

Calendar Of Events

Calendar is a free listing for all equine events. Deadline is the 12th of the month. Fax your information to (928) 636-7602, or Email to info@azhorseconnection.com or regular mail to Arizona Horse Connection, 1130 Red Cinder Rd., Chino Valley, AZ 86323.

HORSE SHOWS

Sept. 4
SHOW CIRCUIT ALL BREED HORSE SHOW, WestWorld, Scottsdale, AZ. (480) 488-5711 or visit www.sundustaz.com.

Sept. 11
EAST VALLEY ARABIAN MINI-CIRCUIT, 8 a.m., Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Center, 22350 S. Ellsworth Rd., Queen Creek, AZ. (480) 358-3000, www.queencreek.org.

Sept. 11
ARIZONA PONIES OF AMERICAS CLUB COMPETITION, WestWorld, Scottsdale, AZ. Visit www.azpoac.com.

Sept. 11 or 12 (call for definite date)
BLUE RIBBON HORSE SHOW. Saturday evening or Sunday, 8:00 a.m., WestWorld (covered arena), Scottsdale, AZ. Double Judged Show. Halter, Western, English, open to all breeds. For info, (602) 992-2145, or www.blueribbonhorseshow.com.

Sept. 18
VALLEY OF THE SUN ARABIAN MINI-CIRCUIT, Saturday, 5 p.m., Western Saddle Club, 12425 N. 7th St., just south of Thunderbird Rd. Arabian, Half-Arabian and Open classes. "PAC" approved for Paint horses. All breeds welcome. Free drawing for show entries to win \$30 gift certificate to Chilli's Restaurant. Visit www.VSAHA.org for info.

Sept. 18-19
AZ PAINT HORSE CLUB FALL CLASSIC HORSE SHOW AND FUTURITIES AND MATURITIES. Yavapai County Fairgrounds, Prescott Valley, AZ. Judges Terri Wirthlin, Cindy Weight Carter. For Futurity info, please call Laurie Roden, (602) 708-8410 or Nicole Mueller, (480) 840-3923. Stall manager, Paul Cook, (928) 301-0548, To enter online, www.8oaksshowservices.com, www.azpaints.org.

Sept. 18-19
AMERICAN SADDLEBRED HORSE ASSN. OF AZ, WestWorld, Scottsdale, AZ. For info, visit www.americansaddlebredassociationofarizona.com.

Sept. 25
ARIZONA APPALOOSA ASSN. FALL CLASSIC & FUTURITY, WestWorld, Scottsdale, AZ. For info, visit www.arizonaappaloosa.com.

Sept. 25
NORTHERN ARIZONA EQUI-STAR SHOW CIRCUIT, Freeman Farms, Road 3 South and Road 1 East, Chino Valley, AZ. English, Western, Driving, Halter, PAC approved. Year end awards. Visit www.equistarshows.com or call (520) 850-3990.

Sept. 25
HUNT CUP SCHOOLING SHOW, WestWorld, Scottsdale, AZ. For info, (602) 992-2706 or www.cepsshows.com.

Sept. 25
NORTHERN ARIZONA EQUI-STAR SHOW CIRCUIT, Freeman Farms, Road 3 South and Road 1 East, Chino Valley, AZ. English, Western, Driving, Halter, PAC approved. Year end awards. Visit www.equistarshows.com or call (520) 850-3990.

Sept. 25-26
SO. AZ QUARTER HORSE ASSOCIATION FALL QUARTER HORSE SHOW, Pima County Fairgrounds, Tucson, AZ. 8:00 a.m. Full schedule of AQHA classes (no cattle classes) plus AQHA Green Western Pleasure, Trail & Hunter Under Saddle and AQHA 2YO Western Pleasure & Jackpot Trail class. Also "All Breed Anyone Can Ride" classes. Judges: Bob Kail and Debbie Kail, AZ. For info, call (520) 544-8791 or (520) 883-3486 or Patdenton1@aol.com, or visit www.saqha.org. See ad this issue.

