

MARCH/APRIL 2023

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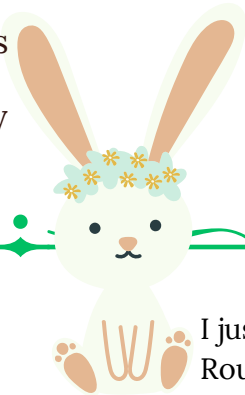
Presidents Letter

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Howdy to all the new and old members of the Muncie Light Horse Club! I hope you are all doing well. The weather is certainly keeping us on our toes!!

Praying everyone and all of our fur babies is safe. My horse put her leg through the side of our barn last Saturday, so she is on the mend and I hope she won't have any issues with healing.

We had our 1st trail/barn clean-up on Saturday, April 15, from 9 am to noon. There are miles of trails to keep clear so we can enjoy them! I would like to say a great big THANK YOU to all of you who came out to help with trails and spruce up the club barn!

We also plan on participating in the tack sale at Copper Rise Ranch on Saturday, May 13th. **Do you have extra tack or horse stuff you would like to donate for the sale?** Let one of the board members know how we can get it from you! Thank you so much for your help!

I just had confirmation that Otto Thorwarth will be our guest speaker at our Round Up weekend, June 9-11th. He will speak at our cowboy church on Sunday morning. Thorwarth played the jockey who rides Secretariat in the Disney movie. You can look him up at www.otministries.com. He has a powerful testimony! He is also the chaplain for the horse racetrack at Shelbyville. I hope you are making plans to attend the biggest event we have all year for our club. You can get more information on our website or Facebook page.

We will also have a silent auction of horse things and donated services from various businesses and individuals. If you have a service you provide, an item you would like to donate, or if you would like to give a cash donation and be a sponsor of the Round-Up, that would be wonderful and greatly appreciated!!!

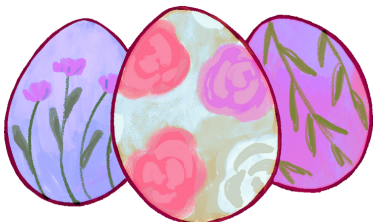
2023 Member Meetings & Trail/Barn Clean Up

May 6th

Trail/Barn Clean-up 9 am (Many hands make light work!)

November 13th

Member Meeting/2024 Elections
@ Mansfield Park / Pitch-In



God Bless all of you
Happy Trails!

Lisa Cron, President

Muncie Light Horse Club (501c3 nonprofit organization, your donations are tax-deductible)

Make sure to check out the link on www.muncielighthouseclub.com for more local events around the area.

Event Schedule

Friday, June 9th

Trail riding all day – no bridle tags are required for registered participants.

5 pm Registration starts – Make sure to spin the wheel during registration to win a prize.

- Sign up for the Saturday 10 am lunch ride to Mt. Pleasant Store (Includes a small fountain drink and a slice of pizza)

6 pm Hot dogs, chips, and roasting marshmallows.

- Some folks do a night ride (bring glow sticks and/or lights and ride on your own).

Saturday, June 10th

Trail riding all day – no bridle tags are required for registered participants.

8 am Registration starts– Make sure to spin the wheel during registration to win a prize

- Don't forget to sign up for the lunch ride at 10 am.

10 am Lunch ride to Mt. Pleasant Store (Includes a small fountain drink and a slice of pizza)

10 am - 4 pm Kids (no age limit) Scavenger Hunt (winners announced during dinner 1st, 2nd, & 3rd places)

11 am - 6 pm Silent Action (All items to be paid for by 7 pm)

2 pm Obstacle Course Challenge

3 pm Stick Horse Races (ages 6 and under)

5 pm Dinner (Hamburgers, chips, beans, coleslaw, pie, pop, and water)

6:30 pm Campfire Cowboy Stories

8 pm - 11 pm Music and Dancing

Sunday, June 11th

Trail riding all day – no bridle tags are required for registered participants.

9 am Cowboy Church

- Coffee and Donuts provided
- Sit at a table, bring a chair, or a blanket and enjoy Cowboy Church.

