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Note from our President:

First off, Thank You for the vote of confidence in your electing me President. Thank you, Robyn for stepping up to the Sec/Tres position although I had never noticed the railroad tracks thru the middle of Mila's Barn before.

I look forward to leading our Association forward for the next 2 years. As we go forward we will be trying to figure out ways to improve our association. I have been talking to members as to how to improve & one member who is a good friend but shall remain nameless. (Draft horse supt.@ a State Fair) Why are you trying to change? "You are an association that is already talked about by other states associations as to how involved you all are in your field days & fairs. Even up to the World Level with your participation in the Percheron & Belgian Congresses." Some of you might not know this but MDHMA has thru private donations sponsored the prizes for the Farm Team Classes at the 2010, 2014 & 2018 World Percheron Congress & the 2016 Belgian Expo in Springfield, MA (where one of our members won a world championship.) We have also had plans to sponsor a breakfast at the Clydesdale show but the food service workers union couldn't stand the competition.

With that being said, we would like your feedback as to how we can become even stronger.

On the downside as you read this we are in the icy

grip of Coronavirus COVID-19 outbreak with several field days already canceled & more to come I'm sure. Before you load up & head out check it out.

My plow day as of now is still scheduled & we will let all know by April 15th, but it's not looking really good. Keep your fingers crossed.

On a sad note, we have learned of the passing of one of our members this last week. Dianna K. Phillips wife of Jack Phillips of Perry, IL passed March 17, 2020.

Dianna was one of our members who happened to reside in another state but along with several others was a great supporter of our Association.

Dianna's smile sense of humor & infectious laugh will be forever missed.



On a happy note, our awards were given to Charles Mangels for Lynch Pin Award and Kenny Bryson for the 2020 MDHMA Member of the year. Both of these guys are very deserving of the awards.

One last thing....I would like to add to our board of directors list. If you would be interested in serving please let me know.

Oh, you ask what kind of farm do we have?
MUD we have a MUD farm.

See you down the line.

Neal & Terri DeVasher
Bristle Ridge Percherons

 Congratulations to our 2020
MDHMA Awards Recipients !!!

2020 MDHMA Lynch Pin award. Was awarded to Charlie Mangels. He is very deserving of the 2020 He was unable to attend the annual meeting this year.



Sec/Tres Robyn Holtgrewe



Dorothy and Kenny Bryson were awarded the 2020 MDHMA Member of the Year.



Robyn Holtgrewe presented the Spud's 20th Annual Memorial Plowing in 2020 jackets to Tom & Lori Eldridge.

Note from our Vice President:

Hello from the Eichman family!!

Not much going on here. Just heard on the news that in Jackson County, we are supposed to remain home except for trips to get essentials. Since I help with my 95-year-old mother-in-law, I will comply all I can.

Jim Buzzard posted on Facebook that Spuds plowing was postponed. With the restraints they are putting on us I probably won't go to any in April unless they lift the band at this time. It's supposed to be in effect till April 24th.

Just got a call from Doyle Prawl. Two of his best



**2020 MDHMA Election Results:
President Neal DeVasher**



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mules got out and ended up on Highway 36. They were both killed by drivers and he is looking for another team of mules. Doyle and I have rented some ground to farm with our mules in Hamilton. The only thing I've done with mine is fed them and watch them get fat and lazy. Cassie did come by Saturday and washed all their halters.

Great grandson is getting more mobile every day. Not much else to write about now so stay safe and hope and pray this virus ends so life can go back to normal. I do miss my social hour of coffee both in the morning and afternoon.

Dave

Note from our Secretary/Treasurer:

Greetings from the Holtgrewe's,

Well this year is not starting much better than last with the abundance of Rain! We have Mud, Mud and more MUD! Managed to drive a couple times mostly road drives as the fields have been so wet. But Spring is Springing here, and the grass is turning green and the trees are budding so hopefully the rain will slow down and we will be able to work on getting everyone (me included) in shape for plowing season. All my ponies are fat and happy; as they just are getting their dinner and hanging at the bale feeder, they are not the least bit concerned about their winter break being extended.

