 25 years!



Joe Yoder

A carriage-driving professional with a history of excellence in competitive driving, Joe was raised on an Amish farm in Iowa, where he cultivated a lifelong passion for horses, beginning his show career in 2004. In 2011, he won the National Pair Championship at Live Oak International in Ocala, FL. Following that, he represented the US Team in Germany, earning an International Bronze Medal. Joe was the carriage driving manager and trainer for Kohler Stables in Kohler, WI, from 2015-20. Joe can be found at his training farm in Hancock, WI, driving horses, training horses, and giving driving lessons.



DAIRYLAND DRIVING CLUB

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<https://www.dairylanddriving.com/membership/>

Best of America by Horseback Event

By Jill Feller, WHC Director



Best of America by Horseback is America's (BOABH) premier equine trail riding show and is televised on RFD-TV. The program is owned and hosted by Del and Shevawn Shields. The show has ridden 349,279 miles to date.

Wisconsin Horse Council Trail Committee sponsored the program at Southern Kettle Moraine horse campground and trails on May 30 and 31. The event was attended by over 60 riders and horses of every breed.

On Friday, May 30, the ride started at 1:00 p.m. and we rode out through the forest trails to the Rushing Waters Fisheries, Wisconsin's premier rainbow trout farm. The group learned the history of the fishery and the services they provide. After our visit, we rode back to the campground and enjoyed a dinner that was sponsored by the Southern Kettle Moraine Horse Trails Association. After dinner, Del entertained the group with his guitar and cowboy songs.

On Saturday morning, a breakfast of rolls, muffins and fruit was supplied by the Wisconsin Horse Council Trail Committee. After breakfast the group saddled up and prepared for another adventure. After presenting the American flag, pledge of allegiance and prayers, the group left the campground to explore the other side of the equine trails.

The group rode out and did multiple loops enjoying the full spring foliage and flowers that Wisconsin forests have to offer. We were lucky that there were few bugs on the trails, and the weather was near perfect to enjoy Wisconsin forests. Many riders commented on how beautiful the trails were and how thick the foliage was! There were times you could not see more than a foot or two into the depths of the forest.

We arrived back at camp by 1:30 p.m. and had time to treat our equine companions to brush downs and treats after a well-deserved ride!

Del provided the group with a demonstration of the Handy Hookup tool that allows you to hook up chains in a gooseneck trailer without crawling into the bed! A wonderful invention!

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Best of America by Horseback Event

The best dressed cowgirl and cowboy contest was held before dinner. Our own Floyd Finney won the best dressed cowboy award! The evening meal, which was hosted by the Wisconsin Horse Council Trail Committee, was a 'good old Wisconsin' meal. Brats, burgers, hot dogs, potato salad and beans were enjoyed by all. Del entertained everyone again with his music.

BOABH riders were impressed with our equine trails, the scenery, the campground and hospitality they experienced while in Wisconsin. This ride could not have been possible without the support and sponsorship of Wisconsin Horse Council Trail Committee and the work of the Southern Kettle Moraine Horse Trails Association for their work in keeping the campground and trails open and safe for equine enthusiasts.





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- **In-Hand Competition*** | 6pm

SATURDAY, AUGUST 16TH

- **Under Saddle Obstacle & Ranch Clinic** | 9am
 - Led by **Judge & Clinician Amber Clark**
- **Under Saddle Competition*** | 1pm

2 Courses - Obstacle Course & Ranch Trail

- **Open Division** | 1pm | \$150
- **Youth Divisions** | 4pm | \$100

SUNDAY - AUGUST 17TH

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Broken Wheel Riding Club

By Jeanne Sprister, Broken Wheel Riding Club President



My first memory of the Broken Wheel Riding Club was when I was 13 years old. My parents bought my sister and me a \$75, two-year-old, fine-boned bay filly named Cricket...not exactly ideal for two young girls who didn't have much experience riding horses. I was nine years old and just wanted to ride every single day of the summer. I ran like the wind on my pony, in every open area I could find, every chance I got.

When I was 13 years old, I learned of the Broken Wheel Riding Club and we found out that they held a speed show. You had to be a member of the club to participate in the show, so that's what I did. By this time, my sister JoAnn, had a horse named Star. We didn't have a horse trailer, so we rode our horse and pony to the show, which was about five miles from our house.

The Broken Wheel Riding Club has always been a family-oriented, horse-loving group who have participated in many things over the years, such as speed shows, riding in parades, trail riding, parking cars for the Outagamie County Fair and Breakfast on the Farm in both Outagamie County and Brown County, sleigh rides and log-skidding in the winter time, hosting various clinics, riding together on the beautiful trails across the state, and even out of state. The parades we have ridden in include Black Creek, Seymour, Appleton, Little Chute, Bonduel, Manawa, and Caroline.

