

# NEVADA PAINT HORSE CLUB

The Poor Boy at Carson City was a great success with 93 horses entered. It was wonderful to see Dave Ruby looking so well at the show after his serious mishap and even though many members stepped up to help, Dave continued to be the 'head wrangler on wheels' at the back gate to keep things moving along. *You just can't hold a good man down.*

I received the following thank you to all from Donna Hall and would like to pass it along:

"We would like to extend a huge note of gratitude to all those who helped with BC City Slicker at the Carson show. He is now at home and doing well. We were very surprised to find that the cause of all his discomfort was not a true colic or dehydration as most of us thought, but a kidney stone that he was trying to pass. This explains why the great dose of banamine that he received could not relieve his pain. We were lucky that with IV fluids and careful monitoring, he was able to pass the stone without surgery. Thank you again from all of us for your help, there truly is more than just competition in the NPHC, and it made us feel blessed to have so many people there offering their help. Donna Hall, Bonnie Schwier, and "Slick".

Thanks Donna for the update, and I think I can speak for the rest of the members in wishing "Slick" the best and look forward to seeing him back in competition soon.

It sounds like our August 27-28 Paint-O-Rama at Fallon is shaping up nicely, all of the stalls are spoken for, I think there are some outside pens left, so if you haven't checked with Sharon Avery about stalls/pens yet you better give her a call at (775) 867-3154. Remember this is the exhibitor appreciation show so be sure to enjoy the free barbecue with your friends and fellow competitors.

Another reminder that the (1) judge, triple point Pinto show will be held on Sunday, August 29<sup>th</sup>. If you intend to take advantage of the 1/2 price registration fee, have all of the necessary information and photos ready to submit on Saturday between 4:00 and 8:00 PM when the PTHA representative will be there to inspect. If you need information please call Sandra McManus at (775) 423-2317.

West Nile virus has hit here in Fallon and I am sad to report that one of our members lost a horse.

I was sorry to hear that one of our members, Beverly Thomas experienced a bad injury to her foot, get well soon Beverly.

Remember the rules for submitting your NPHC and NSCC points for year end awards. It is your responsibility as an exhibitor to send a copy of your show bill to me within 30 days after the show so that I can record your placings for NSCC year end awards, a copy should also be sent to Shiela Plimpton for the NPHC year end awards. A lot of horses were nominated that I have not received show results on, which means I can't record any points. Sorry, but if you don't do your part, I can't do mine.

See you in Fallon for the Paint-O-Rama, remember the club meeting to be held Sunday August 29<sup>th</sup> around 9:00 at the fairgrounds.....DRIVE CAREFULLY.

Sandi Young

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