

July 2021



# *The Tales*

## **Newsletter of The Morgan Horse Club of Washington State, Inc.**

<http://www.mhcws.org>

Happy 4<sup>th</sup> of July! Summer is definitely here!

Oh what a difference a year makes! It is great to see horse shows going on and things getting back to “normal”. I hope you are all out enjoying your Morgan horses and staying cool!

We are now working on the C-Fair show. The show will have Dressage, Western Dressage, Ranch, Reining, Trail and a full line of Morgan, Saddlebred, and Friesian classes. As well as Open classes. It is also our Morgan Regional Horse show! As, well as the Friesian Regional Horse show. The Prize list is OUT! Check it out at <http://www.pacificnorthwestmorganhorseshow.com/> .

We are looking for volunteers! There are lots of smaller things that need to be done. As little as 20 minutes at the show. All those little things are so helpful and it is a way to make it a great show, meet new friends, and give back to our great Morgan community. Please reach out for the full list of things that are needed and sign up now!

The club is also planning on having our Awards banquet in November 13<sup>th</sup>. We heard your comments and are going to have it in the afternoon this year. The doors will open at 12:30 pm. It will be a fun filled afternoon and early evening. Save the date of Look for more on that!

Since our shows are back don't forget to get your points in for the High point awards. Go to: <https://mhcws.org/awards-program/>. The link to the form is toward the bottom of the page.

Let's encourage others to become club members! Let them know they are missing out on year end awards as well as a great time reminiscing with Morgan friends at the banquet.

Speaking of awards. If you would like to sponsor any of our year end awards contact Katie Hoover at [klhoover@comcast.net](mailto:klhoover@comcast.net) or myself for a list of what awards are available to sponsor. Here is your opportunity to help out the club, get some promotion for your farm or Stallion etc. To sponsor each award is \$50 per category/award and we are also looking for a sponsor for the Jr Exhibitors “keeper awards” There are 6 of those and they are \$35.00 each. Get out there and enjoy your Morgan horse!

As always if you have any questions, ideas let me know!

Warm Regards,  
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MHCWS President  
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## Editor's Page

A note from our editor:

Hello everyone.

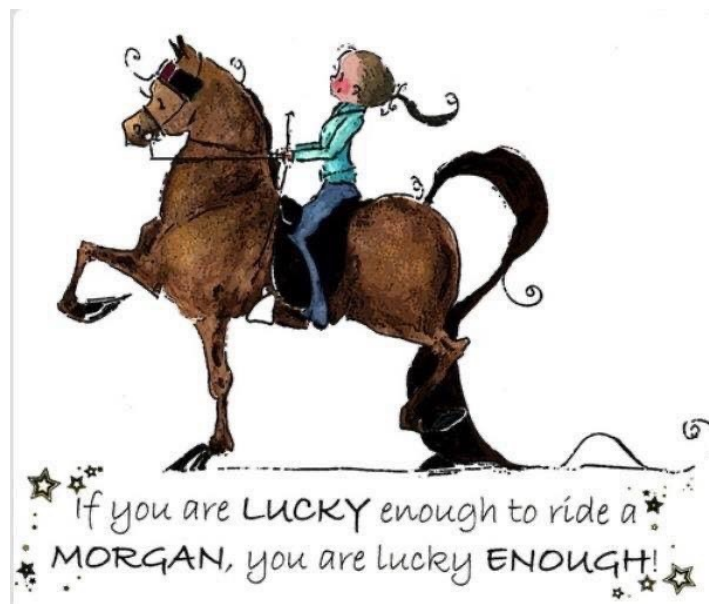
We would love to see what everyone has been up to lately! Please feel free to send me your news, photos, and other fun tidbits you'd like to share with us all.

Just a reminder, the deadline for the Tales is the 20th of each month.

Don't forget we have great advertising opportunities available; business card ads, full and half page ads, rates can be found on the last page of the Tales.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or things you would like submitted for future editions of the Tales.

Linda Collins, Tales Editor



MORGAN HORSE CLUB OF WASHINGTON STATE. INC.

July 13, 2021 – Zoom meeting, Meeting was called to order at 7:20 p.m.

Board Members present: , Treasurer Marla Miller, Katie Hoover, Sandra Nichols and Communications

Chair: Julianne Anderson

Board Members absent: President Carol Fletcher, Vice President Linda Collins and Secretary Nicole

Barbour, Past President Jennifer Unick Directors: Patty Davis, Jessica Geissinger Pellissier, Youth

Liaison: Allison Hall

Minutes:

Minutes for the June board meeting were approved on June 23th, 2021, by Carol, Linda, Sandra, Katie, Marla, Patty and Nicole

Treasurer Report: Marla Miller

Financials were sent out after the meeting via email as follows:

Bank Balances As of June 30, 2021

Club Checking \$ 40,848.46

Key Classic Checking \$ 58,580.10

C-Fair Checking \$ 1,949.48

Reserve Savings \$ 22,860.93

Leo Beckley Savings \$ 15,098.08

Membership: Patty Davis No report

Tree Farm: Sandy talked to Penny of the PRA horse club about allowing people to sign up on line.

Penny does not want on-line signatures for release forms and does not want to change he procedures.