Our membership numbers have fluctuated over the years that we have been in existence, but I am proud to say that we've been an active incorporated club since 1965, thus, celebrating our 60th anniversary this year! The founding members were Thurmond and Joyce Doby, Bud and Carol Shepardson, Dick and June Everett, Gordy and Carla Schnur, and Bill and Beth Jorgensen, all from the Greenville/Hortonville area.

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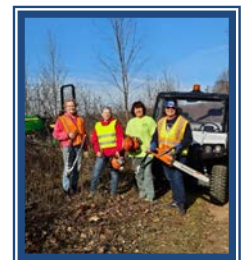
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Broken Wheel Riding Club

Continuing with their mom's passion, all three of my children participated in Broken Wheel Riding Club fun shows, parades, trail rides, fundraisers, etc., when they were young. Hopefully some of my grandchildren will also participate in some of our club's events, too. We have continuously had many activities that all our children have enjoyed over the years and even club members' grandchildren, the main focal point always being our love for our four-legged trusty steeds.

At our annual banquets which are held in November, we have participated in helping the community through various means, such as collecting cans for the local food pantries, and donating money to worthwhile organizations such as Community 2000 in Seymour, Exceptional Equestrians in De Pere, Joy's Cat Rescue in Gresham, Ride for Ty in Black Creek, and various other entities.

I am proud to be a part of this amazing club. As a result of our club celebrating our 60th anniversary, we have some fun things planned, including riding in the Manawa parade on July 5, and the Seymour Hamburger Days parade on August 9, so come check us out and say hello! I'm excited to see where our club will go in the future, and I will definitely be a part of it.



Wisconsin State Horse Council Equine Foundation (WSHCEF) Scholarship Presented



Jenny Juliuson, WSHCEF Board Member and WHC Director, presented Kaylee Jahnke with a WSHCEF Scholarship at the Randolph High School Awards Banquet on May 21, 2025.

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<div><div>13</div><div>Sweeny's Outfitters</div><div>5912 Nagel Road Valders, WI 54245 920-946-5088</div><div>Find them on Facebook Check Facebook for Events where they will be</div></div>	<div><div>14</div><div>TC Saddles & Tack</div><div>N5120 Coffee Road Helenville, WI 53137 608-206-7169, Call Gina for appointment</div><div>tc.saddlery.com & Facebook Mon-Fri 8am-5pm, Weekends by appointment</div></div>	<div><div>15</div><div>The Corral Trailer Sales</div><div>N5120 Coffee Road Helenville, WI 53137 920-699-8048</div><div>thecorralinc.com & Facebook M-F 8am-5pm, & Sat by appointment</div></div>
<div><div>16</div><div>West 20 Saddle Co.</div><div>W4812 Hwy. 20 East Troy, WI 53120 262-642-4272</div><div>shop.west20.com & Facebook Open 7 days a week / 10am-6pm</div></div>	<div><div>17</div><div>Willow Creek Tack Shop</div><div>W4844 Happersett Lane Redgranite, WI 54970 920-376-4126</div><div>Find them on Facebook Call for hours & check Facebook for open days</div></div>	<div><div>18</div><div>Wyoming Saddle Company</div><div>28018 US Hwy. 14 Richland Center, WI 53581 608-649-7787</div><div>wyomingsaddlecompany.com & Facebook Tues-Sat 9am-6pm, Sun 10am-4pm</div></div>

PARTICIPANT
INFORMATION

(Please write legibly)

Participants must be WHC Level I member
for 2025.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

WHC District # _____

Contest begins April 15, 2025. No stamps will be given before that date. Completed maps must be received by the WHC office no later than February 28, 2026. Winners will be announced March 6, 2026 via email and/or phone plus posted on WHC Facebook page and www.wisconsinhorsecouncil.org.

Participants may pick up a free map at the WHC booth at Midwest Horse Fair April 11, 12 and 13, 2025. After that maps can be picked up at the WHC office in Columbus and some of the retail locations, if some maps are still available. One map per participant. Limited number of maps available.

Must go to 18-16 locations for 1st Place Prize drawing, 10 locations for 2nd Place Prize. Those names will stay in for the rest of the prize drawings also. Maps with at least 7 dealer stamps will be entered into a random drawing to win all other Prizes, 3rd thru 20th.

