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February 2021 Newsletter



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15th of each month!

Next Meeting: Wednesday February 24 6 PM, via Zoom.

Link will be sent out via eMail.

Pres Sez

Happy February....Just means we are getting closure to spring. Without having the Rocky Mountain Expo this year things are kinda slow as we are normally gearing up getting everything in order for our booth. Hopefully things will be back to some kind of normal next year and we will have the Expo again.

John Case has been extremely busy trying to find a better way to present our events calendar. He has spent lots of hours and has come up with what we think will be a great, easy to use platform. Thank you John for working on this to help make our communication better!!

If you haven't already done so please renew your membership and share with others to join. We would love to have new members! We will be having fun rides this year along with our work rides!

Please join us for our next meeting - February 24th via Zoom meeting. Another email will be sent out with the Zoom information.

Stay warm....

Sharon



Developing a New FRBCH Calendar

There has been interest in developing a better Calendar for the chapter, with capabilities to sign up for events, and to facilitate communications with the attendees. We've had several goals in mind for a better system:

- Maintain a single “master calendar” so entries only need to be added and changed in one location
- Allow for “sign up” capabilities, particularly for trail clearing rides and recreational rides.
- Allow for access and signup without having to log in to the calendar site, simplifying the access and allowing for guests and prospective members to access.
- Allow for members to see who is planning to attend rides, so that communication can be easier – such as coordinating meeting times and locations, and supporting trailer sharing.
- Allow for the calendar to be easily referenced by all our channels of communication – chapter Website, Facebook page, Newsletter and eMail.
- Allow for the Calendar information to be extracted for use in communications.
- Be able to imbed links to other resources – such as the FOMELC web pages and Forest Service information and advisories.

After evaluation of a few online alternatives, we have developed a Calendar for the chapter using a service at SignUp.com, that we think meets many or all of the above. A preliminary calendar is now ready, and can be referenced and utilized by chapter members (and non-members) at this permanent link:

<https://signup.com/go/seVyPnj>

The calendar has been populated with the monthly meetings, dates for tentative Trail Clearing rides, dates for Recreational Rides, and multi-day camping trips. As you will see, many of the entries are still tentative, in that locations and exact timing are to be determined. We wanted to move to a “Save the Date” concept for our events in order to encourage more participation and make planning easier.

The calendar of events at the end of this newsletter is now extracted from the new calendar. We hope you have a chance to reference the new calendar and tell us what you think!

John

Membership Dues for 2021

Happy 2021 to everyone!

It is time to send in your dues for this new year. You can go to the website and renew by credit card <http://frbch.org/membership/become-a-member>. Remember it is a two-step process. You need to fill out the waiver and then submit your payment.

Or you can print the attached waiver and send in your check.

Thank you to the members who have already sent in their dues. If you have a question about your status, please contact me.

Cheers,
Kitty



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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NAME(S) _____

ADDRESS _____ City _____ ZIP _____

EMAIL _____ May we use this to send the newsletter? YES ___ NO ___

PHONE: Home _____ Work (If okay to call) _____ Cell _____

Do you wish to receive Back Country Horsemen of America and Back Country Horsemen of Colorado emails?

YES _____ NO _____

SADDLE Partner (participating individual) \$30.00 _____ **SADDLE Partners (participating family) \$35.00** _____

SILVER SPUR Partner (supporting individual or family) \$40.00+ _____

CORPORATE Partner \$55.00+ _____ (includes newsletter ad; please supply business card)

I would like to serve on this committee: Trail Boss _____ Education _____ Projects/Events _____ Public Lands _____

Fund Raising _____ Communication _____ Training _____ Membership _____ Volunteer Records _____ Other _____

All membership levels include chapter newsletters and BCHA newsletters.

Note: Photos taken that may include you and your family at FRBCH events may be used for publication and marketing purposes.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE and SEND TO: **FRONT RANGE BACK COUNTRY HORSEMEN**
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Warning – Under Colorado Law, an equine professional is not liable for an injury or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities, pursuant to section 13-21-119, Colorado Revised Statutes. I (We) release the Front Range Back Country Horsemen, its' officers, directors, members and agents of any and all liability which may arise as a result of injury to my (our) person or property that may be sustained in connection with the club's activities.

