



## JUNE 2018 NEWSLETTER

Our next **General Meeting** is **Wednesday, September 12<sup>th</sup>** at **Taco El Norte, 401 N Riverside Drive, Gurnee, IL**. The meeting room opens at 6:30pm if you would like to dine prior to the meeting. Sign-in & Social Time @ 7:00. Meeting will begin promptly at 7:30pm.

### **\*\*\*LCMP ANNUAL HORSE SHOW is June 2<sup>nd</sup> at Spring Grove Horse Fair Park\*\*\***

Friendly reminder our horse show is Saturday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> at Spring Grove Horse Park. Volunteers are always welcome and we can never have enough hands. The weather is going to be fabulous and we expect to have a great turnout! Come support this big event for our club. Contact Ghislaine DeKoning, Horse Show Chair with any last minute questions.

### **LCMP PARADE UNIT – We Still Need Riders**

We have three parades scheduled in 2018 – Mundelein on Sunday July 1<sup>st</sup>, Antioch on Wednesday July 4<sup>th</sup> and Bristol on Sunday July 15<sup>th</sup>. Come be a part of our parade unit. The horses and crew are always well liked on the parade routes. Even if you don't bring your horse, come walk with us as we present our American flag with pride!

If you would like more information contact Sandy Monk, Parade Chair.

### **JUNE TRAIL RIDES**

- ❖ Sunday June 10<sup>th</sup> – Rush Creek. Arrive at 9:30 am. Ride out at 10:00 am. Lunch at noon. Ride after lunch at 1:00 pm. Bring a dish and a chair. Sponsored by Debbie Gracey.

Trail locations for directions can be found at [lcmp.info](http://lcmp.info)

Contact Vickie Wancho, Trail Ride Chair.

**LCMP BUSINESS CARDS** are still available. Contact Kelly Dickson. Let's get the word and promote membership year-round!

### **Letter from The President**

It has been a busy year so far! We have done a lot of great things already and the summer has just started! This last month has been a flurry of activity with trail rides, camping trips and preparing for the Horse Show. I would like to thank all members who have volunteered to work the show. This event requires a lot of hands so you are welcome to come out even if you haven't signed up. We will find something for you to do!

We continue to have crazy weather for our monthly trail rides but I am certain it will improve. Make it a point to attend a Posse sponsored ride this summer and say Hi! It is always fun to spend time with friends. Watch your calendar for all the events over the summer and come spend time with your Posse.

I would like all members to start thinking about Officer and Board positions that will need to be filled in 2019. My plans to relocate to Colorado have been delayed but are still in the works for later this year or early spring. Ask me about my experience as President so far this year and I will be happy to share with you.

Enjoy your summer, be safe and ride smart.



## Look What We've Been Up To!

At the May meeting Ghislaine, LCMP Treasurer, gave an overview of LCMP finances. We hope the members have a better understanding of what is required to keep us financial stable every year.

Mindy, LCMP VP, facilitated a casual group "who am I" discussion. It was fun sharing a little about ourselves and learning about each other. We had a lot of laughs about memories shared by members.

Servers at Taco El Norte surprised our beloved Anie with a birthday cake and song.



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The **LCMP Mother' Day trail ride** on May 12th was hosted by Cindy Brademann. The ride was held at Chain O Lakes State Park. There were 10 riders with additional members that came to eat lunch and visit. We even had a visitor from Australia!



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### Posse Wear

You can shop for your official Posse wear on line. The link for Besco can be found on our website is [www.lcmp.info](http://www.lcmp.info) and you can find a link here to make your purchases!

We also have T-shirts and decals available for purchase at general meetings and some trail rides. Contact Kelly Dickson if you are interested.



**REFER TO THE 2018 POSSE CALENDAR THAT IS UPDATED AND PUBLISHED WITH YOUR NEWSLETTER EACH MONTH FOR ALL EVENT INFORMATION**

Wednesday, September 12<sup>th</sup> – General Posse Meeting @ Tacos El Norte at 7:30pm

Wednesday, June 27<sup>th</sup> – Board Meeting @Thirsty Horse at 7pm

**Read your monthly newsletter for a listing of new events and dates!**