

Driving Lines

COLORADO
DRIVING
SOCIETY



President's Message



“April is a promise that May is bound to keep”.

-Hal Borland

We hope this is true as it pertains to weather. As I write this, we are awaiting a string of 70degree days which are in stark contrast to the huge snowstorms we endured in March. The CDS finally held it's Indoor Driving Derby #2 at Messer Arena

in Kiowa this past Saturday after being postponed twice. The event ran very smoothly thanks to Susie Haszelbart's expert organizational skills and tweak in the scheduling to let everyone in a given division drive at a set time. Results can be found on the CDS website and Facebook page.

Gary Lewman's Driving 101 Clinic was cancelled due to difficulty in finding an appropriate venue and lack of participants. Joe Johnson's Long Lining Clinic scheduled for April 17th is also low on participants at this time. The Horse Expo, usually held the first weekend in March, always generates interest in these two clinics, but unfortunately was not held this year. Please sign up if you are planning on attending.

CDS is excited to host the Easter Egg Hunt at the Indiana Equestrian Center in Arvada on Sat, April 3rd. Susan Tyler has done a fabulous job of coordinating this very popular event.

The Board (6pm) and General Membership (7pm) meetings this month will be held on Thurs, Apr 8th via Zoom. Stay tuned to your email for login information. The topic of the membership meeting will be the Sporting Day of Traditional Driving. Erik & Mary Jensen will talk about this event scheduled for June 5th at their farm in Franktown.

Congratulations to everyone who submitted their driving & ground driving hours for 2020. Susie Haszelbart is distributing the very handsome mugs complete with your name and total hours as prizes.

Here's to March snow showers bringing lots of May flowers and nice, sunny days for driving!

Kris

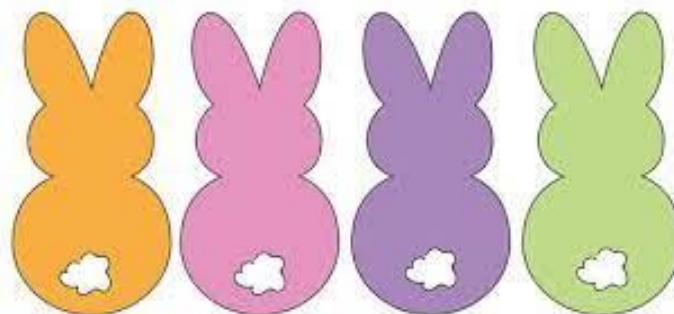
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Colorado Driving Society TENTATIVE Calendar for 2021

■ = Event needs organizer!

Events with no snow date listed will be cancelled in the event of bad weather or other unforeseen circumstances. Be sure to check email or Facebook for communications regarding weather or COVID cancellations.

Day	Date/Time	Event	Location	Contact
Sat	Apr 3	Easter Egg Hunt	Indiana Horse Park, Arvada	Susan Tyler 303-915-9553
Thur	Apr 8, 6pm, 7pm	Board Meeting and General Membership Meeting- Topic Sporting Day of Traditional Driving	TBD	Kris Jensen 303.841.5238
Sat	Apr 10	Easter Egg Hunt Snow Date	Arvada, CO	Susan Tyler 303-915-9553
Sat	Apr 17, 10am -4pm	Long Lining Clinic: Instructor: Joe Johnson	Sandy Clayton's	Sandy Clayton 303-646-3595
Fri-Sat	Apr 23-24	Troyer Auction	Greeley	Www.troyerauctions.com
Sat	Apr 24	Indoor Derby Drive #2 (resched)	Messer Arena	Susie Haszelbart 303.882.2462 Kris Jensen 303.841.5238
Sat	May 1	Navigator's Clinic with Denise Lowe RESCHEDULED 29MAY21	RMCC	
Sun	May 2	Dressage Clinic : Instructor: K.C. Kyle	Sandy Clayton's	Sandy Clayton 303-646-3595
Sat-Sun	May 15-15	Thorsten Zarembowitz Clinic	Thistle Hill Farm	Kris Jensen 303.841.5238
Sat	May 22	Driving Derby #1	Salisbury Park	Erik Jensen 303-886-5555
Sat	June 5	Sporting Day of Traditional Driving	Thistle Hill Farm	Erik & Mary Jensen 303-886-5555
Sun	June 6	SDTD Cross Country Drive	Thistle Hill Farm	Erik & Mary Jensen 303-886-5555
Thur	Jun 10, 6pm, 7pm	Board Meeting and General Membership Meeting- Topic TBD	TBD	Kris Jensen 303.841.5238
Sat	Jun 12	Kids and Carts	Salisbury Park	Terry Miller