Sept. 25 - 26
AZQHA AQHA SCHOLARSHIP CIRCUIT, SHOW #3, Pima County Fairgrounds, Tucson, AZ. To be held in conjunction with SAQHA Fall Show. Connie Hay, (623) 869-8037.

Sept. 26
ARIZONA DRESSAGE ASSN. MEMBERS ONLY SCHOOLING SHOW, WestWorld, Scottsdale, AZ. For info, (480) 767-3588, www.azdressage.org.

Sept. 30 - Oct. 6
SCOTTSDALE CLASSIC QUARTER HORSE SHOW, WestWorld, Scottsdale, AZ. Barbara Dietz, (602) 919-2971, for entries online www.thescottsdaleclassic.com.

Oct. 2
SOUTHWEST SPECIALTIES SADDLE SERIES, Horseshoe Park, Queen Creek, AZ. 8:00 a.m. Classes for every level, money back in all classes. Division Awards at every show and at the conclusion of the series. PAC approved. (480) 695-6283, [download/print entry, www.southwestspecialtiesonline.com](http://download/printentry.southwestspecialtiesonline.com). See ad this issue.

Oct. 2
ARIZONA APPALOOSA ASSN. HORSE SHOW, 8:00 a.m., Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Center, 22350 S. Ellsworth Rd., Queen Creek, AZ. (480) 358-3000, www.queencreek.org.

Oct. 9
EAST VALLEY ARABIAN MINI-CIRCUIT, 8 a.m., Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Center, 22350 S. Ellsworth Rd., Queen Creek, AZ. (480) 358-3000, www.queencreek.org.

Oct. 14-17
SCOTTSDALE FALL PREVIEW HUNTER-JUMPER SHOW, WestWorld, Scottsdale, AZ. For info, (602) 992-2706 or www.cepsshows.com.

Oct. 16
SHOW CIRCUIT ALL BREED HORSE SHOW, WestWorld, Scottsdale, AZ. (480) 488-5711 or visit www.sundustaz.com.

Oct. 21
SCOTTSDALE FALL CLASSIC HUNTER/JUMPER SHOW, WestWorld, Scottsdale, AZ. For info, (602) 992-2706 or www.cepsshows.com.

Oct. 22-24
4-H HORSE SHOW, WestWorld, Scottsdale, AZ. For info, (602) 252-6771 or www.azstatefair.com.

Oct. 29-31
HARVEST OF COLOR PAINT-O-RAMA, hosted by APHC, WestWorld, Scottsdale, AZ. Four Judges: Jan Larsen, Mark McCarthy, Sally Freund, Bill Englund. \$330 - One Horse/Any Rider Flat Fee. High Point & Reserve High Point Cash awards. Mare Owner's Futurity, SSA Futurity, SSA Auction, Jackpot Trail Class Friday Night. Stall and entry deadline 10/15, stalls must be prepaid. Show manager, Shelley McKay, (480) 239-8765, stall manager, Paul Cook, (928) 301-0548, To enter online, www.8oaksshowservices.com, or visit www.azpaints.org. See ad this issue.

Oct. 29-31
AMERICAN SADDLEBRED HORSE ASSN. OF AZ 2010 FUTURITY, WestWorld, Scottsdale, AZ. www.americansaddlebredassociationofarizona.com.

BARREL RACING/POLES

Sept. 25
NBHA Barrel Racing, 5 p.m., Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Center, 22350 S. Ellsworth Rd., Queen Creek, AZ. (480) 358-3000, www.queencreek.org.

BARREL RACING JACKPOT, Buckeye Equestrian Center, 10300 S. Miller Rd., Buckeye, AZ. Thursday nights, times only at 5:30 p.m., run at 7 p.m.. For info, www.buckeye-equestrian-center.com, (623) 691-6900.

BARREL & POLE PRACTICE, every Tues from 6-8 p.m., P & M Arena, Apache Junction. For info call (480) 720-0132.

BARREL PRACTICE, every Thurs. night, 7 - 9 p.m. Rattlesnake Arena, Queen Creek. (480) 882-1142 or www.rattlesnakearena.com, (602) 565-7365.