Camping

We have a limited number of electric sites available for registration. The electric sites will be given out as registrations are made for the Round-Up. We also have many primitive sites available. Some primitive sites will have hitching rails and will be made available as registrations are made for the Round-Up. If you want a particular site please register as soon as possible. Campfires are welcome and you are able to bring your own firewood if you have a fire ring, please bring it.

Trails

The Prairie Creek Reservoir and Cardinal Greenways horse trails are considered moderate to easy trails. Both trail systems give riders around 10 miles of trails to enjoy. The trails provide some great views of nature, the reservoir, and opportunities to see the wildlife found in these habitats. These trails do include some water and road crossings and are great for all levels of riders to enjoy their horse.

Event Rules

- Horses must remain on designated trails.
- Quiet time is 11:00 pm
- All pets must be kept on a leash
- No pets in the food area
- Horses are not permitted on the asphalt trail of the Cardinal Greenway
- Racing/Running horses on the camping grounds or trails is not permitted
- **Don't forget to have fun AND be kind**

Your signature on the registration form confirms that you understand the stated rules.

The event committee has the right to dismiss participants at any time when found in noncompliance with the rules. Your cooperation means a great weekend for everyone.

Registration Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

_____ **# of Adults (Age 13+) \$20.00**

Includes: Friday Night and Saturday Night Meal

_____ **Additional dinners per adult \$6.00**

_____ **# of Children (Age 6-12) \$5.00**

Includes: Friday Night and Saturday Night Meal

_____ **Additional dinner per child (6-12) \$4.00** (Children 5 and under are free)

Camp Prices:

_____ **Electric Sites** \$30.00 per night

_____ **Primitive Sites** \$15.00 per night

_____ **Club barn camping** \$15 per night (members Only)

Sweatshirts, T-Shirts, and Hoodies are available in limited quantities. If out of stock they can be ordered (payment must be made in advance**).

_____ Interested in volunteering/or membership

If paying at the event we can accept cash, checks, or debit/credit cards.

Make registration checks payable to
MLHC

Mail registration and payments to
MLHC, c/o Ilene Parrish, 11085 W US 36,
Losantville, IN 47354

For any questions, you can send an
email to:

muncielighthorseclub@gmail.com

ROUND-UP TRAIL RIDE FUNDRAISER

JUNE 9, 10, & 11TH, 2023

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

\$250 - PLUS; SPONSORSHIP INCLUDES

3 tickets to the event, 3 t-shirts, name on donor board, 1-year recognition in the MLHC newsletter, certificate to commemorate the sponsorship, and verbal recognition during the event.

\$100 - \$249; SPONSORSHIP INCLUDES

2 tickets to the event, 2 t-shirts, name on donor board, 1-year recognition in the MLHC newsletter, certificate to commemorate the sponsorship, and verbal recognition during the event.

\$99; SPONSORSHIP INCLUDES

Name on donor board, 1-year recognition in the MLHC newsletter, certificate to commemorate the sponsorship, and verbal recognition during the event.

NON-MONETARY; Company product or items for the silent auction.

As a donor, your sponsorship helps our club to:

- Work with and encourage young riders to become accomplished horsepersons.
- Maintain the Prairie Creek Reservoir and Cardinal Greenway Equestrian Trails.
- Support trail expansions.
- Aid in the safety of riders through increased trail signage.
- Help with improvements to our club barn where meetings and events are held.
- Enable us to grow members and increase our service rides in support of local charities.

Your donations are tax-deductible. MLHC is a non-profit 501(C)(3) organization.

Donations can be mailed to:

**Muncie Light Horse Club
P.O. Box 744
Muncie, IN 47308**

Thank you for your support!



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www.muncielighthorseclub.com

2023 Event Calendar

May 6th - Trail/Barn Clean Up 9 am @ the Barn
(Volunteers Needed) Rain date 5/20

June 9th, 10th, & 11th - MLHC Round-Up (Volunteers Needed)

July 6th, 7th, & 9th - Tennessee Walking Horse Show
(Volunteers Needed)

July 29th - Night of Fire (Volunteers Needed) Rain date 7/30

December 3rd - MLHC Christmas Party @ Muncie Shrine Club