Unfortunately, with the weather and quarantine in place I have already had confirmation that Tom Eldridge's plowing has been postponed and he will choose a date to reschedule at a later time once we figure out what is going to happen with travel restrictions and such. I am scared that with the quarantines being extended into late April, we will have more cancellations to other plowings, but we

must do what is necessary to keep everyone healthy.

I am flattered that I was chosen to be your Secretary and Treasurer. I have opened new accounts for the club and a savings account for the monies that we so graciously donated to make the Elsie Meyer Memorial Fund. We will be collecting into the fund for the next couple years to provide scholarships to the Percheron Horse Association Congress Queens to help offset their expenses with the hope that some girls that would not normally be able to afford the trip and experience can do so with the added funds. So far, I have deposited \$1408.00 into the account and Jody Moss told me that we had another \$200.00 to deposit. We had a successful Auction at the annual meeting raising \$2397.50 for club expenses. I would like to thank those that donated extra to the club as this will help us continue to promote the Draft Horse industry throughout the year. Congratulations to Rod and Lori Malchow on being the winning bid on the beautiful wagon that was donated by Tom Eldridge and Lori. The club's current checking balance is \$5,487.36.

We lost Dianna Phillips on March 17, 2020. She and her husband Jack were very active with their mules and we have missed them for the last couple years due to declining health. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Jack, their family and friends during their time of mourning.

Well other than that we have little more to report on since the weather and quarantine have us bound to the house watching the ponies eat!

Hope to see you down the Road,

Robyn Holtgrewe

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MDHMA Annual Meeting Minutes from February 29, 2020- Karen Redeker, Sec/Tres

Meeting was called to order by President Billy Meyer at 12:57 PM. Hope gave the Year in Review, and brought most of us to tears when she talked about the members that we lost over the past year. The previous meeting minutes and treasurer's report were posted in the last newsletter. Gary Moss made a motion to accept the minutes and David White seconded the motion to accept the minutes. Neal DeVasher made a motion to accept the Treasurer's Report and Gary Moss seconded the motion to accept the Treasurer's Report. Alfred Radin announced that George Radin's Estate donated \$1,200 to MDHMA. The Draft Horse Journal ad will be renewed next month. Please let Robyn know if you would like to be added to the ad for \$80 per family. Neal will be checking on hat orders on Monday. Gary Moss talked about the Show Me Draft Horse 4-Horse Hitch Series. Brenda Coulson talked about the Macon County Draft Horse Show. Once they get the details ironed out better, they will post on Facebook and/or in a later newsletter. Hope Redeker will be manning a booth at the Boone County Sale on Wednesday and Thursday (3/11/2020; 3/12/2020). Would anyone else like to man a booth at a future event? Missouri State Fair Sponsorship was discussed. We will continue to sponsor the Obstacle Course and the Farm Team classes. We discussed possibly sponsoring the Draft Horse Pull also. Robyn Holtgrewe suggested that we donate two chairs for the Pull (1 for Heavyweight and 1 for Lightweight classes). Hope made a motion to accept the motion, Cindy White seconded the motion. Motion passed. Robyn announced that she has been updating the Calendar on the website. Our Lynch Pin for this year was Mr. Charles Mangels. Hope discussed how Mr. Mangels has been a member of the MDHMA for over 30 years and has been showing Belgians and Haflingers with his family. Congratulations, Mr. Mangels, you deserve it! The Member of the Year

was Kenny Brison. Robyn then recognized Tom & Lorie Eldridge for their help with promoting the MDHMA. Hope recognized Robyn for all of her hard work with the MDHMA. Neal DeVasher was elected as our President. Robyn was elected as our Secretary/Treasurer. Robyn discussed a scholarship for the Percheron Congress Queen's expenses, sponsored by the MDHMA. The candles that were the centerpieces for the tables were auctioned off and the proceeds were used to fund the scholarship. Motion to adjourn was made by Dave Eichman, seconded by Mila. Meeting was adjourned at 2:45 PM.



