First things first: mark your calendars for the Cowboy States Reining Horse Association's General Membership Meeting and Awards Banquet! The big event this year will be at the historic Irma Hotel in Cody, Wyoming on April 26, 2018! If you are planning on attending, please RSVP with Nanette Till as she is working directly with the great staff at The Irma. Also, be sure to bring a silent auction item or two for our primary fund raising event of the year. Funds will help purchase your class prizes and year-end awards. Not only is the CSRHA General Membership Meeting and Awards Banquet being held that weekend, we are also hosting a clinic with reining trainer, Renee Pipinich (http://www.reneepipinichreininghorses.com/) on April 25-26 and a CSRHA Fun Day on April 27 to wrap up the weekend! Make sure you save these dates and plan to spend it with us in Cody, Wyoming. We are going to have a lot of fun!

Have you completed your 2019 CSRHA Membership Application? Please note that the 2019 CSRHA Membership Applications and your membership dues will need to be mailed to Board of Director, Erin Schroeder at 4500 South 12 Mile Road, Casper, Wyoming 82604. If you have any questions about your membership, contact her at schroederstables@yahoo.com or call her at 307/259-6117. Be sure to get your membership submitted in a timely manner; it will be much less hectic if you get this sent prior to a CSRHA event.

Our next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, **February 13** at 7:00 pm. If you would like to join us in future teleconferences, please feel free to dial in (951/797-1058 with passcode 681306). We want to ensure the CSRHA's business is transparent for you, our members!

Be sure to mark your calendars for our upcoming events:

Dates	Event	Location
April 25-26, 2019	2-day reining clinic	Cody, Wyoming
April 26, 2019	CSRHA Awards Banquet	Cody, Wyoming
April 27, 2019	CSRHA Fun Day	Cody, Wyoming
May 11-12, 2019	Grasslands Market Slide	Douglas, Wyoming
June 20-23, 2019	Slide Into Summer	Livingston, Montana
August 3-4, 2019	Sam Schaffhauser clinic	Sheridan, Wyoming
August 24, 2019	CSRHA Fun Day	Casper, Wyoming

Want to learn more about reining in our area? Check out the CSRHA website at www.cowboystatesreiners.com. Our website will give you lots of good information including dates of upcoming events, points-of contact, and information about our NRHA affiliate. You may also visit us on facebook and become one of our fans by visiting us at http://www.facebook.com and typing in Cowboy States Reining Horse Association in the "search" box at the top of the screen. Reining events in and around the great state of Wyoming are really starting to take off and flourish! We'd love to have you join the fun! If you would like to join and/or get involved with our organization, you can also contact our president, George Pfeiffer, at 307/673-1331, treasurer, Nancy Pfeiffer at 307/673-1331, or our secretary, Peggy Peterson at 307/851-0443.

If you have **any** news, upcoming events, photos and/or stories to share about clinics, shows, jackpots, fun-days, or *anything* associated with reining, feel free contact your reporter, Peggy Peterson at shieldhquarterhorses@gmail.com or 307/851-0443. We're always delighted to receive information about our members, their accomplishments, or anything we can include in our articles to help everyone

keep in touch. Please remember that our publications do have deadlines, so the sooner she receives your updates, the better the chance of getting them in print!

Upcoming reining events:

February 19-24, 2019: Rocky Mountain Quarter Horse Association's *Bellringer Circuit* at the National Western Complex in **Denver, Colorado**. A full slate of AQHA classes will be offered including Senior, Junior, Novice Amateur, Amateur, Amateur Select, and Youth Reining classes. Visit www.rmqha.com for more information.

February 23-24, 2019: Kluz Performance Horses will be hosting a *Reining Clinic* with trainer, Vanessa Gravatt at their new indoor arena located at 32 Mandy Lane, **Gillette, Wyoming.** Contact Ashley at 307/680-5362 for additional information.

March 9, 2019: Kluz Performance Horses will be hosting the third and last of their *Ranch Horse Series* shows at their new indoor arena located at 32 Mandy Lane, **Gillette, Wyoming.** Classes to include Ranch Riding, Ranch Reining, and Ranch Trail. Contact Ashley at 307/680-5362 for additional information.

March 19-24, 2019: Rocky Mountain Quarter Horse Association's *Gold Rush Circuit* at the National Western Complex in **Denver, Colorado**. A full slate of AQHA classes will be offered including Senior, Junior, Novice Amateur, Amateur, Amateur Select, and Youth Reining classes. Visit www.rmqha.com for more information.

March 29-31, 2019: Idaho Reining Horse Association's *Spring Fling Jackpot* show at the Wind River Arena in **Ririe, Idaho**. Visit www.idrha.com for more information.

April 4-7, 2019: Intermountain Reining Horse Association *Fun in the Sun* show at the Washington County Legacy Park in **Hurricane, Utah**. Visit www.irha.com for more information.

April 5-6, 2019: Idaho Reining Horse Association's *Spring Fling Jackpot* show at the Wind River Arena in **Ririe, Idaho**. Visit www.idrha.com for more information.

April 11-14, 2019: Central Plains Reining Horse Association's *Midwest Classic Derby* at the Lancaster Events Center in **Lincoln, Nebraska**. Visit www.cprha.com for more information.

*denotes CSRHA affiliate qualifying shows where points count for year-end awards!