President’s Message:

I trust that you all had a good Christmas, and looking forward to the year ahead. We had a good ride season in 2017; filled with new rides, and also welcoming new members to NATRC. I would also like to recognize our returning members who keep our organization running with their support! Even though I was unable to attend every ride in 2017, I heard nothing but praise about our ride managers and volunteers. We truly couldn’t continue without their dedication and also the competitors.

We had two new rides in 2017. Hartsel Springs (managed by Bill and Diane Wingle), and Music Meadows (managed by Jim and Lin Ward). Both rides were a success. It is no easy task managing a new ride, in a new location!

Region 3 has changes coming in 2018. First, with Bill Wingle as our newly elected National Board Member. Bill will be filling John Horne’s board, and I have no doubt that Bill will excel and represent Region 3 on the national level. I would like to thank John Horne for his time on the national board. John came into the position as a newer NATRC member, however, John brought new and refreshing ideas into this position. John also served as the national student loan and scholarship committee chair. Thank you, John, for your willingness to serve Region 3!

I have decided to step down as the alternate to our national board. I have been doing this for the past several years, and it is time to “pass the baton”. Sharon Roper-Dashner has graciously accepted this role as our new alternate. I believe with Kay, Bill, and Sharon leading Region 3 nationally; we will be in good hands!

We also have a new webmaster, Kerry Bingham. I have been encouraging more folks to get involved with our regional board. Like myself, many of us have too many jobs and we need more people involved to run a well diverse organization/region. Kerry contacted me regarding being the new webmaster and I gladly accepted her offer to do so, thank you Kerry!

We are still in need of a new Region 3 historian. You do not have to be a board member to take on this task. While the job is relatively small, it does require some space to store records. Please contact me if you are interested in this position.

In October, my kids and I had the pleasure of spending the weekend with Greg and Juleen Feazell in Cedaredge at their home. While Greg played the baby sitter, Juleen treated me to a ride on the Grand Mesa. The Grand Mesa is amazingly beautiful country! I tell you this because that weekend was the highlight of my year! Being back in the saddle again was magical and I felt like I was “home”. Since it has been several years since I have ridden and even many more years since I have competed in NATRC, I forgot the peace and happiness that comes from riding. A simple gesture, from a great friend made my heart happy!

My hope in this coming ride season and year, is that you all find that “happy place”. Whether it be on your horse, enjoying the company of a friend, and/or your family. I wish you all happiness in 2018!

Sincerely,
Chuck Smith
President, Region 3
### From the Editor...

Happy New Year

As with all new years we endeavor to make new resolutions. 2017 was a hectic year for me (I’m not sure 2018 won’t be) and hope to get more newsletters out this year.

John
Caballo Canyon CTR 4/22-23/2017

A-O/N/CP Total Riders: 24
Chair: Kenneth Bingham
Judges: Jerry Weil DVM, Jerry Sims
Open Sweepstakes: Hot Saki/Smith, Terri - 97
CP Combo: Eduardo el Negrito Knight/Wingle, Diane
Novice Sweepstakes: SAS’S My Future is Spots/Gardner, Carrie - 96

Open Heavyweight
1/1 Bailey’s Angel Baby/Westmoreland, Cheri
2/2 BJ Studmuffin J/Bingham, Kerry

Open Lightweight
1/1 Hot Saki/Smith, Terri
2/5 BR Elusive Flame/Jarrett, Cheryl
3/3 Tres Beau/Poulton, Jennifer
4/2 SAS’s Smokey Annie Oakley/Feazell, Juleen
5/4 Dakota Cole/Olson, Calleen

Competitive Pleasure
1/1 Eduardo el Negrito Knight/Wingle, Diane
2/4 Mariah 3/Wingle, Bill
3/2 Royal’s Rock’N EZ Cinnabar/Garrett, Betty
4/ Young Gun Last/Dandy, Donna
5/ Levi 2/Morgan, Dayna
6/3 Grace 6/Sumner, Susie
 /5 Rockin E.Z. Raven/Ancell, Steve
 /6 Danner/Inman, Gary
Curiosa/O’Brien, Wava

Novice Heavyweight
1/1 SAS’S My Future is Spots/Gardner, Carrie
2/2 Pistolero/Wiltshire, Diane

Novice Lightweight
1/2 Geron/Derco, Carrie
2/1 Senteney’s Spirit/LaValley, Kristie
3/4 Rock/Farmer, Jane
3/3 Zeppelin/Hager, Scarlett
P Chief 12/LaRue, Susan

Novice Junior
1/1 Rock’n EZ Royal Tee/Ancell, Henry

B-N Total Riders: 7
Chair: Kenneth Bingham
Judges: Jerry Weil DVM, Jerry Sims
Novice Sweepstakes: Dixie 9/Stanifer, Molly - 96

Novice Heavyweight
1/1 A Goodtime Cowboy Casanova/Daney, Devon
2/2 Legends Legacy Lena/Alley, Paula

Novice Lightweight
1/1 Okie Proud/Beyerle, Tammy
2/2 Spotya Sum Cash/Araki, Nancie
3/3 Pearl 2/Holmes, Kathleen
P Theo 3/Fitzpatrick, Sena

Novice Junior
1/1 Dixie 9/Stanifer, Molly
Picture credit to Bill Wingle
Navajo Lake 5/13-14/2017