PRIZES

1st Place Prize \$600 Gift Certificate

2nd Place Prize \$400 Gift Certificate

3rd - 7th Place Prizes \$200 Gift Certificate

8th - 20th Place Prizes \$100 Gift Certificate

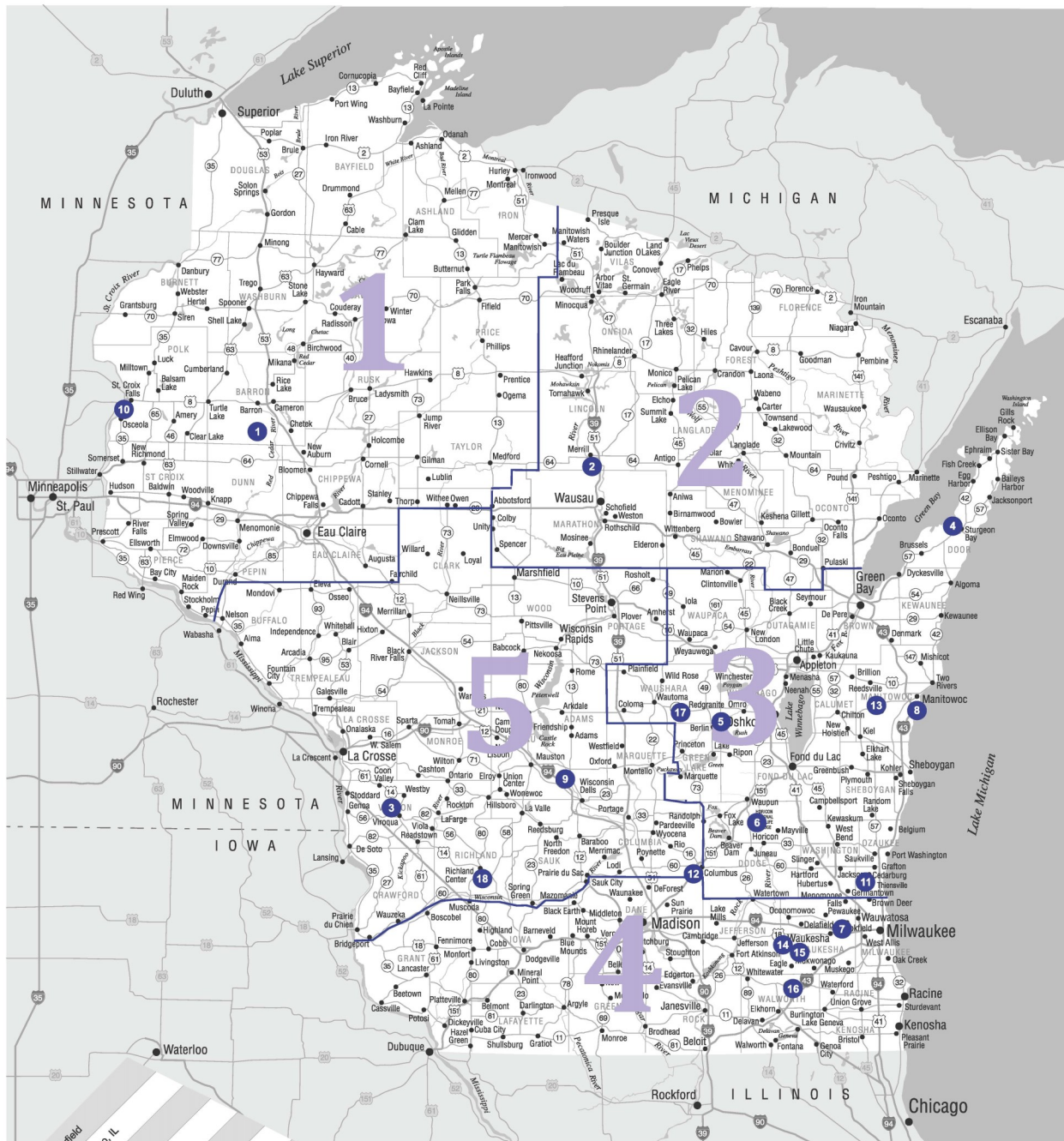
Each Prize

Gift Certificates will be Wisconsin Horse Council Bucks that can be spent at any of the businesses 1 thru 18 on this map. That business will send it to WHC to be reimbursed. Gift Certificates must be used by June 1, 2026 and sent to WHC office by June 15, 2026, for retailer reimbursement. Gift Certificates are not redeemable for cash.

Completed map must be received by the WHC office no later than February 28, 2026.

Mail to:
Wisconsin Horse Council
121 S. Ludington St.
P.O. Box 72
Columbus, WI 53925

Good Luck!



Mileage between major cities

453	Bayfield	Chicago, IL
184	314	Eau Claire
265	204	193 Green Bay
77	414	111 261 Hayward
268	273	87 196 191 Madison
312	146	176 132 277 129 Milwaukee
359	93	241 114 341 204 77 Minneapolis/St. Paul, MN
214	395	82 268 137 153 258 322 Prairie du Chein
327	233	146 232 250 59 102 179 212 Rhinelander
138	313	149 127 139 201 197 227 215 251 259 Rockford, IL
374	82	238 176 338 192 65 88 319 151 259 Sheboygan
331	145	231 62 318 194 109 52 312 211 191 140 Sturgeon Bay
312	233	236 43 304 239 175 141 311 275 170 218 89 Superior
60	463	152 310 70 234 325 389 162 295 183 387 372 353 Wausau
178	275	100 93 164 144 140 181 175 193 58 201 149 136 223 Wisconsin Dells
259	190	124 132 220 87 53 116 206 102 159 114 115 175 273 103

Wisconsin Horse Council is divided into 5 Districts. The counties included in each District are marked on this map. Please check with your District to see what activities they are having.





