



KERN SIERRA UNIT NEWSLETTER

MAY 2019

PRESIDENTS LETTER

I would like to thank all members who participated in the 2019 BCHC Rendezvous. Its always a great time to get together with members from other units throughout the state, attend free classes and shop at the many vendors. Rendezvous 2020 will be held in Red Bluff.

Our annual general membership meeting will be held on National Trails Day June 1st

We will be doing a little trail cleanup from the Hart Park barn to the end of the park along the river. We will then proceed to ride west to the Goodmanville residential area to Patty Montoya's home for lunch and meeting. We will be discussing the future of Backcountry Horsemen (where we are and where we want to go as an organization) and returning to the barn. Stock not required to help with the trail work but it is quite a walk along the river trail in the park area. Or just attend the meeting/ lunch. This is open to non-members so please come enjoy lunch on us and be part of Backcountry Horsemen's future.

We will need a headcount for food. Please RSVP to Tammy Bozarth spashiners@yahoo.com or call 661-322-2545

When you RSVP you will be given meeting address and gate code for access.

Tammy Bozarth

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6TH ANNUAL SPRING NATURE FESTIVAL

by Steve Cozzetto

The Kern Sierra Unit participated in the 6th Annual Spring Nature Festival held at the Wind Wolves Preserve. Lynn Joiner manned our booth on Saturday and Patty Montoya took over booth duty on Sunday. We were able to provide the public with information on what the BCHC does to preserve and maintain our trails. We also had a horse and mule available for the kids to pet. We explained how the stock assists us in our mission. The most common question asked was “What’s the difference between a horse and a mule?” As always, we made a good impression and were able to educate the attendees.



2019 SPORTS SHOW

submitted by Tammy Bozarth

Our Education Booth at the 2019 Sports Show manned by our newest family members Charlie Trueblood. We sold numerous raffle tickets for both the state and unit fundraisers. Getting our word out “What is Backcountry Horsemen” is our main goal at these type of public events. We spend three days sharing information and answering questions. It’s a great venue for us to reach out.



Come join Backcountry Horsemen of California
- Kern Sierra Unit
at the

NATIONAL TRAILS DAY

Saturday, June 1st at 9:00am
at the Hart Park Barn



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Backcountry Horsemen of California—Kern Sierra Unit

Objectives and Purpose

To improve and promote the use, care and development of California backcountry trails, campsites, streams and meadows; to advocate good trail manners.

To promote the conservation and utilization of our backcountry resources in concert with livestock transportation.

To keep the backcountry trails and forage areas open to horsemen on all public lands.

To keep current information before the Corporation membership and its local Units regarding new legislation or management plans related to government regulations of the backcountry.

To support or oppose new proposals, plans and restrictions as related to the interest of horsemen and those persons interested in recreational stock use and enjoying the backcountry.

To promote the interest of people who, due to health or physical factors, need transportation other than by foot on backcountry trails.

To promote public awareness and interest in the historical aspect of horsemen and stock in the backcountry to help educate backcountry users on ways to use the trail and forage in a manner that conserves the backcountry resources.

To assist in keeping the public informed of the vital need for a clean backcountry.

To promote a working relationship with and keep the work interests of the Corporation before our local, state and federal officials.

To assist in the formation and continuation of local Units to carry on these purposes.

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