Navajo Lake 5/13-14/2017 R3-NM
A-O/N/CP Total Riders: 35
Chair: Chuck Smith
Judges: Carol Ormond DVM, Cheri Jeffcoat
Open Sweepstakes: Hot Saki/Smith, Terri – 98.5
CP Combo: Levi 2/Morgan, Dayna
Novice Sweepstakes: SAS’S My Future is Spots/Gardner, Carrie – 96.5

Open Heavyweight
1/4 BJ Studmuffin J/Bingham, Kerry
2/2 Awesomes Fire N Ice/Wolgram, Ken
3/6 Bailey’s Angel Baby/Westmoreland, Cheri
4/5 Talk Til Midnight/Gunckel, Kay
5/1 Ravenwood Royal Flag/Jewell, Jonni
6/3 Gen’s Rockin Shadow/Ward, Jim

Novice Lightweight
1/1 Senteney’s Spirit/LaValley, Kristie
2/2 Zeppelin/Hager, Scarlett

Novice Junior
1/4 Rock’n EZ Royal Tee/Harper, Connor
2/1 Dixie 9/Stanifer, Molly
3/3 Dazzle 2/Harvey, Kimber
4/2 Saint Patrick/Wilson, Caydance

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Navajo Lake 5/13/2017 R3-NM
B-N Total Riders: 8
Chair: Chuck Smith
Judges: Carol Ormond DVM, Cheri Jeffcoat
Novice Sweepstakes: Treasor/Ryan, Daniel - 98

Novice Heavyweight
1/1 Pistolero/Wiltshire, Diane
2/3 Shadeau Wind Bey/Pogue, Caroline
3/2 Anna’s Rhett Buttlar/Grabbe, Susan
P Nova Vida/Roper, Cindy

Novice Lightweight
1/3 Treasor/Ryan, Daniel
2/1 Corona Sunflower/Ryan, Erin
3/2 Ra Zil Abask/Ryan, Amanda
P Theo 3/Fitzpatrick, Sena

Competitive Pleasure
1/3 Levi 2/Morgan, Dayna
2/2 Eduardo el Negrito Knight/Wingle, Diane
3/4 Royal’s Rock’N EZ Cinnabar/Garrett, Betty
4/ Grace 6/Sumner, Susie
5/1 Sundust Hello Dolly/Sims, Jerry
6/ Copper’s Comet/Cumberworth, Cathy
5/1 Sundust Hello Dolly/Sims, Jerry
6/ Buttercup 3/Ancell, Steve
Danner/Inman, Gary
Young Gun Last/Dandy, Donna
Rockin E.Z. Raven/Ancell, Theresa
Curiosa/O’Brien, Wava

Novice Heavyweight
1/2 SAS’S My Future is Spots/Gardner, Carrie
2/1 A Goodtime Cowboy Casanova/Daney, Devon
3/3 Wilma/Harvey, Alicia
4/4 Moonshine Blues/Schoenecker, Kevin
General Albert P. Clark Memorial
6/10-11/2017 R3-CO
A-O/N/CP Total Riders: 44
Chair: Dayna Morgan, Pam Galchutt
Judges: Boyd Emond DVM, Priscilla Lindsey
Open Sweepstakes: Hot Saki/Smith, Terri - 97.5
CP Combo: Danner/Inman, Gary
Novice Sweepstakes: A Goodtime Cowboy Casanova/Daney, Devon - 88.5

Open Heavyweight
1/1 Talk Til Midnight/Gunckel, Kay
2/2 Little Ann/Klamm, Liz
3/3 BJ Studmuffin J/Bingham, Jerry
P  Thunder 11/Lewis, Donna
P  Mesa 7/Talbot, Jill

Open Lightweight
1/1 Hot Saki/Smith, Terri
2/1 Dakota Cole/Olson, Calleen
3/5 BR Elusive Flame/Jarrett, Cheryl
4/6 SDR Black Vixen/Camarco, Sonya
5/4 SAS’s Smokey Annie Oakley/Feazell, Juleen
6/3 TA Khalipso/Combs, Janna
P  Regala de la Estrellas/Marquardt, Diana

Open Junior
1/2 Lincoln/Combs, Alexis
2/1 Angel’s Ricochet Shot/Klamm, Ryan

Competitive Pleasure
1/1 Danner/Inman, Gary
2/4 Eduardo el Negrito Knight/Wingle, Diane
3/2 Solid Country Gold Skye/Conne, Linda
4/3 Young Gun Last/Dandy, Donna
5/5 Risky Snickers/Wood, Mary Anna
6/  Rushcreek Darline/Clark, Hannah
   /6 Pride’s Miss Sam’s Son/Brooker, Natalie
      Curiosa/O’Brien, Wava
      Mariah 3/Wingle, Bill

Novice Heavyweight
1/3 A Goodtime Cowboy Casanova/Daney, Devon
2/1 Nova Vida/Roper, Cindy
3/4 Aubrey/Johnson, Amanda
4/6 Foxhaven’s Medicine Man/Morgan, William
5/  Moonshine Blues/Schoenecker, Kevin
6/  Dumas Kay Walker/Machain, Ruth
   /2 Theo 4/Lange, Bonnie
   /5 Fannie/Bishop, Stephen
P  Tosca 3/Black, Tracy
P  Nottingshams Mystic Prince/Garrett, Jill

