

## President's Message

I hope you have been able to get some horse time with all the rain we are having! Our first event of the year was on February 24 at Equus Fest, a new horse expo in Placerville. It was very successful for the Region 3 Arabians. Many people stopped by the booth and picked up promotional brochures. (See pictures on page 2.)

Our Fuzzy Wuzzy will soon be upon us. The date is March 17th at Triple Crown Equestrian in Lincoln. This is the club's major fundraising event and we need your help. Please consider attending, sponsoring a class, passing out flyers, and just getting the word out to all your friends and business contacts. The arena is covered so the show is held rain or shine. New this year; sport horse under saddle and dressage suitability classes plus a team challenge. I hope to see you there.

Our next meeting is March 19th at Mels in Auburn. We are considering rotating the location between the 80 and 50 sides. Let me know if that would work better for you.

If you have events you would like to include in the Tailings, please forward them to the editor at [counts4275@gmail.com](mailto:counts4275@gmail.com). See you at the shows or on the trail. Feel free to call or email me with any questions or input about the club, at 530-401-1504 or [zjeanie@yahoo.com](mailto:zjeanie@yahoo.com)

*Jean Zabriskie*

MLAHA President

*Editor's Note: A Sponsorship Form for the Fuzzy Wuzzy is on page 8 of this issue. The Fuzzy Wuzzy is basically our only fundraiser for the year and any profits we make from the Fuzzy Wuzzy are used to fund our picnics, barn parties, etc. Please consider making a sponsorship donation! Although the class sponsorship is \$50, anything you donate will be greatly appreciated.*

Thanks in advance – Marty

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**MLAHA MEETING**  
**Our March meeting will  
be held at Original Mels  
in  
Auburn, 1730 Grass Val-  
ley Highway, on  
March 17 at  
6 p.m.  
EVERYONE IS WELCOME  
TO ATTEND**



## EQUUS FEST 2019 REGION 3 BOOTH PHOTOS





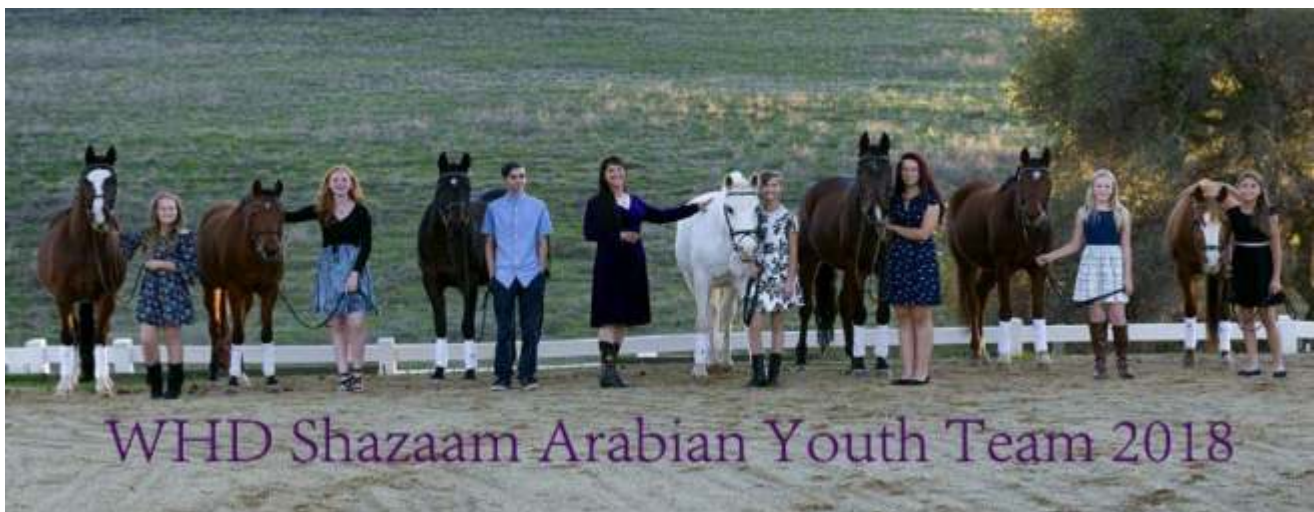
## LITTLE BITS

From our friends at White Horse Dressage Shazaam:

Announcing WHD Shazaam as the 2018 Arabian Horse Association Regional Youth Team Tournament Overall National CHAMPIONS!

