

Madison County Trail Blazers Saddle Club February 2009 Newsletter

Congratulations to the 2008 High Point Award Winners!

Stock Type Halter:

- * Grand Champion – Janet Kromraj & Cool & Dark
- * Reserve Champion – Jodie Grawe & Counted Coup

Non-Stock Type Halter:

- * Grand Champion – Katie Coehoorn & Trudale Conway

Adult Showmanship:

- * Grand Champion – Jodie Grawe & Counted Coup
- * Reserve Champion – Lisa Waltrip & Lilly

Youth Showmanship #1:

- * Grand Champion – Marisa Kromraj & Cool & Dark
- * Grand Champion – Marisa Kromraj & Counted Coup
- * Reserve Champion – Stephanie Gaytan & Patches

Youth Showmanship #2:

- * Grand Champion – Amanda Coehoorn & JB's Duly Impressed
- * Reserve Champion – Katie Coehoorn & Zippo Rain

Lead Line:

- * Grand Champion – Madelyne Berlemann & Dolly
- * Reserve Champion – Grace Heepke & Grace's Twinkle Toes

Adult Racking:

- * Grand Champion – Marcy Heepke & Dazzle Me Pink
- * Grand Champion – Julie Turner & Delightful McLovin

Adult English Walk Trot:

- * Grand Champion – Janet Kromraj & Cool & Dark
- * Reserve Champion – Megan Cron & Prioritize This

Adult English Pleasure:

- * Grand Champion – Janet Kromraj & Cool & Dark
- * Reserve Champion – Lynn Coehoorn & A Glowing Diamond

Youth Walk Trot/ Favorite Gait #1:

- * Grand Champion – Stephanie Gaytan & Patches
- * Reserve Champion – Jennifer Gaytan & She Won't Stop

Youth Walk Trot/ Favorite Gait #2:

- * Grand Champion – Cailin Doolin & CC Loots Hot Socks

Youth Walk Trot/ Favorite Gait #2:

- * Reserve Champion – Katie Coehoorn & Zippo Rain

Youth English Equitation:

- * Grand Champion – Amanda Coehoorn & JB's Duly Impressed
- * Reserve Champion – Cailin Doolin & CC Loots Hot Socks

Open Gaited:

- * Grand Champion – Ashlyn Turner & Rowdy Roo
- * Reserve Champion – Marcy Heepke & Dazzle Me Pink

Open Horsemanship:

- * Grand Champion – Amanda Coehoorn & JB's Duly Impressed
- * Reserve Champion – Jodie Grawe & Counted Coup

Trail:

- * Grand Champion – Amanda Coehoorn & JB's Duly Impressed
- * Reserve Champion – Lisa Waltrip & Lilly

Adult Western Walk Trot:

- * Grand Champion – Megan Cron & Ladies Luva Rodder
- * Reserve Champion – Lisa Waltrip & Lilly

Junior Horse Pleasure:

- * Grand Champion – Megan Cron & Ladies Luva Rodder
- * Reserve Champion – Cailin Doolin & Illini's Diamond Dancer

Ladies Western Pleasure:

- * Grand Champion – Megan Cron & Ladies Luva Rodder
- * Reserve Champion – Lisa Waltrip & Lilly

Gaited Country Pleasure:

- * Grand Champion – Ashlyn Turner & Leroy
- * Reserve Champion – Marcy Heepke & Dazzle Me Pink

Youth Western Equitation:

- * Grand Champion – Cailin Doolin & Illini's Diamond Dancer
- * Reserve Champion – Katie Coehoorn & Zippo Rain

Men's Western Pleasure:

- * Grand Champion – Gary Franke & Ima Shiny Good Bar

Adult Western Pleasure :

- * Grand Champion – Megan Cron & Ladies Luva Rodder
- * Reserve Champion – Lisa Waltrip & Lilly

Novelty:

- * Grand Champion – Megan Cron & Ladies Luva Rodder
- * Reserve Champion – Stephanie Gaytan & Patches
- * Reserve Champion – Cindy Butler & The Sharp Equalizer