OPEN BARRELS, Wednesdays, Arizona Horse Lovers Park, 6-9 p.m. For info (602) 534-4656.

OPEN JACKPOT BARRELS & GYMKHANA. First Sat. of month. Cochise County Fairgrounds, Douglas. Chris or Jack, (520) 364-8334; Gerry (520) 364-2612.

TTBRA BARRELS & POLES JACKPOT, 2nd Sat. (602) 237-3882 or (602) 237-2870 for info.

JACKPOT BARRELS & POLES, sponsored by Arizona Youth Rough Riders, Meridian & Brown Rds., Apache Junction, AZ. Nov.-April, sign up 10 a.m., start 11 a.m., runs all day.

CUTTINGS

Sept. 12
NORTHERN AZ CUTTING HORSE ASSOCIATION, TEAM CUTTING, Breast Cancer Awareness. Prescott Livestock Auction Barn, Chino Valley, AZ. Take Highway 89 to Perkinsville Rd. Go east 5.5 miles to cattle guard, turn right into Livestock barn. Books open at 8 a.m., show starts at 9 a.m. No entries accepted after 12 noon. For info, visit www.nachacutting.com.

CUTTINGS (CONT'D)

Oct. 3

NORTHERN AZ CUTTING HORSE ASSOCIATION, TEAM CUTTING, Prescott Livestock Auction Barn, Chino Valley, AZ. Take Highway 89 to Perkinsville Rd. Go east 5.5 miles to cattle guard, turn right into Livestock barn. Books open at 8 a.m., show starts at 9 a.m. No entries accepted after 12 noon. For info, visit www.nachacutting.com.

Oct. 7-10

AZ CUTTING HORSE ASSOCIATION, \$500 added with LAE, Buckeye Equestrian Center, Buckeye, AZ. For info, contact Lindsey Mills, (928) 636-0695 or email to info@AzCHA.com.

Oct. 31

SOUTHERN AZ CUTTING HORSE ASSOCIATION, Jackpot Cutting, 9:00 a.m. Marana Stockyards, Marana, AZ. Call Peggy, (520) 579-2535 or need-cows@yahoo.com.

DRESSAGE

Oct. 23-23

USDF "L" PROGRAM, host GMO: Central Arizona Riding Academy, San Tan Valley, AZ, Organizer Dorie Vlaten Schmitz. Part 1, Session A, Lois Yukins, Intro to judging and biomechanics. For info, Dorie, (480) 963-1310 or email dvschmitz@msn.com, www.caradressage.com.

GYMKHANAS

Sept. 3, 10, 17, 24

HOOFBEATS WITH HEART GYMKHANA, Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Center, 22350 S. Ellsworth Rd., Queen Creek, AZ. (480) 358-3000, www.queenecreek.org.

Sept. 11

CHANDLER VAQUEROS SADDLE CLUB GYMKHANA, 4 p.m., Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Center, 22350 S. Ellsworth Rd., Queen Creek, AZ. (480) 358-3000, www.queenecreek.org.

Sept. 18

QUEEN CREEK GYMKHANA, 9:30 a.m., Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Center, 22350 S. Ellsworth Rd., Queen Creek, AZ. (480) 358-3000, www.queenecreek.org.

Oct. 1, 8, 15

HOOFBEATS WITH HEART GYMKHANA, Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Center, 22350 S. Ellsworth Rd., Queen Creek, AZ. (480) 358-3000, www.queenecreek.org.

Oct. 9, 23

QUEEN CREEK GYMKHANA, 9:30 a.m., Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Center, 22350 S. Ellsworth Rd., Queen Creek, AZ. (480) 358-3000, www.queenecreek.org.

Oct. 23

CHANDLER VAQUEROS SADDLE CLUB GYMKHANA, 4 p.m., Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Center, 22350 S. Ellsworth Rd., Queen Creek, AZ. (480) 358-3000, www.queenecreek.org.

