

# C. E. A. Newsletter

September/October 2012

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# Welcome members



Our August meeting had local saddle maker Jim Coleman. He explained the anatomy of saddles, how they should fit, etc. Jim builds, and repairs saddles and other tack, customizes, braids rawhide, etc.

CEA did not have a meeting in July because it is a pretty quite horsy month around these here toasty parts.

#### Pumpkin Ponies

Fall is in right around the corner. This is my favorite time of year when it comes to gardening: root veggies! Did you know that horses love their root veggies to? Not only do they enjoy carrots, but try offering them Parsnips, Yams, Sweet Potatoes, Beets (they enjoy the beet greens as well).

Remember to visit us at www.chicoequestrianassociation.org for upcoming events and information.

If you would like to be added to our members classified ads or services, please contact Jen Robbins by email: artsymare@gmail.com

In case you missed our June Meeting, Megan and Kristin Grove from Equestrians In Harmony gave us a live Vaulting demonstration at the CEA Arena. They offer lessons at their facility in Orland.



#### Look who we found out and about?

C.E.A. President Donna Mathis, cattle sorting, out at El Rancho Capay. You too can enjoy trying your hand at cattle sorting, out in Capay. You can find the schedule on Jim Bass's website or Facebook page.



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# **Up and Coming events**

#### <u>September</u>

7,8,9th: Northern CaliforniaMiniature Donkey Show.Tehama County Fairgrounds.8th: Butte County Sheriff'sPosse Playday. DurhamPark.

**8th-9th:** Red Bluff Junior Round Up. Tehama County Fairgrounds.

11th, Tuesday: C.E.A. board meeting. 6pm guest speaker: TBA. 7pm meeting. Location:The Horse Store and More. Please bring a chair and a snack to share.

**16th:** Autumn Fest Hunter/ Jumper show series. Camelot Equestrian Park.

**22nd:** Tehama County Fair 4-H/FFA show. Tehama County Fairgrounds.

**25th-26th:** Two day Horse Trail Trials. Camelot Equestrian Center.

**26th:** Moonlight Ride in Bidwell Park. Meet at CEA Arena at 7PM.

**27-30:** Tehama County District Fair. Tehama FG.

#### <u>October</u>

**7th:** Sensory Clinic hosted by C.E.A. members. C.E.A. Arena, Chico.

9th:Tuesday: C.E.A. board meeting. 6pm guest speaker: TBA. 7pm meeting. Location:The Horse Store and More. Please bring a chair and a snack to share.

13th-14th: Glenn County Sheriff's Posse Junior Rodeo.

**13th-14th:** Dressage Clinic with Jan Curtis. Camelot Equestrian Center.

**15th:** CSHA Trail Trial Poker Ride. Black Butte.

**20th:** Ride and Dine. Camelot Equestrian Center.

**20th:** Sort for Survival. El Rancho Capay.

**27th:** Butte County Sheriff's Posse Payday. 10a.m Durham arena.

#### **November**

11th: Nor-Cal Appaloosa Futurity Parade. Tehama County Fairgrounds.

13th: Tuesday: C.E.A. board meeting. 6pm guest speaker: TBA. 7pm meeting. Location:The Horse Store and More. Please bring a chair and a snack to share.

# **Famous Horsy Facts:**



The Black Stallion used in the TV series, Fury, was an American Saddlebred. He can also be seen in movies: Gypsy Colt, Wild As The Wind, Lone Star (Clark Gables steed), and in Giant (Elizabeth Taylor's horse)

I heard a neigh, Oh, such a brisk and melodious neigh it was. My very heart leaped with the sound. ~
Nathaniel
Hawthorne

# The top secret codes for the gate locks at the arena are: (top secret for members only)

Please remember to lock the gate and spin the code off when leaving the arena.

#### **Bidwell Park Trail Hotline**

Call to see if trails are open: 896-7899 Lower Park trails are always open



**Go green, your horse does:** Because of the high cost of printing and postage, we would greatly appreciate emailing the newsletter. If you can switch from snail mail to e-mail, please let us know. You can always access newsletters from the website.



