

Bridle Bunch Horse & Pony News



December 2005 Edition



Leadership Team

Application for Leadership Team is included in this mailing. Deadline for mailing it in is January 1, 2006. The team will be limited to 18 kids, so be sure and really answer the questions completely. Leadership Team meets at least once a month in addition to the regular meetings.

Jumping/Hunter Hack Clinic

See the back of this newsletter for two jumping clinics that will be over Christmas break. The indoor arena is heated and this would be a great way to learn more about jumping and what it takes to get started. Contact information is included on the flyer. Think about it.

Web Page

Visit the Web page to see all kinds of good stuff. On there you will find; the calendar, patterns, horse tips, and much more. If you have questions you can also e-mail one of the leaders from the website. We have a new web address. Go to: www.bridlebunch.com We'll be posting things through out the off season so keep up to date.

To Make The Best Better

Judging Team Get ready to get started.

Judging Team will start in January and will likely meet on Sunday afternoons. Judging Team is a great way to learn more about horses and about how performance classes are judged. Stephanie is looking for another Assistant Coach - need to have knowledge on parts of the horse, various breeds, desire to help others succeed (especially kids), have a positive attitude, be organized, outgoing, and upbeat. Some public speaking skills to help with reasons would be good too. They should also have some show experience to be able to share those experiences with the kids. Contact Stephanie at sbrinega@iupui.edu

Hippology

Something new is going to happen in Hendricks County - Hippology! It's a fact and information based way of competing and showing your knowledge of horses, horse health, 4-H rules and more. However, we need an adult to take this on and become coach. If interested, please e-mail Julie at Dirtpatchj@aol.com. If we can get a coach, look for this to get started in January. Competitions include Hoosier Horse Fair and maybe more. Thanks!



Leader's Note

The Holidays are here and I wanted to share my thankfulness and appreciation to all members of this club. I really enjoyed this last year and feel very blessed that I was able to work with so many of you. The Bridle Bunch Horse & Pony Club is the best around, with great kids and great families. All of you have taught me a great deal and I feel very lucky to be able to work with this club.

I'm excited about 2006 and all of the new things we have to look forward to. I would love to hear from anyone who has an idea for the club as together we can continue to grow & improve.

I wish each and every one a very Merry Christmas and a safe and Happy New Year.

Julie

Plan Ahead

Meetings - 4th Thursday at 6:30 PM
starting in February

Workshops - Tuesdays starting
April/May

Enrollment Fair - February 12

First meeting - February 23

1st/2nd Year Orientation - March 8

Annual Tack/Swap Meet - March 11

Show Dates - May 20, June 17, July 8
(4H Only) and July 15