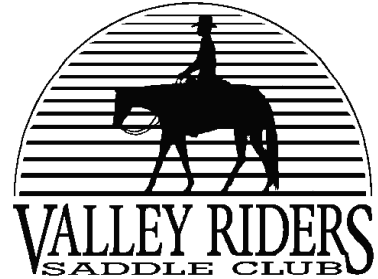


# Valley Riders Saddle Club Newsletter

February 2018

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## February Birthdays

Happy birthday to the following Valley members in February: Joey Dunn, Suzanne Phillips, Mark Philpot, Ryan Burnside, Angie Basso, Gavin Basso, Sandy Gilpin, Barb West, and Garry Lyons.

## February Meeting

The next meeting will be Tuesday, February 13<sup>th</sup>, at 7pm. The meeting will be held at Honey Creek Church.

## 2018 Open Show Dates

Mark your calendars! The Valley Riders show dates have been set for 2018. They are as follows:

Tack Room Show: May 26-27 (New split/combined format--please help spread the word!)

Introductory Show: August 4-5

Anniversary Show: September 22-23 (Double judged Saturday, single judged Sunday--trail triple judged on Saturday only--no trail Sunday.)

Practice Show: April 29

Open shows: May 6, June 10, July 8 (double judged), August 19, October 7

## 2018 Valley Membership Applications

The 2018 Membership Application is available now. Don't forget to complete the new/separate forms for stall reservations and if you want to purchase some of your required hours. The forms were sent out with the last newsletter. If you need another copy, they are available on the website or Facebook. Until your membership is paid, you are not allowed to vote at the meetings, or have show points count. Otherwise, membership applications are due **March 1** to avoid paying the \$5.00 late fee. A few other notes:

1. Lifetime members—please go ahead and fill out a membership application, even though you don't have to pay. ☺
2. Please make sure to fill out the membership form neatly and completely. The forms get copied several times for the officers, and it's important we have the info we need.
3. The membership form has a new section for people/horse sizes. Please fill this out as it will help with awards.

## Johnson County 4-H Horse and Pony Tack Swap

Johnson County 4-H Horse and Pony is hosting a tack swap/chili supper at Scott Hall at the Johnson County fairgrounds on Sunday, February 18<sup>th</sup>, from 10-4pm. Please consider supporting this event either with shopping or coming to eat!

## Other Valley Happenings

*Do you have any news (weddings, special anniversaries, illnesses, passings, etc.) that you would like posted in "Other Valley Happenings"? If so, please email Stephanie Dunn at [stephaniejane97@hotmail.com](mailto:stephaniejane97@hotmail.com), or call 317-313-1445.*  
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