*Please complete all information to keep our records current.
Waiver must be signed by all adult members.*

SIGNED _____ DATE _____

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Welcome and thank you!



Date	Task	Needed	Time	Filled	Open
Wed, Feb 24, 2021	Monthly Meeting	No Limit	6:00 pm - 7:30 pm	0	
Tue, Mar 23, 2021	Monthly Meeting	No Limit	6:00 pm - 7:30 pm	0	
Sat, Apr 24, 2021	Recreational Ride	No Limit	9:00 am - 4:00 pm	0	
Wed, Apr 28, 2021	Monthly Meeting	No Limit	6:00 pm - 7:30 pm	0	
Sun, May 9, 2021	Recreational Ride	No Limit	9:00 am - 4:00 pm	0	
Tue, May 25, 2021	Monthly Meeting	No Limit	6:00 pm - 7:30 pm	0	
Thu, May 27, 2021	3-Day Camping Trip	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Fri, May 28, 2021	3-Day Camping Trip	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Sat, May 29, 2021	3-Day Camping Trip	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Tue, Jun 8, 2021	Trail Clearing Ride	10	9:00 am - 5:00 pm	0	10
Sat, Jun 12, 2021	Recreational Ride	No Limit	9:00 am - 4:00 pm	0	
Tue, Jun 15, 2021	Trail Clearing Ride	10	9:00 am - 5:00 pm	0	10
Wed, Jun 23, 2021	Monthly Meeting	No Limit	6:00 pm - 7:30 pm	0	
Fri, Jun 25, 2021	3-Day Camping Trip	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Sat, Jun 26, 2021	3-Day Camping Trip	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Sun, Jun 27, 2021	3-Day Camping Trip	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Thu, Jul 8, 2021	Trail Clearing Ride	10	9:00 am - 5:00 pm	0	10
Mon, Jul 12, 2021	Trail Clearing Ride	10	9:00 am - 5:00 pm	0	10
Sun, Jul 18, 2021	Recreational Ride	No Limit	9:00 am - 4:00 pm	0	
Thu, Jul 22, 2021	Trail Clearing Ride	10	9:00 am - 5:00 pm	0	10

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Thu, Jul 29, 2021	3-Day Camping Trip	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Fri, Jul 30, 2021	3-Day Camping Trip	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Sat, Jul 31, 2021	3-Day Camping Trip	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Wed, Aug 11, 2021	Trail Clearing Ride	10	9:00 am - 5:00 pm	0	10
Tue, Aug 17, 2021	Trail Clearing Ride	10	9:00 am - 5:00 pm	0	10
Wed, Aug 25, 2021	Mineral Creek Ride (5 Day)	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Thu, Aug 26, 2021	Mineral Creek Ride (5 Day)	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Fri, Aug 27, 2021	Mineral Creek Ride (5 Day)	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Sat, Aug 28, 2021	Mineral Creek Ride (5 Day)	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Sun, Aug 29, 2021	Mineral Creek Ride (5 Day)	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Fri, Sep 3, 2021	3-Day Camping Trip	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Sat, Sep 4, 2021	3-Day Camping Trip	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Sun, Sep 5, 2021	3-Day Camping Trip	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Mon, Sep 6, 2021	3-Day Camping Trip	No Limit	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	0	
Sun, Sep 12, 2021	Recreational Ride	No Limit	9:00 am - 4:00 pm	0	
Tue, Sep 28, 2021	Monthly Meeting	No Limit	6:00 pm - 7:30 pm	0	
Tue, Oct 5, 2021	Trail Clearing Ride	10	9:00 am - 5:00 pm	0	10
Sun, Oct 24, 2021	Recreational Ride	No Limit	9:00 am - 4:00 pm	0	
Wed, Oct 27, 2021	Monthly Meeting	No Limit	6:00 pm - 7:30 pm	0	
Tue, Nov 16, 2021	Monthly Meeting	No Limit	6:00 pm - 7:30 pm	0	

Thanks to our Sponsoring Members!



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