We are incredibly proud of:

- Lucy and Angyl
- Dakota and Phoenix
- Timothy and Sami
- Margaret and Khas
- Lauren and Ember
- Savannah and Samson



### 2018 RYTT Recognized Division

Rank	Point	Region	Team Name	Coach	Team Members
Regional Champion	50	2	R2 Nord Herd	Meaghan Shaffer	Natalie Zavaia, Sage Bassi, Noelle Yandell, Emily Holden, Juliana Buccieri, Jaclyn Thacker
<b>OVERALL CHAMPION</b>	319	3	WHD Shazaam	Valerie Baker	Margaret Culver, Timothy Moss, Dakota Weinberger, Savannah Sheldon, Lauren Genaise, Lucy Bartlett
	69	3	Comstock ARE Super Stars	Zimmerman	Kailey Fitzpatrick, Riette Hainze, Emma Miner, Jasmine Gdell, Mariah Rivera, Makena Echenique
Regional Champion	246	5	N Joy One	Joyce Thomas	Tennessee Sanders, Hannah Reynolds, Libby Hollinger, Lily Gamling, Audrey Price, Morgan Overstreet
					Sophia Janssen-Madden, Audrey Price, Elise

## Elyshah's Story from Linda Siegel

Elyshah (Justanilushan x Overlook Aladaluv) resided at the Humane Society of the Sierra Nevada for over 2 years before I took him home with me. He was a victim of extreme neglect when they took him from his owner. Ely arrived at our barn fearful and nervous. He was escorted to his stall where he remained for about a week as he settled into life at the barn. He loved his stall because it gave him protection, shelter, and privacy. Ely was very small and had been picked on and unable to eat. He had numerous painful summer sores when he was initially brought to the Humane Society, and these plagued him for 2 years. As Ely settled in, learned new behaviors, and became comfortable, he began to grow. He ended up at an average Arabian size of 14.2. His fearfulness decreased, and he began to seek attention. Megan came to work for us, and fell in love. Eventually, Megan left us to go to school, so we decided Ely was ready to be put under saddle. Luckily, she went to Chico and was going to live in Vina. Luckily, the McDaniels Horse Training Center was there, and I knew they would appreciate Ely's lovely conformation and movement, and had the knowledge and sensitivity that he needed. He went to school with Megan.

Now, Ely is becoming Megan's riding horse, and I think will live happily ever after with her!



North American Trail Ride Conference  
(NATRC)