RIDE WISCONSIN

**Award Program
for Trail Riders/Drivers**



**Get out and enjoy the trails
with your equine partner and earn rewards
for your hours riding/driving the trails!**



Visit the WHC website for all of the
guidelines, forms & application!

SHARE THE TRAILS

www.wisconsinhorsecouncil.org





2025 WISCONSIN HORSE COUNCIL Ride Wisconsin - Trail Riding/Driving Award Program Application Form

To participate in the Trail Riding/Driving Award program, please complete this application. Forward the completed application and all applicable fees to the address shown at the bottom of this application form. We invite you to join and have fun with your horse.

Please check one:

- ☐ Current WHC Individual/Family or Youth member *OR*
☐ New WHC Individual/Family or Youth member
 (Include WHC Membership Application, check WHC website for other benefits of membership)

Please check one:

- ☐ Current Trail Riding/Driving Award program member *OR*
☐ New Trail Riding/Driving Award program member

Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Street/P.O. Box: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Email Address: _____ **Age:** _____

Enrolling Additional Family Members:

Name: _____ Age: _____

Name: _____ Age: _____

Name: _____ Age: _____

Equine-related clubs you belong to:

Program Fees: *(Fee is per individual participating. Fee accepted for current year only)*

Annual Trails Riding/Driving Program Fee \$15 _____ x\$15= \$ _____

Annual WHC Individual Membership fee: \$20 \$ _____

Annual WHC Family Membership fee \$30 \$ _____

If you'd like a copy of the newsletter printed \$30 \$ _____

Total Payment Enclosed. Make checks payable to WHC: \$ _____

Questions/Comments: Jill Feller, Program Coordinator – 920-948-9502 – Jfeller5732@outlook.com

WISCONSIN HORSE COUNCIL

Ride Wisconsin – Trail Riding/Driving Award Program

121 S. Ludington Street

P.O. Box 72

Columbus, WI 53925

Voice: 920-623-0393



WISCONSIN HORSE COUNCIL MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Free Youth Memberships run concurrent with the school year

Office Use Only:

Date Received: _____

Date Processed: _____

Date Mailed: _____

LEVEL I FREE YOUTH MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION – for Ages 8 – High School Graduation

Name: _____ Age: _____

Street Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ E-mail Address: _____

County: _____ WHC District #: _____ Number of Horses: _____

Equine Organization(s) that you belong to that are WHC Level II or III Members: _____

Contact information to the organization(s) you are joining under: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature Required: _____

Parent/Guardian Name Printed: _____

☐ I agree that WHC can publicly share name/photos of the Youth member listed above on their media platforms.

Parent/Guardian Contact Info:

Street Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ E-mail Address: _____

***All information requested above is required and must be complete and accurate.**

LEVEL I YOUTH MEMBERSHIP OPTION

☐ Individual Youth Membership (no insurance) \$ **FREE**

☐ Free E-newsletter sent to the e-mail listed above..... \$ **FREE**

Note:

- If a Free Youth Program Member would like to participate in a WHC program that requires a WHC Level I Membership, they will be required to hold a paid Level I Membership as well. Remember that our regular Level I Youth Membership (17 & under) are always free with a paid Level I Adult Membership. So that means if the parent or guardian are already a Level I Member, the Level I Youth Member would already be covered and able to join the WHC Program of choice.

Wisconsin Horse Council does not sell or distribute our membership list. Information is kept private for use only by our organization for WHC business.

Return application to:

**Wisconsin Horse Council
P.O. Box 72
Columbus, WI 53925
Phone: 920-623-0393
www.wisconsinhorsecouncil.org**



WISCONSIN HORSE COUNCIL MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

All Memberships run from January 1st through December 31st

Office Use Only:

Payment Type: _____

Check #: _____

Amount: _____

LEVEL I MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Individual Name: _____

Youth Name(s): _____ Age(s): _____

Family Name(s): _____

Street Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ E-mail Address: _____

County: _____ District #: _____ Number of Horses: _____

LEVEL I MEMBERSHIP OPTIONS (Please check type of Membership & choice of newsletter. 2025 Prices)

- | | |
|---|-------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Individual Membership (no insurance) | \$ 20 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Individual Membership PLUS (includes \$1 Million personal liability insurance) | \$ 45 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family Membership (no insurance) | \$ 30 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family Membership PLUS (includes \$1 Million personal liability insurance) | \$ 80 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Youth (age 17 & under = free with paid Level I adult membership) | \$ 0 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Individual Lifetime Membership (one-time fee which includes the printed newsletter annually and the 1st year of liability insurance) | \$250 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Annual fee on Lifetime Membership for \$1 Million personal liability insurance | \$ 25 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Printed Newsletter mailed to the address above | \$ 30 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Free E-newsletter sent to the e-mail listed above | \$ 0 |

Description:

Level I membership class is available to any individual/family whose interests are similar to those of the Council and is for individuals/families only. Level I and Level II members elect Directors to the WHC Board to represent their District. Family membership is for a family of 2 or more living at the same residence and has 1 vote in the elections and business of their District. Membership must be current to vote at District meetings.

