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By Helen Johnson

Hello dear friends. As usual, our activities in March were somewhat derailed by the high winds. Jennifer Todd’s Bark For Life was a success just because it was so near and dear to our hearts and she put so much work and effort into making it a fun afternoon for all the four-legged “kids” and their two legged partners.

The winds came up early and blew pretty hard for much of the day. The winds seemed to taper down, somewhat, by 11 am making it ultra beautiful and serene walking the course that the ETP crew cleared at the nature Center. It was especially enjoyable because many brought their children and grandchildren. The Escalera’s and Char’s grandchildren were especially fun to watch and interact with as they ran smiled and enjoyed the trail and the beautiful surroundings!

May 3 is our next trail clean up. We will stage by Wholesale feed on Limonite, meeting there at 7:30 am to beat the heat. Joe Hoscheid checked out the riverbed and found the area from the tunnel towards Bain littered and in need of TLC. That is going to be our focus for the 3rd of May.

Plan to join us for an hour or so. Let’s make a difference!

My best to each of you. Take care of your loved ones, animals and friends. Life is important and caring makes a difference.

See you all at the meeting May 3rd.

![Bark for Life - 2014](image_url)
2014 Calendar of Meetings and Events

May 5 ETP meeting held at Sizzler on Clay. Meeting starts at 7 pm, socializing and dinner starts at 6 pm
May 14 CSHA meeting held in Norco. Meeting starts at 7 pm, socializing and dinner starts at 6 pm
June 2 ETP meeting held at Sizzler on Clay. Meeting starts at 7 pm, socializing and dinner starts at 6 pm
June 11 CSHA meeting held in Norco. Meeting starts at 7 pm, socializing and dinner starts at 6 pm
July 3 City of Jurupa Fireworks.
July 7 ETP meeting held at Sizzler on Clay. Meeting starts at 7 pm, socializing and dinner starts at 6 pm
July 9 CSHA meeting held in Norco. Meeting starts at 7 pm, socializing and dinner starts at 6 pm
August 4 ETP meeting held at Sizzler on Clay. Meeting starts at 7 pm, socializing and dinner starts at 6 pm
August 13 CSHA meeting held in Norco. Meeting starts at 7 pm, socializing and dinner starts at 6 pm
August 22, 23, 24 Norco Rodeo
September 8 ETP meeting held at Sizzler on Clay. Meeting starts at 7 pm, socializing and dinner starts at 6 pm
September 10 CSHA meeting held in Norco. Meeting starts at 7 pm, socializing and dinner starts at 6 pm
October 6 ETP meeting held at Sizzler on Clay. Meeting starts at 7 pm, socializing and dinner starts at 6 pm
October 8 CSHA meeting held in Norco. Meeting starts at 7 pm, socializing and dinner starts at 6 pm
November 3 ETP meeting held at Sizzler on Clay. Meeting starts at 7 pm, socializing and dinner starts at 6 pm
December 1 ETP meeting held at Sizzler on Clay. Meeting starts at 7 pm, socializing and dinner starts at 6 pm
December date TBD Christmas Baskets
December date TBD Christmas with Santa

Note: No CSHA meeting in November or December

Minutes of the April 2014 ETP Meeting

Sharon Bernard called to order the ETP meeting at 7:00 pm
+ Patty Powers led the Pledge of Allegiance
Minutes amended by Helen Johnson- Brag for a Buck- Did not include that Helen bragged, last month, that Chuck Holbrook will be retiring after his birthday!!!! Whoops.. ☺
+Minutes amended.
+Ratification of previous meeting minutes motion made by Patty Powers, 2nd by Ken Zirges. Minutes Approved.

Treasure's Report- Chris Pearne
+ETP has $3,704.26 as of 3/31/14. No bills submitted
Chris Pearne delivered the $100.00 donation to the CPR EMS instructor. He was so pleased and said a huge Thank you to ETP!

Chairmen Reports:
Membership/Visitors- Jennifer Todd
+We have two new members! Renee and Maureen submitted their paperwork! Whoooho! ☺

Inventory- Louise Zirges
+Louise has shirts and other items with her at the meeting. Contact her if you need and ETP wearable items. Louise has the tan and the navy Henley shirts with her at the meeting.

Equipment- Laura Schultz
+All is ok!

Events/Request for Help- Henry Escalera-
+ July 3 the city of Jurupa is putting on their annual fireworks display. Does ETP want to patrol the grounds as we have done in the past. Henry will be working with the city. ETP will work the event. Chair will be selected at the next meeting. Event will be held at Jurupa High School. Henry said to park on Etiwanda (back of the school) alongside of the school ball field.
+ Norco Rodeo- Sign up sheet started around. Henry said that ETP is to only deal with people and parking cars. Not the contestants or vendors.

Trail Patrol/Maintenance- Janice Escalera-
+ Turns in all Trail Reports to Janice Escalera, either by email or fill out the form and get it to her. Keep the trail reports coming! More reports need to come in.
+ Joe Hosheid- Next trail clean up will be May 3. We will stage at Wholesale Feed at 7:30 am (due to the expected heat) and go from under the tunnel, work towards Bain. Joe observed that that area of the riverbed is exceptionally littered. CANCELLED AS THE CITY IS COORDINATING THIS SATURDAY, APRIL 26TH AT 8 AM. PLEASE SUPPORT THEM INSTEAD.