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Day	Date/Time	Event	Location	Contact
Sat	Jul 17	Twenty Mile House CDT Set up Day	Salisbury Park	Sara Swearingen 352-275-3316
Sun	Jul 18	Twenty Mile House CDT	Salisbury Park	Sara Swearingen 352-275-3316
Sat	Jul 31	Pleasure Drive - Bannockburn	Bannockburn, Franktown	Margie Lillestadt 303-810-6162
Thur	Aug 12, 6pm, 7pm	Board Meeting and General Membership Meeting- Topic TBD	Topic -CDE Q&A	Kris Jensen 303.841.5238
Sat	Aug 14	Buffalo Creek Picnic Drive	Buffalo Creek Ranch	Terri Miller
Sat	Aug 21	Driving Derby #2	Salisbury Park	
Sat	Aug 28	Greenland Open Space Drive	Greenland Drive	Erik Jensen 303-886-5555
Sat	Sep 18	Colorado CDE Work Day	Colorado Horse Park	Erik Jensen 303-886-5555
Fri-Sun	Oct 1-3	Colorado CDE	Colorado Horse Park	Erik Jensen 303-886-5555
Mon	Oct 4	Clinic with Colorado CDE Judge	Colorado Horse Park	Erik Jensen 303-886-5555
Thur	Oct 14, 6pm, 7pm	Board Meeting and General Membership Meeting- Topic TBD	TBD	Kris Jensen 303.841.5238
Sat	Oct 16	Blue Jeans Driving Games	Salisbury Park	Susie Haszelbart 303-882-2462
Sat	Oct 30	Halloween Drive	Salisbury Park	Marie and Gary Harrity—Smith 303-841-6142
Sat	Nov 13	Planning Meeting	TBD	Kris Jensen 303.841.5238
Sat	Nov 20	Turkey Hunt	Salisbury Park	Susie Haszelbart 303-882-2462
Sat	Dec 4	Christmas Party	TBD	Kris Jensen 303.841.5238
Sat	Dec 11	Parker Christmas Parade	Parker	Town of Parker

- Clayton Ranch 7158 Hwy 86, Kiowa, CO 80117
- Salisbury Horse Park 11920 N. Motzenbacher Rd, Parker, CO 80134
- Colorado Horse Park 7522 S Pinery Dr, Parker, CO 80134
- Thistle Hill Farm 2072 Summit St. Franktown CO 80116
- Messer Arena 33955 Co Rd 37, Kiowa, CO 80117



Rocky Mountain Carriage Club, Tentative Schedule of Events 2021

call to confirm dates & locations **AND COVID-19 CANCELLATIONS**

Dates/times subject to change; check the RMCC Newsletter for additional details prior to events.

Please contact Kerri Rochon if you are interested in helping organize an event.

Day	Date/Time	Event	Location	Contact for Information
Sun	Apr 11	Spring Brunch (in place of Holiday Party)	Ben's Pizza, Hudson CO	Diane Russell 303-319-5974
Sat-Sun	TBD	Marathon Education Day and Mini-Marathon POSTPONED	Silver Whip Farm, Fort Collins	
Sat	May 8	Poker Run and Potluck, RMCC Annual Meeting	Capitol Park Farm, Lafayette	Jan & Clyde Canino
Tues	May 11	RMCC Board Meeting, 7:30 pm, via Zoom		
Sat-Sun	Jun 26-27	Silver Whip CT/DT	Silver Whip Farm, Fort Collins	
Sun	Jul 11	Second Sunday Drive	Capitol Park Farm, Lafayette	Jan & Clyde Canino
Sun	Aug 8	RMCC Derby	Silver Whip Farm, Fort Collins	
	TBD	Thorsten Z. Clinic	Silver Whip Farm, Fort Collins	
	Oct 1-3	Colorado CDE	Colorado Horse Park	Erik Jensen 303-886-5555
Sun	Oct 10	Continuous 3-Phase Drive	Silver Whip Farm, Fort Collins	
Sat	Nov 6	Poker Run and Potluck, RMCC Annual Meeting	Silver Whip Farm, Fort Collins	
Sun	Nov 14	RMCC Board Planning Meeting, 1:30 pm, via Zoom		

A \$15 fee will be charged for nonmember participation at horse-involved clinics and competition-type driving events. Non-horse activities will be outreach events and will remain open to nonmembers without

CDS MEMBER EVENT: EASTER EGG HUNT | SATURDAY, APRIL 3 | INDIANA EQUESTRIAN PARK | ARVADA, CO

For One and All, Big and Small CDS Annual Easter Egg Hunt

11 am Saturday, April 3, 2021 (Rain/Snow date April 10)
Indiana Equestrian Park 7600 Indiana St, Arvada CO 80007

To be sure we have enough eggs and candy, let us know you are coming before March 28. Please send an email to SusanHTyler@gmail.com or call 303-915-9553. Thanks!

How it works:

- Arrive as early as you like to decorate your carriage and horse/pony/mini/mule/burro/children.
- Secure your horse. You may use one of the horse pens.

At the sign-in table: *please wear a mask & stand 6 ft. apart.*

- Bring your completed *signed* release (next page)
- Get number tags for your basket & cart.
- Tie one tag to your cart and one to your basket.
(or to yourself if you're ground-driving, in which case an apron with a pocket for eggs may be helpful.)

**11 am Enjoy your lunch with your family.
No Pot Luck this year.**

12:30 Parade

- Drive your turnout into the arena for the judges.
- Then go directly east to the egg hunting field.

12:45 THE EASTER EGG HUNT!

- Line up at the starting line (row of cones.)
- Set down your basket by a cone.

When the whistle blows:

1. Drive out into the field to find an egg. **STOP.**
 2. One helper gets down, picks up one egg, and gets back into the carriage.
 3. Drive back to your basket at the starting line. **STOP.**
 4. One helper gets down, puts the egg in the basket, & gets back into the carriage.
- Repeat steps 1 thru 4 above *for each egg.*
 - After 30 minutes, the judge will blow the whistle twice, to signal you may pick up all the eggs you find.

When the whistle blows again:

- Leave your basket full of eggs by the cones to be counted by the judges.
- Return to trailers, unhitch and secure your horse.