Adult Flags:

- * Grand Champion – Cindy Butler & The Sharp Equalizer

Adult Barrels:

- * Grand Champion – Cindy Butler & The Sharp Equalizer
- * Reserve Champion – Megan Cron & U Wanna Prop

Adult Poles:

- * Grand Champion – Cindy Butler & The Sharp Equalizer
- * Reserve Champion – Megan Cron & U Wanna Prop
- * OVERALL GRAND CHAMPION ~ MEGAN CRON *



Trail Ride Award Winners for 2008

Congratulations to Pam Witthoff who won the prize for most trail rides ridden for the year. She won a sterling silver Irish Horse—coin necklace.

Congratulations to Brenda Ropak who won the prize for the most MCTB club-sponsored trail rides for the year. Brenda won a Montana Silversmith statue entitled "Abiding Affection".

Thank you to Lea Sommers for providing the Trail Ride trophies for the club!



From the January Meeting....

No Meeting! Because of the nasty weather & the threat of more severe weather that night, the January meeting was canceled. The next meeting will be February 23, 2009 at Scotty's in Hamel, IL. Same meeting time 7:30pm.

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2009 Show Dates

May 17, 2009
June 7, 2009
June 28, 2009
July 5, 2009
August 30, 2009
September 6, 2009
September 20, 2009
October 4, 2009
October 18, 2009

All shows held at Triangle H Farms.



www.triangleh farms.com


2009 Officers

President:	Marilyn Cron	(618) 644-5270
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	Jan Cooper	(618) 888-2517
	Vicki Champion	(618) 797-2737

February 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14 <i>Valentines Day!</i> 
15	16 President's Day 	17	18	19	20	21
22 Triangle H Play Days @ Triangle H Farms	23 MCTB Club Meeting @ Scotty's in Hamel IL at 7:30pm	24	25	26	27	28

March 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6 IL Horse Fair! Springfield, IL	7 IL Horse Fair! Springfield, IL
8 IL Horse Fair! Springfield, IL Daylight Savings Time 	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17 St. Patrick's Day 	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29 Triangle H Play Days @ Triangle H Farms	30 MCTB Club Meeting @ Scotty's in Hamel IL at 7:30pm	31				

STOLEN HORSE! A Registered Paint Horse that was stolen from a farm in Flat Rock Illinois sometime during the night on Friday August 22. The farm is Located about 10 miles north of Lawrenceville, IL. It belonged to the Keith Caughran family, specifically their 13 year old daughter that has owned him for 5 years. Please keep a look out! There is a picture of the stolen horse on our website. Please check out all the missing horses at <http://netposse.com/stolenmissing/>.

Winter Play Days ~ held on the last Sunday of February, March & April starting at 1pm at Triangle H Farm. \$25 to show all day. Andy's food stand is available! Youth 15 & under classes, & adult 16 & over. Lots of really fun classes like "Musical Stalls", "Mounted Challenge", "Ball & Racket". High points awarded after the series! For more information check out the Triangle H website: www.trianglehfarm.com or check the MCTB site: www.madisoncountytrailblazers.com

Schnuck's Cards are NO expense to the club member, or a friend, or a relative that uses the card ~ just a great fund raiser! Simply get a Schnuck's card & activate it as you would a credit card. Then swipe the card every time you shop at Schnuck's & a portion of your purchase will be donated to the club! How much easier can it be! I just love a Fund Raiser that doesn't cost anything! You can activate your card on line by going to: <https://secure.escrip.com/jsp/supporter/registration/step1c1.jsp>. The Organization number is 500018247 & it is listed under the city of Alton, IL. (Under Denise Reynolds' address). Schnuck's cards are available at the shows & at the club meetings. For more information, call Jan Cooper (618) 888-2517.



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Hay for Sale * Large Round Bales of Grass Hay \$50/each, also some Alfalfa Round Bales available, call for price. Brad (217) 415-8134 — located in Marine, IL

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Thanks!