



## **JUNE 2022 NEWSLETTER**



See you in September for our next General Meeting!

### **Letter from The President**

Hi Members,

Summer has begun with Memorial Day Weekend behind us. We had a really fun time up in Southern Kettle Moraine State Park (Palmyra). This camping trip always reminds me how much of a family our club is. One of the reasons I became so active in this club is because when I had a young family with crazy kids this club was helpful and welcoming. Now with young grandkids it still carries on. This weekend we had my grandkids camping and visiting all weekend. EVERYONE was great with them. Picking them up and showing them light shows. Cooking S'mores that might have been over cooked and taking them. All the pony rides. The list goes on. That's why this is such a great family club. My heart just grows for this club and members.

June is a very busy month for us. We have parades, a memorial for Pearl Dilg, and a trail ride! And also, a benefit ride for Healing Hoofs. So, plenty to do. Please look up in our calendar to see all the events. Any questions please reach out for information.

If you're going somewhere and want company let us know we can put it on our Facebook page as a get together ride. Let's enjoy summer stay healthy and have fun!!!!

Vickie Wancho    President 2021-2022

### **WE NEED HORSE SHOW SPONSORS**

Our Horse show will be here faster than you think! The success of our show is based on the participants and volunteers but the biggest impact to the bottom line is the number of sponsors we can get.

Let's have everyone commit to getting a sponsor or two for the show. Ask for support from your farrier, vet, farm store, feed store, equine dentist, trainer, the place that services your truck or tractor, the shavings vendor, the doctor of chiropractor that puts you back together after a fall :- ) (in my case they could pay for the whole show LOL), the store you buy your carrots at, the insurance dealer, or anyone that loves horses and wants to see these local horse shows continue.

The first large dollar sponsors will be able to have their names on the show bill sponsoring the high points and the payback classes. There are a limited number of classes so get the \$\$ in early if they want that extra perk. Everyone that sponsors will be announced throughout the day, their names will be

displayed on our sponsor boards for everyone to see, and we would love business cards or brochures to put out on the registration table.

**See Sponsorship form at the end of this Newsletter**

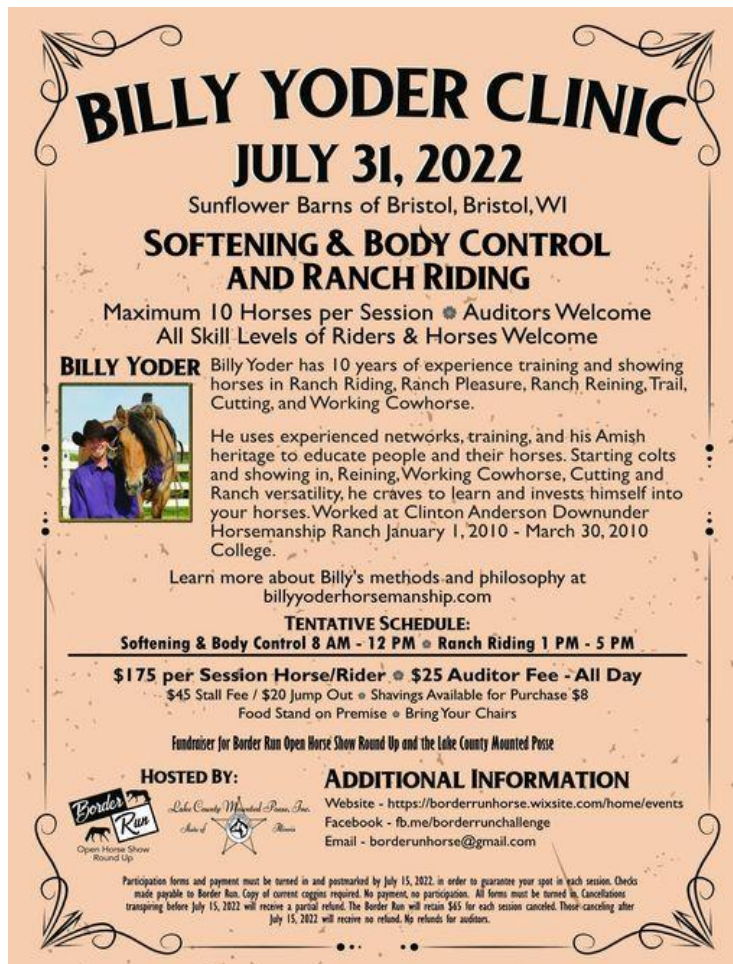
## **Billy Yoder Clinic**

Don't forget to sign up for the Billy Yoder Clinic given on July 31<sup>st</sup> at Sunflower barns of Bristol, Wisconsin. Softening & Body Control and Ranch Riding.