Novice Lightweight
1/1 Rockin Silver Splash/Bonham, Kat
2/3 Storm 3/Skelly, Mary
3/2 Sir Casanova/Sistek, Joanne
4/4 Hildalgo/Martin, Mary
CO  Mr San Puppy/Ehrich, Louise
CO  Alaata Sol/Strandquist, Jill
P  Haidaseeker Playboy/Caudill, Andrea
P  Some’R Santana/Lohrenz, Nancy
P  Sensational Love/Pinkston, Elizabeth

Novice Junior
1/2 Little Bit 3/Vanpoollen, Sydney
2/1 Dixie 9/Stanifer, Molly
Chicken Creek 7/22-23/2017
7/22-23/2017 R3-CO
A-O/N/CP Total Riders: 36
Chair: Chuck Smith
Judges: Stephanie Ostrowski DVM, Becky Rogers

Open Sweepstakes: Talk Til Midnight/Gunckel, Kay - 98
CP Combo: Royal’s Rock’N EZ Cinnabar/Garrett, Betty

Novice Sweepstakes: SAS’S My Future is Spots/Gardner, Carrie - 95

Open Heavyweight
1/1 Talk Til Midnight/Gunckel, Kay
2/3 Bailey’s Angel Baby/Westmoreland, Cheri
3/2 BJ Studmuffin J/Bingham, Kerry
4/4 Tezuby/Jewell, Jonni

Open Lightweight
1/1 Hot Saki/Smith, Terri
2/2 Dakota Cole/Olson, Calleen
3/3 Slicks Bar-B-Doll/Moore, Cathy

Competitive Pleasure
1/1 Royal’s Rock’N EZ Cinnabar/Garrett, Betty
2/4 Sixes Peppy Lady/Feazell, Juleen
3/3 Eduardo el Negrito Knight/Wingle, Diane
4/2 Young Gun Last/Dandy, Donna
5/ Dukes Eternal Gold/Holder, Sharon
6/5 Pride’s Miss Sam’s Son/Brooker, Natalie
6/6 Levi 2/Morgan, Dayna
  Dash of Quick Silver/Simons, Sandie
  Curiosa/O’Brien, Wava
  Travelin’ Ziggy/Colby, Lou Ann
  Danner/Inman, Gary
  Bo 8/Guthrie, Jan
  Bookcliff Mountain Fire/Bingham, Kenneth
  Mariah 3/Wingle, Bill
P Buffnugget G./Halterman, Susan

Novice Heavyweight
1/1 SAS’S My Future is Spots/Gardner, Carrie
2/5 Legends Legacy Lena
3/4 Nova Vida/Roper, Cindy
4/2 Foxhaven’s Medicine Man/Morgan, William
5/3 A Goodtime Cowboy Casanova/Daney, Devon
6/6 Allen Tays Hard Stroller/Wickes, Lori
P High Beam/Kremer, Trudy

Novice Lightweight
1/2 Rockin Silver Splash/Bonham, Kat
2/1 Geron/Derco, Carrie
3/3 4K Black Powder/Arnett, Leona
4/4 Zeppelin/Hager, Scarlett

Novice Junior
1/1 Little Bit 3/Vanpoollen, Sydney
P Dixie 9/Stanifer, Molly
P Stretch/Kremer, Ethan
Hartsel Ranch 8/5-6/2017

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| Novice Lightweight           | Rockin Silver Splash/Bonham, Kat         |
| 1/1                          | Suzie/Fleischer, Donna                   |

Hartsel Ranch 8/5/2017 R3-CO
B-N/CP Total Riders: 6
Chair: Bill Wingle
Judges: Boyd Emond DVM, Jerry Sims
Novice Sweepstakes: Spotya Sum Cash/Araki, Nancie - 99
Competitive Pleasure
1/1 JOR Picasso/O’Brien, Wava

Novice Lightweight
1/2 Spotya Sum Cash/Araki, Nancie
2/1 Okie Proud/Beyerle, Tammy
3/4 Joey 7/Donaldson, Tammy
4/3 Hershey 5/Adair, Amelia
5/5 Starlight Pearl/Campbell, Annette

Competitive Pleasure
1/1 Eduardo el Negrito Knight/Wingle, Diane
2/4 Sixes Peppy Lady/Feazell, Juleen
3/3 Royal’s Rock’N EZ Cinnabar/Garrett, Betty
4/2 Rushcreek Darline/Clark, Hannah
5/5 Big Mac’s My My/Wylie, Karen
6/6 Levi 2/Morgan, Dayna
Young Gun Last/Dandy, Donna
Buffnugget G./Halterman, Susan
Danner/Inman, Gary
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# Colorado Trail 9/9-10/2017

**Novice Heavyweight**
1/3 Aubrey/Johnson, Amanda  
2/2 SAS’S My Future is Spots/Gardner, Carrie  
3/1 A Goodtime Cowboy Casanova/Daney, Devon  
P Moonshine Blues/Schoenecker, Kevin  
P Foxhaven’s Medicine Man/Morgan, William

**Novice Lightweight**
1/3 Chester 6/Andrews, Jill  
2/4 Storm 3/Skelly, Mary  
3/1 Rockin Silver Splash/Bonham, Kat  
4/2 Sahara Summer/Conley, Gillian  
P Starlight Pearl/Campbell, Annette  
P Spotya Sum Cash/Araki, Nancie

**Novice Junior**
1/1 Not a Chance/Vanpoollen, Sydney  
2/2 Dixie 9/Stanifer, Molly

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**Colorado Trail**

9/9-10/2017  
A-O/N/CP Total Riders: 31  
Chair: Dee Overholt, Tammy Beyerle  
Judges: Tamara Gull DVM, Patsy Conner  
Open Sweepstakes: Tezuby/Jewell, Jonni - 90  
CP Combo: Royal’s Rock’N EZ Cinnabar/Garrett, Betty  
Novice Sweepstakes: Chester 6/Andrews, Jill - 85

