

Alberta Donkey and Mule Club News: March 2007

- ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 3:00 p.m., March 4 at Ron and Eileen Rusts, west of Ponoka. Call 403 783-8751 for more information.
- THE MANE EVENT, April 27-29. The ADMC will man a booth at this event at the Westerner, Red Deer. Club members that would like to help, please call Ethel at 403 783 3083. Speaking of "main" events...Roy and I will be a little busy that weekend with our own event. April 28 is the big day for us as we plan to spend the day with good friends, good food and good music. Our mules get the day off!
- JOSH NICHOL MULE CLINIC, June 5 – 8, at Meanook, AB, 70 minutes north of Edmonton. The clinic is likely full by now but there is always room for auditors. This clinic is at Josh's home place, Eagles Wing Ranch.. Call Ethel for more information at 403 783-3083 or check out Josh's website at www.joshnichol.com.
- ADMC TRAIL RIDE, June 9 & 10 at Fort Assiniboine Wildland Park, approximately 10 km east of Fort Assiniboine. This follows the Josh Nichol clinic and is handy for those leaving to make this a part of their trip! Club member Fred Godberson is the contact person for the ride so please call him at 780 674-5775. Fred says the trails are sand with no rocks and there is camping on a meadow. I'll give you more details closer to the date.
- PONOKA STAMPEDE PARADE, June 29. The members that rode in it last year are inviting other mule and donkey owners to ride or drive with them this year.
- ADMC TRAIL RIDE, July 27-29. Hummingbird/Ram Falls area. Contact member Keith Kendrew at 403 843-3293 for more information.
- TEES LONGEARS DAYS, August 18 & 19 , 25 km east of Lacombe, AB.
- The DRIVING CLINIC and the BOMB PROOFING CLINIC dates are not confirmed at the date of this writing.

Club members are reminded that memberships ran out Jan 31, so if you haven't renewed you need to do so ASAP. Don't forget to include your Horse's All subscription so that you don't miss the club news! Club membership fee is \$20.00 per family, which includes children under 18. Horse's All is only an extra \$14.84, for a total of \$34.84. Make checks out to the ADMC and send to Ethel Hollihan, 6201-54 Ave. Ponoka, AB. T4J 1J0

Anyone interested in riding in the Calgary Stampede Parade July 6, 2007, please contact me as I have other parties that are interested in finding more longear lovers to ride with. Applications need to be in by April 5, so you have to act now if you are interested Phone 403 783-5210 or email: malcher@telusplanet.net.

We will also need workers for the club casino at Red Deer, June 26 & 27.

That's all for now,
Marlene Malcher