

BCHNEG Newsletter

February 1, 2013

Happy New Year to all of our members! The weather has not been so great lately for riding but spring and better days are just around the corner.

Just a review of last year...We had some workdays scheduled last spring but they were cancelled by the Forest Service because of the Co-Trails meetings. However, work was done on the trails by members on an individual basis. Tie line rails were put in three places. Fallen trees have been cut out to clear trails in several places. Several members attended Co-Trails meetings and classes for trail improvement and CPR/First Aid.

The fundraiser was a great success. The gun raffle brought in \$1320. to our club for trail improvements. The dinner was well-attended and everyone had a great time. Our winner of the rifle was Allyson Morris of Hartwell GA, who is a member of BCHNEG. Thanks to everyone who helped to sell the tickets!

We have some new members. They are Jimmy & Katie Deal of Franklin, NC and Warren Beck of Clayton. Former members, Ben and Yvonne Daniels of Clarkesville have joined us again.

WE WILL HAVE A MEETING on FEBRUARY 26th 2013 at Mama G's Restaurant in Clayton at 6:00. We will have our meeting and eat afterwards. (You are responsible for your dinner.) We will elect officers, approve a new map of Willis Knob, and plan the workday.



Next Workday

March 16, 2013

We will meet at Tom and Doyle's campsite on Earl's Ford Road at 9:00. We will be picking up trash and working on the trail trouble spots. We have contacted Bill Elliott for a machine to work on the trails. There are camping spots at the campsite for those who would like to camp.

After the workday, a chili supper will be provided. Please bring a salad or dessert to go along with the chili. Drinks, bread, and paper products will be provided by the club.

A reminder will be sent out by email to remind everyone.



We have 12 t-shirts left! They are \$5 and here are the sizes and colors that are left.

XXL-1white 1green, M 2khaki 2 white, L 1green 2 white, S 1white. Let Kathy Keller know if you would like one. She can mail it to you.

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NEW OFFICERS

Our previous President has moved to Asheville and Randall Stewart has graciously agreed to become the president.

The officers slate for the next two years will be:

President-Randall Stewart

Vice President-Shannon Conrad

Treasurer-Kathy Keller

Secretary-Karen Stewart

Trail Bosses-Tom & Dana Adams

This slate will be voted on at the next meeting. Nominations for other people will be taken at the time.

MEMBERSHIP FORMS

Membership forms for 2013 are included with this newsletter. Please return as soon as possible. I have included a return envelope for your convenience. New this year is a form for additional information. This info will be used to create a member spotlight in our newsletters.

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