Horse Show Reports:

Key: Horse Show Committee: Most of the show bills have now been received

C-Fair Regional: Horse Show Committee Sponsorships are just starting for C-Fair. Carol and Marla are working on new vendor forms.

Volunteers needed!

Sunshine: Jennifer Cards will be sent out to Lorinda Blue for the loss of her horse, Anne Robitaille (sp) lost her horse Spencer and the McGregor family lost Toon.

Awards committee: Katie Hoover: Reminder that the deadline for turning in MHCWS points is Oct 15.

Promotions: Linda Collins: No new information about the Fairs. A MHCWS table was set up at OMC.

Banquet: Julianne Anderson –Julianne will be calling Alexa to get on schedule for catering of the banquet. We have sent in the room deposit for November 13 th .

Youth Report: Allison Hall sent “the next Kahoot will be vet themed and will be held on July 21 st ”.

Old Business:

Web Site update: Julianne is working on website. She received a lot of pictures and is going to send out a link to the Board shortly.

New Business:

Meeting Adjourned at: 8:30 pm Katie moved and Marla seconded

## **2021 Morgan Horse Show Dates:**

**Key Classic Benefit Show - Completed**

**May 6-9**

**Evergreen State Fairgrounds, Monroe WA**

**Oregon Morgan Classic - Completed**

**June 16-19**

**Oregon Horse Center, Eugene OR**

**C-Fair Charity Morgan Regional and Open Horse Show August 4-8**

**Evergreen State Equestrian Park, Monroe WA**

**PNW Morgan Show -**

**August 26-29**

**Tacoma Unit, Spanaway WA**

**Morgan Grand Nationals and World Championship Horse Show**

**Oklahoma City, OK**

**October 9-16**



## Member News

MEMC Sahara Gold with Jessica Pelissier, SMS Annalark with James Garrett and Pandora's Hope with Jim Pelissier. Decorated and ready to lead the parade through town with Whitman County Sheriff's Posse!



## 2021 Driving and Competitive Trail Dates

### Driving Events:

June 7-10 Combined Driving Clinic with Stacey Giere and Sterling Graburn

June 11-13 Everything-but-the-Kitchen-Sink

August 13-15 EI CDE

September 11-12 EI Driving Trial

All events will be held at Donida Farm Equestrian Center in Auburn, WA

This is the website for additional information and entry details:

<http://www.einw.org/driving.html>

### Competitive Trail Competitions:

<https://www.equinetrailsports.com/events/10054> gives you a full list of the events held in the Pacific Northwest

(WA, OR, ID, MT etc) this list will continue to expand as the event organizers get their events submitted.

The AMHA DOES offer a Morgan Award at these events. We are already planning to attend:

June 19-20 at Silver Ridge Ranch, Easton WA

July 24-25 at Silver Ridge Ranch, Easton WA


August 21-22 at Silver Ridge Ranch, Easton WA

We would love to see LOTS of Morgans at these events.

# C-FAIR

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August 5-8, 2021 · Evergreen State Fairgrounds · Monroe, Washington  
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## MHCWS High Point Awards and Sponsorships

Now that show season is in full swing, don't forget to get your point in for the High Point Awards! You can find the form to submit your points at the following link

<https://mhcws.org/awards-program/>

Speaking of awards.....

Here is your opportunity to help out the club, get some promotion for your farm or stallion, etc. For just a small amount, you can help to sponsor our clubs year end awards. Cost is \$50 per category/award, or \$35 to sponsor each of the 6 categories of junior exhibitor keeper awards. If you would like to sponsor any of our year end awards, please contact Katie Hoover at [klhoover@comcast.net](mailto:klhoover@comcast.net) for a list of what awards are available to sponsor.



## 2021 MHCWS Board Meeting and Event Calendar

Date	Event	Details	Notes -Horse Shows
January 12	Board Meeting	conference call	
February 9	Board Meeting	conference call	
March 9	Board Meeting	conference call	
April 13	Board Meeting	conference call	
May 6-9	<b>Key Classic Horse Show</b>	Evergreen Fairgrounds, Monroe	
May 18	Board Meeting	conference call	
June 8	Board Meeting	conference call	
July 13	Board Meeting	conference call	
August 5-8	<b>C-Fair Charity Horse Show</b>	Evergreen Fairgrounds, Monroe	
August 17	Board Meeting	conference call	
September 7	Board Meeting	conference call	
September ??	<b>Tree Farm Annual Barbeque</b>	date to be determined	
October 19	Board Meeting	conference call	Nationals Oct 9-16
November 13	<b>Annual Banquet/Meeting</b>	Lake Forest Park Civic Club 1PM	
December 14	Board Meeting	conference call	

Until the Covid issue is resolved all Board meetings will be via conference calls. All meeting dates and locations are subject to change. Please check with a board member or the MHCWS.org website if you have questions.

## 2021 MHCWS Elected Officers

Board Member	Position	Email
Carol Fletcher	President	<a href="mailto:d3ofnine@gmail.com">d3ofnine@gmail.com</a>
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- 1 year Business Card—\$35

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- Half-Page—\$25
- Line ad—\$15
- 1 year Business Card—\$45

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### Website Advertising

- Linked Classified—50 words including link and references to your website. \$35/year
- Breeders/Trainers Page—Free to Members

Ads run for 3 months.

Email pictures in a jpg format.

All professional pictures must have a release from the photographer to be used on the website.