GYMKHANA, Benson, AZ. 1st Sat. Feb. - May and Sept.- Dec. Buckle Series, Goat Tying, Got Ribbon Pull. (520) 720-0344 or visit the website at www.azgymkhana.com

MISSION VIEW SADDLE CLUB GYMKHANA, Schulz Arena, Tucson. Also 4-D poles & barrels. 1st Sun of each month Nov. thru Apr. Call (520) 744-2779.

GYMKHANAS, monthly starting in June or July. in Sunizona, AZ. Christian atmosphere. Kathy at (520) 824-2223 or (520) 824-4196.

GYMKHANA & 4 D BARREL RACING SERIES, 2nd Saturday of each month, Graham County Fairgrounds in Safford. Debbie at (520) 903-8449.

SIERRA VISTA RIDING CLUB GYMKHANAS, 2nd Sat of each, Feb. thru June, Sept., Oct. & Nov. Held at SVRC new Rodeo Grounds. Michelle, (520) 221-0731.

OPEN GYMKHANA, 4th Saturday of each month., Thunderbird Community Arena, Maricopa, AZ. Reg. 9 a.m. Dawn Sanborn, (602) 478-5438.

GYMKHANA, 4th Sun., Jan - Apr and Oct - Dec, 4th Sat, May - Sep at Colossal Cave Mtn. Park, Tucson. (520) 647-3450.

GYMKHANAS, Little Colorado River Horseman's Assoc, every 3rd Sat at Winslow Rodeo Grounds. All ages welcome. Call Nina at (928) 289-4836 of Sherri at (928) 587-2533.

SCOTTSDALE SADDLE CLUB GYMKHANA. Once a month at Phoenix Eques. Center/Reach II. Kathy Libonati at (623) 566-8732.

GYMKHANA, sponsored by Arizona Youth Rough Riders, Meridian & Brown Rds., Apache Junction, AZ. November-April, sign up 10 a.m., start 11 a.m., runs all day. May - October, sign up 5:30 p.m. starts 6:30 p.m., can run to midnight.

PRACTICE GYMKHANA, Wittmann, Saturdays at 9 a.m. to dark. All day practice. Deena, (602) 809-4510 or (623) 388-2279.

REININGS

Oct. 22-24

AZ REINING HORSE FALL CLASSIC, Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Center, Queen Creek, AZ. Contact www.azrcha.com.

ROPINGS

Sept. 3, 10, 17, 24

YOST EVENTS TEAM ROPING, 5 p.m., Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Center, 22350 S. Ellsworth Rd., Queen Creek, AZ. (480) 358-3000, www.queenecreek.org.

Sept. 25

FRIDAY NIGHT LIGHTS TEAM ROPING, 6 p.m., Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Center, 22350 S. Ellsworth Rd., Queen Creek, AZ. (480) 358-3000, www.queenecreek.org.

Oct. 1, 8, 15

FRIDAY NIGHT LIGHTS TEAM ROPING, 6 p.m., Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Center, 22350 S. Ellsworth Rd., Queen Creek, AZ. (480) 358-3000, www.queenecreek.org.

TEAM ROPING PRACTICE, every Tuesday and Thursday, 3 p.m. Tyler Wiese, 27413 N. 40th St., Cave Creek, AZ. (480) 242-2666.

2-DAY RANCH ROPING BEGINNERS CLINIC, River Basin Ranch, Benson, AZ. Going on monthly. For info call (520) 730-6151.

TEAM ROPING, every Monday & Wednesday night, 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Team roping jackpot every 2nd and 4th Sat. night. Rattlesnake Arena, Queen Creek. (480) 882-1142 or (602) 565-7365, log on www.rattlesnakearena.com.

ROPING CLUB, Dunn's Arena, Litchfield Park, every Tuesday and Thursday, contact Robin Flueshe, (623) 680-7399.

TEAM ROPING, Dunn's Arena, Litchfield Park, every Friday, 7653 N. Sarival Rd., Litchfield Park, AZ. (623) 535-4846, www.dunnsarena.com.