2020 MDHMA Board Meeting

May 9, 2020 10:00 am (hopefully)

at Cunningham Barn, Columbia, MO.

Everyone Welcome!

Directions: www.missouridrafthorse.com



Greetings from Past President:

I would like to thank everyone for their support and understanding while I was your president. It was a very good and fun time. So, let's all get behind our new president and go on to bigger and better things as we move into a new year of mud and I mean a lot of mud.



I hope we have a lot better luck with our plowing this year, but it's not looking really good at this time





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between the rain and the Covid-19 virus. We don't know what will happen so just trust in the lord and it will all work out. Thank you all very much for everything.

Billy Meyer

Greetings from Bobby and Genny Wright:

Wow! What a crazy world we are living in! It would be easy to get depressed, but Dianna Phillips would not want that to happen! Bobby and I were so glad we got to see her at our Annual Meeting. Our thoughts and prayers are with Jack and all the family.

The Annual Meeting was so much fun and a lot was accomplished in a short time. Thanks to Mila for letting us have it at her perfect building.

We had a good time at the Illinois Teamster's Meeting too. We were both so tired when we got home, we're thinking we may get up early next year and drive on up there. Hopefully, Bobby will be willing to stay someplace on the way home. He told me we would do that the time we went to Mt. Pleasant several years ago. We ended up being awake for 23 hours because we came on home!

Bobby and Mike are both getting so excited about the plowings coming up. I'm praying for good weather and good health for everyone.

After 3 weeks of sinus infection and being down a week with a hurting back, I don't have much to report.

Please stay healthy everyone!

Greetings from Illinois BC's Belgians:

It seems like I just wrote a newsletter and here we are again. We are still looking for spring although we have enjoyed some sunny days. We had a great turn out for the teamster dinner. 42 people enjoyed a good meal and lots of visiting we were all trying to catch up on all the news. Jim Buzzard had the plow schedule which we went over and any changes or additions were made. Some of the plowing event hosts made remarks about their plow day and what to expect. The weather was perfect for this get together, a trip to Arthur, Illinois is always fun.

The sale at Gordyville was lived streamed by Albert Cleve and what a sale it was, some very high-priced mares were sold. We thank Albert for streaming and the knowledge that he shares with the viewers. The annual meeting was well attended with great food and lots of auction items to spark one's interest I am not sure who was the biggest buyer was, but it seemed like someone from Nebraska did quite well. Our new President is Neal DeVasher and the new secretary is Robin Holtgrewe, thanks to both for accepting the positions.

We attended the rodeo at the Illinois Horse Fair, what a huge crowd turned out for the event. The coliseum was full but rather chilly, some of us did not come prepared for the chill in the building. The mini ponies did the barrel racing and that was a highlight of the evening.

Although we should not have we went to the horse sale in Sedalia. The horse market is still very strong, Bill was not willing to pay the high prices although there were several teams he liked. We will just plod along with what we have, they are elderly but trustworthy.

As you all know by now my very best friend, Dianna K. Phillips, passed away on Tuesday March 17th 2020. She will be sadly missed by all who knew her. Her radiant smile will be forever remembered. We have some really great memories of trips we took together over the past 20 plus years. Rest in peace my friend. Due to the Corona Virus a private service



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was held on March 21st. 2020. A Memorial service will be held at a later date.

As always keep those drafts a movin'.

With prayers for all.

Bill and Celia Edwards, BC's Belgians

*Braving the mud. Participants of Bill & Celia's plow.
can't get any better.*

in Texas and got home just before virus pandemic started. Glad to go but glad to get home. Heard Waverly sale is postponed until May, must be bad if their postponing horse sales! Guess that 's all for now, hope this virus doesn't interfere with our plowing dates. The horses are shedding and I am ready to smell fresh dirt and hear harness jingling. Everybody, take care and stay well,

Valerie &
the
E7 Fjords
& fjules



Greetings from Northwest Missouri!