2:00 Awards

- Return to the field to see who won prizes!
- Retrieve your basket.
- Help clean up and thank the organizers and judges.

This is the perfect first drive of the season to remind your horse how to stop, stand, and go!



We thank Nina Shilodon for organizing this event for 20 years. She is moving to Tennessee. We will do our best to make this Easter Egg Hunt as fun as ever!

PRIZES

- Best Turnout (whatever that means)
- Best Bonnet or Hat
- Best Egg Finder
- Locaters of 'Special Eggs'

RULES

- Entries may be any safe cart or carriage hitched to any size equine. Line driving is also ok. Wear an apron with pockets.
- *An equine must have a bridle with reins attached and passed through the turrets before it is hitched to a carriage.*
- Helpers must mount and dismount only from STOPPED carriages.
- Only one helper from your turnout on the ground at a time
- Walk or trot only, no cantering.
- Judges are here for fun and to help keep us safe. They are volunteers and their word is final. Please thank them.
- Drivers please keep your helpers out of harm's way.
- An unruly driver or equine will be invited off the field.

EGGS! Please bring eggs!

The more eggs we have to hide the more fun we all will have finding them!

Please drop off hard boiled colored eggs.
Leave by front door Friday evening

- Sharon's: 14891 W. 76th Drive, Arvada.
(turn west from Indiana St. onto 76th Dr.)
- Pat's: 7231 N. Eaton Circle, Arvada CO 80003
- Kelly's: 11056 E Grant Rd, Franktown CO
Please text Kelly in advance 719.629.6899

Folks that are too far away for early drop off are requested to bring candy filled plastic eggs to the Hunt. We will swap these out after the awards are given.

Please keep everyone safe: Wear a mask. Stand 6 ft apart.

CDS Annual Easter Egg Hunt

11 am Saturday, April 3, 2021 (Rain/Snow date April 10)
Indiana Equestrian Park 7600 Indiana St, Arvada CO 80007

This has always been a free event! If you haven't yet paid your CDS 2021 dues, please bring your dues check.

Remember to bring:

- Your lunch and drinks. (No potluck this year)
- Your signed releases, one for yourself and one for each passenger, minor's releases signed by the parent.
- Your Easter Basket and your face mask.
- Your egg hunting assistant(s) with their masks.
- Your equine, harness, whip, carriage and decorations.
- WATER for your equine.

When you arrive at the park:

- Park your trailer and secure your equine(s).
- Check in at the CDS table near the pavilion with your signed releases, and get your 2 number tags.
- Decorate your cart and equines.
- Enjoy your lunch and drinks with your family.

The Easter Egg Hunt:

- 12:30 Drive into the Arena for the Easter Parade.
- 12:45 Park your rig at the starting line. Set down your Basket.
- 1:00 When the whistle blows, the hunt begins!
- 1:30 After the hunt, leave your eggs in your basket under the watchful eyes of the the judges. Unhitch and secure your equines.
- 2:00 Return to the field to see who won prizes and retrieve your basket.
- Thank the judges and help clean up the field & trailer areas.

Before March 28,
please call or email Susan Tyler
303-915-9553 or SusanHTyler@gmail.com
to let us know you plan to attend
(so we have enough eggs and candy!)



DIRECTIONS

From the north, take I-25 or 287 south to 120th Ave. (CR 128)

Go West (right) to Indiana St. Go south to 7600. The park will be on your left, east side.

If you get to a little white church on the left, you missed the park entrance. Go back.

A few yards into the park is an electric gate. It has a metal detector that senses your truck and triggers the gate to open.

From the south, take I-25 north to I-70 West. Exit onto Ward Road North.

Go north to Hwy. 72 (64th Ave.) Go left (west), then right (north) on Indiana St., cross 72nd Ave.

Just past a little white church on the right is the entrance to the horse park.

A few yards into the park is an electric gate. It has a metal detector that senses your truck or car and triggers the gate to open.

**This document will cover & serve for all driving events in the year 2021
Colorado Driving Society**

The undersigned fully assumes all responsibilities and risks from or arising out of the transportation, handling, use, and driving and/or riding of horses at any and all Colorado Driving Society activities, and at adjacent arenas that may be owned or controlled by the Colorado Driving Society, and further agrees to indemnify, hold harmless and defend the Colorado Driving Society (the "Premises"), their respective trainers, employees, agents, independent contractors, and members of boards of governance ("Indemnities") from all damages, losses, expenses or liabilities for any injury to the person or property of the undersigned, third parties or said horses at the Premises by the undersigned. I understand that there are risks involved in the use of the Premises, and I fully assume all such risks, and knowingly waive any and all specific notice of existence of such conditions.

Driver:

Groom/Navigator:

Signature: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Date: _____

Print name: _____

Print name: _____

Telephone: _____

Telephone: _____

Address: _____

Address: _____

Doctor's name: _____

Doctor's name: _____

Dr.'s phone: _____

Dr.'s phone: _____

Medical conditions we should be aware of:

Medical conditions we should be aware of:

If either of the above individuals is a minor, please complete the following:

On behalf of the above-named minor, I waive and release all claims for damages, losses or expenses to person or property, which may be caused by an unreasonable act or failure to act of the Indemnities names above. I understand that there are risks involved in the use of the Premises, and I assume that risk of all conditions in and about said facility for myself and the above from all damages, losses, expenses or liabilities for any injury to the person or property of the above-named minor, third parties or said Indemnities caused by or arising out of the transportation, handling, use or riding of horses at the Premises by the above-named minor.