SALES & AUCTIONS

Oct. 21

AZ THOROUGHBRED BREEDERS ASSN. AUCTION, WestWorld, Scottsdale, AZ. For info, (602) 942-1310 or www.atba.net.

HORSE AND TACK AUCTION, Saturdays, Pacific Livestock Auction, 5025 W. Pecos Rd., Chandler, Tack at 11 a.m. horses following. Call (480) 839-2938.

TEAM PENNING & SORTING

Sept. 5, 18

SORTING PRACTICE, Wells Arena, Road 5 North & Hwy. 89, Chino Valley, AZ. Sign up 7 a.m., jackpot starts at 9 a.m., followed by practice. Robin, srhennessy@cableone.net or check out Facebook on "Central Arizona Team Penning Assoc".

Oct. 3

SORTING PRACTICE, Wells Arena, Road 5 North & Hwy. 89, Chino Valley, AZ. Sign up 7 a.m., jackpot starts at 9 a.m., followed by practice. Robin, srhennessy@cableone.net or check out Facebook on "Central Arizona Team Penning Assoc".

SORTING/PENNING PRACTICE, Wild West Arena, Avra Valley, Marana, AZ Every Friday evening at 6:30 p.m. (520) 247-4771 or email Roxanna at roxannar@wildwestarena.com, www.wildwestarena.com.

TEAM SORTING, 2-man, every Saturday & Sunday, 12 noon at The More or Less Arena, Salome, AZ. \$35/3 practice runs & 3 jackpot runs. Held through March 2010. Larry or Deana (928) 859-3037 or email moreorlessarena@hotmail.com.

TEAM SORTING, 3-man, every Wednesday, 12 noon at The T Bar B Arena, 1/4 mile East of Salome, AZ. \$35/3 practice runs & 3 jackpot runs. Held through March 2010. Larry or Deana (928) 859-3037 or email moreorlessarena@hotmail.com.

TEAM PENNING & TEAM SORTING, every Friday night, Dunn's Arena, Litchfield Park, AZ. For info, call Robin Flueshe, (623) 680-7399.

RANCH SORTING PRACTICE, every Tuesday and Friday, 7 p.m. Tyler Wiese, 27413 N. 40th St., Cave Creek, AZ. (480) 242-2666.

TEAM/RANCH SORTING PRACTICE, every Wed, 6:30-8:30 p.m., P&M Arena, Apache Junction. For info call Steve at (602) 361-0725.

TEAM SORTING, every Sat, sign up 6 p.m., P&M Arena, Apache Junction. Steve at (480) 898-8936.

TEAM PENNING every Fri, start time 7:00 p.m. For info call (623) 293-2939.

TEAM SORTING every Tues, start time 7:00 p.m. For info call (623) 293-2939.

TEAM PENNING & SORTING (CONT'D)

TEAM SORTING PRACTICE, Tues and Thurs evening. Jackpot, Sun, 1 p.m. Arrowhead Equestrian Ctr, Glendale. Wayne, (602) 695-1463.

TEAM PENNING, every Sunday at 1 p.m., Triangle C Arena, 12805 W. Emigh Rd., Tucson, AZ. \$15 per person, Shotgun, \$10 per person. (520) 682-7767.

TEAM PENNING CLINICS and private practice. Beginners and up. TnT Quarter Horses and Paints (520) 876-0766 evenings.

TEAM PENNING/SORTING, Fri. 7 p.m., Sun. 2 p.m. Jackpot last Sunday/month: 3-D Barrels after penning. Rockin JP Ranch, Hereford, AZ. (520) 366-0009.

TEAM PENNING, Prac./Shotgun, Wed., 7:30 p.m. Jackpot, Drawpot, Practice, Shotgun, Sat., 7:30, Broken Arrow Stables, 6600 S. Old Spanish Trail, Tucson. (520) 647-3685.

TEAM PENNING, Dunn's Arena, Litchfield Park, every Friday, 7653 N. Sarival Rd., Litchfield Park, AZ. (623) 535-4846, www.dunnsarena.com.