Not sure even a crystal ball could have foreseen the situation we are in with the corona virus. I think that most of us as rural residents have probably always done some social distancing but for city dwellers I am sure it's a new game. I am trying to just live as normal as possible but when the toilet paper runs out, it may be another story!

Not much going on really, have sons Eli and Jesse home for a few weeks. When it's decent weather, we are out on the place cutting trees, burning off pastures and reconfiguring a loafing shed. When it's raining, we are in St Joe working on a 1900 era brick building that Eli has bought. It has 16,000 sq. ft and there is a lot to be fixed. We are all learning a lot. I think mostly I have learned it's harder to go from sunup to sundown for me as it used to be.

Sold a bred registered Fjord mare to a lady in Colorado. She is going to try and pick her up in a couple of weeks. Have an appointment to get a couple of colts started in May with my Mennonite friend, Aaron. May take them to a couple of plowings and see how they do. Larry went to Boone Co sale and saw several of you, I stayed home and made good use of my help while I have them home.

Guess it wouldn't hurt to mention I have my first granddaughter Vivian Marie, born 3 weeks early but doing well. I went down and spent a week with them

Greetings form Southwest Missouri

We enjoyed the annual meeting at Mila's barn and the company of all the draft horse and mule families. It was good to see a nice crowd gathered on a warm winter day. The food was really good and tonight I thought I'd like to have a repeat of some of that good food. Thanks to the cook/cooks on all the meat. If you missed the meeting- you also missed a really good meal.

I want to thank Neal DeVasher for "willingly" agreeing to be our association president. Thank you to Billy Meyers for a job well done as our past president for several years. And thank you Karen Redeker for your job as secretary.

Here on the farm, we had a dry barn lot for 3 days this winter, but thankfully it rained, and rained again. We are not back up to our quota of mud again. Mud seems to be the rule for this winter. I need to clean out the barn but the little bobcat can't get through this much mud. The garden is going to have to wait a while longer for the top dressing from the barn.

I had a good trip to a couple of horse sales; Gordyville and Boone County Sale. There were some good horses at the sales but I didn't bring any home.



We have some mares that should foal in the next few weeks. New colts are a sure sign that spring is close and we are more than ready for warm and dry weathered days. The early spring trees are in full bloom, and several bushes in the yard are all covered in flowers. (You'll have to ask my wife the name of these bushes). They should survive the below freezing temperature forecast tonight.

Our granddaughters have been here this past week since the schools are closed. There's been a little school work going on each day, some afternoon walks, bike riding, and enjoying the early warm days. I figured since there are no sports on TV, and the grand-girls don't have school, I would quarantine in the recliner each evening- sort of like supporting the kids. We've been catching up on some decent western movies (1950's era). The littlest granddaughter loves to watch the horsey run in these old movies.

As soon as the weather clears, the barn lot dries up, I'm gonna collect on some of these extra days of baby sitting with some short helpers cleaning out the barn.

We pray that all have stayed well in this flu season, and weathered all the changes required to keep our people safe and healthy. Never have seen a day that wasn't better with some times with horses.

Jim and Cathy Sheehy

From Witness Tree Land & Livestock Farm:

Well, are we having fun yet? I think I know the answer to that. I hope everyone reading this is doing well and hunkering down as necessary, and that you have whatever essentials you need to get through. This will definitely be a new and unwanted experience for those folks who have never felt the need to prepare for a crisis. Honestly, though, stockpiling for a "rainy day" has always been kind of second nature to me, but I don't generally stock up on TP or hand sanitizer and all that. Food, feed, fuel, extra jugs of water, medicinal basics and herbs, lamp oil, candles, matches, soap, and batteries are

the main things I always try to have in surplus. My grandparents were young couples during the Depression, so my parents were Depression kids, and I was always taught to make do with what you had and don't waste anything. So, I don't feel completely unprepared for this latest adventure, but the response, and in some cases even greed, by the general public is just above and beyond reason. Very sad.