Parent/guardian signature: _____

Date: _____

In addition to the Release provided above and any release in any other agreement, the following warning is given in accordance with Colorado Law.

WARNING

UNDER COLORADO LAW, AN EQUINE PROFESSIONAL IS NOT LIABLE FOR AN INJURY TO OR THE DEATH OF A PARTICIPANT IN EQUINE ACTIVITIES RESULTING FROM THE INHERENT RISKS OF EQUINE ACTIVITIES, PURSUANT TO SECTION 13-21-120, COLORADO REVISED STATUTES.

DRIVING DERBY #2

The March 27th Driving derby at Messer Arena in Kiowa was much fun! We had 10 drivers, plus 2 ground drivers who all enjoyed yet another excellent cones course with hazards! Thank you so much to our volunteers who helped set up and clean up. (and apologies for any blurry pictures, they were taken by my 8 year old :-)) Looking very much forward to our next event, April 24th at Messer!



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COLORADO INDOOR DRIVING DERBY SERIES

March 27, 2021

Open Division			Round 1			Round 2			Final Score	Placin
			Penalties	Time	Total	Penalties	Time	Total		
Horse - Pair										
100		Erik Jensen		2:55	2:55		2:53	2:53	2:53	1
Horse - Single										
105		Ingo Wiedenhues		2:14	2:14		2:12	2:12	2:12	1
102		Carl Sandvik		4:20	4:20		4:16	4:16	4:16	2
Large Pony - Single										
106		Susie Haszelbart	BD	2:48	2:53	BD	2:39	2:44	2:44	1
VSE - Single										
104		Bob Bartlett	OC	2:22	-----		2:04	2:04	2:04	1
103		Heike Bartlett		2:18	2:18		2:08	2:08	2:08	2
101		Peggy Hamlin	OC	2:48	-----		2:41	2:41	2:41	3
Small Pony - Single										
201		Al Senzamici		2:06	2:06		2:12	2:12	2:06	1

Training Division			Round 1			Round 2			Final Score	Placin
			Penalties	Time	Total	Penalties	Time	Total		
Horse - Single										
200		Kelly Stanton		3:17	3:17		3:14	3:14	3:14	1
202		Rebecca Melody	OC	3:45	-----	BD	6:34	6:39	6:39	2
Large Pony - Single										
203		Susie Haszelbart	BD	2:45	2:50		2:31	2:31	2:31	1
Small Pony - Single										
201		Al Senzamici	C	2:33	2:53		2:30	2:30	2:30	1

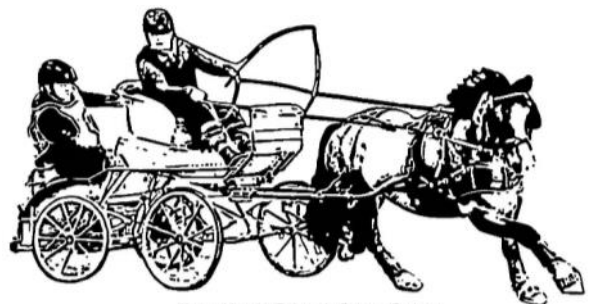
Other:

OC = Off Course = Elimination for that round

BD = Ball Down = 5 seconds

DB = Dislodged Barrel = 5 seconds

C = Cantering in training division per occurrence = 20 seconds



Hosted by the Colorado Driving Society

Join us for ...

Colorado Indoor Driving Derby Series & Practice Derby

All Driven Equines Welcome!

Saturday, April 24, 2021

10 am to 2 pm

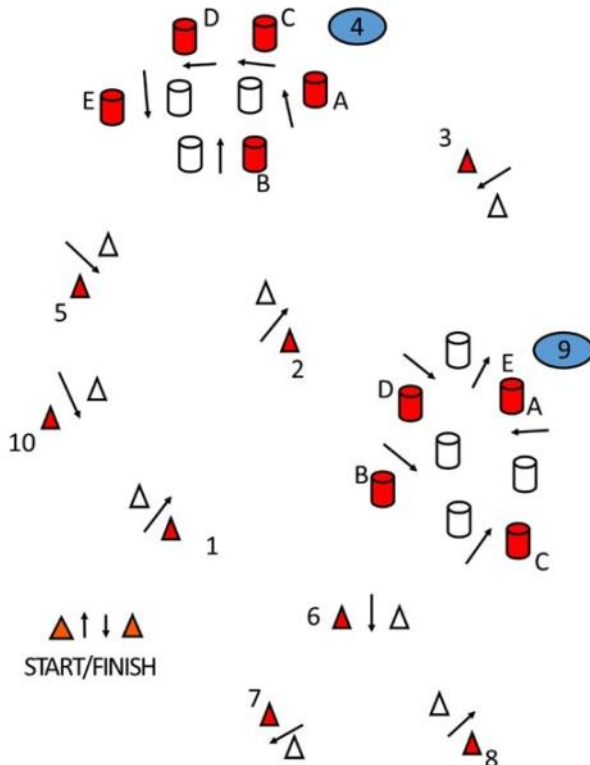
Messer Arena 33955 County Rd. 37, Kiowa, CO 80117

\$25 per entry at the door, with second entry \$10 & ground drivers \$10



Heated Indoor Arena 145' X 230'

Colorado Indoor Driving Derby Series-



Red number or letter is always on your right
Obstacle gates (barrels) set a minimum of 3 meters (@10 feet) wide
Cones set at 2 meters (@ 6.5 feet) wide

8am—Set up course
 9am—**Course walk without horses**
 10am—**Open Division** (Any gait) with 2 runs back to back with short break in between
 @11am—**Training Division** (Walk - Trot) with 2 runs back to back with short break in between
 @Noon—**Practice only, not timed**
 @1pm—**Ground Driving** (\$10 only)
 If time allows—"Ground Drive Off" - Only obstacle gates (barrels) correctly driven A through E with best time. All entries welcome & free of charge.