**Open Heavyweight**
1/1 Tezuby/Jewell, Jonni  
2/4 BJ Studmuffin J/Bingham, Kerry  
3/3 Talk Til Midnight/Colby, Lou Ann  
4/2 Bailey’s Angel Baby/Westmoreland, Cheri  
5/5 Fannie/Bishop, Stephen

**Open Lightweight**
1/1 Giacomo/Muench, Fran  
2/2 Focus Jessie/Smith, Helen  
3/3 Pride’s Miss Sam’s Son/Brooker, Natalie  
P Regala de la Estrellas/Marquardt, Diana

**Open Junior**
1/1 Lincoln/Combs, Alexis

**Competitive Pleasure**
1/4 Rushcreek Darline/Clark, Hannah  
2/6 Danner/Inman, Gary  
3/3 Sixes Peppy Lady/Feazell, Juleen  
4/ Levi 2/Morgan, Dayna  
5/1 Royal’s Rock’N EZ Cinnabar/Garrett, Betty  
6/5 Eduardo el Negrito Knight/Wingle, Diane  
2/ Young Gun Last/Dandy, Donna  
JOR Picasso/O’Brien, Wava
Picture credit to Bill Wingle
Music Meadows 8/19-20/2017

Music Meadows
8/19-20/2017 R3-CO
A-O/N/CP Total Riders: 39
Chair: Jim Ward
Judges: Carrie Porter DVM, Sarah Rinne
Open Sweepstakes: Hot Saki/Smith, Terri – 99
CP Combo: Royal's Rock'N EZ Cinnabar/Garrett, Betty
Novice Sweepstakes: Foxhaven's Medicine Man/Morgan, William – 96.5

Open Heavyweight
1/1 Tezuby/Jewell, Jonni
2/2 Talk Til Midnight/Gunckel, Kay
3/3 Bailey's Angel Baby/Westmoreland, Cheri
4/4 BJ Studmuffin J/Bingham, Kerry

Open Lightweight
1/2 Hot Saki/Smith, Terri
2/4 Giacomo/Muench, Fran
3/3 Dakota Cole/Olson, Calleen
4/5 BR Elusive Flame/Jarrett, Cheryl
5/2 Rushcreek Allie/Messick, Brenda

Competitive Pleasure
1/1 Royal's Rock'N EZ Cinnabar/Garrett, Betty
2/ Mariah 3/Wingle, Bill
3/4 VA Caradelle/Reynolds, Margaret
4/6 Halcon/Queen, Kelly
5/ Young Gun Last/Dandy, Donna
6/5 Eduardo el Negrito Knight/Wingle, Diane
/2 Pride's Miss Sam's Son/Brooker, Natalie
/3 Rushcreek Darline/Clark, Hannah
Wish Upon a Star/Hapgood, Kris
Bo 8/Guthrie, Jan
Soda Creek/Fetterhoff, Amy
Solid Country Gold Skye/Conne, Linda
Danner/Inman, Gary
P Shiraz/Horne, John
P Big Mac's My My/Wylie, Karen
P Guinness/Thearin, Dianna

Novice Heavyweight
1/4 Foxhaven's Medicine Man/Morgan, William
2/2 SAS'S My Future is Spots/Gardner, Carrie
3/5 Nova Vida/Roper, Cindy
4/3 Moonshine Blues/Schoenecker, Kevin
5/1 A Goodtime Cowboy Casanova/Daney, Devon
6/6 Aubrey/Johnson, Amanda
Fannie/Bishop, Stephen

Novice Lightweight
1/2 Mr San Puppy/Ehrich, Louise
2/2 Senteney’s Spirit/LaValley, Kristie
3/6 Suzie/Fleischer, Donna
4/5 Alaata Sol/Strandquist, Jill
5/1 Rockin Silver Splash/Bonham, Kat
6/3 Geron/Derco, Carrie
/4 4K Black Powder/Arnett, Leona

Music Meadows
8/19/2017 R3-CO
B-O/N/CP Total Riders: 2
Chair: Jim Ward
Judges: Carrie Porter DVM, Sarah Rinne
Open Sweepstakes: Levi 2/Morgan, Dayna – 93.5
CP Combo: JOR Picasso/O’Brien, Wava

Open Heavyweight
1/1 Levi 2/Morgan, Dayna

Competitive Pleasure
1/1 JOR Picasso/O’Brien, Wava
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Chokecherry
9/23-24/2017 R3-NM
A-O/N/CP Total Riders: 24
Chair: Lonnie Smith
Judges: Natalie Goldberger DVM, Kim Cowart
Open Sweepstakes: Talk Til Midnight/Gunckel, Kay - 95
CP Combo: Sixes Peppy Lady/Feazell, Juleen
Novice Sweepstakes: SAS’S My Future is Spots/Gardner, Carrie - 97

Open Heavyweight
1/1 Talk Til Midnight/Gunckel, Kay
2/3 BJ Studmuffin J/Bingham, Kerry
3/2 Bailey’s Angel Baby/Westmoreland, Cheri
4/4 Bookcliff Mountain Fire/Bingham, Kenneth
P Rock’n EZ Royal Tee/Ancell, Steve

