

Driving Lines



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It's Too Darn Hot!

Hi Everyone! It has been too hot and smoky for most of us to ride or drive. ICK! Thank God for our great, brave firemen and women.

As you know, we had the obstacle training session planned for July 8th. It poured the night before. Several people didn't come because they thought we would be flooded---because they were flooded. But the ground was great in the morning and we only had a couple drops here and there during the day. Actually, the weather was great for driving.

Despite weather concerns, we still had about 6 or 7 driving rigs show up. We had set up many obstacles in the upper pasture and everyone drove around, up and down, and worked their horses and mules. (We had three very large mules show up.) Then everyone headed to our dressage arena to practice dressage arena work. They all looked really good and it was a great practice for all. After that, we had a nice lunch outside at the picnic tables.

Please don't forget the CDE this weekend. Get your registrations in NOW and if you can't drive, please contact Pat to volunteer, or just come watch!

—Sandy Clayton

Coming Up:

July 14 (Saturday), 9:00 a.m.
20 Mile House CDE set-up day

July 15 (Sunday), 9:00 a.m.
20 Mile House Combined Driving Trial
Salisbury Equestrian Park, Parker CO
Pat Lamprey 303-429-7525 or
Andrita Ficklin 303-949-8068

July 28 (Saturday), 11:00 a.m.
Peyton Map Rally
Contact: Al Senzamici, 719-749-2439

August 18 (Saturday), 10:00 a.m.
Chatfield State Park Drive
Littleton, CO
Contact: Judy Benham, 303-648-9759

September 8 (Saturday), 10:00 a.m.
Greenland Trail Drive, Larkspur CO
Contact: Bob Ripple 303-681-2574
(rescheduled from June 2)

September 22 (Saturday), 9:00 a.m.
Blue Jeans Pleasure Show
Salisbury Equestrian Park, Parker CO
Contact: Toni Schmidt 303-805-4659

October 15 (Saturday)
October Fun Fest

You'll find these and other events listed on the calendar at the CDS web site. **Please check the web page regularly.** That's where you'll find updates to the calendar and notification of changes in events. coloradodrivingsociety.pbworks.com

Event Organizers:

- Please see information about organizing events (budgets, notification, etc.) on the CDS web site.
- And, please send results and a report about your event to the newsletter. (7231 Eaton Cir, Arvada CO 80003 or pat.lamprey@gmail.com). Extra nice would be if you could also get participants or their "retinues" to send in a few pictures or send some yourself!

Thanks! Pat Lamprey, Newsletter Editor



Attention All Event Organizers

If you incur an expense that needs to be repaid out of the club's checkbook you will need to produce a receipt. There is a form available for this and we will have them at the membership meetings. We will also provide copies in the Organizer's Packet that we are putting together. Receipts are required to keep our books in order and our treasurer sane.

Items that are donated need to have a receipt for the value of the item and the word "Donated" written on the receipt for tax purposes. This can include judge's fees if the person judging normally charges for their service.

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Send ads and checks made out to Colorado Driving Society to: Pat Lamprey
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Arvada, CO 80003

**Please have your ads in by the
25th of the Month**

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Picnic Drive, Saturday, August 18 Chatfield State Park

We're looking forward to seeing old friends and making new ones this year at the Chatfield State Park Picnic Drive. This is a wonderful place to drive roads and bridges as well as the Highline Canal. The last few years have blessed us with great weather and that always makes driving so much more enjoyable. Everyone "come as you are" and no frills necessary.

The picnic/drive location is at the Plum Creek Picnic area. (Note: Do not go to the Plum Creek Nature area) Parking is ample. For those of you with large rigs it is best to arrive early for best parking availability. Picnic tables are near by and under large shade trees. Potty is close. Plan to drive about 10:00 and potluck about 12:30. Bring a dish to share. No horse water is available so bring your own.

Directions: Take Santa Fe (Hwy 85) to Titan Pkwy and go west to Roxborough Park Rd. Go north on Roxborough Park Rd past the Highline Canal Trailhead to the Chatfield State Park east guard entrance. (\$7.00 daily or state parks pass) After the guard station stay right and follow the road until you see the STOP sign. Lake is directly in front of you. Turn right to the "Picnicking" area. this is a 1/4 mile long road to the Plum Creek Picnic area.

Contact: Judy Benham 303-648-9759 or equus33@hotmail.com

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FOR SALE:

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Contact: Karen Brown, karenbrown.karen@gmail.com or 970-901-9850



FOR SALE

Miniature Gelding, Blk&Wht, Drives Nice - \$700

Located near Aurora, CO. Sher Olson (720) 434-3934 or RkyMtnTrls@aol.com

See video! www.youtube.com/watch?v=H6MHd4NdFpk&feature=plcp



"Thunder" is registered AMHA & AMHR, black & white Pinto, 11 yr old gelding, 8 hands (32"). Solid draft-like build, good solid hooves. (They fit well into the little Easy Boots.) Well behaved in harness. Trailers easily. Current on shots, deworming, etc. Easy keeper (is on prairie grass, salt lick, fresh water; no grain, no supplements). Six years of driving experience (Amish trained). Used as an "off road" trail carting pony. We think with more formal training he'd be a blast for VSE CDE's. With full payment, will board at no charge up to to 1 month.