RANCH SORTING PRACTICE, Every Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Friday Jackpot/Practice, 7:30 p.m. (480) 343-4610, sort10@yahoo.com.

TRAIL RIDES/TRAIL COMPETITION

Sept. 11
CINDER HILLS COMPETITIVE TRAIL CHALLENGE. 9 mile trail ride with judged obstacles. Ride on National Forest lands off Leupp Rd., 25 miles northeast of Flagstaff. Prizes and jackpots. Christina, (928) 699-7585, donkey_tears@yahoo.com www.actha.us.

Oct. 2
PRESCOTT ENDURANCE CLUB MAN AGAINST HORSE RACE, 12 Mile Poker Ride. Base of Mingus Mountain. Prizes and BBQ. Ron Barrett, (928) 636-2028, (928) 443-0900, RBarrett@interior-logic.com

Oct. 2
PRESCOTT ENDURANCE CLUB MAN AGAINST HORSE RACE, 25 & 50 Mile Poker Ride. A.E.R.C. Sanctioned. Base of Mingus Mountain. Prizes and BBQ. Ron Barrett, (928) 636-2028, (928) 443-0900, RBarrett@interior-logic.com.

Oct. 13 - 17
TUCSON SADDLE CLUB'S TIERRA BELLA TRAIL RIDE. Rides daily, catered meals, evening entertainment. Ride on a working cattle ranch. Cost \$275/person. (520) 749-8608 for info or application.

Oct. 16 - 17
AZQHA RIDE ARIZONA, location: Moralez Ranch, Congress, AZ. Carol Belmore, (928) 442-3842 or email tomtomtn@hughes.net.

Nov. 5-7
BCHCAZ ANNUAL RIDE, Bumble Bee Ranch. Band and dancing, poker ride, 50/50 raffle, auction, rental horses available. \$125/person; \$25 of fee is tax deductible. Kelly or Renee, (623) 374-0002.

Nov. 6
GREAT AMERICAN TRAIL COMPETITION, held at the Festival of Horses, Horseshoe Park in Queen Creek. Youth, novice and advanced rider classes. Compete on natural obstacles found on the trail or ranch. Horses will be judged on athletic ability, willingness, response to rider and disposition. Payback and trophies. www.festivalofhorses.com, call 704-272-7418 or email trailcompetition@festivalofhorses.com.

TRAIL RIDES & CAMPOUT. Lone Rangers Singles Club trail rides and other events, www.lonerangersinglesridingclub.org.

TRAIL RIDES. GEC Riders sponsors semi-monthly rides on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of each month. (602) 319-1208, (623) 536-2050 or www.gecriders.com.

RIDERS FOR CHRIST, AZEMI, monthly rides, campouts, gymkhanas, parades and more. For info, www.RidersforChristAZEMI.org, (623) 374-0857.

TRAIL RIDES, Sun Cities Saddle Club, October-April at various locations around Valley. 2-3 hour rides. For info, (623) 256-6242.

WORKSHOPS, CLINICS

Sept. 11-12
HOMEOPATHY FOR HORSES with Dr Glen Dupree, DVM at Talking Horse Ranch in Cornville, AZ. A workshop in the basic principles and application of veterinary homeopathy. You will develop a firm foundation in the art and science of homeopathy for your animal companions. \$225-space is limited. Lisa@naturalhorsetalk.com or 928-634-5797.

Sept. 18
STEVE SIKORA WEEKEND APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM. Call (480) 232-3261, (602) 625-1961, www.stevesikora.com to register. See ad this issue.

Oct. 1-3
PAUL DIETZ RANCH CLINIC, Dragoon, AZ. Contact Darian Morgan, (480) 695-2900 or Paul Dietz at (602) 742-7285. Visit pauldietzhorsemanship.com. See ad this issue.

Oct. 2-3
BUDDY ULDRIKSON HORSEMANSHIP CLINIC, Rancho Rio Bonita, Morristown, AZ. Horsemanship classes both mornings from 8-12 am; Ranch Roping Classes both mornings from 1-4 pm. Horsemanship Trail Ride where we put into practice what we have learned in the horsemanship classes. Kim, (928) 684-7392, Monette, (951) 440-7539, buddyludriksonhorsemanship.com.