Open Lightweight
1/1 Hot Saki/Smith, Terri
2/2 Ra Zil Abask/Ryan, Amanda
3/3 Treasurer/Ryan, Daniel

Competitive Pleasure
1/5 Danner/Inman, Gary
2/4 Copper’s Comet/Cumberworth, Cathy
3/2 Sixes Peppy Lady/Feazell, Juleen
4/1 Eduardo el Negrito Knight/Wingle, Diane
5/6 Levi 2/Morgan, Dayna
6/ Slicks Bar-B-Doll/Moore, Cathy
/3 Mariah/Wingle, Bill
Bo 8/Guthrie, Jan
P SA Souix Z/Combs, Janna

Novice Heavyweight
1/3 SAS’S My Future is Spots/Gardner, Carrie
2/2 Foxhaven’s Medicine Man/Morgan, William
3/1 A Goodtime Cowboy Casanova/Daney, Devon

Novice Lightweight
1/1 4K Black Powder/Arnett, Leona
2/2 Zeppelin/Hager, Scarlett

Novice Junior
1/1 Dixie 9/Stanifer, Molly
2/2 Saint Patrick/Wilson, Caydance

Chokecherry
9/23/2017 R3-NM
B-N Total Riders: 2
Chair: Lonnie Smith
Judges: Natalie Goldberger DVM, Kim Cowart
Novice Sweepstakes: Brio 2/Kelly, Robin - 88

Novice Heavyweight
1/1 Ed 2/Kuehling, Caitlin

Novice Lightweight
1/1 Brio 2/Kelly, Robin

Novice Junior
1/1 Dixie 9/Stanifer, Molly
2/2 Saint Patrick/Wilson, Caydance
If you are interested in purchasing a vest number to use in 2018, please contact Chuck Smith on which numbers are available.

Open $30.00
CP $20.00
Novice $10.00

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NATIONAL AWARDS

Horse and riders are competing against the other NATRC regions for the nation awards. Rides in other regions do count for these awards. We only listed the placings of the riders in Region 3. To see a listing of the complete results you may go to NATRC.org.

**Bev Tibbits Grand Champion**

(Overall Open High Average Horse - 8 rides required)
1. Hot Saki - 99.74%

**Polly Bridges Memorial**

(Overall Open High Average Horsemanship - 8 rides required)
3. Terri Smith - 99.34%

**Bill Smith Memorial**

(Overall Open Heavyweight Horse Overall)
3. Talk Til Midnight - Kay Gunckel - 92 points

(Overall Open Lightweight Horse Overall)
2. Hot Saki - Terri Smith - 114 Points

**Bruce Becker Memorial**

(Open Heavyweight Horsemanship)
5. Kay Gunckel - 78 Points
6. Kerry Bingham - 74 Points

(Overall Open Lightweight Horsemanship)
3. Terri Smith - 98 points

NATIONAL CHAMPIONS OPEN

Talk Til Midnight       Kay Gunckel
Bailey’s Angel Baby    Cheri Westmoreland
BJ Studmuffin J        Kerry Bingham
Hot Saki               Terri Smith
COMPETITIVE PLEASURE AWARDS

(OVERALL CP HORSE)
1. Eduardo el Negrito Knight - Diane Wingle - 126 Points
5. Danner - Gary Inman - 90 Points

(OVERALL CP HORSEMANSHIP)
2. Diane Wingle - 142 Points

CP HIGH AVERAGE HORSE and HORSEMANSHIP

High Average Horse
3. Eduardo el Negrito Knight - Diane Wingle - 97.01%

GRAND CHAMPION
HIGH AVERAGE HORSEMANSHIP

1. Diane Wingle 98.31%

NATIONAL CHAMPIONS - COMPETITIVE PLEASURE

Eduardo el Negrito Knight Diane Wingle
Danner Gary Inman

REGION 3 - 100% Club

Congratulation to the 100% Club members. Eight members either competed or volunteered at every ride in 2017. This is quite the accomplishment as there were 8 rides in 2017.

100% Club Winners for 2017:
Bill Wingle
Diane Wingle
Wave O’Brien
Gary Inman
Devon Daney
Kenny Bingham
Kerry Bingham
Juleen Feazell
REGION 3 - SPECIAL AWARDS

Competitive Pleasure Champion Horse
Criteria must be met for a horse to receive this award. Horse is awarded at least one 1st place and one 2nd place (or two 1st places) in the CP Division. Horse Accumulates a minimum of 65s points in the CP Division. Only R3 rides Count.

Danner         Gary Inman
Eduardo el Negrito Knight  Diane Wingle
Royal's Rock'N EZ Cinnabar  Betty Garrett

CP High Average Horse and Rider
Criteria - 75% of the rides must be started and scores will be added together for the and divided by the number of rides started.
Winner to be announced in Albuquerque on Sunday morning!

Special Region 3
Novice Year End Awards for 2017

1. NOVICE CHAMPION HORSE AWARD: All horses in the Novice division; Junior, Lightweight, and Heavyweight will be eligible to be declared a Region 3 NATRC Novice Champion Horse when all the following requirements are met during the Region 3 ride season of 2017. Horse is awarded at least one 1st place and one 2nd place (or two 1st places) in the Novice Division. Horse accumulates a minimum of 55 points in the Novice Division. Only Region 3 rides count. Multiple horses may win this award and the prize will be a horse blanket/cooler with horse’s name, award name and year embroidered on the blanket.

