# **SEMINAR:** November or February?

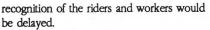
by Susie Witter

Instead of holding the Region 3 Seminar for the '93 ride season in November of '93, it will be held on Sunday, Feb. 20, 1994. This encourages Region 3 members to attend and support the National Convention held in their region and enables the national and regional board members to concentrate their energies on the National Convention itself. By the way, other regions have always held their regional seminars after the National Convention.

The Region 3 Board would like input from the membership on the question of whether to hold the regional seminar of the future in February following the ride season instead of November at the end of the ride

In Colorado, weather is always a factor. Whether the storms are more likely to hit us in November or the following February is probably up for debate. Another concern is

whether delaying the seminar and presentation of awards would take away some of the



Instead of being able to hand in your ballots for the new Region 3 Board Members at the seminar, all voting would have to be conducted by mail. The announcement of newly elected board members would have to be done in the newsletter instead of at the November seminar.

#### Member participation

Traditionally, there has always been a general assembly held at every seminar. All members are encouraged to attend and to participate in the nominations for the Susan Bretag Service Award and the National Appreciation Award and voice their opinions on issues before the region and nation. If we held the seminar in February, we would not be able to receive direct input from the membership regarding nominations for the service awards. This would have to be done via the newsletter and the mail.

On the bright side, all rides during the year would count towards regional awards. At present, the Dave Thomas Memorial Ride is

held too late in the season for the awards committee to receive the results, tabulate placings, and still get the awards ordered and received in time for the seminar.

If the seminar was held in February following the National Convention, it might initiate anticipation, planning, and enthusiasm for the upcoming ride season. We would also be synchronized with the other five regions of NATRC. Remember, if a change were to be

made, it does not mean that it is 'set in cement.' It could always be changed back.

Let the Region 3 Board know how you feel! Please return the response card on page 2 to Pat Jubb, 3455 Hartsock Ln., Colorado Springs, CO 80917, by July 11th, so that your comments can be reported to the Region 3 Board at the July 18th meeting.

# Did you do it?

Did you send in your card to support the continued use of horses on the trails in Rocky Mountain National Park? Well, it's not too late! While you're thinking about it, do it now before it becomes too late for all of us. Postage for the card is only 19¢ – a cheap price to pay to preserve a pastime we all hold so dear. If you didn't get a card, or need extra ones, contact me at (303) 465-3621 and I will send you some right away! -Lisa Sowell

#### N THIS ISSUE!

Mystery weekend clues unfolding on page 4.

Search for something other than ribbons. Look on page 6.

Gourmet cooking for your fourlegged friends on page 6.



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Laurie Butterfield	Nat'l. board
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Dean Schrader	Nat'l, board

# Seminar response card

# Your opinion counts!

	I am in support of changing the regional seminar to February of the year following the ride season.
	I am in support of continuing to schedule the seminar in November of the ride season year
	Comments:
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# Please clip this card and return by July 11 to:

Pat Jubb

3455 Hartsock Lane Colorado Springs, CO 80917

## 1993 REGION III RIDE SCHEDULE

Anasazi 'B' Ride	Apr. 17 Farmington, NM	Steve Ancell (303) 247-9717
Rabbit Valley	Apr. 24-25 Rabbit Valley, CO	Pam Peterson (303) 858-7274
Navajo Lake	May 8-9 Farmington, NM	Jenny Smith (505) 334-6275
Turkey Track	May 22-23 Albuquerque, NM	Diania Decant (505) 898-4028
Colorado Trail	June 12-13 Buffalo Creek, CO	Sue McKelvy (303) 838-2531
Willow Springs 'B' Ride	July 17 Jefferson, CO	Dee Overholt (303) 838-7507
El Jinete Solitario	July 24-25 Durango, CO	Patti Embree (303) 563-4640
Singing Hills 'B' Ride*	Aug. 22 Air Force Academy, CO*	Kathryn Utke (719) 495-3431
Top of the World	Sept. 4-5 Foxton, CO	Thom Harris (303) 838-5894
Golden Gate/Reg. III Benefit	Sept. 18-19 Central City, CO	Rick McManaman (303) 776-0711
Chokecherry Canyon	Oct. 2-3 Farmington, NM	Dr. T.C. Dabbs (505) 327-2738
David B. Thomas 'B' Ride	Oct. 16 Farmington, NM	Judy Bengfort (505) 334-6118

\* Note: this is a change from previous schedule

# REGIONAL BOARD HIGHLIGHTS

Following is an abbreviated version of the minutes taken at a recent Region III board of directors meeting on March 13, 1993:

Meeting called to order at 9:30 a.m., preceding minutes corrected to identify the IAHA ride to be held at Chokecherry as the Region 8 Championship Ride, and the ride to be held in Albuquerque the following week as the IAHA National Championship Ride.