Oct. 22-24
KAREN SCHOLL HORSEMANSHIP FOR WOMAN CLINIC, Arena del Loma, Camp Verde, AZ. (888) 238-3447 or www.KarenScholl.com.

Oct. 23-24
PAUL DIETZ GROUNDWORK-HORSEMANSHIP CLINIC, Desert Hills, AZ. Contact Paul Dietz at (602) 742-7285. Visit pauldietzhorsemanship.com. See ad this issue.

ADVENTURES IN AWARENESS, Management Skills Training and Division & Department Manager Groups. For more info, call Barbara, (520) 247-3383, bkrec-tor1@earthlink.net.

2-DAY RANCH ROPING BEGINNERS CLINIC, River Basin Ranch, Benson, AZ. Going on monthly. For info call (520) 586-3718.

BEGINNING HORSEMANSHIP CLINICS, River Basin Ranch, Benson, AZ. For info call (520) 586-3718.

EQUINE HANDLER & CARE PROGRAM, monthly. Call (602) 404-1227 or beyulranch.com.

TWISTER HELLER PEOPLE TRAINING PROGRAM, every month. For info call (928) 427-6335. www.twisterheller.com.

DARCIE LITWICKI SUMMER HORSEMANSHIP CLINICS, held second Saturday of June, July and August. 7 a.m. to 10 a.m. (520) 370-8093 or email dlitwicki@msn.com for info.

SPECIAL EVENTS & MEETINGS

Sept. 8
BELGIAN WARBLOOD INSPECTION, 7 a.m., Fox Mask Farm, 20803 S. 156th St., Gilbert, AZ. Overnight and day stalls available, please call for reservations. Refreshments will be served. For info, call Doug Stedman, (602) 418-3669, Laurette Harris, (928) 427-6407.

Sept. 18
PIMA COUNTY 4-H HORSE PROJECT OPEN HOUSE, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. U of A Farm Pavilion at Roger and Campbell, Tucson, AZ. Riding demos, info on 4-H disciplines. Find out about different clubs in Pima County or becoming part of Pima county 4-H Horse Project.

Oct. 2
1ST ANNUAL HORSES WITH HEART STEAK COOK-OFF AND FAMILY FUN DAY, Five M Ranch, Chino Valley, AZ. For info, call (928) 308-8538, or www.horsewithheart.org.

Oct. 17
QUEEN CREEK HORSE EXPO, Horseshoe Park & Equestrian Center, Queen Creek, AZ. Clinicians and demonstrations. \$12.00/person if tickets purchased online prior to October 17 and \$17.00/person at the gate. www.queencreekexpo.com. See ad this issue.

Nov. 5-6
FESTIVAL OF HORSES, Horseshoe Park in Queen Creek. Featuring Draft Horse Competition, Great American Trail Competition, Cowboy Olympics and the Queen Valley Mule and Donkey Competition. Clinicians, live demos with horses, Breed and Stallion Showcase, Arizona Equine Youth and Career Fair and Buckaroo/Buckarett Rodeo for ages 3 - 6. Equi-Dance, horses performing to music, will be both evenings. For more information or to buy tickets: www.festivalofhorses.com or call 602-354-4675.

Nov. 5-6
COWBOY OLYMPICS, held at Festival of Horses, Horseshoe Park, Queen Creek. Challenging course of ranch type obstacles. Open to men and women age 16+. Elimination held on November 5 with finals on November 6. www.festivalofhorses.com or call 602-354-4675.

APACHE LAND APPALOOSA CLUB. Meetings 3rd Monday of each month, 7 p.m. at The Horseshoe Restaurant, Benson. Call (520) 384-5332 or visit the website at www.ApacheLandAppaloosaClub.com.

ARIZONA FOUNDATION QUARTER HORSE CLUB, second Saturday of each month. (928) 632-4786 or wilbueno@msn.com. (928) 632-4786 or muzzystuff@msn.com.