SAS'S My Future is Spots     Carrie Gardner
A Goodtime Cowboy Casanova  Devon Daney
Rockin Silver Splash      Kat Bonham
Foxhaven's Medicine Man    William Morgan

2. HIGH POINT FIRST YEAR NOVICE HORSE: This is a Special Year End Award given to the High Point Novice Horse in the horse’s 1st year of competition. All 3 classes in the Novice Division; Novice Junior, Novice Lightweight, Novice Heavyweight, will be combined to determine the winner. To be eligible, a minimum of three Region 3 rides must be completed by the horse. Both the owner and rider of the horse must be a member of NATRC.
Winner to be announced in Albuquerque on Sunday morning!
3. **DR. JOE QUINTANA HIGH AVERAGE NOVICE HORSE AWARD**: This is a Special Year End Award given to the Novice Horse with the **Highest Average Score** for the 2017 Ride Season. All three classes in the Novice division; Junior, Lightweight, and Heavyweight will be combined. Novice division horse and riders must enter a minimum of 50% of the rides in 2017 to be eligible for year-end High Average Horse Award. All rides started will be counted.

**Winner to be announced in Albuquerque on Sunday morning!**

4. **PAT JUBB HIGH AVERAGE NOVICE HORSEMANSHIP AWARD**: This is a Special Year End Award given rider with the **Highest Average Horsemanship Score** for the 2017 Ride Season. All three classes in the Novice division; Junior, Lightweight, and Heavyweight will be combined to determine the winner. Novice division riders must enter a minimum of 50% of the rides in 2017 to be eligible for year-end High Average Horsemanship Awards. All rides started will be counted.

**Winner to be announced in Albuquerque on Sunday morning!**

**Land of Enchantment Winners for 2017**

A special award is given each year to the horse accumulating the most points in Novice, CP and Open for rides sponsored by the San Juan Valley Trail Riders. The qualifying rides were Caballo Canyon, Navajo Lake, Chicken Creek and Chokecherry Canyon.

Novice Winner - SAS'S My Future is Spots, ridden by Carrie Gardner

Competitive Pleasure - Eduardo el Negrito Knight ridden by Diane Winge

Open - Hot Saki ridden by Terri Smith
All horse must complete at least 3 rides to be eligible for these awards. Horse Points accumulated from all Region 3 rides in 2017 are added together to determine the placing. These are Region 3 Awards and the engraved Medallions will be presented at the Regional Convention in Albuquerque, NM on Sunday Feb 11, 2018

**Open Heavyweight**
1. (tie) BJ Studmuffin J Kerry Bingham
2. (tie) Talk Til Midnight Kay Gunckel
3. Bailey’s Angel Baby Cheri
   Westmoreland

**Open Lightweight**
1. Hot Saki Terri Smith
2. Dakota Cole Calleen Olson
3. BR Elusive Flame Cheryl Jarrett
4. SAS’s Smokey Annie Oakley Juleen Feazell

**Competitive Pleasure**
1. Eduardo el Negrito Knight Diane Wingle
2. Royal’s Rock’N EZ Cinnabar Betty Garrett
3. Danner Gary Inman
4. (tie) Levi Dayna Morgan
5. (tie) Sixes Peppy Lady Juleen Feazell
6. Young Gun Last Donna Dandy
7. Mariah Bill Wingle

**Novice Heavyweight**
1. SAS’S My Future is Spots Carrie Gardner
2. A Goodtime Cowboy Casanova Devon Daney
3. Foxhaven’s Medicine Man William Morgan
4. Nova Vida Cindy Roper
5. (tie) Aubrey Amanda Johnson
6. (tie) Moonshine Blues Kevin Schoenecker
7. Fannie Stephen Bishop

**Novice Lightweight**
1. Rockin Silver Splash Kat Bonham
2. Senteney’s Spirit Kristie LaValley
3. Geron Carrie Derco
4. Zeppelin Scarlett Hager
5. Spotya Sum Cash Nancie Araki
6. 4K Black Powder Leona Arnett

**Novice Junior Team**
1. Dixie Molly Stanifer
Region 3 Year End Placings – Horsemanship Awards

All horse must complete at least 3 rides to be eligible for these awards. Horse Points accumulated from all Region 3 rides in 2017 are added together to determine the placing. These are Region 3 Awards and the engraved Medallions will be presented at the Regional Convention in Albuquerque, NM on Sunday Feb 11, 2018

**Open Heavyweight**
1. Kerry Bingham
2. Kay Gunckel
3. Cheri Westmoreland

**Open Lightweight**
1. Terri Smith
2. Calleen Olson
3. Juleen Feazell
4. Cheryl Jarrett

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1. Diane Wingle
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1. Devon Daney
2. Carrie Gardner
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5. Kevin Schoenecker
6. Amanda Johnson

**Novice Lightweight**
1. Kat Bonham
2. Carrie Derco
3. Leona Arnett
4. Scarlett Hager
5. Kristie LaValley
6. Tammy Beyerle

**Novice Junior**
1. Molly Stanifer
2. Sydney Vanpoollen
Year End High Point Team Awards - All horse and riders must complete at least 3 rides to be eligible for these awards. Horse Points and Horsemanship Points accumulated from all Region 3 rides in 2017 are added together to determine the placing. These are National Awards and beautiful ribbons will be given out at the National Convention in Albuquerque, NM on Feb 10, 2018

Open Heavyweight Team
1. Kerry Bingham & BJ Studmuffin J
2. Kay Gunckel & Talk Til Midnight
3. Cheri Westmoreland & Bailey’s Angel Baby