- Programs such as the Certified Judges and Ride Wisconsin require a Level I membership - even if you are a Director or a contact person for a Level II or III organization, you will need to be a Level I member yourself to participate in programs.
- Youth (17 & under) are free with a **paid** Level I adult membership.

LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP is an individual Level I membership with a one-time fee, giving the individual a paid-up membership for his/her lifetime. If LIFETIME MEMBERS wish to retain the \$1 Million personal liability insurance after their first year, they must purchase it on an annual basis. The printed newsletter is included with this membership annually at no additional cost.

Wisconsin Horse Council does not sell or distribute our membership list. Information is kept private for use only by our organization for WHC business.

Membership dues, payments and gifts to Wisconsin Horse Council are not deductible as charitable contributions for federal income tax purposes. Such payments may be deductible under the Internal Revenue Code as ordinary and necessary business expenses.

Return application and payment to:

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Columbus, WI 53925
Phone: 920-623-0393
www.wisconsinhorsecouncil.org



Wisconsin Horse Council

ATTENTION !

FREE....Upcoming Events section on Website.

We have created a section on our website for your upcoming events...FREE..... You can send (email) us any EQUINE related event (shows, tack sale, clinic, meetings, events etc.) and we will put it on our website free of charge. All you need to do is send us a copy of your event with a contact phone number and we will list it for all to see.

Questions-call 920-623-0393/email info@wisconsinhorsecouncil.org

I would like this event posted on the Wisconsin Horse Council website.

Date: _____

Event: _____

Location: _____

Phone: _____

www.wisconsinhorsecouncil.org

920-623-0393

121 S. Ludington St. Columbus, WI 53925



WHC Calendar of Upcoming Events



July 2025

July 4

Happy Independence Day!

July 5-6

Wisconsin Foundation Quarter Horse Registry Show, Jackson County Fair Park, Black River Falls, WI on Hwy 54, 8 a.m., Contact Cindy Koperski 608-385-4240, 4koperski@gmail.com , www.wifqhr.com

July 6

Lazycreek Farm Pleasure Fun Show, W5358 Old Sixty Rd, Juneau, WI, Judge will be Deb Caravello, 10 a.m. start, Contact 920-386-8058, DCHA Buckle approved

July 11-13

Wade House Carriage Driving Days, W7965 WI-23, Greenbush, WI 53026, Come see horses hitched to elegant carts and carriages compete for division championships. Celebrate the art of carriage driving during this rare three-day weekend of competitions in Wade House's brand-new horse arena. A horse-drawn carriage will transport you to the contest grounds. Ticket pricing and more information are listed on this ticketing page: <https://buy.acmeticketing.com/events/514/detail/62509965b482b4673c917f5c>

July 11

2025 Summer Twilight Classic Speed Show, Beaver Creek Saddle & Bridle Club, W3194 Cty. Rd. A S., Oostburg, WI, 6 p.m., Contact Lisa Caswell 920-889-7251 or Beckie Wendorf 920-564-0345, www.beavercreekwis.com or find us on Facebook

July 12

7th Annual "Look Out, Here We Come" Show 10 and under, show as you are Pleasure & Speed Show, Beaver Creek Saddle & Bridle Club, W3194 Cty. Rd. A S., Oostburg, WI, 9 a.m., Contact Lisa Caswell 920-889-7251 or Beckie Wendorf 920-564-0345, www.beavercreekwis.com or find us on Facebook

July 12

Northern Saddle Club Group Ride, Bush Lake Flats, Open to the Public, 10 a.m. with the group or ride by yourself anytime, Copy of negative Coggins test required, potluck at 4 p.m., campfire to follow, Contact Heidi 906-396-7457 for more information or go to northernsaddleclub.org or email northernsaddleclub@yahoo.com

July 12-13

Wisconsin Pinto Horse Assoc. All Are Small Mini & Pony Show, Heartland Equestrian Center, 7510 Deer Road, Custer, WI, Saturday starts at 7:30 a.m. and Sunday starts at 8 a.m., Contact Christina Kooiman Cgk112@gmail.com or Mark 715-323-3666

July 14

Northern Kettle Moraine Horse Trail Association Monthly Meeting, Rusty Spur Saloon, New Fane, WI, 7 p.m.