We are, as much as we can, staying home and hoping this resolves sooner rather than later. In the meantime, there's certainly no lack of things to get done or catch up on. Yesterday I stacked firewood and pulled a cr*p load of weeds that survived the winter and were trying to make a comeback. Today I completely re-fenced the goose & duck area, to their great joy. Tomorrow I might defrost the freezer---not a great joy, but necessary. And then there is the myriad of videos I have saved to watch "later". So now is as good a time as any to knock out some of that back-burner stuff.

This is sure taking a bite out of the plowing and other events. So much advance planning goes into these endeavors, and then the boom gets lowered. We are certainly hoping that, for our part, the current situation lets up before June, as that is typically when we have our flyers printed up and we start distributing them. Print advertising has deadlines, and most are three to six months in advance, are not cheap, and are darn nigh impossible to retract in a timely manner should an event be cancelled. It's a true gamble, but we are still planning on having our 24th event on Oct. 3 & 4. So, prayers are being said and fingers crossed that we will all be able to once again "free-range" by then!

So, in the spirit of sharing tips to keep us all in fighting form, I'm submitting a recipe for "Fire Cider"...Just think of it as liquid ammo to add to your defenses against microscopic invaders.

Well wishes to all!!

Happy Spring to All,
Gail & Dennis



Speedy Fire Cider Recipe with Dry Ingredients

Makes about 1 quart.

Ingredients

- 1/4 cup organic horseradish root powder
- 1/4 cup organic ginger root powder
- 1/4 cup dried organic minced onion
- 2 Tbsp. dried organic rosemary leaf
- 1 Tbsp. organic turmeric root powder
- 3 tsp. organic garlic powder
- 2 tsp. organic black peppercorns
- 2 tsp. organic astragalus root
- (or a few astragalus root slices)
- 1 tsp. dried organic orange peel
- 4 organic star anise pods
- 4 organic whole bird's eye
- About 4 cups raw apple cider vinegar

Directions

Place all herbs and spices in a quart-sized glass jar. Pour apple cider vinegar into jar until all ingredients are covered and the vinegar reaches the jar's top. If using a plastic lid, place lid on jar. If using a metal lid, place a piece of parchment paper underneath the metal lid to avoid the metal getting corroded, then screw lid on jar. Shake well. Store in a cool, dark, dry place for 2 weeks. Remember to shake daily. If it's got the kick you're seeking after 2 weeks, strain the ingredients through cheesecloth and pour the vinegar into a sterilized glass jar for storage. Squeeze out the cheesecloth to get every last drop of tasty herby goodness. Store in a cool, dark, dry place (or fridge) until gone. Take a tablespoon each morning to warm up and add to salad dressings at night.

If you like honey, then by all means...add it! Pour as much honey as you'd like into the vinegar (start with 1/4 cup) after step 6. Typical fire ciders require a month or more time in the jar before use. We found this recipe had plenty of kick after just 2 weeks. If you'd like it a bit stronger, continue to ferment for 2 more weeks.

Welcome to our new member:

Joe House from Holden, MO.

If you enjoy our newsletter & wish to contribute either time or an article - once or on a regular basis, please feel free to do so.

Happy Birthday Wishes: To our friends & family for the months of April and May to remember.

MDHMA has T shirts for sale & will be ordering more soon. If you have a favorite color let Hope know so we can see if it is available. We will be putting in an order for hats also.

****Advertise**** If you have items for sale or looking for an item we post for FREE.

On the mend...To all of our members & families who have been on our prayer list, "Keep Up the Good Work". We tighten our lines for our members & families who need extra prayers in the healing process.

If you wish to share something in the newsletter please feel free to email milamari55@mac.com or teresadevasher@yahoo.com

2020 MISSOURI DRAFT HORSE & MULE ASSOCIATION EVENTS CALENDAR

Circumstances could change dates, times and/or places. Some dates are based on last year's so please call or check websites

Pro Horse Pulls Joe Miller 573-682-0048 Ray Smith 573-682-4608

Newsletter articles are due 20th of Jan, Mar, May, Jul, Sep and Nov.