Open Lightweight Team
1. Terri Smith & Hot Saki
2. Calleen Olsen & Dakota Cole
3. Juleen Feazell & SAS’s Smokey Annie Oakley
4. Cheryl Jarrett & BR Elusive Flame

Competitive Pleasure Team
1. Diane Wingle & Eduardo el Negrito Knight
2. Betty Garrett & Royal’s Rock’N EZ Cinnabar
3. Gary Inman & Danner
4. Donna Dandy & Young Gun Last
5. Juleen Feazell & Sixes Peppy Lady
6. Bill Wingle & Mariah

Novice Junior Team
1. Molly Stainer & Dixie

Novice Heavyweight Team
1. Carrie Gardner & SAS’s My Future is Spots
2. Devon Daney & A Good Time Cowboy Casanova
3. William Morgan & Foxhaven’s Medicine Man
4. Cindy Roper & Nova Vida
5. Kevin Schoenecker & Moonshine Blues
6. Amanda Johnson & Aubrey

Novice Lightweight Team
1. Kat Bonham & Rockin Silver Splash
2. Carrie Derco & Geron
3. Krisite LaValley & Senteney’s Spirit
4. Scarlett Hager & Zeppelin
5. Leona Arnett & 4K Black Powder
6. Nancie Araki & Spotya Some Cash
### Horse and Rider Mileage Awards

Horse and Rider Mileage Awards are given each year when certain levels of mileage are achieved. The Mileage Awards are for rides in Region 3 only. If you rode outside the region those miles accumulated will be reflected in the National Miles Database. If you are between awards increments you will not be listed as you will not be receiving a mileage award. If you have any questions about your horse and/or rider mileage, please contact Juleen Feazell, Awards Chair, gjfeazell@tds.net

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400 Miles Kat Bonham
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260 Miles Gillian Conley

In Loving Memory

Dear Region 3,

For those of you who knew Bob Santisteven, he passed away shortly after Thanksgiving at 96. Bob has been a lifetime member of NATRC for over 20 years. If you were lucky to have known him, you would know there was never a dull moment! He will be greatly missed. Services are being planned for February, and I will be sending more information out soon. His daughter, Jeannie, was not an NATRC member, however she would love to hear your stories about Bob. When more information comes out, I will also include an address if you wish to send a card.

Sincerely,

Chuck Smith
Rocky Mountain "Hat Trick"

Back for 2018
Region 3

The Rocky Mountain Hat Trick is back! Come and ride with us in the COOL air of the Colorado high country this summer. The following three consecutive rides in the Colorado Rockies are the Hat Trick Rides for 2018.

Chicken Creek (July 21-22 2018)
Island in the Sky (August 4-5 2018)
Hartsel Springs Ranch (August 18-19 2018)

Eligibility:
• Rider must ride the same horse and participate in all 3 rides.
• Points for Horse and Rider will be combined in all 3 rides.
• Horse & Rider must participate in the same division & class.

1st Place Prizes in each Division & Class
• Open Heavyweight
• Open Lightweight
• Open Junior
• Competitive Pleasure
• Novice Heavyweight
• Novice Lightweight
• Novice Junior

Please contact Juleen Feazell, 970 965-1182 or gjfeazell@icloud.com.
**Convention**

Dear Region 3,

Juleen, myself, and our wonderful volunteers are working diligently to host the national convention in February.

Juleen and I were talking yesterday, and we really need more support from Region 3. If you are unsure of attending, please try to make a decision soon so we can plan accordingly. We will be sending in meal counts at the end of January, and need a pretty good idea on where we stand by that point.

We are asking/need your support!

As of today, we desperately need another 25-30 people to break even. Let’s show our other regions what a wonderful and strong group of members we have in Region 3!

If you are planning on attending, please send in your registration to Cathy Cumberworth and book your hotel rooms by January 17 to receive the best rate.

Sincerely,
Chuck & Juleen
2018 NATRC NATIONAL CONVENTION

Room Reservations
$89.00 (night plus tax)
Discount Code: 1902NATRC or NATRC Convention
Please call 866-505-7820
Reservation Office hours:
Mon-Fri 9 am-7 pm
Sat-Sun 9 am-5 pm MST
Reservation discount price available February 17, 2018
Deadline: January 17, 2018

Rates for activities & meeting rooms depend on the number of rooms booked, your support is appreciated.
The hotel embraces the striking blend of native American, Spanish and Western aesthetics. A portion of your room rate is donated to Cultural Partners to ensure the unique cultural heritage is preserved.

Convention Registration
Name(s): ____________________________
Address: ____________________________
Ph: ____________________________ E-Mail: ____________________________

Seminar Special Package* (Includes Seminar Speakers, National Luncheon, and National Awards Banquet) $145 x ______ = $______
Seminar plus Saturday National Luncheon Only $65 x ______ = $______
Seminar plus Saturday National Awards Banquet Only $35 x ______ = $______
Seminar/Speakers Only $50 x ______ = $______
Region 3 Awards Breakfast (All are welcome) $25 x ______ = $______
Non-member fee ($5 for each option selected) $5 x ______ = $______
Late fee ($10 if postmarked after 1/31/18 or if registering at door) $10 x ______ = $______
TOTAL DUE (Must be submitted with completed Registration Form) $______

* Deduct 6% if postmarked by December 31, 2017. Applies to Seminar Special Package ONLY.
* Cancellation fee $25 / person if cancelled after January 1, balance paid will be refunded.
* NO CALLING SHOW, NO REFUND.