July 15

2025 Summer Twilight Classic Pleasure Show, Beaver Creek Saddle & Bridle Club, W3194 Cty. Rd. A S., Oostburg, WI, 6 p.m., Contact Lisa Caswell 920-889-7251 or Beckie Wendorf 920-564-0345, www.beavercreekwis.com or find us on Facebook

July 18

Friday Fun Night Game Show at Eau Claire Bit & Spur Club, 10425 W Cameron St, Eau Claire, WI 54703. For more information visit the website <https://www.eauclairebitandspur.com/upcoming-events> or the Facebook page facebook.com/EauClaireBitAndSpurClub

July 19

WSCA Pleasure and Games Show at Eau Claire Bit & Spur Club, 10425 W Cameron St, Eau Claire, WI 54703. For more information visit the website <https://www.eauclairebitandspur.com/upcoming-events> or the Facebook page facebook.com/EauClaireBitAndSpurClub

July 19

Lake County Mounted Posse 2025 Annual Open Horse Show, Spring Grove Horse Fair Park, 8105 Blivin Street, Spring Grove, IL, 8:30 a.m., see www.LCMP.info for more info

July 20

WSCA English & Western Pleasure Show at Eau Claire Bit & Spur Club, 10425 W Cameron St, Eau Claire, WI 54703. For more information visit the website <https://www.eauclairebitandspur.com/upcoming-events> or the Facebook page facebook.com/EauClaireBitAndSpurClub

July 23

WHC BOD Monthly Meeting, 121 S. Ludington St., Columbus, WI 53925, 7 p.m.

July 27

Dodge County Horseman's Assoc. Pleasure Show, Boots & Saddles Arena, W8827 Hemlock Rd., Beaver Dam, WI 53916, Follow DCHA on Facebook for updates.

*** Also check WI Pleasure Horse Shows on Facebook! ***



WHC Calendar of Upcoming Events



August 2025

- August 5-7** Wisconsin Farm Technology Days, Bear Creek, WI
- August 8** 2025 Summer Twilight Classic Speed Show, Beaver Creek Saddle & Bridle Club, W3194 Cty. Rd. A S., Oostburg, WI, 6 p.m., Contact Lisa Caswell 920-889-7251 or Beckie Wendorf 920-564-0345, www.beavercreekwis.com or find us on Facebook
- August 9** Lazycreek Farm Pleasure Fun Show, W5358 Old Sixty Rd, Juneau, WI, Judge will be Gary Shipshock, 10 a.m. start, Contact 920-386-8058, DCHA Buckle approved
- August 9** Northern Saddle Club Group Ride, Halls Creek, Open to the Public, 10 a.m. with the group or ride by yourself anytime, Copy of negative Coggins test required, potluck at 4 p.m., campfire to follow, Contact Heidi 906-396-7457 for more information or go to northernsaddleclub.org or email northernsaddleclub@yahoo.com
- August 9-10** WDAWI Dressage Show being held at Eau Claire Bit & Spur Club, 10425 W Cameron St, Eau Claire, WI 54703. For more information visit <https://www.wdawi.org/upcoming-events>
- August 10** Kuenzi Equestrian Events Trail Obstacle Challenge! Offering Ridden and In-Hand Divisions. Boots and Saddles Arena, W8827 Hemlock Road, Beaver Dam, WI. Follow the Kuenzi Equestrian Events Facebook page for more details and updates!
- August 11** Northern Kettle Moraine Horse Trail Association Monthly Meeting, Rusty Spur Saloon, New Fane, WI, 7 p.m.
- August 15-17** Wisconsin Pinto Horse Assoc. Show The Heartland Jubilee, Sunnyview Exposition Center, Oshkosh, WI, Friday starts at 9 a.m. and, Saturday and Sunday start at 7:30 a.m.
- August 15-17** Northwoods Trail & Obstacle "Challenge in the Pines", 2nd Annual Charity Weekend & Raffle, Crocker Hills Recreation Area, Elton, WI, 18 miles east of Antigo, Hosted by Cowgirls for Agriculture Sports Education, Inc., Friday is In-Hand Ranch Trail Clinic at 5 p.m. with Competition at 6 p.m., Saturday is Under Saddle Obstacles & Ranch Clinic at 9 a.m. with Competition at 1 p.m., both led by Judge & Clinician, Amber Clark, Sunday is Guided Group Trail Ride at 11 a.m. and Golden Horseshoe Hunt, to register or for more information please visit their Facebook page or go to cowgirlsforagsportsedu.org
- August 16** Wausau Boot and Saddle Club "Come As You Are" Open Horse Show Series, 5302 W. Wausau Ave., Wausau, WI 54401, 9 a.m., Contact Emily Mueller 715-575-9076, wausaubootandsaddle@gmail.com
- August 16** Caledonia Conservancy 23rd Mane Event Ride, Neubauer Farm, 5551 Short Rd., Racine, WI, 53402, Mounted Photo Scavenger Hunt, pre-order box lunch & t-shirt, Contact Tracy Larson 414-617-9403 or ManeEvent@caledoniaconservancy.org, Visit www.caledoniaconservancy.org/maneevent2025 for all details
- August 19** 2025 Summer Twilight Classic Pleasure Show, Beaver Creek Saddle & Bridle Club, W3194 Cty. Rd. A S., Oostburg, WI, 6 p.m., Contact Lisa Caswell 920-889-7251 or Beckie Wendorf 920-564-0345, www.beavercreekwis.com or find us on Facebook
- August 22** Friday Fun Night Game Show at Eau Claire Bit & Spur Club, 10425 W Cameron St, Eau Claire, WI 54703. For more information visit the website <https://www.eauclairebitandspur.com/upcoming-events> or the Facebook page facebook.com/EauClaireBitAndSpurClub
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- August 23** Menomonee Falls Saddle Club 60th Anniversary and Open House Community Event, Sussex WI
- August 24** WSCA English & Western Pleasure Show at Eau Claire Bit & Spur Club, 10425 W Cameron St, Eau Claire, WI 54703. For more information visit the website <https://www.eauclairebitandspur.com/upcoming-events> or the Facebook page facebook.com/EauClaireBitAndSpurClub
- August 27** WHC BOD Monthly Meeting, 121 S. Ludington St., Columbus, WI 53925, 7 p.m.