See Flyer on The Lake County Mounted Facebook page and website.


Posse Members cost is \$250.00 for the day

If you are interested in this clinic sign up as soon as possible. Forms on Website



**BILLY YODER CLINIC**  
**JULY 31, 2022**  
Sunflower Barns of Bristol, Bristol, WI  
**SOFTENING & BODY CONTROL  
AND RANCH RIDING**  
Maximum 10 Horses per Session • Auditors Welcome  
All Skill Levels of Riders & Horses Welcome

**BILLY YODER** Billy Yoder has 10 years of experience training and showing horses in Ranch Riding, Ranch Pleasure, Ranch Reining, Trail, Cutting, and Working Cowhorse.





He uses experienced networks, training, and his Amish heritage to educate people and their horses. Starting colts and showing in, Reining, Working Cowhorse, Cutting and Ranch versatility, he craves to learn and invests himself into your horses. Worked at Clinton Anderson Downunder Horsemanship Ranch January 1, 2010 - March 30, 2010 College.

Learn more about Billy's methods and philosophy at [billyyoderhorsemanship.com](http://billyyoderhorsemanship.com)

**TENTATIVE SCHEDULE:**  
**Softening & Body Control 8 AM - 12 PM • Ranch Riding 1 PM - 5 PM**

**\$175 per Session Horse/Rider • \$25 Auditor Fee - All Day**  
\$45 Stall Fee / \$20 Jump Out • Shavings Available for Purchase \$8  
Food Stand on Premise • Bring Your Chairs

Fundraiser for Border Run Open Horse Show Round Up and the Lake County Mounted Posse

**HOSTED BY:**  

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**  
Website - <https://borderrunhorse.wixsite.com/home/events>  
Facebook - [fb.me/borderrunchallenge](https://fb.me/borderrunchallenge)  
Email - [borrerunhorse@gmail.com](mailto:borrerunhorse@gmail.com)

Participation forms and payment must be turned in and postmarked by July 15, 2022, in order to guarantee your spot in each session. Checks made payable to Border Run. Copy of current coggins required. No payment, no participation. All forms must be turned in. Cancellations transpiring before July 15, 2022 will receive a partial refund. The Border Run will retain \$45 for each session canceled. Those canceling after July 15, 2022 will receive no refund. No refunds for auditors.

## 2022 Parades Begin!

We are happy to announce that the Posse currently has requests to participate in local parades. .  
The dates are:

June 18<sup>th</sup> Libertyville  
July 3<sup>rd</sup>, Mundelein  
July 4<sup>th</sup> Antioch  
July 10<sup>th</sup> Bristol

We are still waiting to hear from other villages if they are going to have parades this year. If you're interested in participating as a rider, ground crew and/or set up, please contact Betsy Faitz 847-601-4810

### DRESS CODE FOR POSSE PARADES

Here is the information as contained in the Standing Rules and Procedures and additional notes regarding the Posse official dress uniform, especially for those participating in parades this year. Official Posse uniform shall be a white western long sleeve shirt with the Posse patch on the Left Shoulder (patch should be 2" centered below the shoulder seam); a black Apache type tie, a western hat (summer- light tan or white straw; fall- black felt); blue jeans\* and western boots\*. It is permitted for parade unit members to wear a white or light tan Helmet; for fall a black cover on helmet can be worn; a yellow slicker tied neatly to the back of the saddle.

\*Jeans worn by parade members should be a dark blue - not black – and no holes or torn jeans are acceptable. Boots should be clean and absent of mud and dirt; a clean pair of Airat boots are acceptable to ride in.

Parade members wear white straw hats for our parades – please be sure the hat isn't stained or look like someone sat on them. A parade member may also wear a red Posse Jacket, if weather is cool – no other color jacket is considered official Posse wear.