Treasurer's Report: Joyce Calhoun provided cash flow and balance sheet reports. Puture national rider fees would be refunded by NATRC for all regional benefit rides to aid the fund-raising efforts of those rides. R III received \$188 from last year's ride, to be divided equally in R III's two accounts. Expected advertising revenue from Ride Book \$200-300. Waiting to get info from Ike Mosgrove about membership renewals.

Computer labels: Joyce is taking over the labels from Pat Militzer, thanks to Pat for her past services. The fees will remain unchanged.

Newsletter: Lisa Sowell reported another lower quote per issue for the printing of the newsletter. New design unveiled and was approved.

Region III/National Seminar: Planned for February 1994; Mary Lou McManaman reported that her committee has settled on the Sheraton Convention Center (6th and Union in Lakewood, Colo.) as the site. She distributed literature and discussed amenities and topics. Speakers should be confirmed by next BOD meeting.

Colorado Trail workday: Kathryn Utke talked about her vision of future problems with horse access to trails in national parks and forests. Discussion followed about upcoming clinic in Larkspur addressing this problem. Complimentary copies of R3 Newsletter to be sent to Forest Ranger Ed Ryberg (Pike Nat'l. Forest), Stuart McDonald (Colo. State Trails Coordinator) and Cathy Bickell (equine representative for the Colo. State Trails Committee). Kathryn needs at least 12 workers on June 26-27 this year to help build bridges over swampy areas of our portion of the Colorado Trail. Interested volunteers should contact Kathryn for more information. National Trails Day is scheduled for June 5 ... big doings at Heritage Square in Golden, Colo.

Safety riders: Lois Arbour reported safety rider instructions are being revamped and reprinted.

Public Relations: Karen Laden received her requested lists of media contacts. Her design for the Region III poster was approved. The posters will be distributed via ride management packages. Jill Talbot suggested the need for brochures to be placed in "horsy" locations informing the public of our rides and other pertinent information. 300 to be printed.

Youth Manual: Jill Talbot said the Manual is receiving updates, Cathy Bender working on a few more illustrations, BOD approved print run of 200. Order forms for the books are available, charge is

\$5.00 and Jill reminded us that the book is copyrighted and reprints from the book would have to be approved. Distribution planned for after April 1. Discussion followed about distribution of manual as well as creating an Adult Manual based on some info in the Youth books.

# Financial Summary

Total income

\$ 3,092,67

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Total expense		691.14
Overall total	\$	2,401.53
Account balances as of	Mar.	13, 1993:
Checking	\$	2,368.63
Nat'l. board	\$	1,297.40
Sue Bretag	\$	5,545.84
Ken Burkdoll	\$	738.10
Ruth Tyree	\$	663.00
Total assets:	\$	9,315.57
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Supplies: Dee Overholt reported that the notebooks have to be replaced prior to start of season, the faded red vests are still readable and will be used in '93. She complained about the stiff cardboard inserts make by some ride managers last year, and also noted that books had been returned with missing numbers or divider tabs with the numbers "whited out" and re-numbered. Motion made and carried to include at least five ride books (NATRC) in each ride chairman's package of supplies.

Nominating Committee: Dean Schrader expressed need for BOD to recommend replacement names for the positions they hold as well as unrepresented districts. Up for re-election this fall are Districts 2, 4 & 6 as well as a possible member atlarge.

Fund-raising: Judy Cumberworth said she would contact Audry Taylor regarding BOD decision.

Benefit Ride: Mary Lou McManaman needs a vet judge, discussed the Mystery Weekend theme. Suggestion for Nancy Loving as possible vet judge, noted that Rick McManaman is the ride chairman and Joyce Calhoun ride secretary.

Judges Committee: Susie Witter listed judges assigned to '93 rides to date. Judy Cumberworth is still working on a vet judge recruitment package with Joe Quintana.