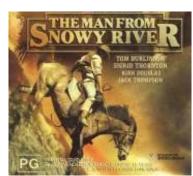
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Horses pulling a wagon, through Main Street, between 2nd & 3rd street in Chico, before the horseless carriage came into play. CEA Newsletter Page 3

# Popcorn and a Pony: movie review

The Man From Snowy River (1982) PG:





This movie was made for the entire family to enjoy. It is set in gorgeous Australia. During the 1880's We follow our main character, Jim Craig, through the dry outback, to the crisp mountain tops, that seem even to high for even the clouds to find. We follow young Jim, a lifelong horseman, as he tries to save his family's farm, by winning the bounty set on infamous stallion, who runs a mob of wild brumby's. Along Jim's way, he encounters family feuds, friends new and old, challenging terrain and weather, love, and heartbreak. There is a famous scene in this movie, no matter how many times you watch it, your jaw will drops Lucky for all involved, it was a one shot scene. This film is actually based off of a late 1800's poem by Australian Banjo Paterson.

# Member Classified Ads

Winnie's Cookies: Not just a treat, but an organic mineral and supplement in an easy to feed cookie form. They are endorsed by the Parelli's. \$26 for 100 cookies. Email Deni at: 4Dubs@sbcglobal.net

#### The Horse Store and More:

Complete supply of new and used saddles, tack, western wear, boots, jewelry, gifts, art, and 4-H whites. Open Mon.-Sat. 2827 Esplanade, Chico. Call: (530) 345-5353 or email at: thehorsestore@sbcglobal.net

#### Galloping Sow & Saddles:

Always 40-50 saddles. Interest free financing. Trials available. 3240 Orchard Ave, Corning. Call for appointment.
Cindy Picha (530) 824-2771

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Repair, relines, flocking, billets, hamess repair. Ranch and stable calls. CEA members 10% discount. Lillian (530) 934-4152

Jo Danehy Equine Photographer: Specializes in ranch photography. Choose your setting for your seniors, portraits, ranch, and family photo sessions. Contact Jo at: (530) 680-3272 www.danehyphotography.c om

Horse Boarding: Close to town, minutes from riding trails. \$200/month; includes 2 feedings a day. For more information call Joe Bell at: (530) 891-4140

## **Member Services**

#### **Ute Wirth Horsemanship:**

Training and lessons. Ute (530)824-6406

#### Jeff Crawford Horseman-

**ship:** Training, colt starting, problem solving. Visit: www.JeffCrawfordHorsem anship.com

#### Marisa Robson Horse Training, Lessons & Board-

ing: Specializing in hunter pleasure, western pleasure, and saddle seat. Private/group lessons available in the indoor or outdoor arena at McKinnon Equestrian Arena. Call Marisa at: (530)519-5717

#### **ApB Equine Partnerships:**

Classic horsemanship skills from the ground up. Building confidence for horse, rider, owner. Training, Coaching, Multi discipline, Sensory training, exercising and home care services. Alissa Burns (530)520-7688

#### Rodeo Creek Ranch: has

big covered arena for year round use. Plenty of parking for horse trailers. Call (530)385-1401 or Ute at: (530)824-6404 for more information.

#### Natural Horsemanship

Training with Deni: I train horses and work with people who care about the kind of relationship they have with their horse. I can help you with riding, trailering issues, ground manners, etc. Call Deni at: (530)343-1814 or (530)519-3803

#### Horse/Pet/House Sitting:

Great care for your loved ones when you need a break. Call Katie Hardesty at: (530) 342-1938. References available.

#### Running Horse Ranch:

Offers natural horsemanship training, private lessons, trail lessons, saddle starting, classes, and clinics for all levels in English and Western riding. Please call Tracy Johnson at: (530) 534-5815 or email: tjrunninghorse@att.net

#### Commune with your

Horse: be it physical, emotional, or behavioral to hear what if really going on. Jasmine Wilma Kirk (530)533-3151 or email: sufijas@gmail.com

# Bidwell Stables, across from lower park has reopened! \$300/mo., Covered stalls comes with an outside paddock, feeding, cleaning, shavings, private lockable tack rooms. There is a round pen, cross ties & washing area. Call Craig @ 520-6776.

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#### Bring your Soul to Its

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Deep Tissue. Can address all issues whether an injury or chronic problem. I bring my table to you. Call Jen Robbins at: (530)588-6484

June Winberg: Horse sitter for the Paradise/Chico area. Experienced with referrals. Call June at (530) 872-8528

**PJ Davis Farrier:** Call PJ for all your farrier needs. (530) 383-5311



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