***Introducing.... the New Leisure Division B Ride***

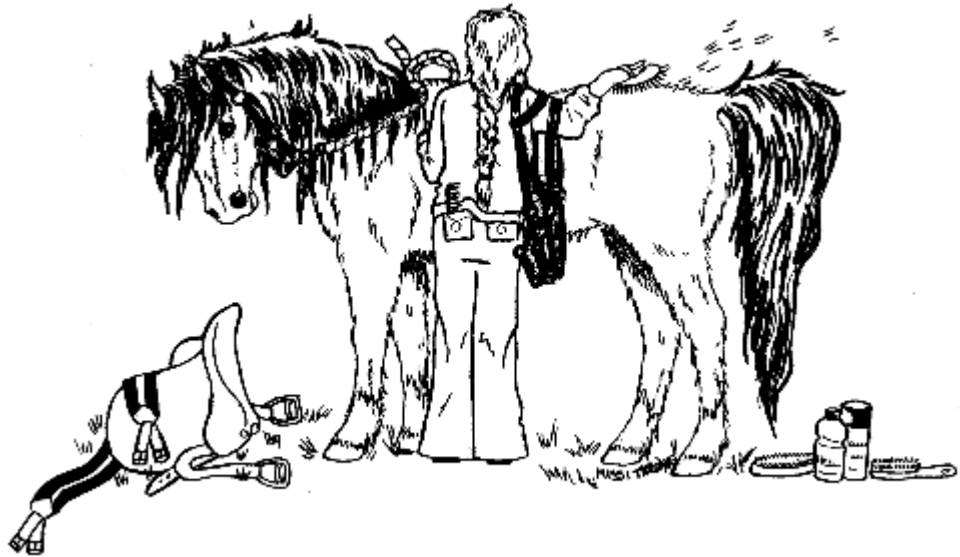
Since 1961, NATRC has helped riders of all ages learn the sport of competitive trail riding (CTR). NATRC has stood the test of time with guidelines allowing us to become the best at what we do—educating and promoting safe trail riding. The trail provides a great place to deepen your relationship with your horse while learning new skills sets. If you're a newcomer to the sport of CTR, have a young or older horse, do not have the time to condition or take time off from responsibilities, prefer a shorter distance, slower one day ride in a relaxed venue, *WE HAVE A RIDE FOR YOU! **The new Leisure Division! If you are new to NATRC, your first year membership is FREE!***

This division is a one day ride, 8-12 miles in distance, 3 to 4-5 MPH, maximum of 5 observations (typically 3-4), judged by a certified NATRC Horsemanship Judge, check in morning of the ride, check out afternoon of the ride. Placings through 10th in Adult and Junior Divisions. You will receive a team scorecard giving you feedback on your participation. All breeds welcome, no restrictions on shoeing or leg protection, no camping necessary. You will accrue 10 points per completed ride, be eligible for Regional awards with year-end recognition. This is a TEAM sport and you will be observed as a *team* on the trail. It's a relaxed atmosphere for you to enjoy the beauty of the trail with your horse and friends.

We have 6-7 Leisure Division rides coming up in Region 1. This is our inaugural year for this division, come be part of our history and join us. Go to **[NATRCregion1.org](http://NATRCregion1.org)** and check out the Ride Schedule for upcoming rides and clinics. You're welcome to call me directly (Debbie Murphy) at 916-719-6265 or email- [equuspassage@aol.com](mailto:equuspassage@aol.com). I am available for clinics or presentations to your club or group.

Caring and managing horse over the distance is what we do best and no one does it better than **NATRC! COME RIDE WITH US!**





**Mother Lode Arabian Horse Association  
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# **FUZZY WUZZY**

**OPEN SCHOOLING SHOW  
RANCH HORSE PLEASURE CLASSES  
FUZZIEST PONY & HORSE CONTEST  
STICK HORSE CONTEST**

**March 17, 2019**

**Office Opens: 7 a.m. / Show Starts: 8:00 a.m.**

**JUDGE: Gretchen McDaniel//Multi-Breed Large R Rated Judge**

**New location – Covered Arena – No Rain Date Needed!!**

**Triple Crown Equestrian Center**

**3033 Gladding Rd, Lincoln, CA**

Entry Fees: \$4.99 per class + \$15 Office Fee per entry – NO REFUNDS

Note: \$25.00 charge for returned checks.