Miscellaneous: Pat Jubb received her 7,000-mile silver medallion. Horses and/or riders reaching 4,000 miles receive a bronze medallion, 7,000 miles a silver, 10,000 a gold and 15,000 gold with a small diamond. Motion made and passed to give 250 worker points to seminar chairperson(s) (on a retroactive basis) and to the worker point chairman (Joyce).

Old business: 1. Horse rescue donations were made -\$100 each. 2. Telephone survey; Dean Schrader said he would create new calling lists and re-issue them to BOD. 3. Insurance: After talking with Gloria Becker and NATRC attorneys concerning lack of coverage (covered only for property damage not liability for ride management and ultimately NATRC for personal injury), Dean is working on solutions with local agents. 4. New ride critique format were passed around and discussed. 5. Ride schedule will include two B Rides. Singing Hills (Aug. 22) at Rocky Mtn. Training Center in Larkspur. Because some problems have occurred with rides affiliated/held at RMTC in the past, Dean will work on securing permit and on bonding. Willow Springs is planned for Jul. 17, location in South Park. Snow has been too deep to do much investigation of site. Ride Clinic planned at Garden of the Gods on May 15 and Susie Witter reported on potential new ride being considered for Mueller State Park (located between Divide and Cripple Creek) next year. 6. Janine Ancell was asked about rider fees in the San Juan Basin NATRC rides recently sent out and published in the ride book. She said Bill Cumberworth was responsible for fee calculations and that the fees were inclusive of all expenses usually broken out by other rides. 7. Benefit ride; Mary Lou needs help providing sleeping quarters for the judge(s). Jill Talbot will coordinate awards.

New Business: 1. Letter of appreciation to past and present vet judges were provided for BOD to sign. 2. Region III Seminar, suggestion was made to move the date to February and Susie Witter to provide an article for newsletter discussing pros and cons and will solicit response from general membership. 3. National BOD (NBOD) report: suggested change from 3 BOD members to 2 from each region for a 4-year term each. Reason given was due to the upcoming split of Region V which would cause the NBOD to grow to 21 members. Other NBOD doings include tougher standards for National Championship awards, a National Championship Challenge ride and a vet judge had his card pulled for not following NATRC rules. Laurie Butterfield reported that novice member Joyce Calhoun jumped right in and will be helping with national point tallies. Next meeting in Kansas City in July. 4. Regarding editorial policy, Karen Laden presented the BOD with the statement "The Region 3 Newsletter welcomes letters to the editor. Please include your name, address and telephone number for verification. No unsigned letters will be published. The Region III board of directors reserves the right to edit or to refuse publishing a letter." Passed to put statement in newsletter. 5. Next meeting, July 18 at the Willow Springs Ride location following the ride being held on July 17.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted – Susan McKehry,
Secretary



# Rabbit Valley one of life's great treasures and rider friendly too

Story and photos by Kathe Hayes

Rabbit Valley ride manager Neil McKinstry has improved difficult portions of the Rabbit Valley trail to make it "rider friendly" and has done an excellent job of toning down Region III's first "A" ride of the season. It not only has the most spectacular canyon views of the Colorado River, but it has been timed so that riders can stop and enjoy those views.

This year the rain made plenty of full pot holes for the horses to drink from and the sun provided rays for great tanning after the day's ride was finished. I can't begin to tell you the excitement of riding along the cliffs above the Colorado River and looking off in the distance and seeing the mammoth red walls of Ruby Canyon.

Second only to the scenery was the warm welcome received upon my arrival. Seeing old friends after the long winter lay off makes this ride tops on my list every year. I can't wait to renew old friendships and challenge the trails of Rabbit Valley. If you haven't been there, you're missing out on one of life's great treasures!



Terri Roberts
(left) and
Kathe Hayes
enjoying Ruby
Canyon at
Black Rocks,
Rabbit Valley
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Kathe Hayes works on her early-season suntan in camp at Rabbit Valley.



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# Murder in Mesopotamia

First set of clues for the Region III Benefit Ride

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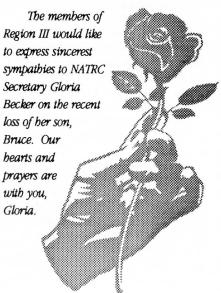


Meet our first guest, Lady Melissa (Missy) N. Lynke, daughter of Lord Chayne Lynke, Duke of Gayte, a man of great wealth and renown. She is young, vital, enthusiastic and adventuresome; and the heiress to the Lynke family fortune.