Hosted by the Colorado Driving Society
Questions/RSVP: Call or Text 303-882-2462

COLORADO (VETERAN) DRIVING DERBY SOCIETY



2021 Driving Derby Entry Form

Entry Number #:

Driver: _____ Release

Cell number: _____

Navigator/Groom: _____ Release

Equine Name: _____ Sex: _____ Age: _____

Equine Name: _____ Sex: _____ Age: _____

DIVISION:

Training (no cantering)

Open (any gait)

Paid: \$ _____

Cash

Check # _____

CLASS:

Draft (over 16.2 & weighing more than 1600 lbs)

Horse (over 14.2 hands)

Large Pony (12.2 – 14.2 hands)

Small Pony (less than 12.2 hands)

VSE (under 9.3 hands/under 39")

The above size classification include any breed of equine: horse, pony, mule, donkey, etc.

Need a little help?

Putting to

Header

Navigator/Groom

Support

- Just let us know -

TURNOUT:

Single Pair Other _____

One entry form for each turnout

Classes may be split or combined based on number of entries.

Release and Waiver of Liability and Assumption of Risk Agreement

Messer Arena and Event Center (a.k.a. Messer Event & Agriculture Center) - 303-819-6799
33955 County Rd. 37 Kiowa, Co 80117 - Ralph Messer, Inc P.O. Box 4810 Parker, Co 80134

This agreement (the "Agreement") is made by and between the Undersigned and Ralph Messer Inc., a Colorado Corporation "Proprietor" (Messer Event & Agricultural Center) "Property."

Name of "Undersigned:"

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Emergency Contact

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Terms & Conditions

"Event:" _____

In consideration for being permitted to participate in the Event, I the Undersigned (or Authorized/Legal Representative), acknowledge and agree to the following:

1. The Undersigned is authorized to make this application on behalf of its company, employer, or any such entity which the Undersigned represents.
2. That upon entering the Property, the Undersigned shall continuously thereafter inspect such facilities and all portions thereof, and its continued use thereof shall constitute an acknowledgment that it has inspected such facility and finds and accepts the same as being safe and reasonably suited for the purposes of the use; and further warrants that if at any time the facility is deemed to be unsafe, the Proprietor and any of its officials will be notified, and the use of the Property shall be terminated or restricted as solely determined by the Proprietor.
3. The Undersigned hereby releases, waives and discharges Messer Event & Agricultural Center, it's proprietor, officers, officials, directors, shareholders, employees, and representatives on account of any injury, damage claim, or cause of action to the person, attendees, guests or property which the Undersigned sustains while the Undersigned is utilizing the Property for any purpose.

Member News...

The winter show season in Florida is winding down and Colorado drivers from the club have represented the state incredibly well this year.

RoBerta Greeno is the Florida Champion for Intermediate Small Pony Pairs with her Classic Shetlands 10 year old Hobbs and 9yr old Payday!



Winning The Grand Oaks CDE, Spring Fling CDE and the Grand Oaks Live CDE finishing first in all three shows.



Denise Loewe also won the Florida Championship in the Preliminary Single Pony Division with her 5yr old Welsh Sec B pony, Theon.

Finishing 3rd in

USEF Prelim Pony CH at Grand Oaks, then 1st at both Spring Fling CDE and Grand Oaks Live CDE!



And not to be left out, **Pamela Rich-**

ardson finished 2nd at the Black Prong DT, 2nd at the Spring Fling CDE and then winning Grand Oaks Live CDE with her Training Single Horse, 5yr old horse, Harbour -a Fresian Cross!



A huge shout out to Kerri Rochon for all her fabulous help as both a groom and navigator for me this season!! Couldn't have done it without you!

We might be a small group but we're putting Colorado on the driving map!

CALLING ALL HANDS

Please if you would consider making a Donation
or Sponsoring a part of the 2021 Colorado CDE
& CT

and

Please, please reach out to find
sponsors/donors. Everything helps!

You can find the sponsorship opportunities listed
on the next pages.

Thank you!

It will take a village to bring one of our country's
top combined driving events to Colorado.

We need the team's help to make this happen.

If you can donate, sponsor, or if you find a potential donor/sponsor for the 2021 Colorado CDE & CT, or for more details about sponsorship opportunities. Please contact Sharyl Thombs (303) 431-7286
ColoradoCDE@gmail.com

Mail donations or sponsorships to: Colorado CDE, C/O Sharyl Thombs,
13890 W. 78 Ave., Arvada, CO 80005. Thank you!