MDHMA Events Notices

Please send any information to
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POSTPONED Spuds Memorial Plowing Tom Eldridge
20510 Hornback St Greenview, IL 62642217-381-
5735 Jim Buzzard

Apr 18, 2020 MU CAFNR Horse Plow; David White
573-819-8998 HWY 63 turn east on 22, just before
you go over second overpass. on north side of 22 is
your destination: for your GPS punch in Larabee
Lake MO.

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Apr 24-25, 2020 Vering plowing Duncan Nebraska
30209 145th street, Columbus ne 68601 402-910-
4834

May 1-3, 2020 Neal's Plow Day; Warrensburg, MO

May 12-15 Waverly Horse sale (**Rescheduled year
only**)

Jun 13, 2020 ADAM'S DRAFT HORSE MOW DAY;
Northwest Missouri Steam and Gas Engine
Association Show Grounds. Bruce Adams at 816-
294-1230. For camping information and
accommodations contact Cathy Youtsey 816-284-
1654. <http://northwestmissouristeamandgas.com/>
Hamilton, MO 64644

Jun 20, 2020 MDHMA newsletter due date

July 3-4 Horse Progress Days, Mt. Hope Ohio

Jul 9-12, 2020 MARK TWAIN OLD THRESHERS
REUNION; Paris, Missouri Fairgrounds
<http://www.marktwainoldthreshers.com/> Angela
Fields 573-721-5705 Draft Horse Pull Saturday 8
5:00 P.M.

Jul 18, 2020 Threshermen Plowing Bible Grove IL;
Threshermen Contact Jim Buzzard 217-821-5930

Jul 23-25, 2020 Old Time Flywheel Reunion Draft
Horse show and Horse Pull; Macon County
Fairgrounds: Macon, Missouri Pro Horse Pull 8:00

Macon, Pro Horse Pull, Show Me Draft Horse Show
Jody Moss

Jul 25, 2020 Threshermen Plowing Greenville, IL;
Threshermen Contact Jim Buzzard 217-821-5930

Aug 1, 2020 Lathrop Mule Show; Lathrop Antique
Show Grounds, 2488 S.E. Hwy. 33, Lathrop Mo.
64465; 816-528-3000 during show
www.lathropantique.com

Aug 6-8, 2020 Ozark Empire Fair Springfield; Ozark
Empire Fairgrounds, 3001 N Grant Ave, Springfield, MO
65803, USA Ozark Empire Fair Springfield, MO 417-833-
2660 <https://www.ozarkempirefair.com/events>

Aug 15, 2020 Threshermen Plowing Pinckneyville, IL
Threshermen Contact Jim Buzzard 217-821-5930

Aug 16-18, 2020; Illinois State Fair Draft Horse Show;
Springfield IL; entries due July 15th see webpage

Aug 19-23, 2020 Missouri State Fair Draft Horse Show;
MO-135, Sedalia, MO 65301, Wednesday horse pull
5:00 Mathewson Draft Horse Show Thursday -Sunday
Mathewson Center www.mostatefair.com

Aug 20, 2020 MDHMA newsletter due date

Aug 22, 2020 Threshermen Plowing Altamont, IL
Threshermen Contact Jim Buzzard 217-821-5930

Aug 28-29, 2020 Tom Renner Belleville, IL Contact Jim
Buzzard 217-821-5930

Aug 29-30, 2020; Duquoin State Fair Draft Horse Show;
Duquoin IL; Phil Farrell 217-855-9111

Sep 3-6, 2020 **PENDING CONFIRMATION** Missouri River
Valley Steam Show; Boonville, MO Mila Cunningham
573-442-8417 <http://www.mrvsea.com/>

Sep 17-19, 2020 **PENDING CONFIRMATION** Northeast
Missouri Old Threshers: Shelbina, Mo Jim Peters 660-
291-9596 Fri Farm Draft Horse Pull Charlie Kane 660-
346-6366 <http://www.nemoldthreshers.com/>

Sep 12, 2020 Threshermen Plowing Highland, IL 62249,
Threshermen Contact Jim Buzzard 217-821-5930



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Sep 25-26, 2020; East Perry Community Fair; Altenburg, MO: Steve Mangels 573-270-9630

