



STALL CHATTER...

E-News for CKRH Volunteers!
June 2013 Edition

Black and White Gala: June 15, 2013

It's Summer!!!!

Kids are out of school. Ballgames and soccer fields galore. Longer days. Vacation. Time to kick back and relax with family and friends. It's also that time of the year when there are a million things going on at CKRH! We all know that this is a busy time for everyone so any time that you can give will be *EXTRA* greatly appreciated this summer ☺ See below for all of the latest and greatest. And, have a wonderful Summer!

2013 Night of the STARS! ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆

We still need lots of help! We have lots of needs that spread out over a couple of day; loading Rolex fencing and helping to set it up, loading, delivering and unloading all of the silent auction items, helping to unload temp barn and set-up, setting up the actual silent auction and so much more. Help is needed the week of STARS on Tuesday afternoon and Friday morning and afternoon! Also, horse pampering volunteers are needed to bathe all of the STARS horses on Friday morning at CKRH! If interested in helping with any of these ***important*** jobs for STARS, just let me know ☺

If you know of someone with a ***CLEAN*** trailer and truck that would be willing to transport all of the Silent Auction items from CKRH to Keene Barn @ Keeneland on Friday morning (June 14), let me know or please feel to pass along my contact info!

Upcoming Special Events: *Calling All VOLUNTEERS!*

Summer Mini Session will run for five weeks starting this Thursdays, May 30, and run through June 27th. **Hippo Therapy (HPOT)** will run through the summer as scheduled on Tuesdays and Fridays.

KYNG Survivor Family Day at CKRH June 8: 10:00am – 4:00pm. The Kentucky National Guard is providing a Survivor Workshop for family members who have lost a loved one while in service. CKRH and Family Services with KYNG will provide fun-filled day of equine educational activities

for children of servicemen and women during the Survivor Workshop. Any volunteers that would like to help with this fun-filled day with children, please contact Keri.

Night of the STARS – June 15th 6:00pm. This year's theme is Black and White Gala. Color scheme for the Keene Barn at Keeneland is black and white (Harlequin) with slight touches of red here and there. If you have not purchased your ticket to attend – contact us ASAP...tickets are going fast! Individual seats are available along with table sales. Contact Karen or Vickie at CKRH for more details on purchase. 859-231-7066

D1 Rally – Pony Club Event June 20th – CKRH needs to provide 3 volunteers to help with the D1 Rally event (8:00am – 5:00pm). Also, we need a few volunteers to help Jenny with our Pony Clubbers that are competing (time TBD) as extra hands to help with tacking and getting horses to the Rally in the KHP. Let Keri know if you interested in helping with this event.

Clinton Anderson Down Under Horsemanship World Tour Event Ball Toss June 22nd and June 23rd – This is a fundraiser for CKRH. Balls are sold for \$5.00 and will be thrown out in the arena on Sunday afternoon. There will be several lucky winners from balls chosen on the arena floor! Volunteers will be selling balls to visitors of this great event each the morning, and then again during workshop breaks. Volunteers for this event will get to get in and have an up close view of the Walkabout Tour! Please let Keri know if you are interested in helping with this CKRH fundraiser. More detail @ time on both days to come soon!!!

SUMMER CAMP – Pony Club Camp:

We **STILL** need counselors for camp this summer! **Pony Club Camp: June 26-29** (9:00am – 4:00pm). This camp is for older, more independent riders that are active members of CKRH Pony Club. Camp this summer will include; trail riding, badge work, field trips to Hagyard Equine Hospital and down in the KHP, visitors with special demonstrations, possible a horse show, crafts and much more fun – even some horse painting!

Camp volunteer's age requirement: all volunteers aged 17 and older please (because these are older campers). Volunteers will serve in one of two roles; Camp Horse Handler or Camp Counselor:

- **Camp Horse Handlers** – everything horses (Leading/Sidewalking for trail rides and/or group lessons, grooming, tacking, turning horses out, wrangling, barn help, etc).
- **Camp Counselors** – will be assigned a specific camper or assigned an activity (crafts, badge work, educational activities, etc). This DOES require a week long commitment, please be sure to be available all 4 days of camp. This is perfect for our volunteers that like to work with kids, especially hands-on with special needs.

This is going to be a FUN week of Camp you don't want to miss out on!!!

* The mandatory training for camp has been cancelled.

Upcoming Clinics and Trainings...

All workshops listed below are FREE to attend, unless otherwise indicated, and are open to anyone in the community that would like to attend. All workshops will be held in the CKRH conference room.

Please contact Keri to RSVP!

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| June 4 | <i>Surviving Challenging Behaviors</i> | 6:00pm – 7:30pm |
| | Fee: \$10.00 Presented by KY Partnerships | |
| | Workshop focuses on reasons children misbehave and the five most common misbehaviors. Strategies will be shared on ways to handle these behaviors. | |
| August 6 | <i>Stress Management Techniques</i> | 6:00pm – 7:30pm |
| | Fee: \$5.00 Presented by KYSPIN | |
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It definitely takes a VILLAGE to run CKRH as we all know, please know how much we appreciate everyone of you! Whether you will be a Leader, Side Walker, Wrangler, extra barn help or a sub – every volunteer role at CKRH is just as important as any other and we certainly could not run this program without dedicated volunteers. You're giving of your time, heart and dedication is just the tip of the many reasons why I love what I do and am so proud to be part of such an amazing organization. Every person involved at CKRH, no matter the capacity or the amount of time given, truly is the Heart and Soul of what we are able to do! We feel so **LUCKY** to have such wonderful Volunteers!!!

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