Sponsorship Opportunities



for the 2021 Colorado Combined Driving Event

Presented by
COLORADO DRIVING
SOCIETY and
ROCKY MOUNTAIN
CARRIAGE CLUB
501c3

and Two-Phase Combined Test

American Driving Society - *Recognized*

Location:
Colorado Horse Park
Parker, Colorado

October 1 - 3, 2021

CDE Event Friends

\$50

- “Thank You Announcements”³ during the event for all Event Friends

Competitor Bag Item Sponsor (No Limit)

\$ 75

- Thank You Announcements³ during the event
- Sponsor to provide² sample, advertisement, or promotional item for competitor’s bags (supply 45 items or packets, if opted)
Examples: flyers, coupons, gift certificates, lip balms, pens, pencils, nail files, note pads, mugs, snacks, totes, horse treats, gullet straps, hats, electrolytes, etc. *with your business card, sticker, printing or label attached.*

Individual Driver Sponsor- Horse - Pony - VSE (No limit)

\$100

- Daily announcement:³
“Thank you to sponsor’s name for sponsoring driver’s name”

Horse Lover Sponsor (Limit 3)

\$100

- Provides for apples, carrots, and treats for our equine partners.
- Thank you announcement³ once each day
- Option to run one business card sized ad³ in RMCC⁴ and CDS⁵ newsletters for 6 months

Award Prizes Sponsors

Variable \$

- Provide an item or items^{2,3} or financial backing for awards.
- Call Sharyl Thombs (303) 431-7286 ColoradoCDE@gmail.com to discuss designing a suitable advertising and announcing package

Airline Ticket Sponsors

Variable \$

- Provide airline mileage tickets or financial backing for official’s travel-one-way or round-trip.
- Contact Sharyl Thombs (303) 431-7286 ColoradoCDE@gmail.com to discuss designing a suitable advertising + announcing package .

Golf Cart Sponsor

\$210

- Banner¹ (1) located on a golf cart during the event
- 1 announcement³ during each day of the event

Presenting Sponsor (Limit 2 Presenting Sponsors) \$1,500

- The Colorado CDE, presented by *"Your corporate name"*³
- Three (3) announcements³ each day during the Event and signed photo thank you
- Banners¹ (3) to be located at the prime viewing areas and other locations at the event
- Logo³ on all printed materials and advertising
- Logo³ on both CDS⁵ and RMCC⁴ web sites for 1 year
- Opportunity to put sample², advertisement³, or promotional item² in competitor's bags (supply 45 if opted)
- Option to run one ¼-page ad³ in RMCC² and CDS⁴ newsletters for 12 months
- 4 Passes to Competitors Party

Official Sponsor CDE (limit 1) \$2,500

- *"Your corporate name"*³, the Official Sponsor of the Colorado CDE.
- Four (4) announcements each day during the event and signed photo thank you
- 4 of your banners¹ located two at spectator viewing area, others on the grounds and in the barn area
- Logo³ listed on all printed material and advertising
- Logo³ and link to your website on both CDS⁵ & RMCC⁴ Websites for 1 year
- Networking opportunities during Competitors' Parties
- Opportunity to put sample², advertisement³, or promotional item² in competitor's bags (supply 45 if opted)
- One emailing of your digital materials² to both Clubs' Members
- Option to run one 1/2-page ad³ in RMCC⁴ and CDS⁵ newsletters for 12 months
- 6 Passes to Competitors Party

Supporting Donors: Listed in Newsletters through November 2021
 Platinum \$300, Gold \$200, Silver \$100, Brass \$50, and Steel \$25

¹ Sponsor's Banners must be provided and available by September 17, 2021 [THANK YOU!](#)

² All other Sponsor's materials need to be delivered by September 17, 2021 to the Colorado Horse Park Show Office

³ Your announcement script, web information, ad and/or logo (jpg or png) must be sent by email to ColoradoCDE@gmail.com no later than September 17, 2021 and sooner is even better.

⁴ RMCC = Rocky Mountain Carriage Club, RockyMountainCarriageClub.org

⁵ Colorado Driving Society, ColoradoDrivingSociety.com

To become a sponsor of the Colorado CDE & CT or for more details about Sponsorship Opportunities contact: Sharyl Thombs (303) 431-7286 ColoradoCDE@gmail.com

Mail sponsorships to: Colorado CDE, 13890 W. 78 Ave., Arvada, CO 80005

Sponsorship Opportunities for the Colorado CDE & CT

Port-A-Potty Sponsor **\$250**

- Sponsor's Poster² inside Port-A-Potties (captive audience), Show Office, and Barns
- Option to run one business card sized ad³ in RMCC⁴ and CDS⁵ newsletters for 6 months
- One (1) announcement³ each day during the event.

Water Sponsor **\$250**

- Provides for bottled waters for competitors and volunteers.
- Option to have your labels applied to water bottles, including one in each competitor's bags. You provide 1500 labels², we apply them.
- Option to run one business card sized ad³ in RMCC⁴ and CDS⁵ newsletters for 6 months
- One (1) announcement³ each day during the event.

Hazard Sponsor, entire hazard **\$400****Hazard Sponsor, shared (one of two sponsors of a hazard)** **\$250**

- Your (2) Banners¹ located near a hazard or Your (1) Banner¹ if shared
- Option to run one business card sized ad³ in RMCC⁴ and CDS⁵ newsletters for 6 months
- One (1) announcement³ each day during the event.

EMT Sponsor (Limit 3) **\$300**

- Your Banner¹ (1) banner located on the grounds during the event
- Option to run one business card sized ad³ in RMCC⁴ and CDS⁵ newsletters for 6 months
- One (1) announcement³ each day during the event.