Posse dress shirts should be ironed and/or free of wrinkles (Attached is suggested places to purchase a western shirt – ladies or men's). It has been suggested that the Posse arm patch be sewed on to the dress western shirt and not put on with safety pins. The local laundry may provide this at a small additional cost.

Red saddle pads, breast collars, red leg wraps, yellow rain slickers, and red or black halters for the walkers to carry or new horses to the unit to wear... are provided and maintained by the Posse. We, therefore, ask that you treat these items with care; they are costly to replace and many hours are spent washing and wrapping the polo wraps.

On this note, please have your horse's legs cleaned as stains caused by dirt and mud are very hard to get out of the polo wraps. This year, 2022, we will only be wrapping the front legs of the horses. We will attempt to replace some, if not all, the yellow slickers, and have them folded and with matching strings to attach to the saddles; and will attempt to get sizes that would be matched to the rider in the event we must wear them during a parade. You may also wish to purchase (at your expense) your own yellow slicker – long western style.

Those members who volunteer as ground crew are asked to wear a red Posse t-shirt or red Posse polo shirt, blue jeans and comfortable walking shoes.

**Please note:** *Only Posse members and those covered by the Posse membership are permitted to participate in any parade, i.e. no grandchildren, no nieces etc. no friends. Don't ask. However, they may join us after for refreshments and snacks. Please watch your horses, if strangers do come and want to pet your horse...but please do not give "pony rides".*

## Committee Contacts

The membership cannot thrive without the help from our members on various committee jobs. **We need volunteers** to help out in these roles. Please contact Vickie Wacho or Betsy Faitz if you are interested in helping out. The Board will help you all the way. Thank you so much.

**Trail Rides** – Vickie Wancho and Sandy Monk

**Parades** – Betsy Faitz – Committee Chair

**Horse Show** – Ghislaine deKoning and Kelly Dickson - Committee Chairs

**Holiday Party** – Betsy Faitz

**Associate Liaison** – Lynn Goodell

**Communications Chairperson** – Jennifer Friel - Maintains FB

**Legislative Committee** – Lynn Goodell

**Website** – Jennifer and Matt Friel, Website facilitators

**Bazaar/Tack Sale** – Ghislaine deKoning

**Fall Ride** - The Board

**Play Days** – Vickie Wancho

**Non-Riding Events** – The Board

**Associate Resource** – Lynn Goodell

**Posse Apparel** – Sandy Monk

## WEBSITE and FB INFORMATION

[www.lcmp.info](http://www.lcmp.info)

[jenmfriel@gmail.com](mailto:jenmfriel@gmail.com)

For our Facebook page and our website, please send to us pictures from your rides or other activities you have done this season. We want all members and potential members to see what we are up to and that the club is still riding and active. If you are planning, spur of the moment, to go out and ride the trails, send us a message and we will post it on Facebook. The board voted that it doesn't have to be a LCMP sponsored event to post this on our Facebook page. Some members may not be able to join a club ride but may have the time to ride at another time. This is also a way to stay connected with our members and to not have to ride alone.

## Officers for 2022

Vickie Wancho - President

Betsy Faitz – Vice President

Mindy Sivright - Secretary

Ghislaine deKoning - Treasurer

If you have any membership questions or concerns, please feel comfortable to contact any officer and we will help however we can.

## Posse Wear

The link for Besco can be found at [www.bescoawards.com](http://www.bescoawards.com)  
The website will be linked to our Web Page when the page is finished

## Anies Jams and Jellies

Anie makes the best Jams and Jellies! She donates a percentage of sales to the Posse. Come to the General Meetings and Horse Show to buy her Jams and Jellies.