Friends of ETP Trail Rides-
+ Chuck Holbrook - Bogart Park April 27. Meet at the Stater Bros. parking lot on Limonite in Mira Loma. Caravan will be leaving the parking lot at 8 am. Camping is available at $10.00 a night.
Legislation – (Norco) - Sandy Campbell
+ Char Schramm – High-density developer will be putting in houses. Louise Zirges said it is a developer from Las Vegas. This will promote more vehicles on the road and increase the population in the area.

Legislation (Jurupa) - Henry Escalera-
+ Henry Escalera- Jurupa Conservancy will be “back in business” fighting for the mountain.
+ Henry Escalera- There is a grant to redo Horseshoe Lake.
+ Limonite is scheduled to become a four-lane highway.

Rears- Charlene Schramm-
+ April 26- REARS Practical – Ryan Airport. Arrive /check in at 9 am: start 9:30am. Scheduled to be completed at 1 pm. Practical is a mock rescue / hands on operation.

New business:
+ Deborah Hild- Deborah recently attended a seminar “Refuse to be a Victim”. She asked if we would like the speaker to come speak to us. Deborah will set up the guest speaker to come speak at one of our meetings.
+ Char Schramm- Rules Committee has not met and should get together to review.

Old Business:
+ Darla Holbrook- Memorial Day campout and training seminar. Event on hold. Laura Shultz to check on Marshall Canyon possibility.
+ Bark for Life- Jennifer Todd- Event was slim. Wind came up that day.

Open Discussion:
+ Helen Johnson- Sondra Harkless is involved in a program in her area called CERT. This is a training for rescue process in her area. She has unused corrals and area for staging an evacuation of animals, so she is now involved with that program. She wanted you all to know she sends her huge hellos to you all and will see you next meeting.
+ Char Schramm – Since ETP donated $500.00 to the Relay for Life, we are now a Bronze Sponsor. It is written on the T-Shirts that Relay for Life gave to participants.

Brag For a Buck:
+ Patti Powers bragged that the Old West reenactment troupe is going to be at the Old West Show April 26 and 27 in Banning at the Gilman House. You are all invited to attend!
+ Vicky Gonzalez bragged that Pete rode with her, Henry and Janice! He did VERY well and enjoyed it!!! They have a couple of new horses!
+ Jennifer Todd bragged that her son’s band opened at the House of Blues in LA!! She and Terry attended Saturday night!
+ Colly Van Dyken bragged that due to Henry Escalera’s diligence in dealing with the city, the tree that has blocked her driveway all these years would be removed by the city!

Peter won the 50/50! He shared $73.00 with ETP.

Meeting adjourned at 7:49 pm.
Minutes respectfully submitted by Helen Johnson

The next **ETP meeting** will be May 5, at the Sizzler on Clay. Meeting starts at 7 pm.
The next CSHA meeting is Wednesday, April 9.

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**Up COMING EVENTS**

**Get your calendars out… campout are being planned**

Char is planning a campout to Montana Del Oro.
Montana Del Oro State Park is just south of Morrow Bay. She is open for dates that are optimal for you and the park has available. Talk to Char if you are interested in going horse camping.
Sale

Two saddles… great condition
Professional roping saddle with a 16 inch seat and the other a Circle Y, 15 inch seat, matching star Conchos on it. Both Beautiful.. must see.. $500.00
Call Helen Johnson  951- 236- 6509

Horse panels … 3 and 4 rail… various sizes available. Call Vicky Gonzales at 951- 526-3811.

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Important Phone numbers

SHERIFF PHONE NUMBERS- 951-279-4311   951-270-5673

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At the meeting, one of our new ETP members offered to give a report from the State of the City Meeting in Norco being held the next day. New active members are awesome! Here is the email I received from Maureen:

I am excited to be a part of ETP!

I did attend the State of the City meeting in Norco on Tuesday. I didn't learn much. The Chamber hosted a nice event but it was more about the businesses Norco has recently attracted, learning that Norco wants to sell itself as a 'destination' town.

Although tax revenue has climbed from 3 million (ish) to 5 million (ish) over the past few years, the city has little to no money for street and trail repairs. Even leaning heavily on the various volunteer organizations doesn’t seem to be adequate. The city was very busy promoting it's new veterans memorial and didn't mention anything at all about the downfall of the equestrian facility off Hamner (Silver lakes).
RIDE, Ride, RIDE
Trail Reports
Don’t forget Janice Escalera needs those trail reports to turn into the County, State and everyone in between. One report per ride, list the names of those that rode, no duplicate reports for the same trail ride. You are Awesome!!!!!!!!!!! Whooohoo and Thanks You Do Make A Difference!!

Important Information:
If you think that, something is off and someone may be in danger of having a stroke, look for these symptoms:

**STROKE**

**F.A.S.T.** An acronym to help remember what to look for in the event you feel that someone needs help.

**F.** Face drooping
- Does one side of the face droop or is it numb?
  - Ask the person to smile.
  - Is the person’s smile uneven?

**A.** Arm Weakness
- Is one-arm weak or numb?
  - Ask the person to raise both arms.
  - Does one arm drift downward?

**S.** Speech Difficulty
- Is speech slurred?
  - Is the person unable to speak or hard to understand?
  - Ask him/her to repeat a simple sentence like “The sky is blue.”
  - Is the sentence repeated correctly?

**T.** Time to call 9-1-1 if someone shows any of these symptoms.
- Even if the symptoms go away, call 9-1-1 and get the person to the hospital immediately.
- Check the time so you will know when the first symptoms appeared.

Equestrian Trail Patrol does not accept responsibility for items and tips listed. Products and ideas used by the individual are the responsibility of the individual. Consult your veterinarian and always ride with safety in mind. Use common sense in all that you do while looking ahead on the trail.