ARIZONA STATE HORSEMAN'S ASSOCIATION. BOD monthly meeting, 2nd Monday, Deer Valley Airport Restaurant, dinner @ 6 pm, meeting @ 7 p.m.

CAMELBACK SADDLE CLUB. Trail riding group, two rides per mo. ranging from easy to advanced. Donna, (480) 473-0454 or Nelda, (480) 922-5303.

**SPECIAL EVENTS & MEETINGS
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CAVE CREEK CUTTING HORSE ASSOC.. Board meeting 1st Monday of the month. (480) 538-2138. www.cavecreekcutting.com

COPPER CITIES CUTTING HORSE CLUB, meeting every 3rd Thursday, Country Kitchen, Globe, AZ, 6:30 p.m. (520) 473-9098 or (520) 402-0202.

EAST VALLEY MINIATURE HORSE CLUB meeting the first Saturday of each month at 10 a.m. at the P&M Rodeo Grounds. For info call (480) 982-1315.

EVAHA MEETING, third Wednesday, La Comida Ranchera Restaurant, Gilbert. Dinner at 6 p.m. and meeting at 7 p.m. Rowena King at (602) 545-8099.

GILBERT HORSE OWNERS ASSOCIATION, trail rides, educational lectures and demonstrations, pot lucks, meetings. Contact benbern404@earthlink.net or www.gilberthorse.org.

GLENDALE EQUESTRIAN CLUB. Last Tues of each month, Cracker Barrel, 16845 N. 84th Ave., Peoria, AZ, (623) 875-1136 Carol. (928) 632-7839 or cjgreenaz@peoplepc.com or www.gecridders.com.

GREATER QUEEN CREEK HORSE OWNERS ASSN. Mary (602) 987-1809 or Terry at (602) 987-1732.

HORSE 4-H CLUB. Meet every Tues. 4:30 - 6 p.m. in Tempe area. Ages 9 yrs - 19 yrs welcome. For info call Deborah Wheat at (480) 821-5324.

MINIATURE HORSE ASSN. OF AZ. For info, call Bert Johnson at (623) 465-9673.

NORTHERN ARIZONA ARABIAN HORSE ASSOCIATION. 4th Thursday of every month, 7 p.m. at the Summit Fire Station, 8905 Koch Field Rd, Flagstaff. For info, (928) 526-1982.

PAINTALOOSA HORSE CLUB, coming soon. AZ chapter, for info to register your Paintaloosa, call Deena, (602) 809-4510.

NATURAL HORSE-MAN-SHIP meetings & playdays. East Valley. Mary Sutherland, (480) 987-9798, or email marysutherland@msn.com.

SAGUARO STATE SHETLAND PONY & MINIATURE HORSE CLUB. Linda Smith, (928) 443-9321 or lsmith@cableone.net.

SAHRA meetings, 2nd Thursday at the Arizona American-Italian Club, Phoenix, AZ. For info call Donna Koopman at (602) 465-9311.

SADDLE CLUB FOR GIRLS, JEm Ranch, Florence, AZ. Meets on different Saturday each month, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Bible study and horsemanship classes. (480) 235-4480 or www.azjemranch.com.

SAN TAN AREA RIDERS (S.T.A.R.) PONY CLUB MEETING on 1st Tuesday of every month at 4 p.m. Michele McLaughlin at (480) 814-0127.

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SONORAN DESERT EQUESTRIANS, first Monday of month. For info call (602) 853-1341. SE ARIZONA HORSEMAN'S ASSN. Monthly meetings (520) 762-0728 or (520) 762-9129.

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SOUTHWEST PINTO meetings, 1st Monday of each month, Lakeside, CA. For info call (619) 443-8902.

STAR PONY CLUB MEETINGS, 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m., (480) 201-8327 or jill.r.jackson@gmail.com.

SUN CITIES SADDLE CLUB, monthly meeting, 4th Monday through March in Activities Room of Wooddale Village, 18616 N. 99th Ave., Sun City, AZ. (623) 256-6242.

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