<http://www.eastperryfair.com/>

Oct 3-4, 2020; Mid-Mo Horse, Mule & Ox Farming Days: Gerald, MO 63037, Witness Tree Land and Livestock Gail Cross and Dennis Sahm Gerald, Missouri 573-764-2629 FACEBOOK

Oct 3, 2020; Threshermen Plowing Newton, IL62448, USA: Threshermen Contact Jim Buzzard 217-821-5930

Oct 9-11, 2020; Living History Festival Show Lathrop, MO: 816-528-3000 during show

Oct 10, 2020; Plowing Dresden, TN 38225, USA: Contact Jim Buzzard 217-821-5930 Mike Turbeville

Oct 16-17, 2020; FALL FESTIVAL & DRAFT HORSE PLOW DAYS: Hamilton, MO 64644 please contact Cathy Youtsey at 816-284-1654. For all other show inquiries, contact Robert Blades at 816-390-0199.

<http://northwestmissouristeamandgas.com/>

Oct 20, 2020; MDHMA newsletter due date

Oct 24, 2020 PENDING CONFIRMATION; Rural Heritage Day: St. Genevieve, MO: Jack Donze 573-883-5687

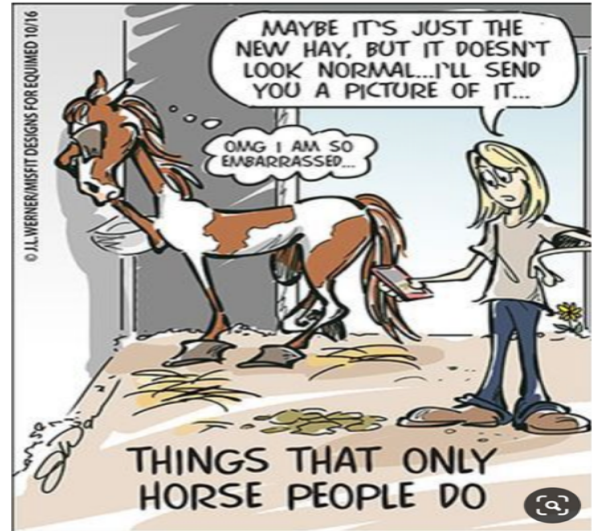
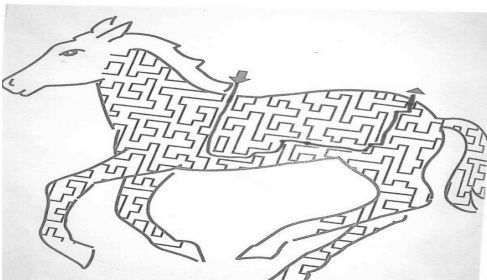
<https://www.visitstegen.com/rural-heritage-days/>

Oct 30-Nov 1, 2020; Val & Larry's Plowing

Nov 6-7, 2020; Dave Eichman Plow Day Levasy, MO 816-719-1383

Dec 20, 2020; MDHMA newsletter due date

Last month's puzzle:



Saved from horseandman.com

AN INVITATION TO YOU

ILLINOIS STATE FAIR

NEWLY REFURBISHED COLISEUM
AUGUST 16, 17, & 18, 2020

Classic Six Horse Hitch Class Each Day
Gelding Six Class/Mare Six Class/Open Supreme Six Class
All Breeds – Level "A" All American Qualifier
Belgian Merit Program Point Show
Hafflinger/Draft Pony Point Show
All Horses Stabled in good box stalls
Entries due by July 15th / Camping RSVP due April 1

DUQUOIN STATE FAIR

Beautiful Grounds and Facilities
Draft Horse, Mule and Pony Halter and Hitches
August 29 & 30, 2020

Open Classic Six-Horse Hitch Class Each Day
\$250 awarded to every Four-Horse Hitch presented in the ring
Hafflinger/Draft Pony Six-Horse Hitch Point Show
DuQuoin All Horse and Mule Parade

For further information, please contact:
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