Crossing Guard Sponsor (Limit 2) **\$400**

- Your Banner¹ (1) located along Bayou Gulch Road at crossing where all spectators, staff, volunteers, competitors pass during the event
- Option to run one business card sized ad³ in RMCC⁴ and CDS⁵ newsletters for 6 months.
- One (1) announcement ad³ each day during the event.

Meals/Snacks for Volunteers and/or competitors Variable \$ _____

- Provide appropriate snacks, meals, and/or drinks or financial backing for them
- Available in part or all
- Contact Sharyl Thombs (303) 431-7286 ColoradoCDE@gmail.com to discuss designing a suitable advertising + announcing package.

CDE Radio Sponsor (Limit 1) SOLD \$500

Provide hand-held radios used by staff, officials and volunteers

- One (1) announcement³ each day during the event
- Option to run one business card sized ad³ in RMCC⁴ and CDS⁵ newsletters for 6 months
- Opportunity to put sample², advertisement³, or promotional item² for competitor's bags (supply 45 if opted)
- Option for one (1) banner¹ located on the grounds during the event

CDE Supporting Sponsor \$500

- 2 Banners¹ located on the grounds during the event
- One (1) announcement³ each day during the event
- Sponsor Logo³ on all printed materials
- Option to put sample², advertisement³, or promotional item² for competitor's bags (supply 45 if opted)
- Option to run one business card sized ad³ in the RMCC⁴ and the CDS⁵ newsletters for 6 months

T-Shirt Sponsor \$1,000

- 1 Banner¹ (1) located on the grounds during the event
- Two (2) announcements³ each day during the event
- Sponsors Logo³ on printed materials
- Sponsor's logo³ of moderate size included on volunteers' t-shirts (optional)
- Opportunity to put sample², advertisement³, or promotional item² in competitor's bags (supply 45 if opted*)
- Option to run one business card sized ad³ in RMCC⁴ and CDS⁵ newsletters for 6 months
- Logo on RMCC⁴ and CDS⁵ websites for 6 months

CDE Division Sponsor (limit 1 per division) \$1,000

Choose Training, Intermediate, or Preliminary

- Banner¹ (2) located on the grounds during the event
- Two (2) announcements³ each day during the event
- Sponsors Logo³ on printed materials
- 2 Passes to Competitors Party
- Opportunity to put sample², advertisement³, or promotional item² for competitor's bags (supply 45 if opted)
- Option to run one business card sized ad³ in the RMCC⁴ and the CDS⁵ newsletters for 6 months
- Logo³ on CDS⁵ & RMCC⁴ websites for 6 months

Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!

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Driving Lines

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Major **Thank-yous** go out to everyone who has either generously rolled their 2019 donation over to the **2021 Colorado CDE & CT** and/or who have chosen to sponsor the 2021 event.

Sponsors/donors for the 2021 Colorado CDE & CT

- Hutchinson Western**- Over \$9,000 in materials for a permanent obstacle
Eric & Mary Jensen- Hosting 2 officials, funding, hardware & labor support
Sal D'Alessandro- Hosting an official, funding obstacle design \$500
American Driving Society- Course design grant \$600
Nancy Bruckhauser- Radio Sponsor \$500
Mike & Chris Downing- \$100 Silver Sponsor & lots of Silent Auction items
Paul & Sharyl Thombs- EMT Sponsor \$300
Silver Whip Farm – Mike and Carol Ackerman-\$300 Platinum Donor
Pat Lamprey- Hosting Scorekeeper
Sara Swearingen- Back-up host for official
Stablemaster Products- \$150 Award Sponsor
Adriana's Restaurant-\$100 Silver Sponsor
The Barn antiques and specialty shop- Silent Auction item
The Parker Shoppes- Silent Auction item
Kneader's Bakery and Café- [Silent Auction item](#)
Les Schwab Tires- Silent Auction item
Bennington Mercantile- Silent Auction item

Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!

FOR SALE: 2 yr old Carriage Machine Shop Badger cart. Lots of safety and aesthetics added! Fits my 14.1 hand pony, \$3,500. 2 yr. old Yonie's large pony harness with empathy collar plus lots of adjustment pieces, \$550. Also, 2016 Frontier Aluminum 3 horse slant load trailer, barely used and like new. Brand New tires plus electric hitch, \$14,000. Pictures and measurements sent with inquiry. All located in Austin TX area, but will either ship or bring it to you! I love an excuse to come back and visit!

Contact: Jane McBride, edjanemcbride@gmail.com, 719 231-2521.



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MULTI-BARN TACK AND EQUIPMENT SALE

**Sat and Sun, May 1-2nd 9am—2pm
(snow date May 8-9)**

English, Western, Driving tack

**Barn equipment, Clothing, Misc Decora-
tions, Books, Some Tractor Implements**

Cash/Venmo accepted

**Location—North Colorado Springs
335 Struthers Loop, Colo Spgs 80921**

Lost Keeper Driving Center



*Consultation/Lessons at your facility
Singles - Pairs - 4 in Hand and Tandems
Pleasure Driving - Combined Driving (CDE)
Or just for fun*

Call Vickroy at 303-704-0831
*vickroyv@yahoo.com
Vickroy was a national competitor*

All members are encouraged to attend bimonthly membership meetings in February, April, June, August, and October.

Get to know fellow club members, learn more about carriage driving and help plan club events.