Next on the guest list is Lester (Les) A. Fayre, an American railroad tycoon and one of the wealthiest men in the world. Ruthless and calculating, he is known as a connoisseur of fine food and wine with a particular affection for vintage cognac. He and Faxe have participated in several prior business deals and a close, if competitive, relationship exists between them.

Remember these clues ... there are more to follow in the next issue so be watching!

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# NATRC search

# So, you think you have pretty sharp eyes following those ribbons on the trail?

See how keen your eyesight is and test your NATRC-ability as well, because in this puzzle the words will not be provided to you until the next issue. You will look for words that not only relate to NATRC things, but to horses in general. I designed the puzzle this way because there are some of you out there who have been at this for a while and I wanted to make it a little challenging. A few hints ... all of the words used can be found in the rule book and officially, there are 80 words to look for (even though my expert puzzle-tester found a few more). Happy searching! –Lisa S.

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1 oz. Epsom salts

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#### Leg brace

1/3 Listerine

1/3 rubbing alcohol

1/3 water

Feels great on their legs after a ride, but not until after awards are over! – Judi Tobias

#### Hot mash

2-3 quarts dry bran (large flat)

2 tbsp. salt

1 cup molasses

Boiling water

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If you haven't renewed your Region III membership, the cutoff date for receiving the Region 3 Newsletter will be June 1 of the same year. National members will only receive two complementary newsletters until they join Region III.

Eligibility for Region 3 year-end awards

All national NATRC members who are dues-paying members to Region III NATRC are eligible for regional placings and awards.

Requirements: Open horses and riders must enter three (3) rides per season and accumulate a minimum of 30 points to be eligible for year-end placings. Open horses and riders will be eligible for the Ruth Tyree High Average Horsemanship and Ken Burkdoll Combined High Average Horse/Rider awards if they enter a minimum of six (6) regional rides. All rides started will be counted.

Competitive Pleasure horses and riders must enter two (2) rides per season and accumulate a minimum of 20 points to be eligible for year-end placings. Competitive Pleasure horses and riders will be eligible to compete for the High Average Combined Horse/Rider award but must enter a minimum of four (4) rides per season. The top horse in Competitive Pleasure shall be considered as a sweepstakes horse within the class and shall receive 2 additional points as done in the Open and Novice divisions. Novice horses and riders must enter two (2) rides per season and accumulate a minimum of 12 points to be eligible for year-end awards. Horses and riders receive 4 points for ride completion and a sweepstakes horse receives 2 points (18).

Memo to ride managers

Rides are requested to send the results of a ride to national within two weeks after the ride. Region III rider fees should be sent at the same time to the point chairman.

Verification of points and mileage

The point secretary keeps all Region III members' points and mileage each year. You are welcome to verify your points with the chairman by Oct. 15 of the current year, otherwise you must accept the points as calculated by the point secretary. Region III NATRC members who have not renewed their memberships by Mar. 1 of each year will have to pay an additional \$15 secretarial fee if they wish to have either their horse or rider points and mileage recorded. Contact Pat Jubb, 3455 Hartsock Lane, Colorado Springs, CO 80917, (719) 574-8522.

Breed award eligibility

To be eligible for breed awards at each ride, you must send in a copy of your horse's registration papers with the ride entry. This copy will be returned to you the day of the ride.

Computerized membership mailing labels offered

Joyce Calhoun takes care of the computerization of member mailing lists and provides labels for the Region 3 Newsletter, ride chairs and clinic organizers. These lists offer much information and can be categorized by districts, zip codes and include people who have ridden in the past two years. They can be helpful to solicit participants for all Region III NATRC events. Note to ride managers: Submit requests for rider lists with ample time for Joyce to prepare them, not at last minute, please! The fee is \$5. Contact Joyce Calhoun at 761 W. El Portal, Pueblo West, CO 81007 (719) 547-3152.

When paying for newsletter advertising or mailing labels . . .

When you use Joyce Calhoun's services for mailing labels, or if you are paying for an ad in the Region 3 Newsletter, please make your check out to NATRC/Region III.

Ride critiques in Region III

Region III will benefit when you take the time to fill out the ride critique form and return it, thank you.

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