Make check payable to "NATRC Region 3" & mail to: Cathy Cumberworth, Convention Secretary, 14 RD 3773, Farmington, NM 87401. Questions? Contact:
Cathy 505/419-8870 or co-chair Jennifer Foot 505/385-1182 Chuck Smith 505/215-3625
cumberson2@yahoo.com jennifer@doggy.net chuck.smith@southlink.net

National Luncheon (Served with Honey Mint Fruit Salad, Kettle Chips, Chocolate Chip Cookies)
Please select one person:
Grilled Vegetable Wrap: Person 1: ______ Person 2: ______ Person 3: ______ Person 4: ______ Person 5: ______
Italian Sub: ______
Roast Beef: ______

National Awards Banquet (Served with Salad, Roasted Garlic Fingertip Potatoes, Herb-Roasted Young Vegetables, Roll, & Dark Chocolate Mousse with Strawberries)
Please select one dish per person:
Person 1: ______ Person 2: ______ Person 3: ______ Person 4: ______ Person 5: ______
Baked & Ricotta Stuffed Chicken Breast: ______
Kyzer Farm Pork Chops: ______
Vegan Mediterranean Pasta: ______

T-shirt Pre-orders (Orders & Payment Due by 1/31/2018 - Not for sale at the convention)
Adult Long Sleeves $20 each: Sm: ______ Med: ______ Lg: ______ Xl: ______ 2X: ______

Silent Auction - I will bring one or more items for the Silent Auction. Yes _____ No _____ if known

Enchanted by Our Equines
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2018 NATRC NATIONAL CONVENTION
February 9-11, 2018
Hotel Albuquerque at Old Town
Mosey on down to Albuquerque, New Mexico and help us celebrate 57 years of competitive trail riding. The celebration begins Thursday with the National Board Meeting and ends on Sunday morning with Region 3’s Awards Breakfast. Expect fun and information the entire weekend.

Be Enchanted By Our Equines in The Land of Enchantment.

Contacts
Juleen Feazell, gifeazell@tds.net, 970) 985-1182 or
Chuck Smith, chuck-smith@earthlink.net, (505)215-2625

Registration and Hospitality Suite: “Official” gathering place for all NATRC attendees and their guests. Open Thursday evening (pick up registration packets); Friday and Saturday during speaker breaks; after Friday night’s entertainment; and again after Saturday’s awards presentation. Join friends for snacks, drinks and camaraderie.

Thursday

NBOD Mtg
8:00am - 5:00pm. Open to all NATRC members. Learn how our board makes decisions and works diligently to improve and enhance NATRC.

Vendors
Setup Thursday. Open Friday morning through Saturday after last speaker. Bring your Silent Auction items, too.

Friday (Registration: 8:00 am)

Morning Session
- Dr. Bill Cumberworth, host, Judges Panel. Submit written questions to horsemanship and veterinary judges.
- Dr. Bill Wingle, Mapping and GPS. Bring your GPS and learn from our very own expert how to best utilize it for a CTR.

Afternoon FUN Session
Walking tour of Old Town Albuquerque (2.5 hours; Free):
- Historic Spanish Mission church, San Felipe de Neri
- Lunch & dances at the Indian Pueblo Cultural Center
- Walk around historic sites
- Shopping

Driving tour (4 hours; possible transportation charge TBD):
- Follow parts of El Camino Real de Tierra Adentro and Historic Route 66
- Tour Abo pueblo and mission ruins, one unit of the Salinas Pueblo Missions National Monument
- Scenic drive through the eastern mountains.

Early Evening
- Region 3 Board Meeting. Open to all NATRC members
- Judges Committee Meeting. Open to Judges Committee members and NATRC Executive Committee only.

Evening Delight (Two Options)
- Trivia Pursuit, NATRC edition. Fun game to improve team work and camaraderie. Bring a sense of humor and knowledge of NATRC. Build your own team.

Saturday

Morning Session
- Lynn Clifford, Professional Counselor and Life Coach. “The Inner Aspects of Horsemanship” for the ride of your life. Improve your relationship with your horses from the often overlooked but powerful perspective of “the inside out.” Go to www.LynnClifford.com to learn more about this uniquely amazing equestrian.
- Albuquerque Mounted Police. Receive advice and view demonstrations on how to help make our equines “Bomb Proof.” The mounted police currently have ten draft horses in their stables.

Lunch
National Luncheon and General Membership Meeting. Join NATRC President, Angie Meroshnokoff, in the Franciscan Room for a delicious lunch and forum. Interact with other regions to learn what interesting things they are doing to improve participation at their rides.

Afternoon Session
Christina Savitsky, enchanting northern NM cowgirl. “Riding Should be Fun.” A certified instructor in both Therapeutic Riding and Level II Centered Riding, she will give us tools to help us to be comfortable all day in the saddle. Check out www.buckarooabalance.com to learn more.

Evening
Cocktail Hour and Awards Banquet. Enjoy a special presentation during the cocktail hour on the history of Region 3 while a video prepared by Wayne O’Brien runs in the background. The banquet includes classical piano entertainment performed by a very special NATRC member. Silent Auction, Raffle drawing, AWARDS presentation hosted by Dr. Kay Gunckel.

Sunday

Morning
Region 3 Awards Breakfast. Includes ride auctions and awards for mileage, hunter points, R3 awards. Members of all regions are invited to attend.
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