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Funding

Since 1979, WHC has owned and produced one of the largest and most successful horse fairs in the nation, the Midwest Horse Fair. Funds generated from the fair as well as from membership and donations support WHC operations and efforts.

Midwest Horse Fair®

How To Get Involved

- ♦ Become a WHC Member
- ♦ Become a WHC Director
- ♦ Join a WHC Committee – Trails, Public Relations, Member Services, Sponsorship, Trail Grants, Legislative, etc.
- ♦ Volunteer at Midwest Horse Fair



Above all, the WHC strives to reach more people, especially youth, interested in the equine industry to ensure its continued growth.



The Wisconsin State Horse Council Equine Foundation (WSHCEF) was created to better serve Wisconsin's growing equestrian community and to help that community realize its fullest potential. Our mission is to support equine priorities identified and supported by Wisconsin equine owners and organizations.

The WSHCEF is a tax exempt, non-profit 501 (c) (3) organization, and as such allows individuals to make tax-deductible contributions to support Wisconsin equine projects.

Please consider making a tax-deductible donation to the WSHCEF. Thank you!

Donations can be made payable and sent to:

WSHCEF
P.O. Box 72
Columbus, WI 53925

WSHCEF Board Members, Officers & Volunteer Team Members

President: Katie Bachhuber
Vice President: Linda Ernberger
Secretary: Diane Sackett
Treasurer: Nancy Young
Board Members: Lori Helmer, Jan Pieper, Gail Seator, Jennifer Jutison
WHC EB Rep. & MHF Rep.: Gail Seator

Volunteer Team

Karen Meekma, Sharon Hookstead,
 Jim Harris, Rich Ernberger,
 Dave Kluge & Roxanne Crombecke Kluge

What Is The Wisconsin Horse Council All About?



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The WHC's Mission & Vision Statements

- ◆ To represent, protect and foster a unified equine industry in Wisconsin through leadership, education, service and communication.
- ◆ To take a pro-active role in the future growth and development of the equine industry.

Organizational Overview

WHC is a non-profit organization representing horse owners and enthusiasts, and the equine industry in Wisconsin. We promote the horse through leadership and education. Our role is to support, serve and protect our equine industry in Wisconsin. We are an open organization and welcome all who are interested in horses, whether horse owners or not.

What We Do

Leadership – We are the only organization that is here for the horse and the people who own them or simply love them. We are not a breed organization, a saddle club, or a riding discipline; we exist solely for the welfare of the horse and the betterment of the equine industry as a whole.

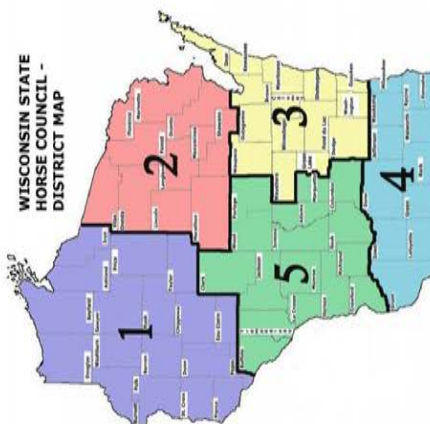
Legislation – we play an active role in legislative matters affecting both the state and national equine industry; we strengthen our ag/livestock partner relationships by participating in Ag Day at the State Capitol.

Education – our districts often conduct seminars and clinics for horse owners. The WHC Trail Committee offers an annual four-day Trail Design School on designing and building sustainable multi use trails.