## HB Laser Art

Bill and Heide Milke have all your signage needs, awards, stall plates and much more. Check out their web site at [laserartusa.com](http://laserartusa.com)



## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

- 6/5 – **Trail Ride** – Rush Creek hosted by Sandy Monk – Arrive at 9:00, Ride out at 9:30 and Lunch at 12:00. Pizza will be served. **Please bring a dish to pass.** Please check website for any closures.
- 6/15 – **Board Meeting** – 7:00 pm Thirsty Horse. If you would like to attend a Board Meeting, please contact Vickie Wancho and she will add you to the agenda. Be sure to let her know what you would like to discuss with the board
- 6/18 – **Libertyville Parade** – Meet at 8:30 AM at Highland Middle School Parking lot On W. Lincoln Ave. (between Garfield and Stewart. Parade begins at 10 A.M...we must leave our staging by 9:15 a.m. We will have a light lunch upon our return to the staging area.
- 7/3 – **Mundelein Parade** – Parade steps off at 2 P.M. - more info later
- 7/4 – **Antioch Parade** – Parade Steps off at 10:30A.M. – Meet at 9A.M on Anita Street (just South of Depot Street on the East side. Lunch will be served after.
- 7/9 – **LCMP Horse Show** – Spring Grove, Illinois Please sign up to volunteer.
- 7/10 – **Bristol Parade** - More info to follow
- 7/20 - **Board Meeting** - 7:00 pm Thirsty Horse. If you would like to attend a Board Meeting, please contact Vickie Wancho and she will add you to the agenda. Be sure to let her know what you would like to discuss with the board.
- 7/31 – **Billy Yoder Clinic** – See flyer in this newsletter for details

**All Trail Rides have a guest fee of \$10.00 and \$20.00 family fee.**



## Dates for Activities

June 5	Rush Creek	Sandy Monk
June 18	Parade Libertyville	
July 3	Parade Mundelein	
July 4	Parade Antioch	
July 9	Horse Show @ Spring Grove	
July 10	Parade Bristol	
July 31	Billy Yoder Clinic @ Sunflower	LCMP
Aug 3	Sterling Lake	Debbie Neuman
Aug 20	Glacier Park	Cindy Brademan
Aug 28	Play Day @ Hawkspur	Associates
Sept 17	Racine Conservatory	Ghislaine deKoning
Oct 2	Roy's Fall Ride	Bong
Oct 22	Bazaar	
Oct 23	Chain O Lakes - Halloween Ride	Brittany Houghtaling
Oct 29	Chili Dump/Bon Fire	Fuzz and Kay
Nov 6	Sedge Meadow	Vickie Wancho
Dec 10	X-mas Party	



## 2022 Horse Show Sponsor Form

**Sponsorship Type** – Circle one

- Silver (under \$100.00)
- Gold ( \$101.00 to 199.00)
- Platinum (\$200.00 and over)
- \$ \_\_\_\_\_
  - Any amount that you would like to donate to our show.

**Sponsor Name** \_\_\_\_\_.

**Message for announcer to read at the show: (Business card or brochure or separate sheet.)**

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**LCMP Member Sales Person:** \_\_\_\_\_

**\*We will try to get all of the Platinum sponsors names on the show bill but there is a limited amount of space so it will be first come first served. Your sponsorships will be listed and displayed for the show and the announcer will read your ads through out the day. Feel free to send business cards and brochures as we will be happy to put them out for people to take.**

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**Donation Amount \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Donor** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Donation** \_\_\_\_\_





We are very excited to announce that we have finally finished the 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary LCMP Book. It is a beautifully bound book with a very nice recap of the history of our club since 1957, written by Gordon Turnbull. The book is full of photos depicting the club throughout the decades. Photos are arranged in sections: Parades, Fall rides, trail rides, Christmas parties, Posse families, Horse Shows, Clinics and a special dedication to Ruby, Allen and Roy. Members at the last meeting were very excited to leaf through it and eager to purchase a copy for their family. Kim wants to thank the committee and the proof readers: Gordon, Allen, Pearl, Betsy, Jenny Becker, Debi Neuman and Ghislaine. We all need to thank Kim Moon for all of the hours and hours spent on putting the book together and for being the driving force to finish it for our 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. There are plans on having a couple copies in displays at a library and a local Museum.

We are planning on putting in an order for anyone interested in purchasing a book. We will get a volume discount when we order all the books at the same time. Anyone is welcome to purchase the book. If you know people no longer in the club that maybe interested let them know about it.

The book is \$65.00

Please send in the form with a check so we can order it soon.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Books ordered \_\_\_\_\_

Check enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please send this form and the check to the treasurer: Ghislaine de Koning 13150 W Townline Rd Waukegan IL 60087

**CHECK SHOULD BE MADE OUT TO LAKE COUNTY MOUNTED POSSE**