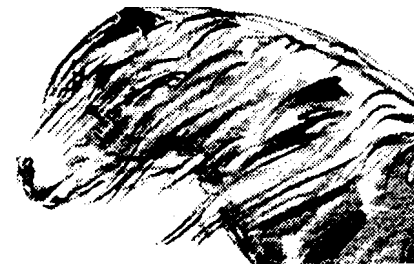


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2010 calendar of events

May 1, 2010 Consignment deadline for June sale (catalog)
May 8, 2010 Annual Chicken BBQ / Meeting
June 20, 2010 Sale Set-up Day 9A.M. Wooster, Ohio fairgrounds
June 24, 2010 Tack check in
June 25, 2010 Tack Sale Wayne County Fairgrounds Wooster, Ohio, 8 A.M.
June 26, 2010 Pony Sale Wayne County Fairgrounds Wooster, Ohio, 8 A.M.
July 11, 2010 N.O.D.P.A. 2nd Annual Fun Day, Lagrange, Ohio / Hot Dog Roast
2pm/meeting
Nov. 1, 2010 Queen & Scholarship application deadline
Nov. 13, 2010 Annual Fall Hog Roast, Wellington, Ohio

DUES REMINDER

Have you paid your 2010 dues? Dues run from January 1st to December 31st.

<i>MEMBERSHIPS APPLICATION/RENEWAL FORM</i> <i>Northern Ohio Draft Pony Association</i> <i>Annual Dues-\$20.00 (Includes the immediate family under 18)</i>	
Member Name _____	Phone _____
Address _____	City/State _____ Zip _____
Family Members _____	Children in immediate family under 18 years of age are included.
<i>Return to: Barb Featheringill, 15432 E. Twp. Rd.8, Attica, Oh 44807</i>	

REMINDER TO THOSE 70 & OLDER Anyone age 70 or over and being a member to the NODPA for 5 years prior reaching the age of 70 are eligible for Lifetime Membership. You can do so by contacting Barb.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS NOTIFICATION FORM

To keep you current in our computers fill out and mail if you have had a change of address within the last 6 months. If you are an officer, director or show chairman please see the website administrator also receives a copy.

Name _____ Date _____

Previous Address _____ City/State _____

Zip _____

New Address _____

City/State _____ Zip _____

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SUNSHINE

Jim & Nancy Greenslade became grandparents to two beautiful granddaughters February 19, 2010. Meredith Jean weighing in at 6 pounds 2 ounces and being 18 ½ inches long with Lillian Sue weighing 6 pound 6 ounces and being 20 inches long. Their proud parents are Adam and Jill Greenslade. Awaiting their arrival home are their triplet brothers, Aidan, Joel and Samuel.

Word was heard via receiving membership dues that one of our members had heart surgery this past February. Mike Brown is doing fine and is back to work. However his wife Sharon was told two weeks after his surgery that she needs hip surgery on April 13, 2010.

BIRTHDAY WISHES !!!

I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS MOMENT TO WISH ONE OF OUR MEMBERS A BELATED HAPPY BIRTHDAY! A FEW MONTHS BACK WHEN HE UPDATED HIS MAILING ADDRESS WITH ME HE ALSO MENTIONED THAT IN FEBRUARY HE WOULD BE TURNING 83 YEARS OLD. I SAVED THIS INFORMATION FROM HIM AND CAME ACROSS IT TODAY TO SHARE WITH YOU.

HAPPY BELATED BIRTHDAY BERNIE HEFNER ANNUAL BANQUET

The annual winter banquet was held in Mt. Hope at Mrs. Yoder's Kitchen. There were 52 adults and 4 children present. The buffet style all you can eat meal was delicious as always. The membership meeting and election of officers was held after the meal.

Tim Liepold was voted in for our new Vice-President as Pete Crowl moves up to President. Judy Cravens and Ken Bonnigson are the two directors elected in for a three year term. Jeff Featheringill was elected in to finish the term of Tim Liepold which will be a two year term.

Door prize was won by Hank and Doris Bonnigson for being the oldest couple there. Jonas and Edna Miller received a prize for the second longest marriage in the organization. Hank Bonnigson was wished a Happy 90th Birthday which he is to celebrate February 24, 2010.

Participating prizes went out to Darrin Bookman, Jackie Cravens, Jeff & Barb Featheringill, Kenny & Kris Bonnigson, Ross & Judy Baldner, Debra Roberts, Henry Whitman, Tim Liepold, Ken Hershner, Jonas Miller, Jared Featheringill, Bob Melick, Henry Bonnigson, Larry Kuchenrither, Roger Cook, Ken Cravens, Cathy Schaffer, Susan Algire, Donna Heller, and Helen Dunlap.

Scholarship awards went out to Jackie Cravens, Jacque Bowman and Brianna Bowman. The 2010 NODPA Queen is Brianna Bowman.

The Craven's Family will be taking charge of the popcorn stand at the sale in June. Anyone willing to lend them a hand for the sale contact Jackie Cravens at (419)-547-8984. The popcorn stand is an important part of the sale and is a courtesy to the workers and participants so please show your support.