VIDEO taken July 02, 2012 - shows Thunder driven on a windy day, at the trot, walk, backing up, over uneven & bouncy surfaces, up & down a steep hill. I will drive to demonstrate that he performs as you see in the video.

Why am I selling? Originally, I wished to drive a team of minis - but found a team wagon is far, far too much \$\$ for the simple trail driving I enjoy. I will instead be switching plans over to driving our other one in a single cart which we already own.

FOR SALE

Driving Essentials Essential Plus Harness

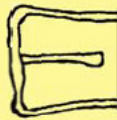
Horse size harness in great condition, 2 years old. Show quality harness with patent leather on teardrop and blinkers, saddle and skirts. Rolled patent on breastcollar and breeching. Stainless steel buckles and fittings. Padding on saddle extends down skirts. Traces are combo slot end and D-ring. No reins. New sells for \$1200, selling this set for \$500.

Contact Paula, 303.378.9367

FOR SALE

Horse sized Meadowbrook cart. (Horse in the picture is 15.3) \$750 OBO.

Contact: Ingo Wiedenhuies
wiedenhuies@aol.com 303-332-3153



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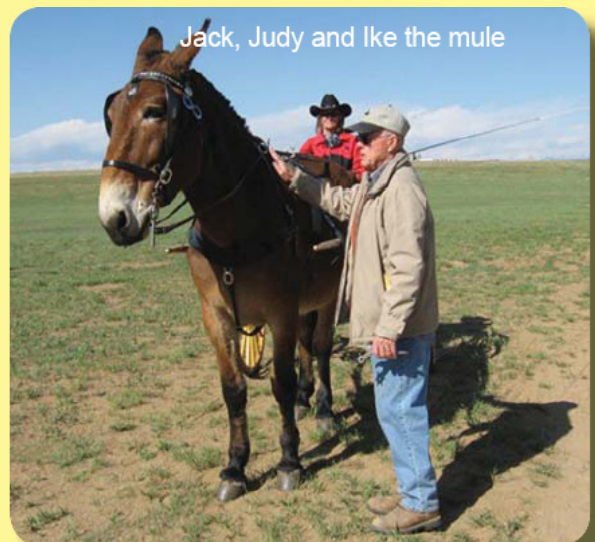
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Jack, Judy and Ike the mule

"It was a wonderful day and I can't thank you enough for helping those that came. I know they benefited and so did I."

Judy Meyer, Rocky Mountain Longears

Peyton Map Rally

Saturday, July 28, 2012 11:00 a.m.

Join us for the annual map rally. Each driver will have a different set of maps to follow so we "saturate" the neighborhood with carriages and carts. All drivers wind up in the same place to have lunch together. Bring along a passenger or navigator to read the maps and share the day with you.

Bring a picnic lunch and we will all have a great afternoon together. We have an indoor arena to gather in for lunch should the weather turn bad.

Don't forget the sun screen and rain gear "just in case." It's Colorado!

For more information, contact:

Al Senzamici at 719-749-2439

Directions to the event:

From the north:

Take **I-25 south to exit 158, Baptist Rd.** Go east on Baptist Rd. It will turn into **Hodgen Rd. Hodgen Rd** will cross **over Hwy 83**. Continue on **Hodgen Rd** until it ends (about 10 more miles from HWY 83).
Turn **right** onto **Eastonville Rd** .8 mi
Take **first left** onto **Sweet Rd** 1.3 mi
Turn **left** onto **Elbert RD/CO 217** 1.8 mi
Turn **right** onto **Hopper Rd** 2.3mi
Turn **left** onto **Ranch Hand Rd** .1 mi
Take the **1st left** onto **Oak Brush Loop** .2 mi
2nd House on **left** – Red Barn and Arena

From the south:

Take **I-25 north to Woodmen Rd.** East on **Woodmen Rd.** till it intersects with **HWY24**
Take **HWY 24 northeast to Bradshaw Rd** (Peyton Post Office on left) 13.5 mi
Turn left onto **Bradshaw Rd.** 4.8 mi
Turn left onto **Hopper Rd** .6 mi
Take the **1st right** onto **Ranch Hand Rd** .1 mi
Take the **1st left** onto **Oak Brush Loop** .2 mi
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Dues are for the calendar year.

Make checks payable to: Colorado Driving Society

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Please have someone call me.

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