**FUZZIEST PONY & HORSE CONTEST**

**(held during Lunch Break)**

**(\$2.00 entry - Fuzziest winner takes all!**

**STICK HORSE CONTEST – OPEN 6 & UNDER**

**(held during Lunch Break)**

For more information: Cheryl Hansen, Show Mgr cell: (916) 202-7851

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1. Halter (All Breeds) 2 & Under
2. Halter Mares 2 & Over (All Breeds)
3. Halter Geldings or Stallions 2 & Over (All Breeds)
4. Halter Arabian Stallions 4 Years & Over (*perpetual trophy*)
5. Showmanship 40 & Over
6. Showmanship 18-39
7. Showmanship 14 - 17
8. Showmanship 13 & Under
9. Halter Color Class
10. Classic Head Class (Arabians & Half/Anglo Only) (*perpetual trophy*)
11. English Pleasure Walk/Trot - 18 & Over
12. English Pleasure Walk/Trot - 14 thru 17
13. English Pleasure Walk/Trot - 13 & Under (APPROVED ASTM HELMET W/CHIN STRAP)
14. English Pleasure Walk/Trot 10 & Under (Never to have shown at a canter/lope) (ASTM HELMET W/STRAP)
15. English Pleasure Walk Only – All Ages
16. English Pleasure Walk/Trot - Pairs
17. English Equitation Walk/Trot 13 & Under (APPROVED ASTM HELMET W/CHIN STRAP)
18. English Equitation Walk/Trot 14-17 (APPROVED ASTM HELMET W/CHIN STRAP)
19. English Equitation Walk/Trot 18 & Over (APPROVED ASTM HELMET W/CHIN STRAP)
20. English Equitation – 13 and under (APPROVED ASTM HELMET W/CHIN STRAP)
21. English Equitation – 14 to 17 (APPROVED ASTM HELMET W/CHIN STRAP)
22. English Equitation – 18 & Over (APPROVED ASTM HELMET W/CHIN STRAP)
23. English Equitation – 45 & Over (APPROVED ASTM HELMET W/CHIN STRAP)
24. English Pleasure – Junior Horse
25. Dressage Suitability Open
26. English Pleasure Jack Benny Rider – Open to riders age 55 & over
27. English Pleasure - Rider 18 and over
28. English Pleasure – Rider 14 thru 17
29. English Pleasure – Rider 13 and under (APPROVED ASTM HELMET W/CHIN STRAP)
30. Sport Horse Under Saddle 17 & Under
31. Sport Horse Under Saddle 18 & Over
32. English Pleasure –Maiden Horse or Rider
33. English Pleasure – Amateur (All Ages)
34. English Pleasure Arabian & Half/Anglo Pleasure Open
35. Lead Line English/Western - (Riders 2-6 Years)
36. Western Pleasure Walk/Jog - 18 and over
37. Western Pleasure Walk/Jog - 14 thru 17
38. Western Pleasure Walk/Jog – 13 & Under
39. Western Pleasure Walk/Jog - 10 & Under (Never to have shown at a canter/lope)
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50. Western Pleasure - Junior Horse
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52. Western Pleasure – Rider 14 thru 17
53. Western Pleasure – Rider 13 and under
54. Western Pleasure - Maiden Horse or Rider
55. Western Pleasure Arabian & Half/Anglo Pleasure Open

- 56. Western Pleasure – Amateur (All Ages)
- 57. Adult Amateur Ranch Riding
- 58. Junior To Ride Ranch Riding
- 59. Senior Adult Ranch Riding 45 & Over

## AWARDS

### **RIBBONS TO 1<sup>ST</sup> THROUGH 6<sup>TH</sup> PLACE**

#### **PERPETUAL TROPHIES:**

- CLASSIC HEAD PERPETUAL TROPHY
- PUREBRED ARABIAN STALLIONS – 4 YEARS & OVER
- HIGH POINT SILVER BELT BUCKLES FOR SR AMATEUR AND JR RIDER CATEGORIES
- TEAM CHALLENGE HI-POINT AWARDS – (Teams up to 5 members per team)
- Classess Eligible for the New All Breed Challenge Hi-Point Award

### ***LOCATION OF TRIPLE CROWN EQUESTRIAN CENTER***

Located off Highway 65 just north of Lincoln, CA. Take Wise road east off Highway 65 and you will see The facility on your left. You can't miss it.