Happy belated birthday to Hank Bonnigson !

ANNUAL CHICKEN B-B-Q

The annual Chicken BBQ will be held May 8, 2010 at the Sugar Camp of Donna and Jack Heller in Hayesville, Ohio. The meat and beverage will be furnished. Please bring your own table service, a covered dish and a dessert to add to our table of festivities. The meal is planned for 6pm but plan to be there at least a half hour before in the event the chicken cooks faster than calculated. The meeting will take place after the meal with sale preparation discussions.

Directions to the Sugar Camp: Take SR 30 to SR 60 S; go through Hayesville and take a right at the greenhouse which is CR 775 to TR 2375. If you are coming from the south take 71 N to SR 95 N to CR 775; turn left on CR 775; go to TR2375, turn left on TR 2375. You will see camp set up on the right. Bring your camper for the weekend if you so choose.

RAFFLE FILLY TICKETS

Raffle tickets are here. The filly raffle will be held at the June sale on the last Saturday of the month. Tickets can be obtained to sell or to purchase from Barb Featheringill prior to the sale. Tickets will also be sold at the tack sale and on pony sale day prior to the drawing. Tickets are \$1.00 each or a book of 6 for \$5.00. If you have not received tickets to sell or to purchase and wish to have them please contact Barb at 15432 E. TR 8, Attica, Ohio 44807 or by calling and leaving a message at 419-426-4835. Please return ticket stubs and money to Barb prior to the sale. Make sure the box is checked for taking the pony or cash. If you have not sold or returned tickets in the past few years you may not be sent tickets unless you request them. We do this to keep postage costs to a minimum.

If you didn't receive tickets and wish to this year please contact Barb. Thank you for your help and support to your organization.

N.O.D.P.A. JUNE SALE

Sale setup will be held on June 20, 2010 which will begin at 9 a.m. at the Wooster Fairgrounds. A lunch will be provided for the workers. All members are encouraged to attend sale setup. The more hands available the less time it takes to set up and it is greatly appreciated when you help.

The tack sale will begin at 8 A.M. Friday morning, June 25, 2010. Tack check in will be held on Thursday, June 24, 2010 as it has been in the past years. Saturday morning, June 26, 2010 at 8 A.M. the sale of the ponies will commence.

2 ND annual fun day Hot dog roast & meeting

Our 2nd Annual Fun Day and Hot Dog Roast & meeting will be held on Sunday, July 11, 2010 at the Lorain County Metro Parks Carlisle Equestrian Center at 12882 Diagonal Road, Lagrange, Ohio. **Please note the day of the week has been changed to SUNDAY due to scheduling conflicts.** It is still being held on the 2nd weekend of the month as our other activities but has moved to Sunday and the hot dog roast and meeting will be held at 2pm.

We have secured a covered shelter and the Equestrian ring for the entire day. The park includes miles of limestone trails for riding and driving. We will be holding our annual Hot Dog Roast – Lunch at 2:00 PM. A short meeting will be held after the meal. The club provides the hot dogs, hamburgers and the drinks. Please bring a dish to share and your own table service. Feel free to contact Tim with any questions. Tim Liepold can be contacted at 440-986-6454.

THE OBEDIENT WIFE

There was a man who had worked all of his life, had saved all of his money, and was a real miser when it came to his money. Just before he died, he said to his wife, "When I die, I want you to take all of my money and put it in the casket with me. I want to take my money to the afterlife with me."

And so he got his wife to promise him with all of her heart that when he died she would put all of the money in the casket with him.

Well, he died!

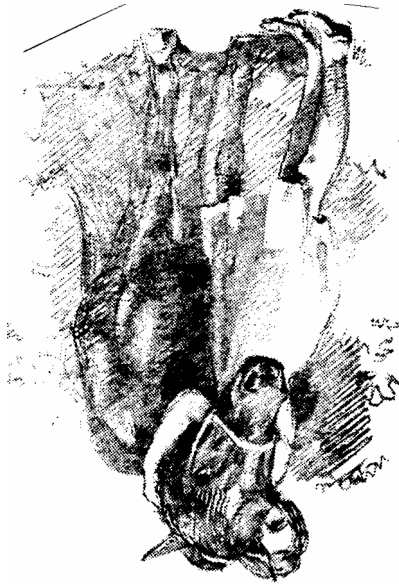
He was stretched out in the casket, his wife was sitting there in black, and her friend was sitting next to her. When they finished the ceremony, just before the undertakers got ready to close the casket, the wife said, "Wait just a minute!"

She had a box with her, she came over with the box and put it in the casket. Then the undertakers locked the casket down and they rolled it away. So her friend said, "Girl, I know you weren't fool enough to put all that money in there with your husband."

The loyal wife replied, "Listen, I'm a Christian, I can't go back on my word. I promised him that I was going to put that money in that casket with him."

"You mean to tell me you put that money in the casket with him!!!!?", asked her friend.

"I sure did," replied the wife. "I got it all together, put it into my account and wrote him a check. If he can cash it, he can spend it!"





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