Renew your membership! Send the form attached with payment to:

Colorado Driving Society
c/o Kelly Stanton
11056 E Grant Rd
Franktown CO 80116

Renew your Ads for next year!
Please contact Kelly Stanton (newsletter) via email KellyL97@gmail.com or 719.629.6899



Next CDS Meeting: Thur Apr 8

6:00pm—Board Meeting

7:00 pm General Membership—Erik Jensen will be speaking on Sporting Day of Traditional Driving” Held via Zoom—watch your email for invite

Get more involved with CDS . . .

We’re still looking for someone to fill one critical position:

- **Volunteer Coordinator—** Contacts coordinators for the various CDS events to see how many and what kind of volunteers are needed for their events, then contacts club members and others to see who can fill which positions.

And — until we have a volunteer coordinator — contact individual event coordinators (see the calendar) to offer to help out at events of your choosing. It’s a great way to meet more club members and to learn more about how each of the events works.

Event Organizers . . . If your event is at Salisbury Equestrian Center, consider saving some money by anchoring your event at the east side of the polo field in order to use the permanent porta-potty by the white arena rather than renting a porta-potty (at the cost of \$150).

Reminders for Event Organizers:

1. Guidelines for organizers, a sample budget, and reimbursement forms are available from the event coordinator (below).
 2. Three months before your event, submit a budget to the CDS board of directors through the event coordinator. *No publicity for an event will be released until the budget has been approved.*
 3. Once your budget is approved, please submit a description of the event to the newsletter editor. Include event title, location, date, time, rain date, fees, organizer, details of the event, closing date for entries & where to send entry form and fee. (Please send content with minimal formatting. We'll take care of the layout.)
 4. For help recruiting volunteers, contact the volunteer coordinator (below) two months prior to the event with a list of the positions to be filled (set-up, scribe, timer, cone setters, volunteer judges, announcer, photographer, etc.)
 5. Arrange for a volunteer to take photographs or contact the newsletter editor about photographs.
 6. After your event, please send a report about scores, awards, number of entries, etc. to the newsletter editor.
 7. To be reimbursed by the club for any expenses you incur, you must provide a receipt and a CDS reimbursement form, available from the event coordinator.
- Items that are donated require a receipt for the value of the item and the word "Donated" written on the receipt for tax purposes. This can include a judge's fee if the judge normally charges but chooses to donate the service to CDS.

Colorado Driving Society

Board Members

Gary Lewman	303-660-6241	serving thru 2021
Thena Walton	970-216-0541	serving thru 2021
Margie Liliestedt	303-810-6162	serving thru 2021
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Kris Jensen	720-357-1145	serving thru 2023

Officers

President:	Kris Jensen	720-357-1145
Vice-President:	Terri Miller	303-838-6768
Treasurer:	Sandy Clayton	303-646-3595
Secretary:	Kelly Stanton	719-629-6899

Committees

Education:	Sandy Clayton	303-646-3595
Equipment:	Kris Jensen	720-357-1145
Event Coord.:	Margie Liliestedt	303-810-6162
Membership:	Kelly Stanton	719-629-6899
Newsletter Editor:	Kelly Stanton	719-629-6899
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	Joe Johnson	303-829-9089
	Susie Haszelbart	303-882-2462
	Kris Jensen	720-357-1145

Advertisements

Driving Lines is a monthly publication of the Colorado Driving Society.

<u>Charges per issue</u>	<u>Members</u>	<u>NonMembers</u>
Ads up to 1/8 Page	Free	\$15.00
Ads up to a Quarter Page	Free	\$25.00
One Third Page	\$15.00	\$30.00
One Half Page	\$18.00	\$35.00
Full Page	\$25.00	\$50.00

<u>Charges for one year</u>	<u>Members</u>	<u>NonMembers</u>
Business Card	\$40.00	\$80.00
Quarter page	\$85.00	\$120.00
Half Page	\$110.00	\$150.00

A member may run a maximum of two free ads per month as described above. Each ad will run in two consecutive issues unless specified otherwise.

Please submit ads as follows:

1. Send your ad by email to ColoradoDrivingSociety@gmail.com
Send the text for your ad in the email message **or** attach a "Word" document.
For a logo or pictures attach .jpg or .png files.
2. Also send by US Mail to the Editor at 11056 E. Grant Rd. Franktown CO 80116
 - a check made out to *Colorado Driving Society*
 - your name and phone number
 - a paper copy of your ad
 - the ad size, frequency, and month the ad will start.

Questions? call 719-629-6899

Please have your ads in by the 25th of the month prior to the month in which you want your ad to appear.

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INTERESTED IN CARRIAGE DRIVING ? Join us!

COLORADO DRIVING SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION / RENEWAL

Please print.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code _____

Preferred phone: (____) _____ Other phone: (____) _____

Email: _____

I am a member of ADS (American Driving Society) CAA (Carriage Association of America)
 RMCC (Rocky Mtn Carriage Club) Other _____

How did you hear about us?

- Friend Internet search Flyer Horse Expo Facebook
 Other _____

Dues are for the calendar year. Newsletters are sent via email.

I am interested in:

- Learning to drive
 Clinics
 Picnic drives, fun days
 Shows, competitions
 Driven dressage
 Marathon, hazards, cones, CDEs
 Volunteering at events
 Helping drivers at events (side-walking in parades, navigating)
 Other _____
 Please have someone call me.

- \$30 Individual Membership
 \$35 Family Membership
 _____ Donation towards club insurance, events, etc.
CDS is a 501c3 organization, EIN: 84-1577285

Mail form with check (payable to Colorado Driving Society) to:

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c/o Kelly Stanton
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Franktown, CO 80116

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