## FUZZY WUZZY HORSE SHOW RULES

1. **USEF RULES ARE TO APPLY EXCEPT WHERE OTHERWISE NOTED.**
2. **RIDING APPAREL** –ENGLISH/WESTERN RIDERS **MUST WEAR BOOTS & LONG SLEEVE SHIRTS & HATS. HELMETS (ASTM APPROVED) REQUIRED IN ENGLISH CLASSES FOR AGES 18 & UNDER AND HIGHLY RECOMMENDED FOR ALL RIDERS WHILE RIDING ON THE COMPETITION GROUNDS.** CHAPS AND HUNT COATS ARE OPTIONAL.
3. **JUNIOR HORSE** is one that is 5 years and under.
4. **MAIDEN** – Horse or Rider that has not won 1<sup>ST</sup> place ribbons at **Any** Show in the division entered.
5. **TRAINING EQUIPMENT PERMITTED:** Hackamores (bosal), snaffle bits and training aids (i.e., draw reins, running martingales, German martingales). No mechanical Hackamores allowed. Riders may use two hands on reins.
6. **STALLIONS** may not be shown by rider/handler who is under 18 years of age.
7. **PARENTS/TRAINERS** will **supervise children and their mounts** at all times.
8. **PONIES** allowed in all classes.
9. **DOGS AND ALL OTHER PETS** must be kept on a leash at all times.
10. **CLASSES** with less than three (3) entries may be cancelled or combined.
11. **LEADLINE RIDERS** –may not enter any other riding class.
12. **WALK/TROT CLASSES** – entries in walk/trot classes OTHER THAN 10 & UNDER may enter other classes in the show.
13. **ONE-MINUTE GATE RULE WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.**
14. **COLOR CLASS** – Open to Appaloosa, Buckskins, Duns, Paints, Pintos, and Palominos. Excludes Bays, Greys, Blacks and Chestnuts.
15. **CLASSIC HEAD CLASS** – Horse must wear **unlettered** sheet, blanket or cooler.
16. **NON-COMPETITIVE RIDERS** may enter any class at regular fee. Exhibitor number to be worn upside down on exhibitor's back.
17. **Perpetual Trophies - must show or submit a copy of registration papers.**
18. **Ranch Horse Classes held in accordance with AQHA specifications and rules. For information see AQHA Rulebook online: <https://www.aqha.com/media/9467/aqha-handbook-2016.pdf>**
19. **For the safety of all,** exhibitors will not be allowed to unhook trailers on the show grounds.



20. Manure from exhibitor's horses must be hauled home. Please leave your area clean.

**FUZZY WUZZY  
Horseshow  
SPONSORSHIP  
FORM**  
Mother Lode Arabian Horse  
Association  
March 17, 2019



▶ **Class Sponsorship \$50.00 + name announced at the show**

Number of classes \_\_\_\_\_ Choice of classes \_\_\_\_\_

▶ **Class Sponsorship (above) + Business card ad in 2 issues of Tailings \$75.00  
includes ad posted on the website for four months**

Number of classes \_\_\_\_\_ Choice of classes \_\_\_\_\_

▶ **Hang your banner - \$50.00 (not to exceed 6 ft in length)**

▶ **Vendor Booth Space (10" x 15") 25.00**

▶ **Stick Horse Sweepstakes Sponsorship \$50.00 (class scheduled for lunch break)**

**SPONSOR Name** \_\_\_\_\_

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Total Amount Paid \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Sponsorship arranged  
by ML member:**

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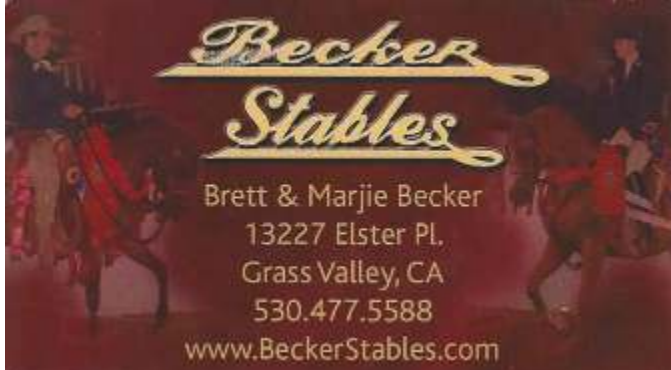
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