Districts

The WHC is comprised of five geographical districts, each of which has its own set of member-elected officers and up to two member-elected representatives that it sends to the Board.



Programs

The WHC encourages equine events, sporting activities, youth activities and equine programs that help build membership. These include:

The WHC has given out more than \$885,400.00 through its programs since 1995! Please visit the WHC website for a complete breakdown.



Sponsorships & Grants – we support therapeutic riding organizations, trail safety and enhancement for recreational riding, riding clubs, equine charity events, mounted search and rescue, emergency response and more.

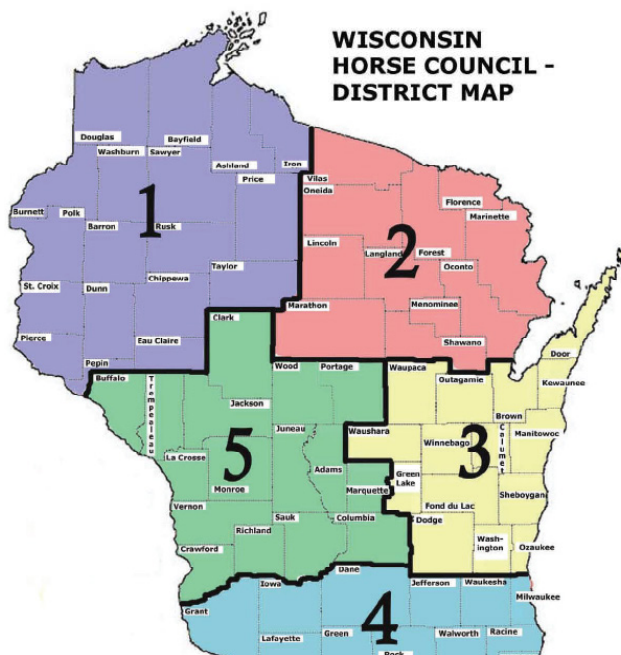
Trails – WHC partners with local horse clubs to assist with the development and improvement of Wisconsin's public equestrian trails, shared use trails and campgrounds. We award grants for campgrounds, new trail development, as well as trail improvements, enhancements, and repairs. We have representation on Wisconsin governmental trail councils whenever possible.

Annual Awards – we encourage and recognize people who have invested their time and money in growing and developing the equine industry through mentoring young horse enthusiasts, initiating new programs, offering leadership, and promoting responsible use of horses. Annual Awards include Horseperson of the Year, Lifetime Achievement, Special Achievement, Equine of the Year, Show Judge of the Year and the WHC Director of the Year.



Certified Show Judging – we improve the level of open show judging through educational seminars and certification.





**WISCONSIN
HORSE COUNCIL -
DISTRICT MAP**

District 1 includes the counties of: Ashland, Barron, Bayfield, Burnett, Chippewa, Douglas, Dunn, Eau Claire, Iron, Pepin, Pierce, Polk, Price, Rusk, Sawyer, St. Croix, Taylor and Washburn

District 2 includes the counties of: Florence, Forest, Langlade, Lincoln, Marathon, Marinette, Menominee, Oconto, Oneida, Shawano, and Vilas

District 3 includes the counties of: Brown, Calumet, Dodge, Door, Fond du Lac, Green Lake, Kewaunee, Manitowoc, Outagamie, Ozaukee, Sheboygan, Washington, Waupaca, Waushara, and Winnebago

District 4 includes the counties of: Dane, Grant, Green, Iowa, Jefferson, Kenosha, Lafayette, Milwaukee, Racine, Rock, Walworth, and Waukesha

District 5 includes the counties of: Adams, Buffalo, Clark, Columbia, Crawford, Jackson, Juneau, La Crosse, Marquette, Monroe, Portage, Richland, Sauk, Trempealeau, Vernon, and Wood

WHC District 1:

Contact - Paulette Adair
715-554-2904
cca2lucky@gmail.com

WHC District 2:

Contact - Shaughn Novy
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WHC District 3:

Contact - Katie Bachhuber
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rideendurance2@yahoo.com

WHC District 4:

Contact - Floyd Finney
608-201-9539
floyd-diane@outlook.com

WHC District 5:

Contact - Mark Long
715-323-3666
yeahicanfixthat2@gmail.com

Council Letter Deadline

The deadline for articles, upcoming events and advertisements for the WHC Council Letter is:

**September / October Issue:
August 15th at noon**

Articles must be equine related, may not be for commercial benefit and must be sent to us in a timely fashion. The Editor reserves the right to revise or refuse articles. Ads and articles are best sent in electronic format (prefer MS Word or Adobe Acrobat) to:

info@wisconsinhorsecouncil.org

Office hours: Monday-Friday - 8am-4pm



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July 4
July 23

Independence Day
WHC BOD Monthly Meeting

August 5-7
August 27

WI Farm Technology Days
WHC BOD Monthly Meeting



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